

SAINT MARGARET PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN

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OFFICE HOURS ARE MON-FRI. 8:30AM-4:30PM
(CLOSED 12PM-1PM FOR LUNCH)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil - 6:00pm

Sunday 8:30am & 11:00am &

Rosary - Sunday 9:30am &

First Saturdays @ 5:30pm before 6pm Mass

Daily Masses

Monday & Friday - 6:00pm

Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:00am

Baptisms - contact the Parish Office

Confessions

Monday, Friday, Saturday - 5:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

Friday - 5:00-5:50pm

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Christ's One and Eternal Sacrifice was and is for all humanity. With each Mass offered at the Altar, we give thanks that Christ offers His Sacrifice, keeping close to His Sacred Heart the following:

SUNDAY, 7/26 - 8:30 - PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
11:00 - MARGARET FRIEND

MONDAY 7/27 - JAMES KARALUS+

TUESDAY, 7/28 - NAN HALLBICK+

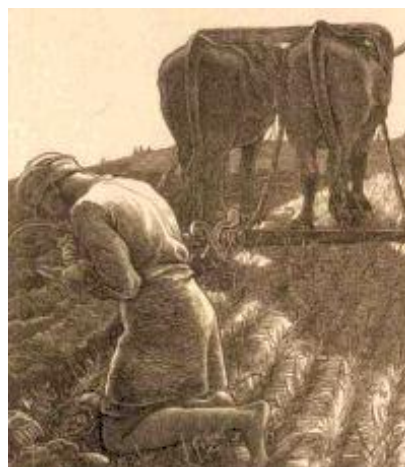
WEDNESDAY, 7/29 - SANDRA MAOLA

FRIDAY, 7/31 - MARTA RIVERA B.+

SATURDAY, 8/1 - ESPERIDION & FELICIDAD HIDALGO+

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

O God, protector of those who hope in you, without whom nothing has firm foundation, nothing is holy, bestow in abundance your mercy upon us and grant that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may use the good things that pass in such a way as to hold fast even now to those that ever endure. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.



"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field..."

SUNDAY READINGS

1 KINGS 3: 5, 7-12

RESP. PSALM 119: 57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130

ROMANS 8: 28-30

GOSPEL MATTHEW 13: 44-52

Today is World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly. The Memorial of [Sts. Joachim and Anne](#), which are ordinarily celebrated today, are superseded by the Sunday liturgy.

This Week's Feasts & Memorials

Wednesday, 7/29 - Sts. Mary, Martha & Lazarus; MEMORIAL

Thurs. 7/30 - St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop/Doctor; *Opt. Mem.*

Thurs. 7/30 - Blessed Solanus Casey, Priest USA; *Opt. Mem.*

Fri. 7/31 - St. Ignatius Loyola, Priest; MEMORIAL



A representative from **John Paul the Great University** will have a table in the Piazza after each of the Sat/Sun Masses this weekend to promote the school and to answer any of your questions.

OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? OCIA is for adults (18 and older) who are unbaptized, baptized in another Christian faith tradition, or baptized Catholic and seeking to learn more about the Catholic Church. Join us beginning **Thursday, August 20, 2026, from 6:30–8:00 PM in the Ministry Room** of the parish hall. Whether you are exploring the Catholic faith or considering full communion with the Church, you are warmly welcome. To register, please complete the gold *Sacramental Request Form*, located in the pamphlet rack at the entrance of the church, and return it to the parish office. For more information, please contact the parish office.

REBOOT - A LIFE CHANGING EVENT

This high-energy, 2-hour event with acclaimed speaker **Chris Stefanick** will awaken your faith, reignite your joy and equip you with tools to live the life God created you for: **A life of JOY!**

When: Wednesday, September 9, 2026

Where: St. Stephen Catholic Church

31020 Cole Grade Road; Valley Center, CA

Time: 6:30-9:00pm - for ages 12 & up

For tickets & registration go to:

<https://buytickets.at/reallifecatholic/1928235>

GIFT SHOP - The parish gift shop is extending their **Summer Sale thru July! All merchandise is 15% off every Sunday in July.** Shop now for the best selection! The shop is open for one hour after each Sunday Mass. Cash or check only.

2026 Annual Catholic Appeal

By contributing to our ***In Mission, We are One*** campaign, you are helping our brothers and sisters to truly know and love Jesus Christ, His grace and His mercy. Your contribution helps to fund *Catholic Schools, Clergy Formation & Support, Faith Formation, & Catholic Charities*. Visit: cdcatholic.org/giving; select *Annual Catholic Appeal*.



Religious Education

Do you have the gift of teaching the faith to our young people? We are in need of catechists this Fall for several grades including Sacramental Prep. Email Geneane @ reled@oceanside4christ.com.

CCD Registration

2026-2027 CCD & Sacramental Prep classes are open for registration online or in the office.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Level 1

We still have openings in our **Wednesday** afternoon class at **1:30pm**. Sunday and Wednesday morning classes are full.

This Week's Parish Calendar

American Heritage Girls

Tuesday, 7/28 - Contact: gzb721@gmail.com

Catholic Men in Recovery

Tuesday, 7/28 @ 6:30-7:30pm - Fr. Wallace Rm.

Knights of Columbus Officers' Mtg.

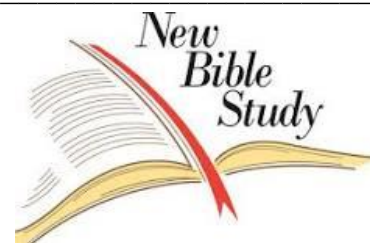
Tuesday, 7/28 @ 6:30-8:30pm - Fr. Sproul Rm.

Legion of Mary

Wednesday, 7/29 @ 6:00-7:30pm - Fr. Gold Rm.

Hearts on Fire Young Adult Bible Study

Saturday, 8/1 @ 5:00pm - Music Room



New Bible Study beginning this Fall!

Start date: Tues., Sept. 8, 2026

Time: 6:30-8:00pm

End date: Tues., May 4, 2027

Where: 3rd Grade Rm. - Parish Hall

All adults, new to the faith or longtime Catholics, are invited to a year-long Bible study exploring the Old Testament as the beginning of God's plan of salvation. Through weekly lecture and discussion, we will follow the story from Creation to the Maccabees and learn how God's covenants prepare the way for Christ. **Topics include:** Creation and the early world; Abraham and the Patriarchs; Exodus and the Law; Kingdom and Exile; Restoration and perseverance in faith. **Materials:** *Understanding the Scriptures* (Scott Hahn), Catholic Bible, Catechism of the Catholic Church. No prior study required. Contact: **Eric Kliebenstein** @ e.kliebenstein@gmail.com