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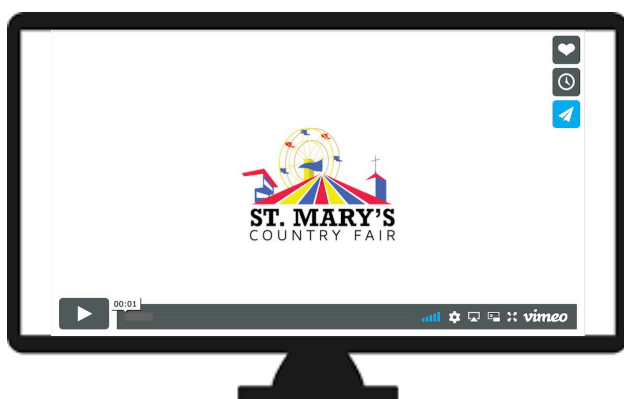
October 11, 2020

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2020 St. Mary Country Fair

October 10, 2020

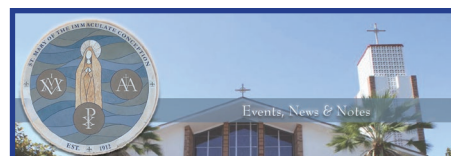
Unfortunately, one of our major fundraisers, the annual Country Fair, did not take place this weekend. To help keep the spirit of the Country Fair alive, a committee was formed to help create a memorable event that hopefully fills some of that void! Please go to our Country Fair website: stmarysfair.squarespace.com to enjoy the videos.



We introduced the "moving Country Fair concert", by talented pianist/vocalist Joel Nelson. Watch the highlights from Saturday's concert as it made its way through Los Gatos on the Country Fair website: stmarysfair.squarespace.com.



We were blessed by a number of Sponsors and Friends of the Fair who, by their donations, made this event possible. It's important to keep the generous spirit of the Country Fair alive in the minds and hearts of all members of our school and parish community!



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Mass Live Streamed

**Sunday and Daily Mass
are now**

Live Streamed on our Website

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Daily Mass: 9:30 am
Sunday Mass: 8 am

Sign-up for Outdoor Mass

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Sunday Donations

are best made online at this time

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Envelopes can be mailed
or dropped in the mail slot at the rectory

**Adoration is Live Streamed
Thursdays at 7 pm**

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**DIOCESE OF
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Office of the Bishop

September 20, 2020

Dear brothers and sisters in the Diocese of San Jose,

The pandemic this year has forced us all to re-evaluate how we live our lives. Families have had to deal with the loss of jobs, working remotely, distance learning for our children, separation from loved ones, isolation, and the list goes on. We, as Catholics, have had to change how we worship and experience our faith community.

In his September 13th homily, Archbishop Cordileone of San Francisco invited the faithful of San Francisco to participate in a Eucharistic procession on September 20th to the Cathedral to call for reopening churches for worship at a level consistent with other activities in San Francisco and with stringent health and safety protocols in place.

I support the Archbishop's call for San Francisco Catholics to prayerfully protest the County and City of San Francisco's uniquely severe limits on public worship, which until this week only allowed outdoor Masses for up to 12 people despite the fact the City of San Francisco has been in the Red Tier for three weeks. As the rest of the state, including our own County, was safely lowering the restrictions on gatherings, the County and City of San Francisco was not.

For us, the situation has been different. Our Diocese has been able to celebrate Masses with up to 60 people outdoors or with 100 cars for nearly three months with strict health and safety guidelines while our County was still on the Watch List or Purple Tier.

I continue to dialogue with key County officials about allowing indoor worship, ensuring safety and health requirements, now that our County has moved to the Red Tier within the past week. I hope we can soon return to indoor worship at a safe percentage of a church building's capacity, with all the necessary health and safety precautions. While I, like many of you, don't like the public health restrictions, they have kept us safe, reduced the COVID spread in our County, and have been reasonable in our County so far.

Yours in Christ,

Most Rev. Oscar Cantú

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1; Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7; Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119:41, 43-45, 47-48; Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98:1-6; Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Eph 1:11-14; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13; Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Eph 1:15-23; Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-7; Lk 12:8-12

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

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Stock Transfer

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MASS INTENTIONS

Mo	10/12	9:30a	Parishioners of St. Mary
Tu	10/13	9:30a	Parishioners of St. Mary
We	10/14	9:30a	Ron Davis †
Th	10/15	9:30a	Parishioners of St. Mary
Fri	10/16	9:30a	Mary Ellen Harvey †
Sa	10/17	9:30a	Susan Carey (birthday)
		5:00p	Parishioners of St. Mary
Su	10/18	9:30a	Linda & Brian Gouveia †
		5:00p	Parishioners of St. Mary

WE PRAY FOR

Those who are ill:

George Shannon

Those who have recently died:

Dao Nguyen



Parish Goal: \$304,179

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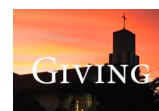
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SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

Our Goal for October is \$ 58,824

We made our Goal for September!

THANK YOU!

Your continued ONLINE support of St. Mary is greatly appreciated!

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What is Seasons of Hope (SoH)?

SoH is a faith-based bereavement discussion group for those who have lost a loved one. It offers attendees:

- a place to share their feelings of grief openly
- support from others experiencing the same path toward healing

Meeting Dates, Time, & Location

SoH will meet on the following Tuesdays:

- October 13th • November 3rd
- October 20th • November 10th
- October 27th • November 17th

Meetings will take place by Zoom
invitation from 1:00PM to 2:30PM

Join us! Seasons of Hope is a faith-based bereavement discussion group for those who have lost a loved one. It provides a safe place for attendees to share their feelings of grief openly and receive support from others experiencing the same path toward healing.

Contact Jane Najour: jnajour@stmaryslg.org or call (408) 354-3726 x121



ST. MARY SCHOOL

smslg.org

stmaryslg.org/school-calendar

Principal Monica Hernandez announced that our school was allowed to reopen for in-person learning! There are a number of new requirements, changes and procedures we've put into place in anticipation of our students returning to school, and we'll all be modeling patience and staying positive as we welcome our students back. Our TK and Kindergarten classes began on Monday, September 28th, our 1st Grade the following week, and continuing in a gradual manner until all grades are on campus. Parents will complete a Reopening Training Zoom session, which will explain new policies and procedures we've put in place. Please keep our school faculty and staff, as well as all our St. Mary School families in your prayers as we welcome our students back! We have a few openings in most grades, feel free to call the school office, 408-354-3944.

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Confirmation	x129
Baptism	x123
RCIA (Initiation)	x123
Youth Ministry	x129
Marriage	x121
Sacrament of the Sick	x121
Funerals	x121
Pastoral Care	x121
Outreach/Social Ministries	x121
Music Ministry	x122

If it is an **EMERGENCY** and you need to reach a priest call 408.482.8021

Parish Office CLOSED:
Per the SCC Health Dept - 7/13/20
We are unable to open again.
We continue to respond to your emails
and voice messages as soon as possible.

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