

# Mary Star of the Sea Parish

Established 1889

The Ascension of the Lord

May 8, 2016

PASTOR: Rev. Fr. M. Harrigan

ASSOCIATE PASTORS: Rev. Fr. Cassian Di Rocco and Rev. Fr. Kaspar Reddy Udumala

CROATIAN & ITALIAN MINISTRY: Rev. Fr. Ivan Gerovac, S.J.

MARITIME MINISTRY: Rev. Fr. Freddie Chua

DEACON: William Garcia

NORBERTINE FATHERS: Serving our High School (310) 521-1930



## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday: 8am & 5:15pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9am, 12pm (English);

10:30am (Spanish);

1:30pm (Croatian);

4:00pm (Italian)

5:15pm Mass of the New Evangelization  
(*Latin/English sung Mass*);

## Holy Days of Obligation

5:15pm evening before; Day of: 8am, 12pm, 5:15pm

Morning & Evening Prayer

Monday - Friday 7:45am & 5pm

## Reconciliation (Confessions)

Thursday & Friday after 5:15pm mass;

Saturday after 8am Mass and 4pm-5pm

870 W. 8th Street, San Pedro, CA 90731

Tel: (310) 833-3541 - Fax (310) 833-9254

Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm;

Saturday 9am - 4pm; Closed Sundays

Parish Website: [www.marystar.org](http://www.marystar.org) - E-mail: [office@marystar.org](mailto:office@marystar.org)

Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny: Parish Convent (310) 834-5431

Stella Maris Bookstore: (310) 519-8661

DONATE ONLINE!



FOLLOW US!



@MaryStar\_SP



@MaryStarSanPedro



[www.pinterest.com/MaryStar\\_SP](http://www.pinterest.com/MaryStar_SP)



[www.facebook.com/marystarsanpedro](http://www.facebook.com/marystarsanpedro)

<https://e-giving.org/marystarofthesea>

## PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Mary Star of the Sea Parishioners:

A blessed Feast of the Ascension to you, and Happy Mother's Day as well. I wish to thank all who contributed to our Annual High School Fund raiser Night of a Thousand Stars. We are most grateful for your continued commitment to Catholic Education of our young people. Below is an excellent article on Why Satan hates the Ascension. I hope you find it helpful.

Have a Blessed Week.

Fr. Harrigan  
Pastor

### ***By Matthew Coffin***

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord. Forty days after his Resurrection, Christ ascended into heaven. His Ascension marked the end of his earthly ministry. Having conquered sin and death, Jesus ascended to receive the glory due him [Philippians 2:8-11], mediate on our behalf [Hebrews 9:24], send the Holy Spirit promised at the Last Supper [John 16:7], and prepare a place for us in eternity [John 14:2]. Immediately following the Ascension, an angel informs the disciples that Christ's Second Coming will occur in the same way. According to the Catechism [668], "Christ's Ascension into heaven signifies his participation, in his humanity, in God's power and authority." Our Lord's Ascension bridges his Incarnation in humility with his coming again at the end of time as King and Supreme Judge of the universe. Since his Ascension, Christ's glorified body has sat at the right hand of the Father. The divinization of Christ in his incarnate body has profound implications for us. Jesus is the Exemplar, par excellence, of how we should live and what we ought to do. He also reveals our destiny, if we persevere in love.

Christ's bodily Ascension prefigures our own life in heaven not simply as disembodied souls, following death, but as the union of our glorified bodies with our souls at the Final Judgment. Christ's sacrifice on the cross redeemed us. His Ascension assured the restoration of all creation to God's design. St. John Paul II observes that our experience of heaven will far exceed the state of perfect bliss known by our first parents before Satan's temptation.

Satan's lie in the garden condemned humanity to lives of sin, drudgery and inexorable physical death. Prior to the Fall, the created world and everything in it functioned precisely as God intended. It was in short, Paradise.

We don't often think of it this way, but before the first sin, the entire world was a temple in which human beings worshiped the one true God. Man fully possessed original goodness and original justice. With Adam's sin, the world at large stopped being a temple. It became necessary to build a temple where God could be worshiped. Moreover, man had to purify himself before entering this sacred space. Everything in the created world was profaned including human nature, our relationship to beauty, truth and goodness, our relationship with the natural world, our relationships with each other, and our relationship with God. Paradise was lost.

Satan hates Christ's Ascension because, by virtue of it:

- 1.) The effects of Satan's lie are undone.
- 2.) In eternity, the one thing Satan seeks to hurt most, namely human beings, will be elevated to a dignity and intimacy with their Creator far greater than that experienced by Adam and Eve.
- 3.) Christ's Ascension promises that the souls of the virtuous will be reunited with their glorified bodies.

In his Ascension, Jesus incarnate makes possible and prefigures our ultimate Summum bonum. Following the Last Judgment, the good will enjoy the Beatific Vision, see God face to face, and experience perfect happiness. Salvation history will cease, having achieved its ultimate purpose, love will triumph over evil, and darkness will be no more. Christ's Ascension sounds the death knell for sin, reminds Satan his days are numbered, and justifies our hearts' deepest longings – giving our prayers, works, joys, and sufferings a divine purpose – so that we may love and serve God with infinite hope in this life until we live with Him forever in the next.

# Mary star of the sea, pray for us



## Prayers for the Sick

Please pray for all of the sick in our community, that they may find healing and comfort in Christ, especially:

Augie Amalfitano	Tomas Gonzales	Joann Paled
Anna Bernil	Tonci Jaram	Joseph Paled
Gus Bouza	Rosalie Karmelich	Sergio Paled
John Calise	Mark Karmelich Jr.	Stella Rodriguez
Sarah Castaneda	Rosalina Vela Lopez	Trini Scott
Eva De Alba	Lola Martinez	Mary Lou Sweida
Sean Garcia	Vince Merlino	Soleil Toledo
	John Oreb	

Names stay on the sick list for 3 weeks. To renew, please call the parish office. To share an answered prayer about someone prayed for, please email us at [bulletin@marystar.org](mailto:bulletin@marystar.org).

## In Memoriam



Rosa Colaruotolo

## Prayer Intentions of the Holy Father

**UNIVERSAL:** Respect for Women: That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

**EVANGELIZATION:** Holy Rosary: That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

## Did You Know?/¿Sabia Usted?

**Know the signs of human trafficking.** Human trafficking claims many young victims every year, and often, we see these victims in our daily lives. It is important to recognize the signs of abuse and to know how to interact with possible victims. The best way to start a tough conversation with teens who may be at risk is simply to talk to them—ask what's going on in their lives, and if they are okay. Signs of abuse include suspicious or inexplicable injuries, avoidance, or reliance on an older "friend." For more information please visit <http://www.missingkids.org/lin5>.

**Conozca las señales del tráfico humano.** El tráfico humano reclama cada año a muchas víctimas jóvenes, y muchas veces vemos a estas víctimas en nuestra vida diaria. Es importante reconocer las señales de abuso y saber cómo interactuar con posibles víctimas. La mejor forma de comenzar una difícil conversación con adolescentes que pueden estar en riesgo es simplemente hablando con ellos, preguntándoles qué está pasando en sus vidas y si ellos están bien. Señales de abuso incluyen heridas sospechosas e inexplicables, evasión, o dependencia en un/a "amigo/a" mayor. Para más información, por favor visitar <http://esp.missingkids.org/lin5>.

May 8, 2016

Stella Maris  
Catholic Books & Gift Store

**Contact:**  
(310) 519-8661  
[stellamaris@marystar.org](mailto:stellamaris@marystar.org)

The bookstore will be closed on Wednesday, 5/11 & 5/25, and on Sunday, May 29, Memorial Day weekend.

**Store Hours:**  
Wed. 2:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Sun. 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Thank you for your patronage which assists Mary Star Elementary and High Schools.

*We honor Mary Star of the Sea Elementary & High School Scrip!*

## Mary Star Bookstore Needs Volunteers



Stella Maris Bookstore is looking for volunteers to sell on Sundays and Wednesdays. Hours scheduled are 2 1/2 on Sunday or 2 3/4 on Wednesday once or twice a month. Proceeds benefit Mary Star Elementary and High Schools. If you are interested, please email the bookstore at [stellamaris@marystar.org](mailto:stellamaris@marystar.org) or call the bookstore at 310-519-8661; leave a message and we will call you. Thank you, in advance, for your service.

## Lectio Divina

Join Sr. Loretto for Lectio Divina the first Tuesday of every month 9 a.m.—10 a.m. in the Convent Chapel. Lectio Divina is the reflective praying of Scripture. All are welcome.



For those unable to attend Sunday Mass, Heart of the Nation offers a television Mass at 9 a.m. on Channel 19 for beach cities on Time Warner Cable and Channel 56 on DIRECTV.

## A message from our Perpetual Adoration Coordinator



"Withdraw to the inner chamber of your mind. Shut out all things except God and anything that may help you seek Him. Then, after barring the door of your inner chamber, seek God" - St. Anselm of Canterbury...in the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel.

I still have one hour of Adoration to be filled at this time:  
Sunday Morning 4-5 a.m.

If you could only feel what we feel...as Perpetual Eucharistic Adorers, you would all flock to the Chapel to pray with us. There is a sublime sense of peace and well being. Prayers are absolutely answered.

Please contact me if interested in sharing an hour. Barbara West/Coordinator 310-548-1693  
SUBSTITUTE ADORERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

## Happy Mother's Day!



All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old. We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need; May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy. We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; May they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways. We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict; May they feel the loving embrace of our

God who wipes every tear away. We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion. We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.

## Annual Mother's Day Shower



We will be having our annual Mother's Day Shower the weekend of May 7th and 8th at Mary Star Church. Please bring new or lightly used baby items-unwrapped-to church and we will distribute them to the local pregnancy centers.

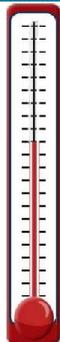
## TOGETHER IN MISSION CAMPAIGN 2016

Goal: \$85,200

Amount Pledged: \$56,910

\*If you have not turned in your pledge envelopes, please fill them out and mail them in with your pledge.

We still have a long ways to go!!



## Crowning of Our Lady



The Filipino community invites all parishioners to join us for the May crowning of our Lady. We will begin our procession at the grotto at 4:30 p.m. on May 14. The five glorious mysteries of the rosary will be recited as we leave on our way to the church for the 5:15 mass. The Fiesta Queen will crown our Lady during the rite of crowning at the end of the mass. All ethnic ministries are reminded to bring their banners and finger

food. Please deliver the latter to the parish center before the procession (thank you!) Also please bring flowers to place at the feet of our Lady's statue. After the crowning of our Lady come join us at the parish center for a reception after the mass. We'll see you there!

## Christian Care Meeting



All are welcome to the Christian Care meeting Tuesday, May 17, 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

Past, current, and new volunteers are invited to attend and hear about all the opportunities for serving the less fortunate in our community.

If you have any questions, please call the Christian Care office at 310-548-1645.

## Stained Glass Window Protection



We'd like to thank all those who have graciously and generously donated towards our Stained Glass Window Protection project!

We are expecting to begin work on the upper windows in the near future, HOWEVER, we are still in need of donations to cover the costs of all windows. Help protect these beautiful windows for generations to come!

We continue to pray for you in our daily Masses and prayers that are offered by the Priests at Mary Star.

Please contact Josephine Frka at (310) 833-3541 ext. 205. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

## Weekly Holy Hour



In order to convert America and save the World what we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer ( Blessed Mother Teresa )

Every Wednesday there is a Holy Hour in the church from 6-7 pm. It begins with exposition of The Blessed Sacrament.

Within the hour, there is a rosary with beautiful meditations, time for silent reflection, and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. The Holy Hour concludes with Benediction. Please come and spend one hour with Jesus. This is a special time of abundant blessings for all!

## Called by the Spirit... A Once in a Lifetime Journey to The Holy Land



Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus  
12 Days: September 19 to 30, 2016  
Under the Spiritual Direction of:  
Fr. Freddie Chua

*Chaplain & Director of Maritime Ministry*

*Mary Star of the Sea Parish, San Pedro, California*

For More Information Contact:

Theresa Sy • Tel: (562) 489-4907 • Email: [t\\_csy@yahoo.com](mailto:t_csy@yahoo.com)

Beng Panado • Tel: (562) 366-6065 • Email:

[bengpanado@yahoo.com](mailto:bengpanado@yahoo.com)

Download a Brochure to Share with a Friend:

[www.GoCatholicTravel.com/Chua](http://www.GoCatholicTravel.com/Chua)

## Lectors Needed

Father Harrigan has requested Lectors to lead the 5:00pm evening prayer before the 5:15 Mass during the week. It would only take 20 minutes of your time one day a week. Lectors are needed Monday through Friday and *singing is optional*. The prayers are in the Magnificat English book. Training is available by appointment. This is a wonderful chance to grow in your faith and, as Lectors, a very important part of our ministry. You can serve for six months annually and we can customize a schedule that works for you. It is on a first come first serve basis depending on available dates! It's easy, it's fun, what are you waiting for? Please participate. Don't let our faith community down! If you are available please call the rectory and ask for Michelle Downes (310) 833-3541 ext. 200. If busy, when prompted, please tell her you want to join the 5:00pm evening prayer team along with your name, phone number, a brief message and a day and time when you can be contacted.

Thank you in advance for your time and for sharing your gift.  
God Bless You

## Opportunities for Seniors

At the service of the family *for life!* The Carmelite Sisters offer short-term and long-term care for seniors, with the unique blend of social, recreational, educational and religious activities in a caring, tranquil, and home-like environment. Call for further information, tour or application.

Marycrest Manor  
Skilled Nursing Facility  
10664 St. James Dr.  
Culver City, Calif. 90230  
(310) 838-2778 ext. 212



## Join Fr. Ivan Gerovac, S.J. on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Also joining the Pilgrimage is Medugorje visionary Ivanka and her family.

October 21—October 30, 2016  
LA, San Diego or San Francisco \$3680 pp/double occupancy;  
New York, Chicago or Houston: \$3580 pp/double occupancy  
Single Room Occupancy: \$480 extra  
\*\*Please call for other departure cities.

Your trip includes:

- R/T airfare from your departure city
- 9 days in Holy Land
- Tiberias—Blue Bay Hotel or similar
- Daily Mass
- English Speaking tour guide
- All ground transportation by private motor coach
- Breakfast buffet and dinner buffet daily
- Sightseeing tours
- Renewal of Marriage vows for couples in Cana
- All taxes and entry fees

To make reservations call 949-249-2500/760-459-3505 or e-mail MyCalling2001@gmail.com

## Attention Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers

The annual retreat for Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers will take place in the Auditorium on June 18, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The retreat will be led by Father Harrigan and Father Cassian, and will be a great opportunity to renew our knowledge in our ministry. Flyers are available at the sign-in table in the sacristy.

Also, please remember that May is the month dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. If you are able, please attend Holy Mass this Friday and Saturday. On Friday, before the 8:00 a.m. Mass, the rosary begins at 7:25 a.m., followed by the morning prayer service. On Saturday, before the 8:00 a.m. Mass, there is a meditation and the praying of the rosary beginning at 7:15.

Remember, the Blessed Virgin promised to assist at the hour of death with the graces necessary for salvation those who attend FIVE consecutive 1st Saturday devotions.

## Mary & Joseph Retreat Center

Iconography: A Studio Art Retreat  
Annette Lawrence, DMJ  
6:00pm Wednesday, June 15  
to 1:30pm Wednesday, June 22



Icons are more than pictures, they are windows on the sacred and writing an Icon can be a spiritual journey. This workshop takes us from a bare board to a finished Icon; painting with prayer, reflections on Icons and practical instructions. Sr. Annette has offered retreats and spiritual direction since 2001 with an emphasis on praying with art. She has led over 25 workshops in England, Rome, Africa and at MJRC. Call Marlene Velazquez at [310.377.4867 ext. 234](tel:310.377.4867) for details and supply list, some of which may be available for purchase at the Center. Cost: per person/shared \$1,115 (\$1,065 if paid before May 24) single room \$1,290 (\$1,240 if paid before May 24) For online registration [https://e-giving.org/Registration\\_v2.5/ViewEvent.asp?evntid=30706](https://e-giving.org/Registration_v2.5/ViewEvent.asp?evntid=30706)

## Volunteers Needed

The Pregnancy Help Center in Torrance is looking for Client Advocates (lay counselors) and Nurse Volunteers. We will be having volunteer training coming up on April 23. If you are interested and would like more information, contact Mary at (310) 320-8976 or e-mail [mthompson@phctorrance.org](mailto:mthompson@phctorrance.org).



## Walk for Life



Join the Life Force! The Pregnancy Help Center in Torrance announces its 29th annual Walk For Life, themed Life Force, on Saturday May 21, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. at Veterans Park, Redondo Beach. To register in advance, find a link at [supportphctorrance.org](http://supportphctorrance.org). On Walk day, registration opens at 7:30 a.m. and all festivities will start about 8:30 a.m. Come out to walk and give your support to protecting babies and their moms!

# FAITH FORMATION



## Religious Education



**REJOICE AND BE GLAD,  
ALLELUIA!!**

Congratulations to the children from the Religious Education Program who celebrate their First Holy Communion this weekend. Let us pray that every time they receive the Eucharist it will

be an opportunity to deepen their love for Jesus. They, and we, are challenged every day to be the visible witness of Jesus for others.

### MUSICIANS NEEDED FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**June 20 - 24 2016: 9:00 am to 12:30 pm** We need one or two musicians who will lead the children in song with guitar or piano. Music will be provided and a DVD with children singing and doing actions to the songs will also be provided. It is the most fun part of Vacation Bible School and the children learn the songs easily.

Thank you to all who help us to recycle so that we can purchase resources for the children.

If you need information regarding any of our programs please call **Sister Mary or Lorena at 310-833-3541 ext. 221, 222**

## MARY STAR OF THE SEA

### YOUTH MINISTRY

**CONFIRMATION**



**LIFE TEEN**



For more info or to register  
call 310 833 3541 x220



Join us for our LIFE NIGHTS on Sundays at 6:35 PM after the 5:15 PM Mass



#### Upcoming Nights:

May 8 - Mother's Day (No Life Night)

May 15 - Life Night Social

May 22 - Dead Theologians Society

**Day of Confirmation: Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 2:30pm.** Please join our Candidates in celebrating this great Sacrament with our Confirming Prelate Bishop Oscar Solis.

**Bible Night!** - This is a weekly teen Bible Study that meets at 7pm-8pm on Tuesdays.

This new youth ministry meeting is open to all high school aged teens.

If you are interested in attending or for more information please call: George [310-833-3541 x220](tel:310-833-3541).

### BAPTISMS



We welcome infants and young children to the Sacrament of Baptism. Visit the Parish office for a Baptism Information Package and to schedule an appointment.

*We ask parents, when coming to register for infant Baptism, to please bring the baby's birth certificate. Please check our website for necessary documents and information to bring to your interview for scheduling a Baptism. Thank you.*



# OUR SCHOOLS

## MARY STAR OF THE SEA HIGH SCHOOL



## MARY STAR OF THE SEA ELEMENTARY & PRE- SCHOOL

### MSHS News:

- Please keep our Advanced Placement students in your prayers as they prepare for these rigorous exams in Calculus, English Language, English Literature, Environmental Science, U.S. Government, U.S. History, Physics and Spanish Language.
- **MSHS Athletic Booster Club's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual 5K Run/Walk to be held on Saturday May 14<sup>th</sup>.** Athletic Booster Club is holding its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual 5K Run/Walk. The course starts and finishes at Mary Star of the Sea High School. The proceeds will be used by the MSHS Booster Club to assist and fund scholarships, maintain equipment and facilities, and other athletic needs. For more information go to [marystarhigh.com](http://marystarhigh.com) or call Jeanna Alves at 310-547-1138.
- Our annual Marian Celebration honoring Mary, the Mother of God as our patroness will take place Monday May 16<sup>th</sup>. Joined by the Mary Star Elementary School students, we celebrate Mass and crown the statue of Mary in the school quad. After the ceremony the day continues with food and fun in a carnival-like atmosphere.
- The City of Hope and the Junior class would like to thank our teachers, parents and students who took time out of their day to give blood. We collected a total of 66 pints that exceeded our goal of 60. Thank you again and know your donation will save a life.
- Donations to Mary Star of the Sea High School can be made also through Memorial Pledges in lieu of flowers. Pay tribute to someone special and their living faith in God with a donation to Mary Star of the Sea High School. Donations can be made online at [www.marystarhigh.com](http://www.marystarhigh.com) or via envelopes can be found by the entrances of the Church.
- The *Dollar-a-Day "Phone-A-Thon"* is back! Please support this important endeavor to raise funds for the school. We heartily thank those who have participated in the past and hope more will join us this year. Students will meet each **Wednesday night** at 6:30 p.m. in the faculty room to make phone calls asking potential donors to contribute to our "Dollar-A-Day" Development Drive. Parents interested in providing assistance can contact the Development Office: 310-833-3861 or [development@marystarhigh.com](mailto:development@marystarhigh.com). Thank you!
- Stay up to date with Mary Star of the Sea High School news and information at [marystarhigh.com](http://marystarhigh.com)



### Upcoming Events:

- Spring Athletic Recognition Assembly - Thursday May 12<sup>th</sup>
- Marian Celebration – Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>

Dear Mary Star Parishioners,

Happy Mothers' Day from the students at Mary Star of the Sea!



On Friday, Mary Star students celebrated the month of May by honoring Our Blessed Mother. Grade 8 formed an Honor Guard and a Court to crown Mary. Our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students came in their First Communion wear and received the sacrament with the entire school for the first time.

This week we highlight our Schoolwide Learning Expectation:

### ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

- 4th grade students are combining their Reading and Social Studies curriculum. In their study of California's History they are analyzing a non-fiction reading about the San Francisco earthquake.
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade is reading *Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen in Library. This fiction story about a boy alone in the Canadian Wilderness is a favorite! Today the focus was new vocabulary.
- Kindergarten is learning the parable of the Prodigal Son in Religion class. On Monday they watched a video a talked about the lesson Jesus taught.
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade is creating a puppet show using the characters from Romeo and Juliet. Their presentations will assess their comprehension of the plot.

Registration is open for the 2015-2016 School Year  
Visit Preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Call for your personal tour 310.831.0875

God Bless You,  
Noreen Maricich  
Principal

**Registration is now OPEN for the 2016-2017 school year for 3-5 year olds who are fully pottie trained. Our preschool program is year round, part- and full-time. Come over and take a tour! No appointments necessary!**



We have a safe environment with qualified, caring teachers who instruct faith development and age appropriate hands-on activities in Creative Art, Kindergarten Readiness, Math Concepts, Science Exploration, Multicultural Exposure, Music/Movement Activities, Dramatic Play, Outdoor Activities and Character Development.

For more information about our preschool program, please call (310) 833-3541 Ext. 228 and ask for Beth Castagnola (Director) email @ [MaryStarPreschool@gmail.com](mailto:MaryStarPreschool@gmail.com) or visit: [www.MaryStarElementary.com/page.php?p=46](http://www.MaryStarElementary.com/page.php?p=46)

# Weekly Mass Intentions

<u>Saturday,</u>	<u>May 7, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mario and Carmen Lauro by Joe and Janet Lauro †
5:15 p.m.—	Zorka and Boze Dragovich by Bob, Zemira and family †
<u>Sunday,</u>	<u>May 8, 2016</u>
7:30 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
9:00 a.m.—	For All Parishioners of Mary Star
10:30 a.m.—	Sofia Vela Castaneda by family †
12:00 p.m.—	Paul Michael Chua David †
1:30 p.m.—	Joseph and Mica Skunca by Rita and Srdjan Skunca †
4:00 p.m.—	Antonino F Accetta by wife, Serafina, and children†
5:15 p.m.—	William G. Proctor by Loretta M. Proctor †
<u>Monday,</u>	<u>May 9, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Nick Bjazevich by wife and family †
<u>Tuesday,</u>	<u>May 10, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Gaspare Accetta by wife, Virginia Accetta and family †
<u>Wednesday,</u>	<u>May 11, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Emily Iacono by Bob McAteer and John McAteer †
<u>Thursday,</u>	<u>May 12, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Sami Accetta by cousin, Maria †
<u>Friday,</u>	<u>May 13, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Filomena and Evo Orsi by family †
<u>Saturday,</u>	<u>May 14, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
5:15 p.m.—	Cristina Pesce by daughter, Maria Baccari, and family †
<u>Sunday,</u>	<u>May 15, 2016</u>
7:30 a.m.—	Mother's Day Novena
9:00 a.m.—	For All Parishioners of Mary Star
10:30 a.m.—	(Multilingual)—For All Parishioners of Mary Star
12:00 p.m.—	Eva Mariani by daughter †
5:15 p.m.—	In loving memory of Michelle Marie Madic by Nana Didi Ikić, Nana Didi Mandić and family †

† = deceased

# Weekly Parish Events

<u>Saturday,</u>	<u>May 7, 2016</u>
8:45 a.m.—	Family of Nazareth Movement—MGPC Chapel
10:30 a.m.—	Religious Education—1st Communion—Church
12:00 p.m.—	Religious Education—1st Communion—Church
6:00 p.m.—	Night of 1000 Stars—MSHS
6:30 p.m.—	Hispanic Group - Prayer and Praise - MSB 111/218
<u>Sunday,</u>	<u>May 8, 2016</u>
10:30 a.m.—	Religious Education—Spanish 1st Communion—Church
1:00 p.m.—	Filipino Meeting—MGPC Long Room
1:30 p.m.—	Spanish Classes—MSB 111
3:00 p.m.—	English Baptisms—Church
<u>Monday,</u>	<u>May 9, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	MSSE—Living Rosary—Auditorium
3:00 p.m.—	Altar Service—Church
6:00 p.m.—	Altar Service—Church
6:30 p.m.—	Croatian Choir Practice—Church
7:30 p.m.—	Guadalupano Group—MGPC Chapel
<u>Tuesday,</u>	<u>May 10, 2016</u>
7:30 p.m.—	Prayer Group—MGPC Chapel
<u>Wednesday,</u>	<u>May 11, 2016</u>
4:00 p.m.—	Religious Education—MSB 111-218
5:00 p.m.—	Cub Scout Pack—MSB 215-217
6:00 p.m.—	Holy Hour—Church
7:00 p.m.—	Al- Anon Meeting—MGPC Round Room
7:00 p.m.—	Hispanic Group Meeting/Rehearsal -MSB 111/215
<u>Thursday,</u>	<u>May 12, 2016</u>
9:00 a.m.—	Bible Study—MGPC Round Room
3:00 p.m.—	Altar Service Training—Church
6:00 p.m.—	Altar Service Training—Church
7:00 p.m.—	Bible Study (Fred Krause)—MGPC Chapel
7:00 p.m.—	RCIA—K of C
7:00 p.m.—	Hispanic Group—Bible Institute—MSB 111
7:30 p.m.—	I.C.F. General Meeting—MGPC Long Room
<u>Friday,</u>	<u>May 13, 2016</u>
9:00 a.m.—	MSSE School Mass—Church
7:00 p.m.—	Croatian Catholic Guild Rosary—MGPC Chapel
<u>Saturday,</u>	<u>May 14, 2016</u>
8:45 a.m.—	Family of Nazareth Movement—MGPC Chapel
9:00 a.m.—	Religious Education—MSB 111—MSB 218
12:00 p.m.—	Baptism—Church
12:30 p.m.—	Baptism—Church
2:30 p.m.—	Father Cassian event—Church
4:30 p.m.—	Filipino—Gathering for procession into church—MGPC Long Room
6:00 p.m.—	Filipino—May Crowning Reception—Auditorium
6:30 p.m.—	Hispanic Group - Prayer and Praise - MSB 111/218
<u>Sunday,</u>	<u>May 15, 2016</u>
8:00 a.m.—	MSHS Softball Team—Bake Sale—Church Patio
3:00 p.m.—	Spanish—Baptism—Church
3:00 p.m.—	English—Baptism Class—MSB 111

For a detailed map of our campus go to our website [www.marystar.org](http://www.marystar.org) and click on "About Our Church" All Parish events must be approved by Maria C. Palacios, the Parish Secretary, before they appear in the bulletin. To add or change an event please call Maria at (310) 833-3541 ext 201 or email her at [office@marystar.org](mailto:office@marystar.org).

# Parish Contact Information

Parish Office: (310) 833-3541

Fax: (310) 833-9254

office@marystar.org

Business Administrator: Josephine Frka Ext: 205

Parish Secretary: Maria C. Palacios Ext. 201

Bulletin Editors: Sarah & Gino Di Leva Ext: 203

Bulletin Deadline: Saturday by 3 pm to bulletin@marystar.org

Adult Initiation

Sister Mary (310) 833-3541

Email: sistermary@marystar.org

Christian Care

(310) 548-1645

853 W. 7th St., San Pedro

Email: christiancare@marystar.org

Maritime Ministry

Fr. Freddie Chua

Ext. 208

Mary Star of the Sea Elementary

717 S. Cabrillo Ave.

San Pedro, CA 90731

(310) 831-0875

Website: www.marystarelementary.com

Principal: Noreen Maricich

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

George Vasquez Ext: 220

Email: youthministry@marystar.org

Mary Star of the Sea High School

2500 N. Taper Ave

San Pedro, CA 90731

(310) 547-1138

Website: www.marystarhigh.com

Principal: Rita Dever

Mary Star of the Sea High School Development Office

(310) 833-3861

Email: development@marystarhigh.com

Email: alumnirelations@marystarhigh.com

Music Ministry

Jelil Romano Ext: 224

Religious Education

Sr. Mary J. Glynn, Lorena Gutierrez Ext: 221, 222

Email: religioused@marystar.org

Sacristan & Altar Servers

Nick Vilicich Ext: 225

St. Vincent de Paul

Celia Bremer Ext: 223

Email: stvincentdepaul@marystar.org

Vocation Discernment

Website: www.LAVocations.org

(310) 833-3541

Email: office@marystar.org

## Choirs, Groups, & Societies

Bible Study (mornings)

Holly Oldenburg

310-547-3507

Gene Terrazas

310-548-0255

Croatian Catholic Family Guild

Mario Juravich

310-547-3870

Croatian Choir

Josip Mardesic

310-548-0450

Daughters of Isabella

Olga Cruz

310-351-9535

Divine Mercy Group

Madelyn Walker

Virginia Pagan

310-872-8129

Environment

Lu Barbieri

310-833-3541

Families of Nazareth

Holly Oldenburg

310-547-3507

Fiesta Committee

Neal DiBernardo

310-833-3541 ext. 203

fiesta@marystar.org

Filipino Community

Danny Vinluan Eslava

424-210-4450

Guadalupanos

Maricela Delgado

424-263-1358

Grupo de Oracion

Amadeo Escobar

323-841-4497

Hispanic Group

Jorge Malca

424-224-0071

Hospitality/Mary & Martha

Josephine Frka

310-833-3541

Homebound Eucharistic Ministries

Sister Ena Maguire, SJC

310-834-5431

Italian Catholic Federation Branch #115

Neal DiLeva

310-833-9444

Knights of Columbus

Nick Vilicich

310-833-4537

KofC1740a.org

Lectors—Ministry of the Word

Rainee Handley

310-567-5255

Rainee883@aol.com

Perpetual Adoration

Barbara West

310-548-1693

Prayer Group

Louise Garcia

310-831-9839

Respect Life

Katie Clark

310-514-1493

St. Anne Altar Society

Delight Hernandez

310-831-6214

St. Joseph Table

Josephine Accetta

310-519-0289

San Pietro Society

Grace Ciolino

310-548-8447

Club Trappetto

Sal Cracchiolo

310-548-1228

Velike Gospe Society

Dorothy Bonacich

310-521-8606

Virtus

Nick Vilicich

310-833-3541 ext. 225