



*I will sing  
the goodness  
of the Lord  
forever.*

PSALM 89



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## WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY MASS **8:00 AM**

Saturday **Vigil Mass 5:00 PM**

## SUNDAY MASS

**7:30 AM | 9:00 AM | 11:00 AM**

## WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY to FRIDAY **9:00 AM**

## BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

Every 1st Friday **After the 9AM mass**

Every Saturday **3:00 - 5:00 PM**

## CONFESSION

SATURDAY **4:00 PM**

Location: Our Lady's Chapel

Join us for **DAILY ROSARY**  
(on Zoom)

MONDAY to FRIDAY **7:00 PM**

MEETING ID: 821 6087 2390  
PASSWORD: ROSARY

Bible Study (on Zoom):

"Mary, A Biblical walk with the Blessed Mother"

EVERY TUESDAY **10:00 AM & 7:30 PM**

## Weekly Collection

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 25, 2023

### OFFERTORY

Mass Collection **\$ 4,185.33**

WeShare Receipts (Online) **\$ 1,911.00**

**TOTAL \$ 6,096.33**

**Average Weekly Goal \$ 10,000.00**

Second Collection **\$ 155.00**

Others **\$ 20.00**

• Sandwiches for Homeless

• Father's Day

St. Vincent de Paul **\$ 20.00**

Thank You

## Car Donation for the Sisters

The Sisters of the Blessed Virgin of Carmel, the community of women religious that manages and assists our retired clergy at St. Joseph Retirement House in Cupertino is looking for a car that they can use. Recently, the young sisters learned to drive and passed to receive their California driver's license. If you or someone you know who wish to donate a vehicle, used but in good working condition, kindly connect with Fr. Jeff or Fr. Celso at 408-253-7560.



## \*Sunday Evening Mass **is back!**

Great news for all those who struggle to wake up on Sunday mornings. Our Sunday night Mass will be making a comeback beginning **September 3rd**.

We are currently looking for folks who would be willing to serve as lectors, musicians and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion.

The 7pm Mass on Sunday evening will be brought back on a **trial basis** through the month of September, but it's continuation will depend on whether or not we have enough ministers, and enough people in the pews. **Please pass the word along** especially to any youth and young adults that you know, who might find that this Mass fits in better with their busy schedules.



## From the Pastor's Desk

### RECEPTION OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF THE LORD

Three Sundays ago, we celebrated the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. The Church in the United States continue to foster devotional and formational activity in our multiyear National Eucharistic Revival. And on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, our Bishop gave us the **approval in offering once again the Precious Blood of Christ** for reception by the faithful.

Before we resume receiving the Precious Blood at Holy Communion, I would like first to offer some catechesis and reminders for the faithful. It has been almost three years since we have received both species in Holy Communion. Even though we are now in the endemic stage, there will be people who will be afraid of receiving the Precious Blood from one cup.

The following reminder is for us all.

- **In each Eucharistic species, the Consecrated Hosts and the Precious Blood, the Lord Jesus offers himself completely to the faithful. The Lord Jesus is present body and blood, soul and divinity under the appearance of bread and wine.**
- **Receiving Holy Communion under both species is a fuller sign of participation in the Sacred Mysteries of the Lord's death and resurrection. This fuller sign is a response to the Lord's commands to "take and eat" and "take and drink".**
- **Members of the faithful with pre-existing health concerns or flu-like symptoms should refrain from receiving Holy Communion from the chalice. Those with flu-like symptoms should remain home as a preventive measure.**
- **The faithful are encouraged to continue the practice of frequent handwashing. The faithful are encouraged to sanitize their hands before receiving Holy Communion.**

For our parish to begin the reception of the Precious Blood sometime in July, an adequate number of Communion ministers must be first available. If you would like to be an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion kindly submit your name and email address on a piece of paper to the parish office.

In the words of Bishop Cantu, "may we continue to hear the Lord beckoning us to the Eucharistic table, that we may be nourished by his Word and Sacrament."

+ Fr. Jeff



# This Week @ QofA

**SUNDAY | 7/2**  
**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**MONDAY | 7/3**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

**TUESDAY | 7/4**  
10:00 AM | **Bible Study**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom  
7:30 PM | **Bible Study**

**WEDNESDAY | 7/5**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

**THURSDAY | 7/6**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

**FRIDAY | 7/7**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

**SATURDAY | 7/8**  
4:00 PM | **Confession @ the Chapel**  
7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

**SUNDAY | 7/9**  
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### SUNDAY | July 2

- **13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a
- Rom 6:3-4, 8-11
- Mt 10:37-42

### MONDAY | July 3

- Saint Thomas
  - Apostle
- Eph 2:19-22
- Jn 20:24-29

### TUESDAY | July 4

- **Happy Independence Day!**
- Gn 19:15-29
- Mt 8:23-27

### WEDNESDAY | July 5

- Saint Anthony Zaccaria
  - Priest
- USA: Saint Elizabeth of Portugal
- Gn 21:5, 8-20a
- Mt 8:28-34

### THURSDAY | July 6

- Saint Maria Goretti
  - Virgin & Martyr
- Gn 22:1b-19
- Mt 9:1-8

### FRIDAY | July 7

- Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67
- Mt 9:9-13

### SATURDAY | July 8

- Gn 27:1-5, 15-29
- Mt 9:14-17

### NEXT SUN | Jul 9

- **14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- Zec 9:9-10
- Rom 8:9, 11-13
- Mt 11:25-30

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY | 7/1

- 5:00 PM Vigil**
- Athena Millett

## SUNDAY | 7/2

- 7:30 AM**
- No Intention

- 9:00 AM**
- No Intention

- 11:00 AM**
- No Intention

## MONDAY | 7/3

- 9:00 AM**
- Thanksgiving and peace in the family of Minh Nguyen
  - Michelle Mackenzie
  - Fernandez Family (Thanksgiving)

## TUESDAY | 7/4

- 9:00 AM**
- Joseph Phung Vu †
  - Molly Ryan †

## WEDNESDAY | 7/5

- 9:00 AM**
- Joseph Phung Vu †

## THURSDAY | 7/6

- 9:00 AM**
- Joseph Phung Vu †

## FRIDAY | 7/7

- 9:00 AM**
- Paul Nguyen †

## SATURDAY | 7/8

- 8:00 AM**
- No Intention

- 5:00 PM VIGIL**
- Glorinda Dobleman †



## We lovingly pray for...

For all those who are sick, including *Kathy Chan* and *Michelle Mackenzie*; for all those who have died, including *Bishop Patrick McGrath*, *Phyllis Couthinho*, *Joseph Phung Vu*, *Molly Ryan*, *Arlene Barraza*, and *Rocca Guido*, that they may find eternal rest in the arms of Jesus.

Father of all nations and ages, we recall the day when our country claimed its place among the family of nations; for what has been achieved we give you thanks, for the work that still remains we ask your help, and as you have called us from many peoples to be one nation, grant that, under your providence, our country may share your blessings with all the peoples of the earth.  
**May you, Lord, bless America.**

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**



# FAITH FORMATION

DEAR PARENTS:  
**FIND ALL INFO HERE!**

## WHAT'S GOING ON?

### HOLY FAMILIES K-5

Registration for Holy Families is now open. Go to <https://qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration>.

Why wait, when you can sign your family up today? Kickoff is September 24th with a VERY special event!! Register now so you don't miss any important updates. Curious about Holy Families but not yet ready to commit? You can find info on it at that same link! Have a terrific summer and I look forward to seeing you soon!

## WHAT'S NEW?

Do you want an easy way to follow along with the readings at Sunday mass or another perspective on what the gospel is trying to tell us? We have just the tool for you. If you visit [qofa.org/readings](https://qofa.org/readings), you will find all four readings for this week as well as a reflection for this week by our youth minister.

Again, you can find all of this at [qofa.org/readings](https://qofa.org/readings) and come back *every Wednesday morning* to see what's new for the week.

## QOFA YOUTH MINISTRY

Are you a family or a young person looking to get more involved in the mass or youth ministry? With the upcoming trial which sees the return of the Sunday afternoon mass, now is the perfect time to explore your faith in a new way. If you are interested in serving at mass or with youth ministry, please fill out our interest form.

You can find paper copies in the back of the church or visit [qofa.org/YM](https://qofa.org/YM) and click the *first link* on the page.

We also look forward to seeing you and your friends on September 3rd at the Sunday 7:00 pm mass.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

Middle school is a tough time for kids, and it's more important than ever to give them a space to connect with other kids who share their values. Our middle school ministry program has gone through some growing pains over the past three years. With that in mind, we're tweaking things a bit this year to allow for more family time, as well as time set aside just for them.

So... welcome to Middle School Ministry 2.0, where our middle school kids will join their parents for the Holy Families sessions on Sundays, and on alternate weeks we will do an afternoon or evening activity that's just for them. It might be a speaker, a service project, movie night, or just time for fun. We will have more details in the coming months, so stay tuned. In the mean time, I want to encourage you to get your kids signed up now, so that they can be a part of our summer activities and more! Go to

<https://qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration>





# GOD BLESS AMERICA



As we celebrate the 4th of July, we recall that our nation was founded on the freedom of speech the freedom of religion, and extending a welcome to all people who once came and still come for a better life, for better opportunities, and for a safe place to call home.



Lord, with great confidence we pray:

*For the leaders of our country and the world, that they lead the people toward progress and peace, renounce all kinds of corruption and abuses, and that charity and compassion reign in their hearts. For all people whom You created in Your image. You have called us each by name and have given us a mission. Help us to recognize the dignity of every person and to reach out with love, healing and kindness, as modeled by Your Son, Jesus Christ. For all those who have sacrificed their lives and have worked tirelessly for our freedoms. Help us to never take our freedoms for granted. For courage to speak out on behalf of the basic rights and freedoms deserved by all people. We pray for gratitude for the freedoms we enjoy.*

We also pray for:

*All victims of gun violence, abortions, tornadoes, fires, and floods. For the poor, the hungry, those who suffer from financial hardship, job loss, mental illness, addictions and loneliness. For the sick, caregivers, the abandoned and imprisoned. For those who have died and now live with You in the kingdom of heaven. For their grieving loved ones. For all who have asked for our prayers. Lord, we have many needs. You know our hearts. Increase our trust and faith. Thank you for the many blessings you grace us with daily.*



**May we look beyond ourselves to reach out to others, bringing them hope, healing and peace.**



**“BLESSED BE THE NATION  
WHOSE GOD IS THE LORD”**

**PSALM 33:12**



# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## QUEEN OF APOSTLES

### *Family Camping*

Do you enjoy camping? Or do you want to try camping?

Come join fellow parishioners for camping at New Brighton State Beach over Labor Day weekend, Sept. 1 until Sept. 4. Expect LOTS of family fun!

The cost is \$120 per couple or family for the 3-day weekend. If you are interested or wish more information, contact **Jan Wedig**, at **408-858-9022** or **[JanWedig@aol.com](mailto:JanWedig@aol.com)**.

## *Spiritual Exercises in Daily Life*

"Go Deeper to Meet God" invite you to join 19th Annotation Retreat/ the Spiritual Exercises in Daily Life. The full Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola is traditionally done in silence during a 30-Day Retreat. It can also be done in one's daily life over 8 months called a 19th Annotation Retreat. For this 19th Annotation Retreat, the only requirements is a heart of desire to deepen your relationship with God through prayer, and an hour commitment of personal daily scriptural prayer. The retreat involves: Weekly meetings for individual spiritual direction with a trained spiritual director, and regular small group meetings with a Jesuit priest (the supervisor). Applications are now being accepted for the retreat beginning in September, 2023. **To register online is: <https://rb.gy/sve0iz> or email to Margarita at: [margarita.hua@dsj.org](mailto:margarita.hua@dsj.org) for registration and more information.**



## *GHS Rosary Luncheon*

Guadalupe Hope Society is inviting you to our July 14th Rosary & Faith Talk Luncheon on Friday July 14th at 11:30AM with Deacon Ryan Mau, who is a transitional deacon at St. Frances Cabrini. Register to attend either in person at the Santa Maria Hall or virtually at **<https://rosaryjuly1423.eventbrite.com>**

Call or email to reserve your seat at the Hall. 408-447-5433; **[admin@ghswomenscenter.com](mailto:admin@ghswomenscenter.com)**





## ***Spiritual Exercises in Daily Life*** ***The 19th Annotation***

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*This retreat will include a weekly meeting with the spiritual director (in the Zoom or in person) A group monthly virtual meeting with Fr. Andrew Garcia, a Jesuit priest, and daily scriptural prayer plus journal writing.*

**Applications accepted NOW**

**Sign Up by clicking: <https://rb.gy/sve0iz>**



### ***Spiritual Exercises Directors:***

***Ms. Cristine Goodman***

***Fr. Garcia, S.J.***



Cris Goodman volunteered at the Jesuit Retreat Center for many years and is a graduate of the Pierre Favre Program. She has been a Spiritual Director at the Catherine Center, a residential program for women recently released from prison, sponsored by the St. Vincent de Paul Society of San Mateo. She has co-lead directed retreats at the Jesuit Retreat Center in Los Altos. She has also been a spiritual director in the Pilot FIRE program at Holy Spirit Parish in San Jose and has worked in the spiritual development component of the Diocese of San Jose's Institute for Leadership in Ministry. Cristine has also accompanied souls during 8-day silent retreats at the Jesuit Retreat Center, Los Altos. She is married and the mother of four adult children.

### ***Ms. Margarita Hua***

Margarita is an experienced Spiritual Exercises Director, earned the Master degree in Spirituality from Santa Clara University, trained to be Spiritual Exercises from Jesuit retreat center Los Altos, and graduated from ILM in 2001. She is a Lay Ecclesial minister in the San Jose Diocese, the director of MHT Ignatian Spirituality Center, and married with two young adult children.



### ***Dr. Pat Campbell***

Dr. Pat received her PhD in Counseling Psychology from University of San Francisco and her MA in Counseling Psychology from University of Santa Clara. A graduate of the Pierre Favre Program, she has assisted at JRC retreats and led spiritual direction groups at both Institutes for Leadership in Ministry and Mercy Center Burlingame. In addition, she offers to individuals the Spiritual Exercises or alternatively general spiritual direction. She is married and the mother of five adult children



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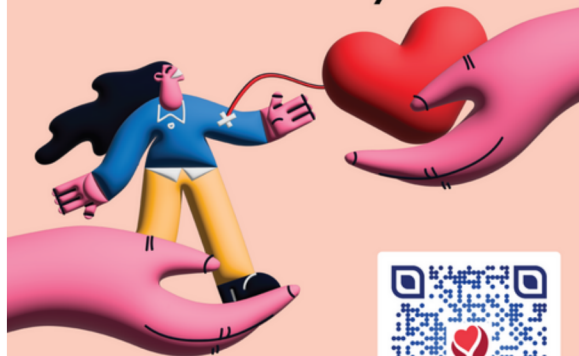
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