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Stewardship Report for Feb. 1 & Feb. 2, 2025

Weekly Goal: \$8,000

1st COLLECTION	SECOND COLLECTION (PAF)
Sun. 5:00 pm - \$ 841	\$ 121
Sat. 6:30 pm - \$ 796	\$ 350
Sun 8:00 am - \$ 870	\$ 254
Sun 10:00 am - \$ 1,105	\$ 395
Sun 12:00 pm - \$ 1,670	\$ 662
Sun 5:00 pm - \$ 1,467	\$ 674
Total collected: \$ 6,749	Amount under goal - \$ 1,251

Thank you for your continued support!

UPCOMING EVENT - NOTE: CHANGE OF DATE

MARCH 15 - MOVIE NIGHT - 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM - PARISH HALL - \$10.00 Admission. Tickets will be on sale soon!

"Americans With No Address"

This fundraising documentary highlights the personal stories of people experiencing homelessness, while also examining the systemic issues that contribute to the crisis. It also showcases programs that address mental health, addiction, and affordable housing.

Narrated by: Steve Baldwin.



Sponsored by: Sampaguita Lions Club

Welcome!

St. Martin Parish 590 Central Avenue Sunnyvale, CA 94086

www.smsdsj.org 408-736-3725 Parish office hours: 8:00am - 4:30 pm



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In Residence Fr. Ed Samv



FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 9, 2025

MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY - 5:00 PM

SATURDAY

5:00 PM - ENGLISH 6:30 PM - SPANISH

SUNDAY

8:00 AM - ENGLISH

10:00 AM - ENGLISH

12:00 PM - SPANISH

5:00 PM - VIETNAMESE

CONFESSION

SATURDAY - 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Every Friday after 5 pm mass till 10 pm

FAITH FORMATION

Contact: Nancy Cordova ext. 15
FIRST COMMUNION - 2 year program.
CONFIRMATION - 2 year program
OCIA - Order of Christian Initiation for
Adult

Contact: Aime Overcamp ext. 18 **BAPTISM -** Once a month. Registration packets & calendar available in the parish office or go to the parish website.

WEDDING & QUINCEANERA

GATHERING SONG - COME, WORSHIP THE LORD (Talbot)

Refrain:

Come, and worship the Lord for we are His people, The flock that He shepherds. Alleluia.

Come, let us sing to the Lord,

And shout with joy to the Rock Who saves us. Let us come with thanksgiving, And sing joyful songs to the Lord. *Refrain*

Come, let us bow down and worship, Bending the knee before the Lord our Maker. For we are His people, We are the flock that He shepherds. *Refrain*

Reading I

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

A Reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah

In the year King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a high and lofty throne, with the train of his garment filling the temple. Seraphim were stationed above.

They cried one to the other, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" At the sound of that cry, the frame of the door shook and the house was filled with smoke.

Then I said, "Woe is me, I am doomed! For I am a man of unclean lips, living among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!" Then one of the seraphim flew to me, holding an ember that he had taken with tongs from the altar.

> He touched my mouth with it, and said, "See, now that this has touched your lips, your wickedness is removed, your sin purged."

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" "Here I am," I said; "send me!"

The word of the Lord - Thanks be to God

Ways to Support THE CHURCH'S MISSION:

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3. Gift of Stock/ **IRA Distributions**



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4. Become a Sustaining

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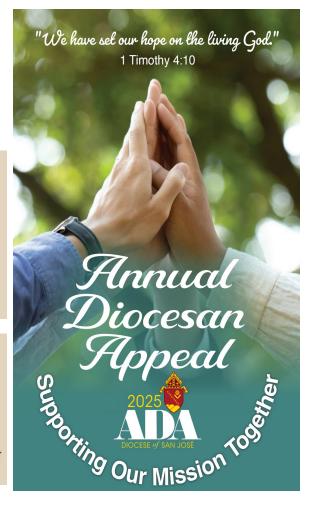
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Sustaining gifts are safe and convenient, and they allow the Diocese to better plan for current needs and future growth to make a lasting impact. Once you set up a sustaining gift, it continues monthly from year to year, until you change or cancel it. By making a sustaining gift you will become a member of our new St. Francis Society.

For more information, please visit: DSJ.org/ADA





Mass Intentions for:

For the week of February 3 to February 9, 2025



Feb. 3 - Rose Atangan †
Chan Kwok Leung †

Feb. 4 - Luciana & Macario Alinab †
Josie Lango †
Carlos Garcia †
Chan Kwok Leung †

Feb. 5 - Chan Kwok Leung †
George Palath - Birthday Blessings

Feb. 6 - Chan Kwok Leung †
Palath Family - Healing & Thanksgiving

Feb. 7 - Rick Alejo † - 19th yrs. Death Anniv. Chan Kwok Leung †

Feb. 8

5:00 pm - Juan Milanes †
Chan Kwok Leung †
Dianne Dizon - Birthday

6:30 pm - None

Feb. 9

8:00 am - For the Parishioners

10:00 am - Raquel Gonzales Pavon † - Death Anniv. Chan Kwok Leung † Francis Xavier Thi Nguyen †

12:00 pm - Esther Aguilera - Birthday Blessings Manuel Solis †

Mass Intentions can now be requested through the parish office or via email. Please visit the parish website at: www.smsdsj.org for instruction on how to request mass intentions, **2 weeks in advance** and how to make your donations. Thank you.

REMINDER

PLEASE TAKE YOUR PERSONAL BELONGINGS WITH YOU BEFORE LEAVING THE CHURCH..ANYTHING LEFT IN THE CHURCH IS NOT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF St. MARTIN PARISH

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8

R. (1c) In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with all my heart, for you have heard the words of my mouth; in the presence of the angels I will sing your praise; I will worship at your holy temple and give thanks to your name.

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

Because of your kindness and your truth; for you have made great above all things your name and your promise.

When I called, you answered me; you built up strength within me.

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

All the kings of the earth shall give thanks to you, O LORD, when they hear the words of your mouth; and they shall sing of the ways of the LORD:

"Great is the glory of the LORD."

$\ensuremath{\mathsf{R}}.$ In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

Your right hand saves me.
The LORD will complete what he has done for me; your kindness, O LORD, endures forever;

forsake not the work of your hands.

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

Reading II

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

A Reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians

most of whom are still living,

though some have fallen asleep.
After that he appeared to James,
then to all the apostles.
Last of all, as to one born abnormally,
he appeared to me.
For I am the least of the apostles,
not fit to be called an apostle,
because I persecuted the church of God.
But by the grace of God I am what I am,
and his grace to me has not been ineffective.
Indeed, I have toiled harder than all of them;
not I, however, but the grace of God that is with me.
Therefore, whether it be I or they,
so we preach and so you believed.

The word of the Lord - Thanks be to God

Alleluia

Matthew 4:19

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Come after me and I will make you fishers of men.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Luke 5:1-11

A reading from the holy gospel according to Luke

While the crowd was pressing in on Jesus and listening to the word of God,

he was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret.
He saw two boats there alongside the lake;
the fishermen had disembarked and were washing their nets.
Getting into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon,
he asked him to put out a short distance from the shore.
Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat.
After he had finished speaking, he said to Simon,
"Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch."
Simon said in reply,

"Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lower the nets." When they had done this, they caught a great number of fish

and their nets were tearing.

They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come to help them.

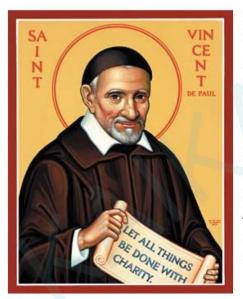
The Kids' Bulletin

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 9th, 2025



Peter had been fishing all night and caught nothing. But when Jesus told him to let the nets down again, they got filled right up! Can you draw enough fish to fill the nets?

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL PRAYER



Tender God, refuge of the poor, You filled Vincent de Paul with the strength of the apostles to work for the salvation of the poor and the instruction of the clergy. May we who follow the example of his life be driven by unceasing charity to continue the mission of Your Son in the world. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.



SECOND COLLECTION FOR THIS WEEKEND IS FOR SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

Wisdom from a Saint

"You know well enough that Our Lord does not look so much at the greatness of our actions, nor even at their difficulty, but at the love with which we do them."

Saint Therese of Lisieux.

Please pray for the following member of our parish community who are ill:

Mary Maestre

To add or remove family member from the sick list please email ONLY at info@smsdsj.org

Please keep the parish office updated on your loved one's health. Names will be removed from the list after **1 month**. Thank you for keeping our Parish informed.

They came and filled both boats so that the boats were in danger of sinking.

When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at the knees of Jesus and said, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man."

For astonishment at the catch of fish they had made seized him and all those with him, and likewise James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners of Simon.

Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men."

When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

REFLECTIONS

For a humble guy, St. Paul really tells it like it is. It seems some of the Corinthians did not believe that Christ rose from the dead, or that resurrection was a spiritual symbol of forgiveness of sins. So Paul lists those witnesses who actually saw the risen Jesus, last and least of these being Paul himself. Now we are used to thinking of Paul as one of the greatest apostles, even though we know he once persecuted Christians. So you might think he is being overly humble, like someone fishing for a compliment. No, Paul is only interested in making sure the Corinthians understand just how much God has done.

Besides being "born abnormally" (1 Corinthians 15:8), that is, coming to follow Christ in such an unusual way, he felt unworthy because of so many Christians he hurt before his conversion. Yet he turns that unworthiness into an example of how much God has done through him, so he can say that he worked harder than any other apostles because of God's grace, not Paul's strength. The same grace that turned a former enemy into a friend also gave him the strength to spread the gospel farther than anyone else at that time.

In today's Gospel, Peter has a similar experience. He was a fisherman who knew his business and knew that some days, the fish just aren't there. So when Jesus tells him to go out one more time, try one more cast of the nets, Peter probably thought he'd show Jesus that it was no use. Then when they caught enough fish to fill both boats, he realized that his pride was sinful. He was unworthy to receive such bounty from the Lord. And yet Jesus tells him that "you will be catching men" (Luke 5:10).

How many of us are like Peter and Paul, thinking we know just what our place in the world is, relying on our own strengths to do our jobs? Surely that's all God expects of us, right? They found Jesus calling them to a much more challenging life. Do we have the courage to listen to God's call to serve? Tom Schmidt

OFFERTORY SONG - THESE ALONE ARE ENOUGH (Schutte)

Take my heart, O Lord, take my hopes and dreams. Take my mind with all its plans and schemes.

Refrain:

Give me nothing more than Your love and grace. These alone, O God, are enough for me.

Take my thoughts, O Lord, and my memory. Take my tears, my joys, my liberty. *Refrain*

I surrender, Lord, all I have and hold. I return to You Your gifts untold. *Refrain*

When the darkness falls on my final days, Take the very breath that sang Your praise. *Refrain*

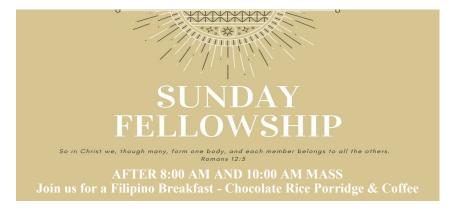
COMMUNION 1 - SHEPHERD OF SOULS (Montgomery)

Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless Your chosen pilgrim flock With manna in the wilderness, With water from the rock.

We would not live by bread alone, But by Your Word of grace, In strength of which we travel on To our abiding place.

Be known to us in breaking bread, But do not then depart; Savior, abide with us, and spread Your table in our heart.

Lord, sup with us in love divine; Your body and Your blood, That living bread, that heav'nly wine, Be our immortal food.



đừng sỡ hãi. Từ đây, con sẽ là kẻ chinh phục người ta". Từ đó, Phêrô đã bỏ nghề bắt cá, để đi "lưới" các linh hồn. "*Ông chèo thuyền vào bờ, bỏ hết mọi sự và đi theo Người*". Đó là ơn kêu gọi của Phêrô, con người đã gặp gỡ Chúa và được Chúa thu hút chinh phục.

Người thứ hai đã gặp gỡ Chúa là Thánh Phaolô, là một con người đầy nhiệt huyết, đã đi vòng quanh Đế quốc La-mã 4 lần, đã đưa dân ngoại vào Đạo. Làm sao cắt nghĩa được nội tâm của con người đầy lửa ấy? Thưa vì người đã gặp gỡ Chúa. Đức Kitô đã sống lại theo lời Thánh Kinh. Ngài đã hiện ra với Phêrô và mười một Tông đồ. Rồi sau cùng, "Người cũng hiện ra với chính tôi như với đứa con đẻ non". Phải, cuộc gặp gỡ đó đã đảo lộn cuộc đời Phaolô, từ một kẻ bắt bớ tín hữu trở nên một Tông đồ nhiệt thành. Tất cả là ơn của Chúa và Người vui mừng được trả giá rất cao để "Ơn Chúa không ra vô ích": 5 lần bị đánh đòn 39 trượng, 3 lần bị tra tấn, 1 lần bị ném đá, 3 lần bị đắm tàu 1 ngày 1 đêm chơi với trong lòng biển (2Cor 12, 24-25).

Trong cuộc đời, chúng ta cũng đã gặp gỡ Chúa trong nhiều hoàn cảnh. Nhưng phải chăng chỉ gặp Ngài như gặp một khách bàng quan. Mỗi một cuộc gặp gỡ sâu đậm thật sự với Chúa Giêsu và Lời Ngài có tác dụng biến đổi tâm lòng của cuộc sống chúng ta. On gọi Kitô là ơn gọi phát sinh từ một cuộc gặp gỡ đổi đời đời với Chúa Kitô Phục sinh. Những cuộc gặp gỡ ấy Chúa Kitô Phục sinh trao ban cho chúng ta sứ mạng làm chứng cho Ngài, và loan báo Tin Mừng cứu độ cho tất cả mọi người. Nhưng chúng ta có sẵn lòng nhận và ra đi như tiên tri Isaia, như thánh Phaolô, thánh Phêrô và các bạn đồng nghiệp của các ngài hay không?



YOU DONATED BLOOD & YOU SAVED A LIFE

I want to thank you all for the very nice blood drive we hosted at St. Martin Parish on Sunday. January 26. It was the best one yet, with **41** people through the door, **13** more than scheduled, and some of them couldn't wait. There were **6** deferrals, **two** quantity not sufficient, **one** double red cell donation, which counts as **two**, giving us a total of **31** whole blood donation plus the **two** from the double, for a total of **33** productive units. Out of the **41** through the door, we welcomed **18** first time donors to SBC, which is great and hope they become regular donors. Since each whole blood donation is separated into **three** blood components, the **31** whole blood productive units, impacted the lives of approximately **93** patients, plus the two from the double, for a total of **95** lives impacted by the generous lifesaving donations collected at St. Martin's Parish blood drive.

Sincerely, *Monica Doleshel* - Account Manager - SBC

Chúa Nhật Tuần Thứ 5 Mùa Thường Niên (ngày 09 tháng 02 năm 2025)



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THÁNH LỄ TIẾNG VIỆT TRONG TUẨN

Thứ Sáu Thứ Sáu tuần thứ 2

Thánh lễ 7:00 pm & Chầu Thánh Thể Các Thứ Sáu khác: Chầu Thánh Thánh Thể & Chuỗi Lòng Chúa Thương

Chúa Nhật: thánh lễ lúc 5:00pm

Chúa nhật đầu tháng sẽ có Chấu Thánh Thể. Các Chúa nhật khác lần chuỗi Mân Côi.

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Ơn Gọi ...

Bài Phúc Âm hôm nay kể lại việc Chúa Giêsu kêu gọi Phêrô. Thật ra, Chúa đã gặp Phêrô rồi, khi em ông là Anrê đem anh đến giới thiệu với Chúa, như Gioan kể lại (Gio. 1, 49). Lòng nhiệt huyết của Anrê cũng như lòng trinh bạch của Gioan không làm cho Chúa cảm động, nhưng khi nhìn thấy Simon, con Gioan, Chúa nhìn ông và nói: "Hới Simon, con Giona, từ nay con sẽ gọi là Kêpha nghĩa là Đớ". Đây là nền tảng của Giáo hội mà Ngài sắp thiết lập. Tuy nhiên, đây chỉ là cuộc sơ vấn gặp gỡ đầu tiên. Rồi ai về nhà nấy. Phêrô và các bạn vẫn còn nặng tình với vợ con, với sông sâu biển cả. Thì hôm nay, Chúa muốn kêu gọi ông cách dứt khoát, bằng một phương pháp mạnh, một phép lạ để cho ông nhìn thấy và "sờ đụng" quyền năng của Thiên Chúa.

Sau một đêm lao lực, thức trắng đêm – cá vẫn ăn về đêm – mà không bắt được con cá nào, Phêrô gặp Chúa. Chúa bảo: "*Hãy ra khơi thả lưới*". Ông vừa từ ngoài khơi trở về, nhưng vâng lời Chúa, Ông lại ra khơi... Từng đàn cá ùn ùn chui vào lưới, khiến cho lưới gần rách, phải gọi các bạn thuyền đến trợ lực.

Cũng như ngày xưa, tiên tri Isaia đã nhìn thấy vinh quang của Chúa và kêu lên: "*Chết tôi rồi, lưỡi tôi dơ bẩn*", thì ngày nay, Phêrô cũng cảm thấy mình bất xứng và nói: "*Lạy Chúa, xin tránh xa con, vì con là người tội lỗi*". Nhưng Chúa trả lời: "*Con*

COMMUNION 2 - THE SUMMONS (Kelvingrove/Bell)

Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown?
Will you let my name be known?
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

Will you leave your self behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare,
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free
and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,
and do such as this unseen?
And admit to what I mean in you and you in me?

Will you love the 'You' you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around
through my sight and touch and sound in you
and you in me?

SENDING FORTH HYMN - GOD HAS CHOSEN ME (Farrell)

God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring good news to the poor. God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring new sight to those searching for light: God has chosen me, chosen me.

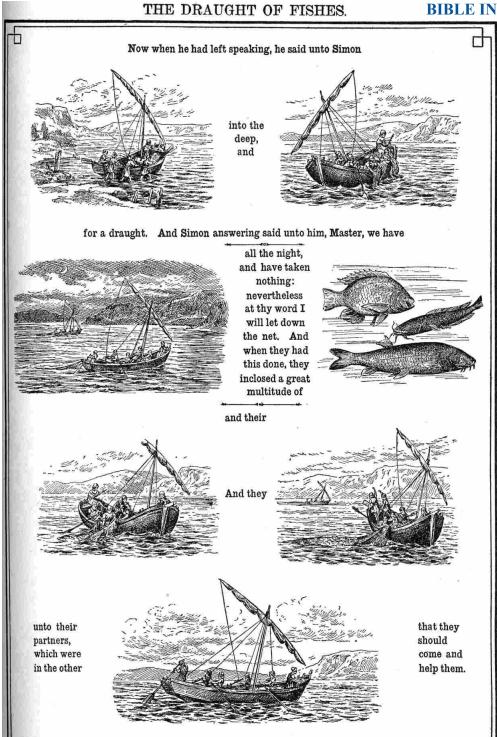
Refrain:

And to tell the world that God's kingdom is near, to remove oppression and break down fear, yes, God's time is near, God's time is near, God's time is near.

God has chosen me, God has chosen me to set alight a new fire.
God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring to birth a new kingdom on earth.
God has chosen me, chosen me. *Refrain.*

LUKE 5: 4-7.

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