



## **FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** **Saturday / Sunday January 28 & 29, 2017**

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sat. Jan.28- 5pm: Marilyn McCabe

Sun. Jan.29- 7am:  
8:30am: † Herbert & Julia Kennedy  
10:30am: *Pro Populo*  
12:30pm: † Joseph Natoli

Mon. Jan.30- 8am: † Francis Kennedy  
6pm: Diane Loftus

Tues. Jan. 31-8am: † Marie Williams  
6pm: Diane Loftus

Wed. Feb. 1-8am: † Harmon Hallett  
6pm: Nicolas Dela Cruz Wijangco

Thu. Feb. 2-8am: † Cynthia Durling

12pm: † Hugo da Silva

Fri. Feb. 3-8am: Novena for the Sick (1)

11am: Strengthening of all TORCH  
marriages

6pm: † Antero Borbon

Sat. Feb. 4-8am: Novena for the Sick (2)

10am: Mara Roberts

5pm: Joseph Brady, Shannon Brady

**There are Masses still open for intentions on March 10,11,16-18,22,23,  
and 25—31.**

**Please keep in your prayers....** Fr. Paul Schmidt, Fr. Stan Zak, Fr. Bill Marshall; Mary Walker; Alex Porcuna; Lewis Mullen; Carmel Mahoney; Nancy Duenas; Brad O’Leary; Titus Ekanem; Elisa Mancarti; Vic and Nancy Miloslavich; Kathryn Rieger; Judy & Louis Delligatti; Rose Bloom; Stella Lurton; Sue Weber; Laura Montgomery; Sara Zendejas; Rosaline White; Josephine Palacios; Francis Martinez, Mike Rodriguez; Paul Ehrfurth; John Ehrfurth; Lily McWilliams; Anaidel Perezarevalo; Janice Siliger; Robert Martinez, Laverne Seliger; Eddie Martinez; Sylvester Bell, Keith Borchers; Arthur Connick; Theresa Kunihiro, Lianne Claver, Paul Oei, Mike Bozzardi, Betty Garland, Garrett McGowan, John Benish.

***In Memoriam:*** †Cornelius McCauley, +Jeffrey Garland, +Myrna Lanzar, +Barbara Shadix, +Virgil Garcia, +Wanda Krawczyk, +Bill Leitao, +Michael Smith, +Eugenia Hunter, +Ursula Edwards. ***Requiescant in pace.***

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Parish will offer a **Novena of Masses For the Sick** beginning on February 3. The forms for designating your intention for the Novena are available this weekend in the vestibule.

Contributions received for the Novena will be used to purchase candles for the altar.

The Masses are as follows: Feb. 3 (8am); Feb. 4 (8am); Feb. 5 (8.30am); Feb. 6 (8am); Feb. 7 (8am); Feb. 8 (6pm); Feb. 9 (Noon); Feb. 10 (6pm); Feb. 11 (10am).



On Saturday, February 11, at 11:00 am in the Cathedral in Oakland a special **Mass with anointing of the Sick**, blessing of caregivers and healthcare providers, and distribution of holy water from Lourdes will be held in commemoration of the Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of the Sick. For more information, visit [oakdiocese.org/WDS](http://oakdiocese.org/WDS). World Day of the Sick, initiated by Pope Saint John Paul II and held annually worldwide near the feast day of Our Lady of Lourdes, is a ministry of the Diocese of Oakland and Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ.



February 2nd, **The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple**—also the second-class feast of the **Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary**—marks the traditional end of the Christmas Season. The Mass held on this day is also called **Candlemass**, because the Mass begins with the lighting and blessing of candles.

Candles will be blessed at the 8am Mass. You're invited to bring votive candles that you use and will use for the shrine at your home so that they may be blessed.

The following day, February 3, is the **Memorial of St. Blaise**, Bishop and Martyr. There will be a blessing of throats during at Masses.

Also on February 3rd is the monthly Mass offered for the intentions of **TORCH Families** at 11am. TORCH Families are invited to attend. The Mass will be the **Votive Mass of the Most Sacred Heart of Our Lord Jesus** (First Friday). However, throats will also be blessed at this Mass in commemoration of St. Blaise. Please join us, especially our TORCH families.



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*"It's wonderful to see so many children here, lately, Father — but some of them don't seem to like your sermons. The minute you begin talking, the 'baby choir' starts singing!"*

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If you are interested in becoming part of the **Legion of Mary** at St. Margaret Mary, a new group (*praesidium*) is being planned. We would like to invite you to join this lay apostolate whose objective is the sanctification of each of its members through prayer and apostolic work. The Legion is open to all Catholics who have a devotion to Our Blessed Mother. For more information about the Legion, please call Tessie de la Paz at (510) 693-1096.

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**Many thanks to Erika Elsbernd, Emma Kung, and Elena Angelo** and their children for preparing and serving luncheon to visiting priests for the monthly Holy Hour For Priests.

We have volunteers to prepare and serve luncheon through May. But if you're interested in helping in the fall, please contact Lily Mullen whose contact information is below. The simple meatless meal can be prepared in the Hall's kitchen or at home and brought in; then served. Two people per Friday are needed to do this. You are not expected to entertain or mingle, just set up, have the meal ready at noon, serve it and clean up when they are done - usually by 1 pm. a friend (or two) and sign up for a particular month to do this act of charity towards the priests of our parish and those who join them for the morning of recollection. and Merciful God will richly bless your generosity towards them.

Please contact Lily Mullen (925)827-1946 or email at: [lily.mullen@gmail.com](mailto:lily.mullen@gmail.com) more information, or to put your name on the schedule.

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<https://formed.org>, then register by entering St. Margaret Mary's Parish Code: **7328CP**. Many thanks for continuing to support St. Margaret Mary!



For our **CCD/Religious Education programs**, the classes offered include: Pre-First Communion (1st grade); First Communion (2nd grade); Post-First Communion (Grades 3-4); Grades 5 and 6; Pre-Confirmation, Confirmation, and our St. John Paul II Youth Group. Please share this notice with others that may have an interest in Catechism Classes at St. Margaret Mary Church. Thank you! Contact Valerie at [stmmworks@ymail.com](mailto:stmmworks@ymail.com) or the parish office 510.482.0596.



St. Margaret Mary's **Young Adult Group** for those in their 20's and 30's meets on Tuesdays at 7PM in the parish hall. join us on Tuesdays to discuss interesting topics and then we'll attend a local establishment for some Catholic camaraderie!

Please note the second Tuesdays of the month the group will meet for Mass at 6PM and then head off to some local eatery. Next meeting is in the end of January. Please stay tuned for the exact date. If you have any questions, please contact Joni at [joni@durlingfamily.net](mailto:joni@durlingfamily.net) or 925-550-3122.



We would like to thank the individuals who donated poinsettias in memory of their loved-ones.

These poinsettias continue to adorn the sanctuary and the shrines until the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord/Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

**Alex Porcuna; Anastasia Lydon; Arlene Maderious; Bernice Jackson; Brion Wikes & Claudia Bermudez; Cecilia ReKay; Dan & Barbara Kendig; Del Sacramneto; Donald Braten; Ester Usison; GERALYNNE Joyce; Grace DaSilva; Helen Basich; James Andrada; Janice Torbet; Jestin & Erin Dineen; Judy Wendel; Judy Mendiola; Julie Rettagliata; Kim Clougherty; Komala Krishnan, Larry Franz; Louise Grayson; Maria De Ornellas; Mary Galena; Mary Silmaro; Nelson Family; Racheal Kiker; Rita Faulkner; Romulo Matias; Ron & Laura**

**Montgomery; Ronald Robles; Sevier Family; Valerie Cooper.**

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On March 19th, Sunday, **Raymond Cardinal Burke** comes to St. Margaret Mary to offer the Mass in the Extraordinary Form at 12.30pm. More details to follow later. Stay tuned.

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A parishioner needs help locating an affordable room to rent near St. Margaret Mary's. If you know of a tenant who is renting, please contact the Parish Office. Thanks!

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This week's **second collection** is for St. Vincent de Paul. The amount collected for the Seminary is \$1,330. The second collection next week is for the Building Fund. Thank you for your support.

Weekly update	Jan. 14 & 15	Year-to-Date
Actual - 1st Plate	\$3,826	\$11,868
Parish Pay 1st Plate	\$1,160	\$3,480
Total 1st Plate	\$4,986	\$15,348
Goal	\$6,400	\$19,200
Shortfall	(-\$1,414)	(-\$3,852)

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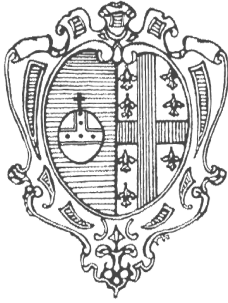
**Prelude:** Concerto in A minor, Mvt III, JS Bach

**Hymns for today:** #602 At the name of Jesus #354 Hail to the Lord's Anointed

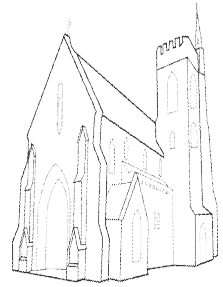
**5pm (Sat.)** Mass for All Seasons, Charlotte Ellis

**10:30am:** Missa Jubilate Deo, #200, Credo IV,

**Organ Postlude:** Concerto in A minor, Mvt I, JS Bach



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**Solemnity of St Francis de Sales  
Patron Saint of the Institute**



# January 29, 2017

## ST. FRANCIS DE SALES EXCERPTS OF A SPIRITUAL CONFERENCE

**BY MSGR. GILLES WACH PRIOR GENERAL OF THE INSTITUTE**

To achieve the greatest height of mystical life by taking the everyday road, and to bring many souls to great freedom through true love; this was the goal of St. Francis de Sales in his life and in his work..

In his writings, he tells us that his intention is to instruct those who live in town, who frequently, under the imaginary pretense of impossibility, will not so much as think of undertaking a devout life. In the sixteen hundreds, the idea that Christian perfection was within the reach of everyone was not very common. At that time, one would choose either the cloister or the world; perfection or everyday life, asceticism or pleasure.

The originality of St. Francis de Sales is not found in his doctrine, but in his idea of the world. He was a man of the world and he knew all of its dangers. He was born from a good family, he came to Paris to study and was destined for a brilliant legal career, a career that would take him quite often as a courtier to the royal palace, dressed in beautiful expensive clothes. He knew the company of men with its gaping voids, and he also knew its truth. That is why his ideas are so fresh and new. It is not for Christians to flee the world, but to live in it with God and to live in it well. In life one needs initiative, but also the spirit of abandonment. The spirit of initiative and the spirit of abandonment are like cats and dogs. When they are raised together, they get along.

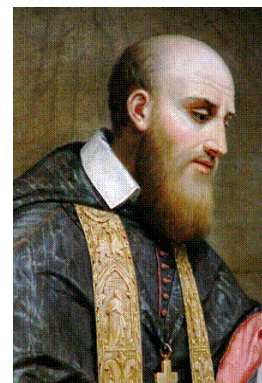
Their common educator is the life of charity and union with God. St. Francis de Sales is depicted as a director of a soul. This soul is sometimes called Philothea, sometimes Theotimus. This soul is a person of the world, it is a soul who loves God and desires to advance, generously and joyously, before Him. Philothea and Theotimus are at ease in the world for all is saved by Jesus Christ. Philothea and

Theotimus make up a group of souls who love God and desire to go to Him without overthinking, rather simply and easily

## Men's 3-Day Silent Retreat

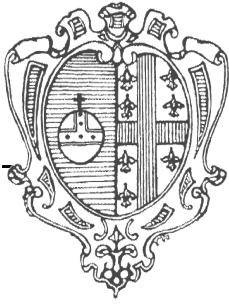
STILL SPACE AVAILABLE

In the Spirit of St. Francis de Sales,  
preached by Canons  
**January 27-29, 2017**  
at the Holy Redeemer Center, Oakland  
Cost for the weekend: \$185

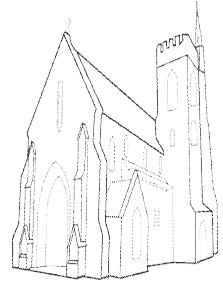


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Canon Meney

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Recognizing the importance of a deep harmony between faith, liturgy, life, and the power of beauty in attracting the human senses to the things above, an integral part of the Institute's charism is the use of the traditional Latin Liturgy of 1962 for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and the other sacraments. Great care for a solemn liturgy, complete fidelity to the doctrine of the Church and the Holy Father, and awareness of the central role of Grace, especially Charity – these are essential elements of the Institute's spirituality, which is drawn from its three co-patrons, St. Benedict, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Francis de Sales.

Our motto is "Live the truth in charity." The Institute operates in more than fifty places in twelve countries, where our priests focus on the care of souls in many different ways. To assist our priests in their apostolic work, the Institute also has clerical oblates. In 2004, a community of religious sisters was canonically established to aid the priests in their mission through prayer and apostolic work.

The Institute was founded in 1990 by Monsignor Gilles Wach. Today, the motherhouse and international seminary of the Institute is located in Gricigliano, in the Archdiocese of Florence, Italy.

The Institute serves the faithful of the Bay since 2005 at St. Margaret Mary in Oakland and at Five Wounds in San Jose (Mass at 12:30 pm on Sunday, 12:15 pm on Weekdays but Sat. at 7:30 am)

## **Traditional Latin Mass Schedule**

**Monday - Wednesday**, Low Mass at 6:00 PM

**Thursday**, Low Mass at 12:00 PM (Noon)

**Friday**, Low Mass at 6:00PM

**Saturday**, Low Mass at 10:00 AM

**Sunday**, Low Mass at 7:00 AM

High Mass at 12:30 PM

### **Reception**

Every Sunday after 12:30 PM Mass

### **Feast Days**

Mass at 6:00 PM

Please refer to the Institute's online bulletin for updates

## **Homebound Visits, House Blessings, Spiritual Direction**

Do not hesitate to call Canon Meney to have a visit or the blessed Sacrament brought to your beloved ones. Cell phone number is (510) 604-0391  
Spiritual direction is available upon request.

## **CONFESSIONS**

Confessions are offered half hour before daily Masses, during Sunday Mass, and upon request for those who cannot make it to confession on the above mentioned schedules.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday after 6:00 pm Mass in reparation for the Crimes of Isis.**