

ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH

April 2011 Bulletin

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The Pastor speaks....

A word about the "TRIDUUM"... The Triduum is our fullest, most complete manifestation of Christ. Every Triduum is a call to the faith community to become more Christ-like. Those of us who are already baptized are drawn more deeply to the Gospel mission of becoming more Christ-like by being more open to the **Word of God**, by participating more deeply in **Worshipping** and building strong **Community** bonds, so that together, we can grow with a greater commitment to **Serve** the world around us, especially the poor. In many parishes the celebration of the Triduum is the most important parish community event and it is celebrated in a very special and solemn way where everyone is engaged in planning, working, participating, and thus celebrating.

Liturgies and Devotions of the TRIDUUM in our parish will be: Mass of the Lord's Supper, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Fast and Abstinence on Good Friday, Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross, Stations of the Cross, Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday Mass. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend the Triduum celebrations.

During our Triduum celebration let us not forget that we still feel the pain of the world, the pain and sorrow of Japan, the pain and fear in Libya and other troubled countries, the pain in our families and among our friends, and the pain in our own hearts. But a new element has been introduced into our lives. It doesn't remove the pain but gives it a meaning. It lights it up with hope. All is different because Jesus rose from the dead. He came out victorious over death and the evil one. He is alive and speaks his words of peace to us as he spoke them to the apostles. The first disciples saw the risen Jesus and believed in Him. Faith in the resurrection of Jesus is the basis for our hope of eternal life too, a hope which enables us to bear patiently the trials of life. Therefore, there is a quiet joy among us and a deep sense of peace because we know that life is stronger than death, love is stronger than fear, and hope is stronger than despair.

What a dramatic turnaround in the lives of the first disciples of Jesus when they saw Him risen. They, who had lost their hope on Good Friday, believed again. They were willing to dedicate themselves to Him and give their lives to Him more deeply than ever before. Seeing the Risen Jesus was the most exciting experience of their lives, and it changed them forever. In the very words of Jesus, we are more blessed for we have come to believe in Him, though we have not seen Him. Let us allow ourselves to be fully transformed into Christ in order to become truly the witnesses of the Risen Lord and His Gospel!

Happy Easter to all of you, your families, and your friends!

"God came to us because God wanted to join us on the road, to listen to our story, and to help us realize that we are not walking in circles but moving toward the house of peace and joy."
Thomas Merton

St. Aloysius Parish

Pastor
Fr. Bala Govindu

St. Aloysius Church

70 School Street
Point Arena, CA
95468
707-884-4920

Mass Schedule

English
Thursday 9:00 AM
Sunday 9:00 AM

Spanish
Saturday 7:00 PM

Confession
before mass or
by appointment
HOLY DAYS 9:00 AM

Mary Star of the Sea Church

39141 Church Street
Gualala, CA
95445
707-884-4920

Mass Schedule

English
Wednesday &
Friday 9:00 AM
Sunday 11:00 AM

Spanish
Sunday 4:30 PM

Confession
before mass or
by appointment

Holy Day
6:00 PM



Parish Ministries

Finance Council

Wilma Klagenberg 785-3530
Meeting: Tuesday, April 19, 2011
5:00 p.m. Trinity Hall

Pastoral Council

Jim Wesley 884-3396
Meeting: Friday, April 8, 2011
4:30 p.m.
Mary Star of the Sea

St. Aloysius Church Steering Committee

David Branesky 882-2903
Meeting: 3rd Sunday after Mass

Mary Star of the Sea Church

Steering Committee

Ben Klagenberg 785-3530
Meeting: 2nd Sunday after Mass

Trinity Hall Committee

Ben Klagenberg 785-3530
David Branesky 882-2903

Good-Buy Clothes

Ginny Burlage 785-3282
Wilma Klagenberg 785-3530

Knights of Columbus

Council #12400
Francisco Gonzalez 877-1676
Meeting: 1st and 3rd Thursday
every month at 7:30
Trinity Hall, Pt. Arena

Bereavement

Mary Star of the Sea Church

Maureen Healy 785-3177
Loretta Healy 884-3728

St. Aloysius Church

Mary Alice Bastian 882-2731
Walt and Susan Rush 882-2441
Yolanda Orozco 882-3741

Rentals

St. Aloysius Church and Trinity Hall

David Branesky 882-2903
Ben Klagenberg 785-3530

Mary Star of the Sea Church

Fred and Fran Ducey 884-4550
Kathy and Ron Madero
884-3603

✿ Holy Week Schedule ✿

Holy Thursday: April 21st

- ✿ 5: 00 P.M.. Mary Star of the Sea Church: The Lord's Supper and Washing Of The Feet Service followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- ✿ 7:00 P.M. St. Aloysius Church: The Lord's Supper and Washing Of The Feet Service followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



Good Friday: April 22nd

- ✿ 12:00 Noon, Stations Of The Cross (Ecumenical Service) and Communion Service, St. Aloysius Church. Followed by a Soup & Bread Luncheon @ St. Paul's Methodist Church. Bring food contributions.
- ✿ 6:00 P.M. Veneration Of The Cross & Communion Service, Mary Star of the Sea (English)
- ✿ 7:00 P.M. Via Crucis (Way of the Cross), Mary Star of the Sea Church

Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil): April 23rd

- ✿ 8:00 P.M Easter Vigil Mass, St. Aloysius Church

Easter Sunday: April 24th

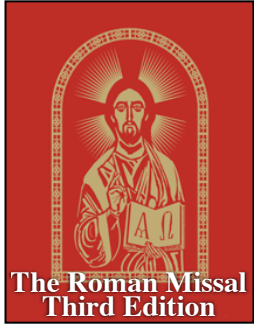
- ✿ 9:00 A.M. Easter Mass, St. Aloysius Church
- ✿ 11:00 A.M. Easter Mass, Mary Star of the Sea Church
- ✿ 4:30 P.M. Easter Mass (Spanish), Mary Star of the Sea Church

Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and Greeters



		Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters
April 10	1	John Moelter	Rhonda Ortman	Ron Madero
	2	Cece Moelter	Camile Cox/Sonia Torrado	Kathy Madero
April 17	1	Sandy Sloan	Niall Healy	Ben Klagenberg
	2	Ginny Burlage	Michelle Marshall/Marilynn Balch	Wilma Klagenberg
April 24	1	Susan Aicher	Ginny Burlage	Fred Ducey
	2	Joe Barrera	Sonia/Miguel Torrado	Fran Ducey
May 1	1	Loretta Healy	Maureen Healy	John Moelter
	2	Frank Healy	Niall Healy/Michelle Marshall	Cece Moelter
May 8	1	Niall Healy	Camile Cox	Jim Suhr
	2	Sandy Sloan	John Moelter/Rhonda Ortman	Mary Suhr

✿ Around the Parish ✿



The Roman Missal Third Edition

*“Now is the Time to Prepare
for the Roman Missal, Third
Edition*

*New Words: A Deeper
Meaning, but the Same Mass”*

The above quote, from the title of the homepage of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) website for the new Roman Missal, clearly sums up what we, as a Catholic Parish, are being called to do. This website is an excellent resource for understanding the changes to the liturgy that are scheduled to begin, throughout the United States, on the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2011. A link to this website can be found at the top of the **Saint Aloysius Parish** website homepage, www.saintaloyiusparish.org.

This third edition of the Roman Missal will contain prayers for the observances of recently canonized saints, additional prefaces for the Eucharistic Prayers, additional Votive Masses and Masses and Prayers for Various Needs and Occasions, and some updated and revised rubrics (instructions) for the celebration of the Mass. The English translation of the Roman Missal will also include updated translations of existing prayers, including some of the well-known responses and acclamations of the people.

A diocesan workshop is being held in Rohnert Park on April 2nd from 9:00 - 3:30. More information is available in the vestibule of the St. Aloysius Church and Mary Star of the Sea Church.

Weekly Parish Events

Monday: 8:00 A.M. Good Buy Clothes, Trinity Hall

Wednesday: 9:00 A.M. Mass, Mary Star of the Sea

Thursday: 9:00 A.M. Mass, St. Aloysius
7:00 P.M. Knights Of Columbus
(1st/3rd Thurs. monthly)

Friday: 9:00 A.M. Mass, Mary Star Of The Sea

Saturday: 7:00 P.M. Mass, St. Aloysius (Spanish)

Sunday: 9:00 A.M. Mass St. Aloysius
11:00 A.M. Mass, Mary Star of the Sea
4:30 P.M. Mass, Mary Star Of The Sea (Spanish)

Special Lenten Services

Stations of the Cross will be held at Saint Aloysius every Friday in Spanish at 7.30 PM, at Mary Star of the Sea every Friday in English after the 9 AM Mass, and at 6:00 P.M. in Spanish.

Good Friday is a day of **fast** and **abstinence**, that is, limited to a single, full meal and abstinence from meat. The Fridays of Lent are days of **abstinence** from meat.

Spanish Speaking Mission and Sacrament of Reconciliation

Fr. Michaelraj of Fort Bragg has kindly accepted to preach a Mission to our Spanish speaking brothers and sisters on April 7 and 8. He will give a talk and then hear confessions for the community at Gualala on Thursday, April 7 from 7:00 PM through 8:30 PM. He will be available April 8, during the day, if any one wishes to get spiritual help and counseling. From 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM, he will give a talk and attend to the confessions for the community at Point Arena.

Mass Intentions

Those who wish to request a Mass intention, please contact Fr. Bala either in person or over the phone: 884-4920

Thank you

Confirmation Classes

Please give the names of candidates for Confirmation and their sponsors to Fr. Bala or any of the parish leaders by the end of March. Special preparation classes will begin on April 2/3, 2011.

Parish Calendar and Events

April 2011

- 1 - Spanish Via Crucis, 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. MSS
- 7/8 - Spanish speaking mission and confessions with Fr. Michael Raj of Fort Bragg.
- 7 - Retiro en Español (confesiones) 7:00p.m.-8:30 p.m. MSS
- 8 - Spanish Via Crucis, 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. MSS
Retiro en Español (confesiones) 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. St. Aloysius
Pastoral Council Mtg. 4:30, MSS
- 10 - Steering Committee meeting, 12:00 Noon MSS
- 14 - **Chism Mass** (where the holy oils are blessed) @ the Cathedral of St. Eugene, Santa Rosa 4:30 P.M.
- 15 - Spanish Via Crucis, 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. MSS
- 16 - Madelaine Natal presentation, 4:00 P.M. MSS
- 17 - **Palm Sunday**
Steering Committee meeting, 10:00 A.M. St. Aloysius
- 18 - Owen's Memorial Service
- 19 - **Passover** begins
Finance Committee Mtg. 5:00 P.M. Trinity Hall
- 20 - Encuentro Juvenil, MSS
- 21 - **Washing Of The Feet Service**, 5:00P.M. MSS
Washing Of The Feet Service, 7:00 P.M. St. Aloysius
- 22 - **Ecumenical Stations Of The Cross**, 12:00 Noon, St. Aloysius Church

Veneration Of The Cross & Communion Service 6:00 P.M. MSS

- Spanish Via Crucis** (Way of the Cross), 7:00 P.M. MSS
- 23 - **Easter Vigil**, 8:00 P.M. St. Aloysius
- 24 - **Easter Sunday** (regular Mass Schedule)
- 28 - Finance Committee Meeting, 5:00 P.M. Trinity Hall
- 30 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 P.M. Trinity Hall

May 2011

- (Asian Pacific American Heritage Month)
- 8 - **Mothers' day**
- 14 - Carina's presentation, Baptism & 2 First Communions
- 18 - **Confirmation**, 7:00 P.M. MSS
- 28 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 P.M. Trinity Hall
- 30 - **Memorial Day**

June 2011

- 2 - **Ascension of the Lord**
- 12 - **Pentecost**
Steering Committee meeting, 12:00 Noon, MSS
- 19 - Steering Committee meeting, 9:00 a.m. St. Aloysius Church
- 20 - **Father's Day**
- 25 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 P.M. Trinity Hall
Jensenia Manso Quinceañera, 4:00 p.m. Annapolis

Liturgical Calendar - April 2011

The following is a list of upcoming feast days, memorials and scripture readings

- *3 **Thu Weekday** [*Saint Katharine Drexel, virgin*] Sir 42:15-25/Mk 10:46-52 (350)
- *4 **Fri Weekday** [*Saint Casimir*] Sir 44:1, 9-13/Mk 11:11-26 (351)
- *6 **SUN NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** Dt 11:18, 26-28, 32/Rom 3:21-25, 28/Mt 7:21-27 (85) Pss I
- *7 **Mon Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity, martyrs memorial** Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8/Mk 12:1-12 (353)
- *8 **Tue Weekday** [*Saint John of God, religious*] Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17 (354)
- *9 **Wed Ash Wednesday** Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20-6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (219) Prop Pss
- *13 **SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT** Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11 (22) Pss I
- *17 **Thu Lenten Weekday** [*Saint Patrick, bishop*] Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12 (227)
- *18 **Fri Lenten Weekday** [*Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop and doctor of the Church*] Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26 (228)
- *19 **Sat Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary solemnity** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a (543) Prop Pss
- *20 **SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT** Gn 12:1-4a/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9 (25) Pss II
- *23 **Wed Lenten Weekday** [*Saint Toribio de Mogrovejo, bishop*] Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28 (232)
- *25 **Fri The Annunciation of the Lord solemnity** Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38 (545) Prop Pss
- *27 **SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT** Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42 (28) Pss III