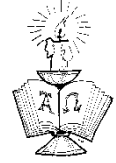




ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH

September 2011 Bulletin

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The Pastor Speaks

“Your Word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path.” Psalm 119:105

You may recall that one of my four presentations in February this year focused on the place and importance of Ongoing Faith Formation in parish community life. The most important facet of this Ongoing Faith Formation is the Adult Faith Formation. The United States Catholic Bishops have stated in their 1999 document, “Our Hearts Were Burning Within Us”, that the education and Christian formation of adults must be the priority for the Church. In this document, we are told that the Adult Faith Formation is responsible for creating and sustaining events and programs that nurture the development of mature faith in adult Catholics.

Following the above principle and the new direction our parish has taken up this year, one of the newly constituted commissions of our parish, namely the Evangelization and Faith Formation Commission, has taken up Bible Study Classes as one of the important programs of the Adult Faith Formation. This is done, not only as an inspiration from the above document, but also as an important outcome of the recent Parish Survey. Beginning Wednesday, September 7, the eve of the feast of the Nativity of Mary, our Heavenly Mother, Bible Study will be held at both churches in our parish. The sessions will end before Christmas 2011, and they will be an overview of Introduction to the Bible and the Book of Isaiah. We may call these sessions as “Adult Advent Bible Study” since they end before and prepare us for the birth of Christ.

This kind of program is part of the “Knowledge of Faith”, one of the Six Dimensions of Ongoing Faith Formation. In this program and in every other program, one needs to focus not only on the intellectual formation but also on the following three major goals for Ongoing Faith Formation. Those goals are: 1) Invite and enable ongoing conversion to Jesus in holiness of life; 2) Promote and support active membership in their Christian community; 3) Call and prepare individuals and families to act as disciples in mission to the world. As we read or study or pray or share the Word of God, let us all have the same experience of the two disciples of Jesus on the way to Emmaus, and say, “Were our hearts not burning within us?”(Luke 24:32).

I am delighted to know that two groups of people from our parish have come forward to attend these sessions, every Wednesday either in the morning or in the evening. I wish many more will join them. All are welcome to join! The sessions will be in English for now.

I invite you also to be informed of the changes (Revisions to the Roman Missal) that are coming and will be effective from November 27, 2011, the First Sunday of Advent. The Liturgy Commission is working on the ways to educate us about the New Roman Missal, and provide us with the necessary materials. For the required information, you may check in with our parish bulletin, the parish website and with the Bishop’s website: www.usccb.org/romanmissal .

The Mission of Saint Aloysius Parish, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and intercession of Mary, is to embrace the Holiness of God by validating the dignity and goodness of all people. Centered in Christ and the Eucharist, we seek to accomplish Christ’s mission through active participation in spiritual, charitable, educational, and social programs. We strive to build God’s kingdom of love, justice, and peace with hospitality, worship, evangelization, and good works.

St. Aloysius Parish

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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 5:30 PM
(beginning July 10)

Confession

before mass or
by appointment

Holy Day
6:00 PM

Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council

Jim Wesley 884-3396
jwesley@wildblue.net
 Meeting: October 6, 2011
 5:30 p.m. MSS

Finance Council

Frank Healy 884-3728
 Meeting:
 6:00 p.m. MSS

St. Aloysius Church Facilities Commission

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

Mary Star of the Sea Church

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

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

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Father Theo O'Sullivan Memorial

To honor the memory of Father Theo O'Sullivan who died a year ago, Saint Aloysius Parish added a memorial plaque along the Stations of the Cross path at Mary Star of the Sea Church (pictured to the right).

The plaque reads: "The Stations of the Cross are dedicated to the memory of Father Theo O'Sullivan who never let us forget our humanity."

On Friday, September 2nd a memorial mass was celebrated at the 9:00 morning mass at Mary Star of the Sea Church.

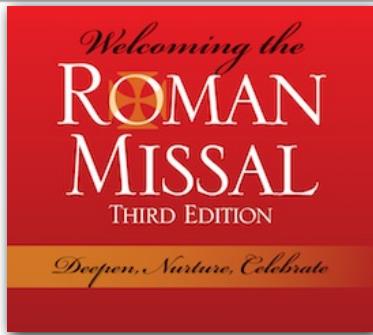
Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and Greeters

St. Aloysius Church, Pt. Arena

		Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters
September 4	1	Dennis Ranieri	Don Hamilton	David Branesky
	2		Hector Luna Miranda	Deanna Branesky
September 11	1	Cindy Gonzalez	John Bastian	Roger Suddith
	2		Hector Luna Miranda	Rosemarie Suddith
September 18	1	Laura Hamilton	Susan Rush	David Branesky
	2		Hector Luna Miranda	Deanna Branesky
September 25	1	Don Hamilton	David Branesky	John Bastian
	2		Hector Luna Miranda	Mary Alice Bastian

Mary Star of the Sea Church, Gualala

		Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters
September 4	1	Joe Barrera	Ginny Burlage	Fred Ducey
	2	Susan Aicher	John Moelter/Rhonda Ortman	Fran Ducey
September 11	1	Ginny Burlage	Maureen Healy	Ben Klagenberg
	2			Wilma Kagenberg
September 18	1		Camille Cox	Ron Madero
	2	Sandy Sloan		Kathy Madero
September 25	1	Susan Aicher	Michelle Marchall	Ron Madero
	2	Ginny Burlage	Camille Cox/John Moelter	Kathy Madero
October 2	1	Sandy Sloan	Marilynn Balch	Ben Klagenberg
	2	Ginny Burlage	Michelle Marshall/Frank Healy	Wilma Klagenberg



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

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

Comments by Archbishop Gregory M. Aymond from the USCCB website

The Roman Missal will be implemented in the United States of America on the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2011. The ritual editions should start arriving in parishes around October 1.

Pope John Paul II announced a revised version of the *Missale Romanum* during the Jubilee Year 2000. Among other things, the revised edition of the *Missale Romanum* contains 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.

The entire Church in the United States has been blessed with this opportunity to deepen its understanding of the Sacred Liturgy, and to appreciate its meaning and importance in our lives. Parishes should now be in the planning process for the implementation, with a goal toward executing that plan in the coming months. The parish's leadership and various sectors of the parish community should be catechized to receive the new translation. Musicians and parishioners alike should soon be learning the various new and revised musical settings of the Order of Mass.

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The USCCB website has prepared resources to serve all engaged in the formation process and those wishing to learn more about the *Roman Missal*.

Now is the time to seize the opportunity given to us for all Catholics in the United States to **deepen, nurture, and celebrate** our faith through the renewal of our worship and the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy.

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)

✧ Mark Your Calendar ✧

Beginning September 7 (Wednesdays)

Weekly Bible Study Classes begin in Pt. Arena and Gualala. The classes will meet weekly on Wednesdays. For more information contact JoAnn Wittig, 884-9007.

October 10 - 15

Vianney, Renewing the Heart of the Church performed by Leonardo Defilippis. Various location throughout the Santa Rosa Diocese. Check the *North Coast Catholic Magazine* for more details.

November 18 -19

Faith Formation Conference
Santa Clara Convention Center

November 30th (Wednesday)

Advent Penance Service at Mary Star of the Sea Church followed by a parish potluck.

March 5th - 8th (Monday - Thursday)

Parish Lenten Mission with Father Michael Moore. The theme will be "The Seven Last Words of Christ."

March 9 - 10 (Friday - Saturday)

Parish Mission for the Spanish speaking community with Fr. Michaelraj of Ft. Bragg

✧ Parish Master Calendar ✧

To add meeting dates and upcoming parish events to the parish master calendar contact Ginny Burlage, 785-3282 or Wilma Klagenberg, 785-3530.

Parish Calendar and Events

September 2011

(National Hispanic heritage Month)

- 2 - Memorial Mass for Fr. Theo 9:00 a.m. MSS**
- 3 - Wedding and Mass Pt. Arena 4:00**
5:30 Spanish Mass at MSS
- 4 - St. Aloysius Parish Labor Day BBQ**
Trinity Hall/No Spanish Mass Today
- 5 - Labor Day**
- 11 - Facilities Commission meeting, 12:00 Noon**
Mary Star Of The Sea
- 18 - Facilities Commission meeting, 10:00 a.m.**
St. Aloysius
- 24 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 p.m.**
Trinity Hall

October 2011

(National Disability Employment Awareness)

- 6 - Pastoral Council Meeting 5:30, MSS**
- 9 - Facilities Commission meeting, 12:00 Noon Mary**
Star Of The Sea

- 10 - Columbus Day**
- 16 - Facilities Commission meeting, 10:00 a.m.**
St. Aloysius
- 29 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 p.m.**
Trinity Hall

November 2011

(National American Indian Heritage month)

- 1 - All Saints Day**
- 6 - Daylight savings time ends**
- 11 - Veterans' Day**
- 13 - Facilities Commission meeting, 12:00 Noon Mary**
Star Of The Sea
- 20 - Facilities Commission meeting, 10:00 a.m. St**
Aloysius
- 24 - Thanksgiving**
- 26 - Good Buy Clothes, 9:30 A.M.-3:30 P.M. Trinity Hall**
- 27 - First Sunday of Advent (Begin New Roman Missal)**
- 30 - Advent Parish Penance Service and Potluck**
Mary Star of the Sea Church

Liturgical Calendar - September 2011

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

3 Sat Saint Gregory the Great, pope and doctor of the Church memorial Col 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5 (436)

4 SUN TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20 (127) Pss III

5 Mon Weekday [Labor Day – proper Mass] Col 1:24-2:3/Lk 6:6-11 (437) or, for Labor Day, any readings from the *Lectionary for Ritual Masses*, vol. IV, the Mass, “For the Blessing of Human Labor,” nos. 907-911

8 Thu The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary feast Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23 (636)
Prop Pss

9 Fri Saint Peter Claver, priest memorial 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Lk 6:39-42 (441)

11 SUN TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME Sir 27:30-28:9/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35 (130) Pss IV

12 Mon Weekday [The Most Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary] 1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 7:1-10 (443)

13 Tue Saint John Chrysostom, bishop and doctor of the Church memorial 1 Tm 3:1-13/Lk 7:11-17 (444)

14 Wed The Exaltation of the Holy Cross feast Nm 21:4b-9/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17 (638) Prop Pss

15 Thu Our Lady of Sorrows memorial 1 Tm 4:12-16 (446)/Jn 19:25-27* or Lk 2:33-35* (639) Prop Pss

16 Fri Saint Cornelius, pope and martyr, and Saint Cyprian, bishop and martyr memorial 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Lk 8:1-3 (447)

17 Sat Weekday [Saint Robert Bellarmine, bishop and doctor of the Church; BVM] 1 Tm 6:13-16/Lk 8:4-15 (448)

18 SUN TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a (133) Pss I

19 Mon Weekday [Saint Januarius, bishop and martyr]
Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18 (449)

20 Tue Saint Andrew Kim Taegön, priest and martyr, and Saint Paul Chông Hasang, martyr, and their companions, martyrs memorial Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Lk 8:19-21 (450)

21 Wed Saint Matthew, apostle and evangelist feast Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13 (643) Prop Pss

23 Fri Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, priest memorial Hg 2:1-9/Lk 9:18-22 (453)

25 SUN TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32 (136) Pss II

26 Mon Weekday [Saint Cosmas and Saint Damian, martyrs] Zec 8:1-8/Lk 9:46-50 (455)

27 Tue Saint Vincent de Paul, priest memorial Zec 8:20-23/Lk 9:51-56 (456)

28 Wed Weekday [Saint Wenceslaus, martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz, martyr, and his companions, martyrs] Neh 2:1-8/Lk 9:57-62 (457)

29 Thu Saint Michael, Saint Gabriel, and Saint Raphael, archangels feast Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Jn 1:47-51 (647) Prop Pss

30 Fri Saint Jerome, priest and doctor of the Church memorial Bar 1:15-22/Lk 10:13-16 (459)