

JANUARY 28, 2018

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching,
for he taught them as one having authority.

Mark 1:22



HOLY NAME OF JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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January 28, 2018

Come, let us bow down in worship; let us kneel before the LORD who made us. — *Psalm 95:6*

TODAY'S READINGS **First Reading** — Moses spoke to all the people, saying: "A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you" (Deuteronomy 18:15-20). **Psalm** — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties (1 Corinthians 7:32-35).

Gospel — The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching (Mark 1:21-28).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mk 5:1-20
 Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 — 19:3; Ps 86:1-6; Mk 5:21-43
 Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 6:1-6
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13
 Friday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34
 Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week
 Wednesday: St. John Bosco
 Friday: The Presentation of the Lord; Groundhog Day; First Friday
 Saturday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; First Saturday; Blessing of Throats; Blessed Virgin Mary

ARE YOU A NEW PARISHIONER? Or just never registered?

You may register online at <http://holynamesf.org/parishregistration/>

You may also call (415) 664-8590 or drop by the Parish office (1555 39th Ave./Lawton St.) 9 AM-4 AM, Monday-Friday.

PARISH SUMMARY REPORT:	1/14/2018	1/15/2017
No. of Envelopes	176	193
Sunday Collection total	\$4,507.95	\$5,272.75
YTD Ordinary Income	\$12,164.75	\$22,904.94
Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$10,740.19)	

PARISH SUMMARY REPORT:	1/21/2018	1/22/2017
No. of Envelopes	153	146
Sunday Collection total	\$3,885.05	\$3,879.15
YTD Ordinary Income	\$18,030.59	\$26,982.50
Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$8,951.91)	

LEADERS

Leaders are like eagles. They don't flock. You find them . . . one at a time. —Anonymous

MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK of January 28- February 3, 2018

Sun	28	7:30 AM	Mass for the People
		9:30 AM	Wyatt Domingo†
		11:30 AM	Bill Dickson†
Mon	29	7:30 AM	Clarita Rodriguez
		9:00 AM	Special Intentions of Carol Maloof
Tue	30	7:30 AM	Francisca Aquino†
		9:00 AM	Fidel Carbone;†
Wed	31	7:30 AM	Francisca Aquino†
		9:00 AM	Kinahan, Prosser & McComish Families †
Thu	01	7:30 AM	Francisca Aquino†
		9:00 AM	Special Intentions of Charles & Cecilia May
Fri	02	7:30 AM	Special Intentions of Victoria de la Cruz
		9:00 AM	Special Intentions of Domingo de la Cruz
Sat	03	7:30 AM	Delia Woods†
		9:00 AM	Gene Relampagos†
		5:00 PM	Karen Fitzgerald†

We pray for the Sick ...that they may experience God's Love and Healing.

Tom Abdella, Evangeline Agbunag, Nick Aguila, Lennie Aguirre, Sofia Aguirre, Rosa Maria Alonso, Laura Andrade, Gina Arenas, Eunice Ausman, Julianne Beach, Joan Boike, Dalmacio Briones, Jr., Dorothy Briones, Pauline Boffi, Evangelina Calceta, Janet Cariganai, Remedios Cuchapin, Joseph Chu, Ron de la Cruz, Kathy Doherty, Isabel Dominguez, Patricia Dominguez, Gloria Etchelet, Mr. & Mrs. Rodolfo Ezequiel, Bob Fisher, Lourdes Gatchalian, Connor Gavney, Genoveva Guevarra, Theresa Ick, Max Kirkham, Richie Kreps, Steven Lee, Dimple Lim, Amelia Lippi, Sai Hung Lo, Tony Lo, Leny Lopez, Flory Magat, Arturo B. Martin, M. McCullagh, Pat McGuigan, Tom Miller, Amy McNally, Mary Medina, Jesus Morales Montilla, Ann Murphy, Inge Nordstrom, Neil O'Sullivan, Susan Sumaylo, Manuel Pacheco, Josefina Palarca, Maryanne Piwovar, Soledad Rico, Maria Salas, Antonio Savedra, Michael Joseph Suntar, Maureen Sweeney, Lawrence Tan, Dodie Teague, Victoriana Tolentino, Aurora Urmeneta, Lauretta Venenciano

We pray for those who have Died...that they may be granted a home in heaven.

2018 MASS REQUESTS

If you would like to offer Masses for your loved ones, you may drop by the Parish office during office hours or mail in your requests with (1) the Name of the person you wish to have the Mass said for, (2) please indicate if the person is (L) Living or (D) Deceased, (3) your name, address and phone number (4) enclose a check payment. The cost is \$10 for each Mass offering and send to 2018 Mass Requests Holy Name of Jesus Church 1555 39th Ave. San Francisco, CA 94122.



FAZtor's Notes

By Fr. Arnold Zamora

I can't believe the first month of the new year is about to end yet we are still in the beginning of a new year that offers us new life and calls us to be thankful for the gift of life. Fittingly, this Saturday, January 27, is the annual Walk for Life-West Coast. We usually have this on the weekend closes to January 22, the

anniversary of Rose v. Wade, the U.S Supreme Court decision legalizing abortion. The mission of this Walk for Life is to change the perceptions of a society that thinks abortion is an answer. We deserve better than abortion.

This Sunday is a big day for all the Catholic Schools in our country as we celebrate the National Catholic School Week from January 28-February 3. Our school students and teachers are participating at the 9:30AM mass this Sunday to celebrate the opening of the Catholic School Week. This is not just a parish or archdiocesan celebration but is observed by all dioceses around the country. This year's theme is "Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed." It will focus on the important spiritual, academic and social contributions provided by a Catholic education.

Coinciding this celebration is the installation of new Altar Servers who were trained by Mr. Tri Nguyen with the assistance of Mr. Ramsey Ramos last weekend. The new altar servers are: Isabell Abarca, Eileen Chen, Song Clare (Gia), Emma Fong, Samantha Gee, Lexington Lehnert, Logan Lehnert, Glenn Munar Jr., Andre Ramos, Kingston Shao, Anna Snigorenko, Katelyn Sum, and Yahshuah Tuliao. We thank Mrs. Sarah Currier, our school Religion and 8th grade teacher, for recruiting these young liturgical ministers as we also thank their parents and guardians for their support to this ministry.

After the 9:30 AM mass, the school will have an open house and we are all invited. Coffee and donuts will be served at school. Following the open house is our annual Science Fair participated by the entire school student body in the school gym.

What a crowded Sunday! After the Science Fair is the annual Holy Name-St. Cecilia Basketball Tournament for our boys basketball team at St. Ignatius High School. The first game will start at 1PM and the last game is at 7PM. Let's cheer on our students.

Have you heard about the new magazine in the library for athletic dogs? It's called *Spots Illustrated*.

Do you know the song that every NBA team sings after losing to Golden State Warriors?

It's: "Don't Curry Be Happy."

DON'T WORRY about things that you can't change because it doesn't help and it may spoil your health.

As long as you are in good mood and good health, think about happy things, do happy things daily and have fun in doing, then you will pass your time happily every day.

One day passes WITHOUT happiness, you will lose one day.

One day passes WITH happiness and then you gain one day.

FAITH FORMATION * CATECHESIS *

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*"One of the first lessons we learn in early childhood is one of life's most important: **GRATITUDE**. Learning to be grateful, learning to express our gratitude to others, is more than just a basic social skill. It lays the foundation upon which we can live a happy and fulfilling life. William Arthur Ward may have said it best when he wrote, 'Feeling gratitude and not expressing it is like wrapping a present and not giving it.' Yet how many of us fail to adequately let others know how grateful we are for the ways they enrich our lives?"*

Kevin Carroll, "A Moment's Pause for Gratitude", 2017

A Group Reflection on Gratitude What better way to begin a new year counting one's blessings! With this purpose in mind, we have invited Kevin Carroll, the author of the book mentioned above. He will give a presentation and facilitate a discussion/reflection on how to "Enrich Your Life with a Focus on Gratitude". We invite parishioners and friends to this worthwhile gathering. It will be on Thursday, February 1, at 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon, in the Flanagan Center. Refreshment will be served. Anyone interested can purchase Kevin's autographed book. It costs \$14.00. Sr. Cristina has read most of the book. She attests to its clarity, simplicity, practicality, with the help of reflection questions at the end of each topic. Come to enjoy a fruitful morning of friendly interaction. Please contact Sr. Cristina for further information. This might be the start of Holy Name Book Club!

RCIA and Adult Confirmation 2018-2019 There are inquiries about these two sacramental preparation processes for adults. It is too late now to begin the program. Normally, we start in August of the new Pastoral Year. We accept registration now for 2018-2019. Please call Sr. Cristina. Same is true with Religious Education classes for First Holy Communion and Youth Confirmation. We follow specific time line for topics to be covered. It is an on-going process. Thanks for your understanding.

Lay Canossians Monthly Meeting will be on Sunday, February 11, 2:00-4:00PM in the Flanagan Center. Enjoy the Superbowl!

RCICY Rite of Election Four children and teen-agers are participating in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Children and Youth (RCICY) in our parish. They come on Sundays for their Religious Education classes. On the First Sunday of Lent, February 18th, they will be presented to Archbishop Cordileone during the Rite of Election at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption, at 4:00PM. They will be with their sponsors, parents and catechists. We ask Holy Name parishioners to pray for them, as they continue their Journey of Faith. God willing, they will receive the sacraments of Christian Initiation at Mass on Easter Vigil, March 31, 2018. Please continue to accompany our young catechumens, spiritually. **Pray for them by name: Leslie, Allison, Samuel, Jerome.**

Adult Faith Formation in Spring 2018: "The Faithful Revolution: Vatican II" Mark your calendar for the Thursday nights series on Catholic teachings. It will be on April 12, 19, 26, May 3 and 10th, at 7:00-8:30PM in the meeting room of the Pastoral Center. It is a series of one-hour programs which examines the dramatic changes fostered by the Second Vatican Council and its continuing effects on history and the modern world.

Pray: Lord, keep me united to you so that my heart thinks your thoughts, my lips speak your words, and my hands do your work.
Act: Spend 30 minutes in mindful listening to the Lord.

Evil Spirits versus the Holy One of God

I lecture at the nearby university on war crimes, crimes against humanity and genocide. Often, I find myself dealing with a blood-lust which seems to craze whole societies leading to the massacre of innocent civilians, the use of rape as an instrument of terror, torture, and dehumanizing on a systematic basis.

It has revived my belief in diabolical powers.

I suppose I had a rather infantile, Walt Disney type image of the devil in my youth. I discarded that and saw human wickedness as the wellspring of evil in our world.

But I now think St Paul was correct when he said: "Our battle is not against human forces but . . . we are struggling against the spirits and supernatural forces of evil."

There are powerful spirits at work in our world: good angelic forces and evil demonic forces—sometimes called diabolical forces.

The word "diabolical" comes from a Greek word referring to something broken in two, something torn apart, something shattered which should be whole.

Looking at persons and societies torn apart, it is obvious that the diabolical spirit is very powerful.

But that spirit harbors a certain fear: the fear that there could be a stronger spirit moving through human history, a spirit of wholeness, a spirit of holiness:

Could there be a Holy Spirit which could heal a person torn apart whether by illness or abuse or a deep sadness which divides body, mind and soul? Could there be a Holy Spirit which can integrate the personality and make it whole again?

Could there be a Holy Spirit which could heal a group or even an entire nation divided by racial hatred, class warfare, unjust discrimination based on sex, religious conflict? Could there be a Holy Spirit which can overcome such alienations and can make a society, a community out of the divided group?

The diabolical spirit found this fear to be well grounded when Jesus appeared at the synagogue at Capernaum, when the Holy One of God appeared on the scene of human history.

What did the "unclean spirit" which possessed a man cry out?

"Have you come to destroy us?" The fear was realized because they recognized Jesus as "the Holy One of God."

They realized that they were in peril: "Are you going to destroy us?" Jesus' answer was a resounding "Yes", not in words but in action.

He healed the man possessed. He made whole this gravely disturbed person being torn apart by the diabolical spirit.

Our Lord continued with this mission for three years. He *invites* you and me to share in this mission. He *empowers* you and me to share in this mission.

You and I are to use all our healing powers whenever we come across whatever it is which tears people apart: disease, long festering conflict within a family or some other group, deep loneliness—the most prevalent contemporary manifestation of apartness.

That is our mission at the personal level, but of course, there are tasks at the communal, social, political levels also.

These are all dimensions of a battle of immense scale going on: evil spirits versus the Holy One of God.

What gives us hope that the Holy Spirit of Jesus Christ will prevail?

On Easter Sunday, Jesus Christ conquered the worst the diabolical power can inflict on you and me: the apparent finality of a death which wrenches body and soul apart.



GABRIEL PROJECT/CANCER MINISTRY

Today's Second Collection will be for Gabriel Project & Cancer Support Ministry.

ACE COLLECTION

Next Sunday's Second collection is the ACE COLLECTION for the benefit of our Parish School.

HOLY NAME WEEKLY CALENDAR

Week of January 28, 2018

Sunday, Jan 28, 2018

9:30 AM	School Mass	Church
10:30 AM	Religious Education	Pastoral Center
1:00 PM	Baptism	Church

Monday, Jan 29, 2018

1:00 PM	Sewing Group	Pastoral Center
7:30 PM	SVDP Meeting	Pastoral Center

Tuesday, Jan 30, 2018

9:30 AM	C/E Class	Pastoral Center
10:00 AM	Lectio Divina	Pastoral Center
7:30 PM	Legion of Mary	Pastoral Center

Wednesday, Jan 31, 2018

7:00 PM	RCIA	Pastoral Center
7:30 PM	Chinese Bible Study	Flanagan Center

Thursday, Feb 1, 2018

11:00 AM	Senior Club	Flanagan Center
4:00 PM	Sports Pictures	Flanagan Center
7:00 PM	R.C.I.A.	Pastoral Center

Saturday, Jan 27, 2018

10:00 AM	Baptism	Church
10:30 AM	Reception	Flanagan Center
11:00 AM	Baptism	Church
1PM	Chinese RCIA	Green Room
2:30 PM	Chinese Social	Flanagan Center
3:00 PM	Chinese Mass	Church

HOLY NAME TREE OF LIFE

The Holy Name Tree of Life is a bronze tree trunk with approximately 400 leaves. It is located at the back of the church. Donations to the Tree of Life go towards a much needed Capital Improvement Fund. Each leaf costs \$500 with a \$25 engraving charge. We suggest a maximum number of characters to 5 lines, up to 25 characters per line including spaces. Leaf color choices are gold, silver or bronze.

Please call (415) 664-8590 or drop by the Parish office (1555 39th Ave.) during business hours and the Staff can give you more information or help you make your selection, or help you with wording and processing your leaf donation. Honor your loved ones whether living or deceased with a gift of a leaf on our Tree of Life.

CATHOLIC DOCTORS NEEDED: March 9-11, Mission Doctors Association will hold a weekend Retreat / Seminar at Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles for Catholic MD, DDS, PA, NP who have considered serving for one month at Catholic Missions in Africa and Latin America. Visit the web site to learn more:

www.MissionDoctors.org/lmu

Jesus' resurrection manifests the triumph of the Holy One of God: the reintegration of the human person – body soul. Let us become allies of this Victor over Death.

That will put the fear of God into the devil.

© Fr Michael Tate



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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH SAN FRANCISCO

is a welcoming multicultural and liturgical community that celebrates our Christian Faith. In the spirit of the "Joy of the Gospel" we work together promoting Catholic values and teachings.

Our parish encourages a strong devotion to our Blessed Mother Mary, who gives us an example of faithful discipleship and a generous stewardship way of life.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (*Family Mass*), 11:30 AM, Saturday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 3:00 PM (*Chinese*), 5:00 PM (*Vigil*)

Weekdays 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM

Holy Days 7:30 AM, 9:00AM, and 7:00 PM

Confessions: 15 minutes before 9:30 and 11:30 AM Masses on Sunday & 4:30 - 5:00 PM Saturday or by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday—9:30 AM—12 Noon

Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotions:

Friday after 9:00 AM Mass

Perpetual Help Devotions:

Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass

First Saturday Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary

begins at 8:30 AM with the Rosary, then Mass & Benediction

Baptisms by appointment

Baptismal Preparation—Every 1st Saturday of the month in the

Pastoral Center - 1 PM—You need to register for the class ahead of time.

Baptism Ministry (Sewing Group): Every Monday 1-3 PM in the Pastoral Center Event Room

Marriages:

Contact Pastoral Center 6 months in advance.

Sundays 12:30-2:30 PM, Flanagan Center

R.C.I.A. (Chinese):

Every Saturday—Green Room—1:30 PM

Lectio Divina: Tuesday 10—11 AM (Pastoral Center)

Bible Study Group (Chinese):

Every Wednesday—7:30 PM — Flanagan Center

Parish Pastoral Council: contact Fr. Arnold Zamora

St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting— every Monday at 7:30 PM (*Pastoral Center*)

Holy Name Ladies Aid: every 1st Wednesday of the Month at 11:45 AM (*Pastoral Center*)

Senior Club: every Thursday at 10:30 AM (*Flanagan Ctr.*)

FIL-AM Club: Every 3rd Friday of the month, 7pm in the Flanagan Center.

HOLY NAME Choir Practice: every WEDNESDAY at 6:00 PM in the Pastoral Center

The Gabriel Project: Contact Rose Tang (415)793-0967

Youth Ministry: One designated Saturday a month 5 PM—7:30 PM including Mass. Contact person: Sr. Cristina & Team (415)664-8590

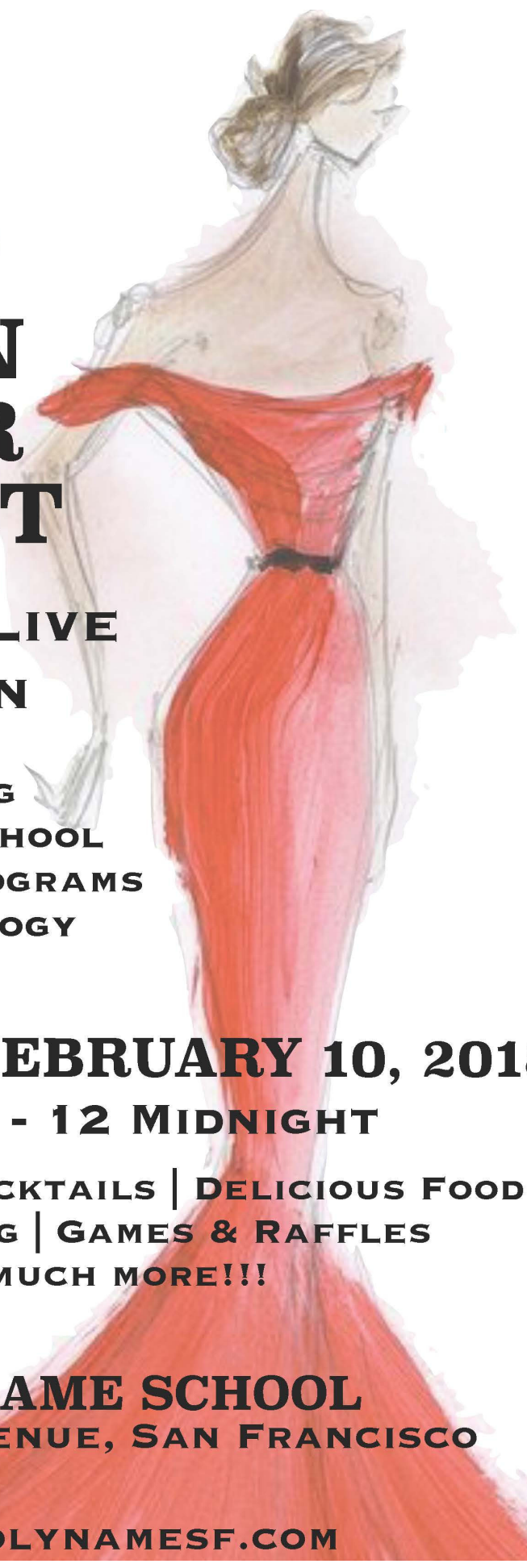
Blood Pressure Screening: every 2nd Wednesday from after the 7:30 AM Mass until 11 AM (Pastoral Center)

Except July & August

Hospitality: Every Wednesday after the 7:30 AM and 9 AM Masses in the Pastoral Center except July & August

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