

JESUS SAID TO SIMON PETER,
“SIMON, SON OF JOHN,
DO YOU LOVE ME
MORE THAN THESE?”

JOHN 21:15

St. Matthias Church

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 1, 2022

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St. Matthias Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:45 am*

St. Charles Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday 5:00 pm*

Sunday 8:30 am* & 11:00 am

*Live streamed Masses.

St. Matthias Reconciliation

By appointment, call the parish office.

St. Charles Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm

First Communion and Confirmation

Email Sabrina Harper for information.

Baptism

Email Deacon Rich Foley for information.

Marriage

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Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest.

And on earth peace to men of good will. We praise You. We bless You. We adore you. We glorify You. We give You thanks for Your great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord Jesus Christ, the Only-begotten Son. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father: you Who take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. You Who take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. You Who sit at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are holy. You alone are the Lord. You alone, O Jesus Christ, are most high. Together with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Reading I

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41

When the captain and the court officers had brought the apostles in and made them stand before the Sanhedrin, the high priest questioned them, "We gave you strict orders, did we not, to stop teaching in that name? Yet you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and want to bring this man's blood upon us."

But Peter and the apostles said in reply, "We must obey God rather than men. The God of our ancestors raised Jesus, though you had him killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins. We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

The Sanhedrin ordered the apostles to stop speaking in the name of Jesus, and dismissed them. So they left the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been

found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13

R (2a) I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

Reading II

Rev 5:11-14

I, John, looked and heard the voices of many angels who surrounded the throne and the living creatures and the elders. They were countless in number, and they cried out in a loud voice:

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
to receive power and riches,
wisdom and strength,
honor and glory and blessing."

Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, everything in the universe, cry out:

"To the one who sits on the throne and
to the Lamb
be blessing and honor, glory and might,
forever and ever."

The four living creatures answered, "Amen, " and the elders fell down and worshiped.

Alleluia

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Christ is risen, creator of all;
he has shown pity on all people.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

At that time, Jesus revealed himself again to his disciples at the Sea of Tiberias.

He revealed himself in this way. Together were Simon Peter, Thomas called Didymus,

Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, Zebedee's sons, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We also will come with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. When it was already dawn, Jesus was standing on the shore; but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, have you caught anything to eat?" They answered him, "No." So he said to them, "Cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something." So they cast it, and were not able to pull it in because of the number of fish. So the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea. The other disciples came in the boat, for they were not far from shore, only about a hundred yards, dragging the net with the fish. When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you just caught." So Simon Peter went over and dragged the net ashore full of one hundred fifty-three large fish. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. This was now the third time Jesus was revealed to his disciples after being raised from the dead.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?"

Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you."

Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs."

He then said to Simon Peter a second time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?"

Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you."

Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep."

Jesus said to him the third time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?"

Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, "Do you love me?" and he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you."

Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep.

Amen, amen, I say to you, when you were younger, you used to dress yourself and go where you wanted; but when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go." He said this signifying by what kind of death he would glorify God. And when he had said this, he said to him, "Follow me."

First Holy Communion

This Sunday, May 1st at the 9:45AM Mass, five young people will be receiving their First Holy Communion for the first time. Two young people, **Bowie** and **Hudson Boyle** completed their preparation in 2020, and three young people, **Eli Totah**, **Pauline** and **Patrick Spiteri** have worked with their parents and Sabrina since the fall to receive their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. They have engaged in a period of study, reflection and prayer. Please pray for them and their families as they are welcomed to the table of the Lord for the first time today.

Mass Intentions

**Saturday, April 30th
at 5:00 pm -**

Don Vaillancourt +

**Sunday, May 1st
at 9:45 am -**

Janice della Libera +

St. Matthias Church is open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm for personal prayer.

Office Hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Wednesday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

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*We pray for those in our
community who are ill...*

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*that they may be comforted by
the loving embrace of Jesus.*

*And for the souls of the
faithful departed*

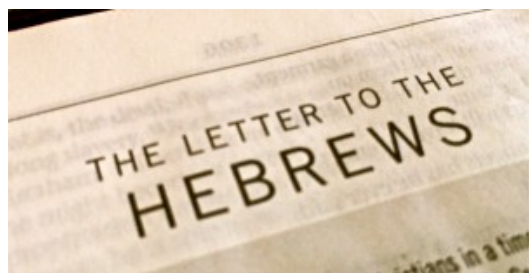
Anna Vugrinecz, Eric

Alvarez & Diane Eterovich

This Week at St. Matthias (May 1-8, 2022)

Sunday, 5/1	First Communion RCIA "Expanding Our Horizons" High School Youth Ministry	9:45AM 11AM - 12PM 5PM - 7PM	Church Merry Room Fr. Lacey Hall
Monday, 5/2	Bible Study: Letter to the Hebrews Bible Study: Letter to the Hebrews	10AM - 11:15AM 7PM - 8:15PM	Fr. Lacey Hall Google Meet
Wednesday, 5/4	Middle School Youth Ministry (MSYM)	5PM - 6PM	Church
Thursday, 5/5	Breaking Open the Word Prayer & Worship Meeting	10:30AM 7PM - 8PM	Google Meet Fr. Lacey Hall
Saturday, 5/7	Youth Choir Rehearsal	3PM - 4PM	Church
Sunday, 5/8	RCIA	11AM - 12PM	Merry Room

Bible Study



Deacon Rich is offering the next Bible Study series beginning Monday, April 25th at 10 a.m. and at 7 p.m.

The 10 - 11:15 a.m. session will be presented in person in Fr. Lacey Hall.

The 7 - 8:15 p.m. session will be presented virtually via Google Meet.

Our recent studies have included the Acts of the Apostles, Paul's letters, Book of Revelation and Old Testament Prophets. However, no prior participation is required. We welcome all to Bible Study.

This seven-week series will be on the Letter to the Hebrews. New Testament scholar, Rev. Raymond Brown, called the Letter to the Hebrews "one of the most impressive works in the New Testament." The letter focuses on Jesus Christ as the new and everlasting covenant between God and His people. This letter speaks to the core tenets of our faith.

If interested and if you have not already done so, please email Sabrina

at sabrina@stmatthiasparish.org so you can be included in all email notifications. If you have any questions, please email Deacon Rich at rich@stmatthiasparish.org.

Reflection question:

What does it mean to me to have hope in the Resurrection?

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Expanding Our Horizons: Navigating LGBTQ+ Etiquette in the Catholic Community

St. Matthias High School Youth Ministry invites you to join us for an interactive discussion on the LGBTQ+ community and learn about how to enter into a relationship of compassion, respect, and sensitivity for others. If you are seeking understanding or clarity about how to engage with the LGBTQ+ community or individual in regards to your Catholic faith, this discussion will cover the basics of identity and sexuality and will provide an opportunity to ask questions you have in a non-judgmental forum.

About Our Speaker: Noah Schembri is a current choir member and has attended Mass at St. Matthias Church for 18 years. He has participated in middle school and high school youth ministry and has been an active member of the church throughout his transition. Noah identifies as male and uses He/Him pronouns and is an active member of the LGBTQ+ community in the Bay Area.

When: Sunday, May 1st from 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Where: Fr. Lacey Hall, St. Matthias Church

Registration: All ages are welcome, please sign-up by clicking <https://forms.gle/dW1RCexqp4aaZhtL6>.

Serving the Sick and the Homebound

This beautiful ministry helps members of our community stay connected to the Body of Christ in a physical form. Extraordinary Ministers are essentially making pastoral visits - offering interaction, presence, and the Eucharist to those who might feel isolated at home or in a healthcare setting. Deacon Rich

Foley and Deacon David Rolandelli provide detailed training on how to distribute the Eucharist and all how to handle a variety of situations in a home visit. One initial contacts are made through the parish office, visits are scheduled directly between the minister and the person at home. It's a very flexible ministry, and one that brings much joy to both the visitor and the one being visited! *Homebound ministers are required to be fully vaccinated. If interested in volunteering or learning more about this ministry, email lisa@stmatthiasparish.org

Prayer Shawl Ministry!

Calling all crafters to join our lively group which meets monthly. We work on projects to give to parishioners, family and friends in times of celebration and comfort. We work on projects at home and meet monthly to share techniques, tips and to bless our projects. We crochet, quilt, knit, embroider, sew, and weave hats, scarves, shawls, and lap robes in addition to bibs for baptisms. You can join us even if you cannot attend the meetings on the third Tuesday of each month, 3:00 pm in the Merry Room. Contact Laurie Coulter lpmcoulter@yahoo.com or call 367-8229.

Breaking Open the Word

Each Thursday morning at 10:30 am, Sabrina hosts a Breaking Open the Word session for those interested in reading and discussing the scripture readings for the weekend Masses. We meet via Google Meet for just one hour to pray, read, reflect, and discuss the readings. If you are interested in joining, please email sabrina@stmatthiasparish.org to receive the weekly resource and invitation.

St. Charles Men's Club Scholarship

St. Charles Men's Club invites all 8th graders who have participated in MSYM and have attended a public school or a St. Charles student graduating from the 8th grade and will attend a Catholic High School, you are eligible to apply.

Applications may be obtained by sending your request by email to: stcharlesmansclubscholarship@gmail.com. Applications must be received no later than May 11, 2022.

Funeral and Reception for Will Richardson

Parishioner Jeri Daines, would like to extend an invitation to all St. Matthias parishioners. There will be a mass at St. Pius for Will Richardson on Saturday May 14 at 10am, immediately followed by a celebration of life and luncheon in their gymnasium. Please RSVP <http://evite.me/tu5c9JZAdP>

Children's Choir



Children ages 5-18 are invited to join our new Children's Choir! The children will be able to share active participation at Mass one-two Sunday's per month and use their skills to help us all praise the Lord! Rehearsals for all ages will be held from 3-4 pm on Saturdays

and children 12-18 years old are welcome to join us every Sunday before Mass at 9 am. Please email Noah Schembri at hello.happiness.bakery@gmail.com if your child is interested.

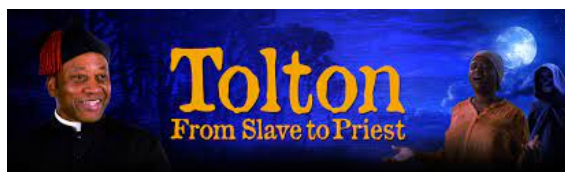


Mercy Burlingame's Middle School Summer Program for girls, who will be in grades 6-8 in Fall 2022, is now open for registration. We are excited about the summer program we are offering to middle school girls on the Peninsula!

Tools for Schools is a four-week program consisting of math skills, reading and writing groups, ASL, music appreciation, drama, and dance.

For questions and registration information, call the Main Office (650) 343-3631.

Tolton: From Slave to Priest



St. Raymond Catholic Church is pleased and honored to be co-sponsoring Tolton: From Slave to Priest, a live theatrical one-man drama performed by actor Jim Coleman and directed

by Leonardo Defilippis of Saint Luke Productions. This live drama will be presented at St. Raymond Catholic Church Gym. A powerful live production based on the life of Fr. Augustus Tolton, the first African American priest. This compelling true story of courage, forgiveness, and reconciliation resonated deeply with modern American audiences, Bishop Joseph Perry of Chicago, postulator for Fr. Tolton's canonization cause, is calling Tolton a production that will "inspire a new era of peace, hope, and forgiveness in America."

When: Thursday, May 19th

Time: 7:00 pm

Where: St. Raymond Church Gym

For tickets: Contact Angie Robbiano (650) 323-1755, email dirofops@straymondmp.org

Multifaith Teen Leadership Council

St. Matthias is a member of the Peninsula Multifaith Coalition, an organization of various faith communities in San Mateo County, is forming a Multifaith Teen Leadership Council for young people between the ages of 12-18. A welcome meeting is being planned for Sunday, May 15th from 3:30PM-4:30PM. At the meeting, we'll learn more about each other, discuss a vision for the group, and plan the next multifaith teen event. If you are interested in learning more or joining this group, contact Sabrina at sabrina@stmatthiasparish.org

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