



The Last Sunday After the Epiphany

8:00, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Sunday, February 11, 2024

*Newcomers and visitors, we welcome you warmly.
May you find here, by the grace of God, that which feeds your soul.
May you leave here with a heart prepared to serve.*



*Funds raised from 2023 Tidings of Comfort & Joy being delivered to the Gubbio Project.
Photo taken on Wednesday, January 31, 2024.*

*If this is your first time here, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card
found on the Welcome Table in the courtyard.*

The Word of God

Prelude (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

5ème Couplet du Gloria: Chromhorne sur la Taille

François Couperin (1668-1733)

Hymn At The Procession (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

Hymnal, #135

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

The people stand.

Opening Acclamation

Blessed be God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

And blessed be God's reign, now and forever. Amen.

The Collect For Purity

Ministers and People, together

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gloria

8:00 a.m. the following is said

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. the following is sung

Hymn Of Praise

Hymnal, #421

All Glory be to God on High



1 All glo - ry be to God on high, and peace on earth from
2 O Lamb of God, Lord Je - sus Christ, whom God the Fa - ther
3 You on - ly are the Ho - ly One, who came for our sal -



hea - ven, and God's good will un - fail - ing - ly be
gave us, who for the world was sac - ri - ficed up -
va - tion, and on - ly you are God's true Son, who



to all peo - ple giv - en. We bless, we wor - ship you, we raise for
 on the cross to save us; and, as you sit at God's right hand and
 was be - fore cre - a - tion. You on - ly, Christ, as Lord we own and,



your great glo - ry thanks and praise, O God, Al-might - y Fa - ther.
 we for judg-ment there must stand, have mer - cy, Lord, up - on us.
 with the Spi - rit, you a - lone share in the Fa - ther's glo - ry.

The Collect Of The Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only-begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The 9:00 a.m. service continues on page 5 with The Second Reading.

First Reading (8:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

2 Kings 2: 1-12

The people are seated.

A Reading from the Second Book of the Kings.

When the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent." Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to

Jericho. The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent."

Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Psalm

Psalm 50:1-6

8:00 a.m. Said responsively by half verse

11:00 a.m. Chanted by all, seated

John Stainer
(1840–1901)



¹ The Lord, the God of / gods, ' has / spoken; *

he has called the earth from the rising of the / sun / to ' its / setting.

² Out of Zion, perfect / in ' its / beauty, *

God re-/veals ' him-/self ' in / glory.

- ³ Our God will come and will / not ' keep / silence; *
 before him there is a consuming flame,
 and round about / him ' a / rag'ing / storm.
- ⁴ He calls the heavens and the earth / from ' a-/bove *
 to witness the / judg'ment / of ' his / people.
- ⁵ "Gather before me my / loy'al / followers, *
 those who have made a covenant with me
 and sealed / it ' with / sac'ri-/fice."
- ⁶ Let the heavens declare the rightness / of ' his / cause; *
 for / God ' him-/self ' is / judge.

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 4:3-6

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Children's Choir Anthem (9:00 a.m.)

Siyahamba

Trad. Zulu

Sung by St. Mary's Children's Choir

We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.

Sequence Hymn (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

Hymnal, #137

O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair

The people stand.

The Holy Gospel

Mark 9:2-9

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

The Gospel of our Savior.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

The Rev. David Erickson

The people are seated.

The Nicene Creed

The people stand.

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

With a new light that shines in our hearts, let us pray.

We pray for your church and the visionaries who manifest your love throughout the world, may we be radiant examples of your glory in our own lives. Shine your light on your Church,
And fill us with your glory.

We pray for all people of the world, that those in authority will strive toward lasting peace and justice for all people. Fuel our passion to challenge injustice and hate and be an advocate for reconciliation. Shine your light on our world,
And fill us with your glory.

We pray for our nation, that we are agents of healing and a ceaseless source of hope. We pray for our country's leadership that sound judgement based on truth and integrity will prevail. Shine your light on this nation,
And fill us with your glory.

We pray for those who are suffering in ways that are known or hidden to us and struggle mightily in this life. We pray especially for the people of Chile affected by massive wildfires and for others who have asked for our prayers, including (N.) and others you may now name. Shine your light into the passages of our lives,
And fill us with your glory.

We pray for those who have been called into larger life with you, especially (N.) and others you may now name. Shine your perpetual light upon them,
And fill us with your glory.

We give thanks for your radiance of love that is reflected within our own faith community and the countless graces that illuminate our lives. Shine your light on all your creation,
And fill us with your glory.

The Celebrant closes the prayers with the following collect.

God of radiant light, your love illumines our hopes before we know them, and our needs before we ask. Kindle your flame within us, that in our prayers and service, we may know your transforming presence at work in the world around us. All this we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

The Confession And Absolution

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

The people kneel, as able.

Minister and People

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Celebrants stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

The Peace

All stand.

The peace of Christ be always with you.

And also with you.

The Ministers and the People may greet one another in peace.

Greeting And Announcements

The people are seated.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

Anthem at the Offertory (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

at 9:00 a.m.

Alleluia from *Exsultate, Jubilate*

Sung by St. Mary's Youth Choir

Alleluia.

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

at 11:00 a.m.

Beautiful Savior Trad. Silesian, arr. F. Melius Christiansen (1801-1955)
Sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir

Fair are the meadows, Fair are the woodlands,
Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer;
He makes our sorr'wing spirit sing.
Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations,
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, Praise, adoration,
Now and forevermore be Thine!

-Gesangbuch, Münster, 1677, tr. Joseph Augustus Seiss

Hymn At The Presentation (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

Hymnal, #336

Come With Us, O Bless'd Jesus
The people stand.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,
Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine
in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your son Jesus Christ
our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all
the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your
Name.

Sanctus & Benedictus

at 8:00 a.m.: the following is said

at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.: the following is sung

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The People stand or kneel.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh. For in these last days you sent Jesus to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In Christ, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Christ, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is

shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

*We remember Christ's death,
We proclaim Christ's resurrection,
We await Christ's coming in glory;*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Savior of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, through whom we are acceptable to you, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary the Christ-Bearer and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your children; through Jesus Christ our Savior, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. AMEN.

The Lord's Prayer

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking Of The Bread

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Music: Richard Proulx

Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Communion

All who desire to know God better are invited to receive the consecrated Bread and Wine. Gluten free wafers are available upon request. You may drink from a common chalice, or you may intinct the Bread into the Wine. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please simply cross your arms over your chest.

The people are seated.

Communion Chant (9:00 a.m.)

1. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu -

ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

The image shows a musical score for a Communion Chant. It consists of two systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. The key signature is one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 3/4. The lyrics are: "1. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!"

Music: Alleluia 7, Taizé

Communion Music (11:00 a.m.)

O Nata Lux

Thomas Tallis (1505-1585)

Sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir

O Light born of Light,
Jesus, redeemer of the world,
with loving-kindness deign to receive
suppliant praise and prayer.
Thou who once deigned to be clothed in flesh
for the sake of the lost,
grant us to be members
of thy blessed body.

-Office Hymn for the Feast of the Transfiguration

Post Communion Prayer

Let us pray.

People and Celebrant together, standing.

God of abundance,
You have fed us
with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
you have united us
with Christ and one another;

and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth
in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Sending Of The Eucharistic Visitor (When Needed)

In the name of this parish family, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts. Together
we share in the body and blood of Christ.

Though we are many, we are one body because we share one heavenly feast.

Blessing

Closing Hymn (9:00 & 11:00 a.m.)

Hymnal, #129

Christ Upon the Mountain Peak

at 9:00 a.m. verses 1-2 before the Homily; verses 3-4 after.

Dismissal

Go forth in the light and peace of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Premier Couplet du Gloria: Plein Jeu

Couperin

Announcements at St. Mary the Virgin

Welcome Visitors And Guests

February 11, 2024

Thank you for wrapping your prayer with ours today. We welcome all that seek the Holy. St. Mary's prays, celebrates, and serves our community and our neighbors as we strive to live as the body of Christ in the world. Check out the announcements at the back of the service bulletin for more ways to connect with us or email office@smvsf.org and we will stay in touch with you. We look forward to traveling this journey of faith with you.

Sunday School Update

In lieu of Sunday School classes this week, we'll all gather in the Great Room for the Shrove Sunday Pancake Breakfast, a fitting way to launch the Lenten season. Keep an eye out for some trivia on each table!

Due to the three-day weekend, we won't have classes next week, February 18 either. We'll regather for classes on February 25, learning about Lent and hearing new Bible stories.

"Shrove Sunday" Pancake Breakfast Today, Sunday, February 11

Get ready to indulge in a stack of deliciousness at our upcoming Pancake Breakfast! Join us today, February 11th at 10 a.m. as we gather together in the Great Hall for a morning filled with fluffy pancakes, sizzling sausage, and warm fellowship before Ash Wednesday. Traditionally eaten before Lent begins to use up butter and sugar, bring your appetite and join us for a stack-tacular Mardi Gras-themed morning of food, fun, and fellowship. If you have questions or are interested in helping out, please contact Rev'd Kira (kira@smvsf.org).

St. Mary's Young Professionals

Happy Hour

Tuesday, February 13th

Join fellow young professionals from St. Mary's for a Mardi Gras Happy Hour at Harry's Bar (2200 Fillmore St) from 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 13th. For additional information, contact Heather Coyne at 415-302-7576 and RSVP by sending her a text so we know to expect you!

Service Schedule for Ash Wednesday

Wednesday, February 14

Lent, a season of reflection, repentance and renewal, begins on Ash Wednesday, February 14. St. Mary's will offer three services that day to mark the beginning of this Holy Season.

- 7:00 a.m.- Spoken Ash Wednesday Eucharist with imposition of ashes held in the side chapel
- 12 Noon - Ash Wednesday Choral Eucharist with the St. Mary's Parish Choir and imposition of ashes
- 5:30 p.m.- Ash Wednesday Eucharist with hymns and imposition of ashes

Ash Wednesday's poignant reminder that "we are dust" turns our attention to the creative power of God, and God's ability to

heal the brokenness in our lives and turn anew to God's ever present mercy and abiding love.

Thank You St. Mary's Pledgers and Regular Givers!

There is so much abundance at St. Mary's, including the many people who generously give to make all our ministries possible. To everyone who gives, the vestry, clergy, and staff say THANK YOU!!!

The list of our 2024 pledgers and regular givers can be found on our website. If your name is incorrect, missing, or you are not correctly identified as a 2024 pledger, please let us know. We will happily correct any issue.

Thank you!

St. Mary's 2024 Senior & Junior Wardens

We are delighted to announce that this year's senior and Junior Warden are Russell Fudge and Linda Woodworth. The wardens lead the vestry, along with the rector, and serve as the primary leadership of the church when the rector is away on sabbatical. As this is Rev. David's sabbatical year, St. Mary's will be in good hands with them and the entire vestry leadership.

To view full bio's, please visit our website at smvsf.org/vestry.

Have a Heart for Gubbio

For the second year, the Sunday school's annual Lenten Outreach Project will benefit the Gubbio Project in the Mission District, and with Ash Wednesday and Valentine's Day both occurring on February 14th, we invite you to pick a Valentine, signed and decorated by a Sunday school student, from the Have a Heart for Gubbio Garland in the Great Room beginning this Sunday, February 11th, and going through Lent.

Just this past Advent, St. Mary's provided dozens of warm jackets and stacks of cozy blankets for the unhoused men, women, and children who find respite and support at Gubbio. With spring coming, their pressing need is for basic supplies like socks, hygiene, supplies, underwear, soup and peanut butter. Each Valentine includes a request for an item or two from the list above. Throughout the weeks of Lent, we'll have a heart-festooned collection basket in the narthex where you can drop off items.

Thank you in advance for "having a heart for Gubbio" and the unhoused population of our city!

**Special Guest Preacher and Adult Forum
Speaker Shawn Small
Sunday, February 25**

St. Mary's is thrilled to welcome Shawn Small on Sunday, February 25th. Shawn will be preaching at the 8 a.m., 9 a.m., and 11 a.m. services and leading a forum in the Great Room at 10:15 a.m.

After working as a youth minister for 10 years, in 2000, Shawn became the founder and Executive Director of Wonder Voyage, a unique non-profit organization dedicated to leading pilgrimages across the globe. To date, thousands of these Wonder Voyage pilgrims have experienced a life of exploration, adventure, and sacred travel. In 2019, the youth of St. Mary's went on a Wonder Voyage mission trip to New Orleans.

Shawn is also an author and a film-maker. St. Mary's will be familiar with his second book, *The Via Advent*, which won the silver medal in the 2011 Independent Publishers Book Awards. His first book, *The Via Crucis*, was a bronze medal winner in 2009, and his most recent book is called *Into the Wonder*. Shawn has written, directed, and produced two award-winning documentary films, *Ru: Water is Life* and *Acres of Diamonds*. We are so excited to welcome Shawn to St. Mary's!

**Monday Night Lenten Series:
Telling Stories
Starts Monday, February 26**

Humans are story-telling creatures. Stories are how we make sense of our lives and our world. While the Bible is a collection of stories of how God has moved in the world in the past, we also believe that God is active in our lives and in the world. This Lent, join us in the Great Hall on Mondays from February 26th through March 18th from 6:30-8 p.m. to experience spiritual stories from St. Mary's parishioners and clergy and hear what difference a relationship with God has made in their lives. A light supper of soup and bread will be served. For any questions or interest in helping set-up/clean-up or make soup, please contact Rev'd Kira (kira@smvsf.org).

**Newcomer's Reception
Sunday, March 3**

Are you new (or just consider yourself new) to the St. Mary's community? We'd love to get to know you better! Join us at Bill & Josie McGann's house (55 20th Ave.) for a light reception, fellowship, and an opportunity to learn more about being a part of the life of love and grace at St. Mary's on Sunday from 2-4 p.m. For RSVPs and questions, contact Rev. Kira at kira@smvsf.org

Bach's St. John Passion

Sunday, March 10

St. Mary's Parish Choir & Chamber Orchestra, along with the Schola Cantorum of St. Dominic's Catholic Church, come together to perform Bach's monumental *Passion According to St. John*. This work invites the listener into the narrative of Christ's arrest, trial, and crucifixion. While this work has found a comfortable home in the concert hall as one of the great oratorios in our repertoire, we will be performing it in the spirit of its original context: in the vernacular, and with congregational singing. Please join us on Sunday, 10 March at 5:00 p.m.

Lenten Resources Available Now

Lent, the 40-day period of preparation for Easter, begins this year on February 14th. Lent is a season of penitence and fasting, and it is appropriate to observe this season by prayer, self-denial, and reading and meditating on Scripture. To these ends, we welcome you to pick up a copy of *Living Well Through Lent 2024: Practicing Forgiveness with All Your Heart, Soul, Strength, and Mind and a Journey Through Lent* calendar on the table in the narthex.

The devotional book is also available as a daily e-mail or in a digital format. More information can be found at <https://www.livingcompass.org/lent>

Save the Date for the Annual

Parish Retreat

May 17-19, 2024

It is not too early to save the date for St. Mary's annual parish scheduled for May 17 through the 19th, 2024 at the Bishop's Ranch in Healdsburg, CA! This much loved tradition is a time for parishioners of all ages, from all services, to come together and enjoy fun and fellowship. We can engage in hiking, eating, swimming in the saltwater pool, worshipping in the Ranch's lovely historic chapel, dropping into quiet contemplation, exploring the town of Healdsburg, doing crafts, playing games, s'mores by the campfire, and yes, some fellowship and community! More details to come soon!

Youth Group Update!

Join us for a Very Special Super Bowl Extravaganza to root on our 49ers from 3 to 7pm in the Great Room. Lots of fun for everyone, even if football's not your thing.

Ongoing Weekly Offerings

***Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel**

Please join us Tuesdays at 10 a.m. in the Chapel for a time to time to breathe, center yourself, and feel God's presence while silently being one in community. For those unfamiliar with Centering Prayer, our time will include a Breathing Meditation, 15-20 minutes of silent prayer, followed by an opportunity for prayer requests and thanksgivings, and close with the Lord's Prayer. Those who wish may remain for a time of sharing. Please feel free to contact Debbie Veatch at veatchdl@gmail.com or 415-244-3515 with any questions.

***Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. in the Library**

Join Rev'd Kira in the library on Wednesdays at 11 a.m. as we look at the scriptures that we'll hear in church the following Sunday. Gain a new appreciation for the Bible and get more out of Sunday's sermons as we learn together. BYOBible, though we will have extras! Contact Rev'd Kira (kira@smvsf.org) with any questions.

***Sundays at 5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary**

There will be no 5 p.m. service today, Sunday, February 11 due to the Super Bowl.

Scam Alert:

Emails Impersonating Rev. David

Recently, people affiliated with St. Mary's have received emails from various email addresses impersonating The Rev. David Erickson. Please note, the only email address David would use to contact you is david@smvsf.org. Rev. David will never ask you for money, gift cards, or favors, and we ask that you kindly ignore and delete any email that comes through asking for such. If you ever feel suspicious about an email or wonder if it's truly from Rev. David you can always reach out to the parish administrator, Ashley Ryan at ashley@smvsf.org.

We Pray For...

PARISHIONERS, RELATIVES and FRIENDS

David
Roulhac Austin
Joe Fare
Veronica Anderson
Martin G.
Ilia Smith
Mike McCarthy
Trenton
Keannette Shannon
Vicki Haggin
The Echeverria Family
Anne Williams
Bruce McClatchey
Johan
Natasha Riveron

IN DISCERNMENT

Michael Stafford

RECENTLY DECEASED

Lila Echeverria
Mike Mason
Louise Harris
Corey Baron
Cissy Lewis

CONTINUING PRAYERS

Please remember these individuals who have ongoing concerns in your personal prayers this week.

Deborah
Gordon Bellis
June
Kevin Teeney
The Community at the Heritage & St.
Francis
Jane
Quinn Charles Fay
Erich
Simon
Phyllis Shepherd
Fred Martin
Shirlee Martin
Francis Kalani
Will Driscoll
The Crossley Family
Kevin Fisher Paulson
David Schade
Jeanne Lacy
Gloria & Everett Powell
Kim Stadtfeld Russell
Bill
Dani May
Sarah Ellwein
Yuming Kuo
Valerie Schneider

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