

# Old Saint Mary's Cathedral

THE OLD CATHEDRAL OF SAINT MARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (1854)  
HOLY FAMILY CHINESE MISSION AND ST. MARY'S CHINESE SCHOOLS AND CENTER (1903)  
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## *We Seek...*

To Live the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
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To Break the Bread and Share the Cup

## *We Celebrate...*

Diversity  
A Spirit of Hospitality  
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Enlightening Those who Seek God  
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Caring for the Needs of the Less Fortunate  
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## *We Treasure our Past*

## *We Hope in the Future*

***O***ld Saint Mary's, built in 1854 as California's first cathedral, is facing its greatest challenge in its 156 year history. A survivor of The 1906 Earthquake and Fire, this major historical landmark must now either raise the funds to seismically reinforce its structure as required by local ordinance. Your prayerful and financial support today will help save this beautiful landmark, preserve its rich history, and continue the welcoming presence of Old Saint Mary's Cathedral in the 21st Century.

Visit us at <http://www.OldSaintMarys.org>  
[www.stmaryschinese.org](http://www.stmaryschinese.org)

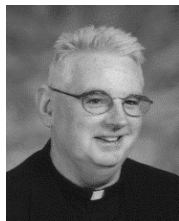


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# WELCOME TO OLD SAINT MARY'S CATHEDRAL

## *From the Pastor's Desk*



### **Dear Parishioners & Visitors:**

Traditionally in the Catholic Church the month of November is dedicated to remember our deceased parents, relatives and friends. In the middle of the Church you will find a Book of Remembrance where you may write the names of your loved ones who will be remembered here at Old St. Mary's and Holy Family Chinese Mission at all of our Masses during the month of November.

In the Chinese community there is a beautiful prayer that is prayed during our annual Chinese New Year liturgy which reminds us of our duty to pay respect and honor to our parents and ancestors.

### **Prayer of a Dutiful Son or Daughter**

My soul is from God, my body from my parents.  
Creator and Nourisher of life, all praise to you!  
Life: gift as high as the mountains, wide as the sea.  
In gratitude, may I always be mindful  
of the debt to my parents,  
both in life and death and grateful;  
for all the merits passed down from my ancestors.

On Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup> St. Mary's School and Chinese Catholic Center and Old St. Mary's will have our Annual Memorial Mass for Deceased Paulists, family, alumni, parishioners and benefactors at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

Please come and join in remembering our beloved dead and to pray for them. Following the Mass there will a luncheon served in the auditorium. All parishioners are invited.

"May eternal light shine on them,  
O Lord, with all your saints for ever,  
for you are rich in mercy.  
Give them eternal rest, O Lord,  
and may perpetual light shine on them for ever,  
for you are rich in mercy"  
(Communion Antiphon - 2<sup>nd</sup> Mass on All Souls Day)

*Have a great week,  
Fr. Daniel*

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### **Bilingual Parish Unity Masses for 2011-12**

**Catechetical Sunday and Commissioning of Liturgical Ministers**

**Annual Memorial Mass for Deceased Parishioners, Alumni and Benefactors  
Sunday, November 6, 2011**

Parish Unity Mass with Old St. Mary's at 11:00 a.m. followed by a joint parish Chinese luncheon provided by St. Mary's School and Chinese Catholic Center.

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**Christmas Day ~ Sunday, December 25, 2011**

Parish Unity Mass with Old St. Mary's at 11:00 a.m. followed by a reception in the auditorium provided by Holy Family Association and Old St. Mary's.

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**First Day of Chinese New Year  
Monday, January 23, 2012  
Year of the Dragon**

**Chinese New Year's Mass  
and Ceremonial Tribute to the Ancestors  
Sunday, January 29, 2012**

Parish Unity Mass with Old St. Mary's at 11:00 a.m. followed by a joint parish Chinese luncheon provided by Holy Family Association. St. Mary's School choir will participate.

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**Pentecost Sunday ~ May 27, 2012**

Parish Unity Mass with Old St. Mary's at 11:00 a.m. followed by a joint parish Chinese luncheon provided by Old St. Mary's. St. Mary's School choir will participate.

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**Fr. Peter G. Shea, CSP  
50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood**

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**Annual Parish Picnic ~ August 26, 2012**

Parish Unity Mass with Old St. Mary's at 11:00 a.m. followed by our annual cookout provided by OSM.

# Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 30, 2011

**St. Vincent de Paul Collection!** This is the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month. There will be members of our St. Vincent de Paul Conference at the back of the Church taking up a collection. Please be as generous as you can in helping the poor.

## You are invited to an Informational Evening on the Permanent Diaconate

The Archdiocesan Office of Formation for the Permanent Diaconate is sponsoring an informational Evening for men considering the possibility of service the Church as Permanent Deacons. If you have ever considered a vocation to the Permanent Diaconate, you (and your wife, if you are married) are invited to attend the meeting on Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral (Room B, located in the lower level). For further information or if you have any questions, please call the Formation Office at 415.614.5531.

**Parish Mission Statement** Holy Family and St. Mary School and Chinese Catholic Center serve the Chinese community through its Catholic elementary school, language school and parish community. We are a ministry of the Paulist Fathers who serve their God through the ministries of evangelization, reconciliation and ecumenism. Holy Family is the national Chinese Catholic parish of the Archdiocese of San Francisco. Our primary Mission is evangelization. We evangelize through our lived experience of faith and the Word of God and through our outreach to the Chinese community. We are committed to building a welcoming community for Catholics & for our non-Catholic sisters & brothers.

## OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, November 5, 2011

11:00 to 1:00 p.m.

St. Mary's School &  
Chinese Catholic Center

838 Kearny St.  
San Francisco, CA

## BANNS OF MARRIAGE Marriage of Chandni Jain & Anre Mario Roshan Paiva

### Lift Up Your Hearts Part 4 Ritual Study "C"

#### The Fraction Rite

The Fraction Rite forms a bridge between the Rite of Peace and Holy Communion: the same community of persons, who just expressed their unity and forgiveness at the Rite of Peace, will soon share in the one bread that is now broken for them all.

The Gospels tell us that Jesus performed the customary rites of the Passover meal at which he pronounced a blessing over the bread and then broke the bread before he shared it with his disciples. The Eucharist was at one time referred to as "the breaking of the bread."

The act of breaking the bread before sharing it signifies the unity of the faithful who form the one body of Christ (1 Corinthians 10:17). This rite became more elaborate as the number of faithful grew.

The practice of individual hosts for the assembly consecrated along with a larger host used by the priest developed as a practical solution for large assemblies and the rite of breaking and sharing from one loaf diminished. Nowadays, at least one piece of the large host is to be shared with a member of the assembly to maintain the bond of unity of the entire body of Christ at Mass.

Larger Hosts that can be broken and shared between the priest and those attending the same Mass is a better representation of this unity. Following the breaking of the bread, the priest drops a particle of the host into the chalice, "commingling" the body and blood of the Lord.

There is a long-standing historical tradition behind this act and has been seen to this day as symbolic of the resurrection: the body and blood of the Lord being reunited and also another symbol of the unity of believers of Jesus.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ends  
November 6<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget to  
set your clocks back one hour.

Turn Clocks  
Back



## NOONTIME CONCERTS

EVERY TUESDAY at 12:35 p.m. at  
Old Saint Mary's!! For a complete  
schedule of concerts please visit the

Noontime Concerts website at:  
[www.noontimeconcerts.org](http://www.noontimeconcerts.org)

(Suggested Donation : \$5.00 )

## ACCEPTING NEW STUDENTS FOR 2011-12 NOW

Parents who seek excellence  
in education,  
Choose St. Mary's School.  
(838 Kearny, 415-929-4690)

St. Mary's is an accredited Catholic elementary school by the Archdiocese of San Francisco, Western Catholic Education Association, and Western Association of Schools and Colleges. St. Mary's offers a strong academic program, value based education, computer learning, Mandarin classes, after school study program, athletics and other activities. **WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR AND FOR 2011-12.** St. Mary's does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, loan programs, scholarships, athletic and other school administered programs. **Tuition assistance is available.** Pass along the news.

## COLLECTIONS

October 23, 2011 (\$ 2,096.74 )

"The greatest among you will be the one who serves the rest," Jesus says in today's Gospel. What wonderful good news for those who give of their time in service to others!

**God Bless You for your Generosity!**

## Let us pray for our Sick Parishioners, Loved Ones, and Friends:

Denise Devry, Andrew Downs, Catherine England, Celia Epino, Betty Fiorelli, Dolly Flores, Cynthia Fong, Andrew Gee, Andrea Garcia, David Hernandez, the Hernandez Family, Edward Y. Hom, Walter Josi, Gavin Lum, Joseph, David and Catherine Steinbach, Bryan Kelly, Paul Ledyard, Terri A. Low, Phyllis McHale, Dora Mira, David and Ella Richardson, John Uy, Francis Wong, Alice Garcia

**BIBLE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14;  
Tuesday Rv 7:2-4,9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12a;  
Wed. Wis 3:1-9;Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40; ;  
Thurs. Romans 14:7-12; Luke 15:1-10;  
Friday Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8;  
Sat. Romans 16:3-9,16, 22-27; Luke 16:9-15 ;

**THIS WEEK'S READING**

Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8—10; 1 Thes 2:7b—9, 13; Matthew 23: 1—12  
(Psalm 131 )

**NEXT WEEK'S READING**

Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13—18; Matthew 25:1—13

**Mass Intentions  
For The Week** 

**SATURDAY, October 29**

12:05PM † Daniel Brito  
5:00PM † Nicanora Romawak Agdinaoay

**SUNDAY, October 30**

8:30AM † Mariano Chua Yu King (OSM)  
11:00AM **FOR THE PEOPLE** (OSM)  
9:30AM Thank you God for Mr. Tat Ming Woo (HF)  
11:00AM Thanksgiving—Rosa Lee (HF)

**MONDAY, October 31**

7:30AM † Gregorio & Felicidad Limjoco  
12:05PM † Kyle Nathan Arnold

**TUESDAY, November 01 (ALL SAINTS DAY)**

7:30AM † Josefina Chua Chiaco  
12:05PM † Roberto C. Barretto

**WEDNESDAY, November 02 (ALL SOULS)**

7:30AM † Anthony & Assunta Pesiri/Joseph Capobianco  
12:05PM † Hermenegildo & Lelita Brillantes

**THURSDAY, November 03 (St. Martin de Porres)**

7:30AM † Dr. Janos Marozsan  
12:05PM † Lamberto Bautista, Sr.

**FRIDAY, November 04 (ST.CHARLES BORROMEO)**

7:30AM † **MEMBERS OF MEMORIAL SOCIETY**  
12:05PM For the Intention of James Wilson

**SATURDAY, November 05**

12:05PM † For All the Souls  
5:00PM † In Memory of Lorenzo & Silvina Lucas

Daily Masses Monday through Friday at Old St. Mary's:  
7:30 a.m. & 12:05 p.m, Saturdays-12:05 & 5:00 p.m.

**EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES(MASSES)**

Monday through Friday 7:30AM 12:05PM  
Saturday 12:05PM  
Weekend Saturday Vigil 5:00PM  
Sunday 8:30 A.M., 9:30 A.M. (Auditorium) & 11:00 A.M.  
11:00 A.M. (Auditorium) in Cantonese

**RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)**

Monday through Saturday after 12:05PM Mass  
(No CONFESSION on TUESDAYS)  
Saturday 4-4:30PM or by appointment anytime

**PLEASE CALL FOR INFORMATION THE FOLLOWING:**

Infant Baptism 288-3800  
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) 288-3800  
Rite of Christian Marriage 288-3800  
Sick & Homebound Visitation 288-3800  
Living Landmark Campaign Office 288-3800  
Landings 288-3800  
Saturday for Engaged Couples 288-3866

**PARISH STAFF TEL (415)288-3800/ FAX (415)288-3838**

Daniel E. McCotter, CSP, *Pastor* 288-3804  
Peter G. Shea, CSP, *Parochial Vicar* 288-3807  
Bartholomew Landry, CSP, *Parochial Vicar* 288-3817  
Simon Tsui, *Deacon* 288-3800  
Timothy Keller, *Paulist Center Manager* 288-3845  
Julie A. Todd, *Administrative Assistant* 288-3809  
Pia T. Lim, *Receptionist* 288-3800  
Satoko Fujiwara, *Music Director* 288-3828

**ST. MARY's DAY SCHOOL**



Mrs. Nancy Fiebelkorn, Principal 929-4690


**ST. MARY's LANGUAGE SCHOOL**

Mr. Bill Chang, Principal 929-4694

**PAULIST IN RESIDENCE**

Richard Chilson, CSP      Thomas Foley, CSP  
Thomas J. Dove, CSP      Ricky Manalo, CSP  
George Fitzgerald, CSP      Terry Ryan, CSP

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Saturday...9:00am ~ 6:30pm  
Sunday...9:00am ~ 4:00pm

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**PARISH REGISTRATION (Drop in collection basket)**

If you call Old Saint Mary's your parish home, we invite you to become a registered parishioner. Should you have questions about registration, please call 415-288-3809.  
Welcome to our community! We thank God for your presence.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

- New parishioner       Change of Address
- I am a visitor and want mailings
- I've been away from the Church. Please call me.