

Old Saint Mary's Cathedral & Chinese Mission

THE OLD CATHEDRAL OF SAINT MARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (1854)

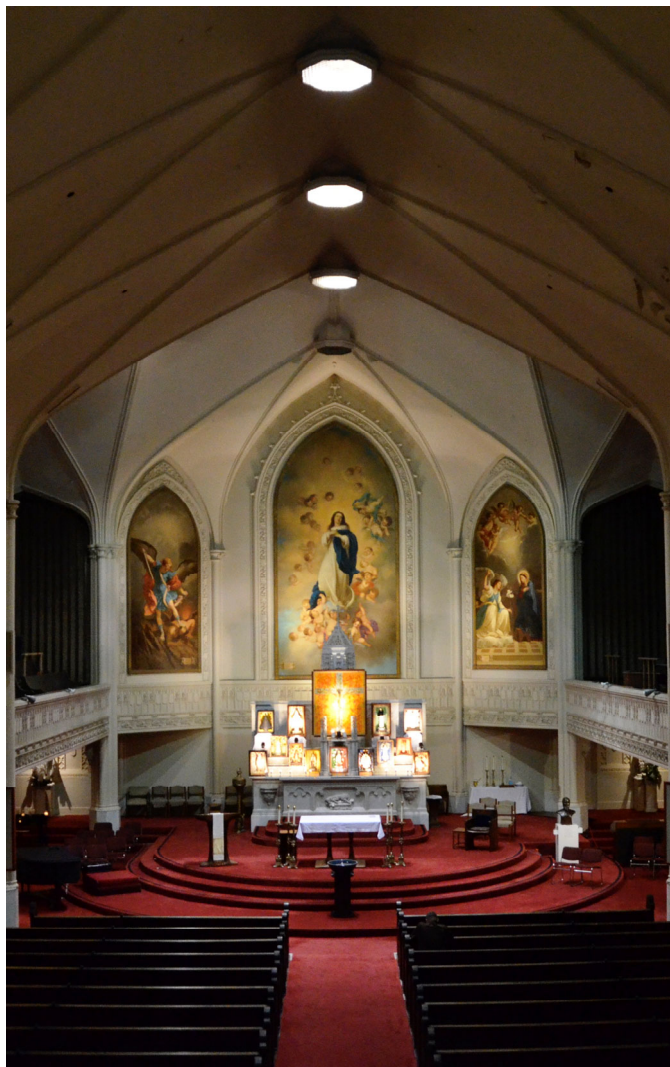
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Old Saint Mary's Cathedral & Chinese Mission is a culturally diverse Catholic community which seeks to evangelize in the light of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



A MINISTRY OF THE PAULIST FATHERS



OLD SAINT MARY'S, built in 1854 as California's first Cathedral, was the first Cathedral

to be named in honor of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception. The Paulist Fathers were given Pastoral responsibilities of Old St. Mary's in 1894 and have faithfully ministered to the people of Chinatown, Nob Hill and the Financial District ever since. A Survivor of the 1906 earthquake and fire, this major historical landmark has been retrofitted to meet new seismic codes; however, we must now comply with the American Disability Act and refurbish the interior of this beautiful old cathedral. Your prayer 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 and Chinese Mission.



LITURGY SCHEDULE

Tuesday - Friday : 12:05PM

Saturday : 5:00PM Vigil Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation - (by appointment only)

Sunday : 9:00AM

11:00AM - Bilingual Mass*

(*Cantonese & English)

Livestreamed on YouTube*

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. John Ardis, CSP
Deacon Simon Tsui

Senior Priests In Residence:

Fr. Joe Scott, CSP | Fr. Richard Chilson, CSP
Fr. Tom Tavella, CSP | Fr. Michael Evernden, CSP
Fr. Steve Bossi, CSP

Parish Receptionist: Pia Lim

Admin. & Adult Faith Formation: Rachael Smit

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

For more information on the sacraments call the parish office at 415-288-3800.



ALL ARE WELCOME



HOW CAN I CELEBRATE LENT THIS YEAR? PRACTICAL TIPS

Prayer

1. Pray for all who are suffering from the effects of violence and prejudice.
2. Pray for caregivers, family members or medical personnel.
3. Pray for those in your family or in our parish who are in need of healing of body, mind or spirit.
4. Check the Old St. Mary's Cathedral Facebook page for opportunities for prayer.
5. Spend some time each day in silence. Sit quietly and be aware of God's presence in your life.
6. You can find the Sunday and daily readings for Mass online. Take time to read the Sunday gospel earlier in the week.
7. Check out www.bustedhalo.com for their "Fast-Pray-Give" digital calendar.

Fasting: Fasting can take many forms, but its purpose is to focus our attention on God and the needs and suffering of others.

1. What are my addictions and dependencies: Smoking? Alcohol? Coffee? Overeating? What can I do to rely less on these and more on God.
2. Watch less television. Turn off your computer and smart phone. Be aware of what you feel and do with the silence.
3. Try giving up ONE of these for Lent: envy, impatience, gossip, bitterness. If you find giving up ONE of these easy, add another.
4. Above all, try giving up worry for Lent. Remember—God is in control.

Almsgiving:

1. Pledge some money weekly for a worthy cause. Every bit helps, even if it is five or ten dollars.
2. Dig through your closet and donate old clothing to the Good Will store.
3. Volunteer to help with "Groceries for Seniors."
4. As an act of charity and compassion toward others, always wear your mask when you leave your home.
5. Try a smile when you pass by a stranger. If you are wearing a mask, try a friendly wave!

SEVENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
February 19, 2023



ASH WEDNESDAY
February 22, 2023

*“Remember, you are dust
and to dust you will return”*

Masses at 7:30AM, 11:00AM, 12:05PM
(Ashes distributed after all Masses)

Word Service with distribution of ashes: 3PM

BIBLE STUDY with FR. TOM TAVELLA
Thursday, February 23rd, 5:00PM

READINGS : Sunday, February 26, 2023
GN 2: 7-9 | ROM 5: 12-19 | MT 4: 1-11

Join ZOOM Meeting :

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Passcode: 016304

FRIDAYS of LENT at 6:15PM (PST)

Fr. Tom is inviting you to Stations of
the Cross for Lent.

(February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31)

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**Mass Intentions
For The Week**



FEBRUARY 18 - 25, 2023

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

5:00PM INTENTIONS - Marilyn Aquino
BIRTHDAY - Rodel Cruz

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

9:00AM +Carina Lacuesta
IN LOVING MEMORY - +Peter Chan
THANKSGIVING - Melvin Chan

11:00AM FOR the PEOPLE
PRAYER for WORLD PEACE
+Vincent & Mary Jean Ho

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

12:05PM BIRTHDAY - Francine Silva
+Richard Reiser

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

12:05PM INTENTION - Marilyn Aquino
THANKSGIVING - Juliana Low

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

12:05PM +Oliver San Andres
THANKSGIVING - Mabel Chan

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

12:05PM BIRTHDAY - Araceli de Leon
THANKSGIVING - Jamie Ong

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

5:00PM DEATH ANNIVERSARY - Nicolas Chavez
THANKSGIVING - Marcus Chan

FR. TERRY RYAN TEACHING

Wednesdays, March 1, 15, 22, April 5, 2023
2:00 PM Mountain Time
(remember Daylight Savings Time, March 12)

stbenedictsretreathouse.com

OR, Zoom 367 360 7803

Password : Lent

The contemplative and others who are trying to let go of things can find Lent to be a good time for LESS. Some people fast, or go to special worship services, or do special good works to help others. This is all good, but it can also add to what may already be a too busy life. Then you might be glad when Lent is over. How about trying for less noise, chaos, constant efforts to accomplish things that are not as necessary as you might otherwise think. God creates time. We use it. Lent can be a time of more stillness, silence and solitude. It is only for 40 days. Try it on and see how it fits.

Prayers for our Sick Parishioners, Loved Ones, & Friends :

Fr. Thomas Foley, CSP, Mary Nham, Catalina & Regina Bautista, John Garcia, Johnson & Nina Leu, Teresa Daniels, Stella Bielat, Oscar Mendoza, Christian Bocobo, Frankie Chios