Holy Name of Jesus Parish

Serving the Outer Sunset
in San Francisco, California
since 1925

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Name of Jesus Parish in 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.

You are the light of the world.
A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.

~ Matthew 5:14
**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Light shines through the darkness for the upright.— *Psalm 112:4*

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**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — If you share your food with the hungry, provide housing for the homeless, then light shall break forth upon you (Isaiah 58:7-10).

**Psalm** — The just man is a light in the darkness to the upright (Psalm 112).

**Second Reading** — My message to you, says Paul, was not clever words of wisdom but the proclamation of Christ crucified (1 Corinthians 2:1-5).

**Gospel** — You are the salt of the earth, the light of the world. In your good deeds your light shines before others, leading them to glorify God (Matthew 5:13-16).

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:**
- Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56

**Tuesday:**
- Gn 1:20 — 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13

**Wednesday:**
- Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23

**Thursday:**
- Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30

**Friday:**
- Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37

**Saturday:**
- Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10

**Sunday:**
- Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Day for Consecrated Life; Boy Scouting Sunday

**Monday:** St. Paul Miki and Companions

**Wednesday:** St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita

**Friday:** St. Scholastica; *Tu B’Shvat* (the Jewish new year of trees) begins at sunset

**Saturday:** Our Lady of Lourdes; Blessed Virgin Mary; World Day of the Sick

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**COFFEE & DONUTS SCHEDULE**

- **Feb 5** Lay Canossians
- **Feb 12** Holy Name School
- **Feb 19** Lectors
- **Feb 26** Holy Name School

- **Mar 5** Holy Name School
- **Mar 12** Lay Canossians
- **Mar 19** Chinese Ministry
- **Mar 26** Holy Name School

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**TAX LETTER REQUEST**

If you need a letter stating your church donations for 2016, kindly request for one by either calling the Parish office at (415)664-8590 or via email to hnparishsecretary@gmail.com and your letter will be mailed to you.

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**SAVE THE DATE !!! Saturday, March 4th !!**

Holy Name Parish

**68th Annual St. Patrick’s Dinner**

Dinner Irish Pipers Band Entertainment Raffle Live Music!

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**ACE COLLECTION**

Today’s Second Collection is the **ACE COLLECTION** for the benefit of our Parish School. Your generosity is appreciated.

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**NEXT SUNDAY’S SECOND COLLECTION**

**MUSIC MINISTRY FUND COLLECTION**

Our Parish Music Ministry is dedicated to fulfilling our mission to lead the congregation in joyful worship through music. Funds collected will be used towards the purchase of various music materials, aids and other expenses. Your generosity is very much appreciated in this second collection.
Did we not just celebrate Christmas? Did we not just celebrate New Year’s Day? Now, it’s February! How does this happen so fast? Yes, time flies so quickly. And yet we are still at the beginning of a New Year, with its promise of something new.

This weekend is the New Year’s Day celebration for our Catholic Chinese Ministry in the Archdiocese. There is a concelebrated mass this Saturday at 2:30PM at the Cathedral of St. Mary’s, presided by our very own Bishop Ignatius Wang. A dinner reception follows at the Cathedral Patron’s Hall.

In the parish, you will also notice something new. Some of you might already have received a friendly call from a fellow parishioner. I have always wanted a personal connection with our parishioners by reaching out to you. Since I cannot do it all on my own, I have asked some of our parish leaders to make the calls, to let you know that we are here to serve you and that we care for you. Through this call we can identify the needs of our parishioners and better serve you, inform you of our upcoming events, or simply say hello to you and your family. It also helps us update our database. The results have been quite positive and I am so grateful to our parish leaders for making those calls for me.

You might notice that the front yard of our rectory has been cleared out. It will have a new look soon. Again, I am so grateful to a kindhearted and generous parishioner who is sponsoring the beautification of our garden. After this project, it will be the One Body Statue area that needs some improvement. It will also look new.

Our Blessed Virgin Mary Shrine group already has a design for the St. Francis Garden just behind the grotto of our Blessed Mother. This group will be moving forward with this project. It will look much better!

This month, we will also launch an official FACEBOOK account for our parish. And finally, I am looking forward with greater hope that we can launch our new website this month. This is a great start with something new for this new year.

Reaching the end of a job interview, the Human Resources Officer asks the young engineer newly graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, “And what starting salary are you looking for?” The interviewer replies, “In the region of $125,000 a year, depending on the benefits package.” The engineer inquires, “Well, what would you say to a package of five weeks vacation, 14 paid holidays, full medical and dental, company matching retirement fund to 50% of salary, and a company car leased every two years, say, a red Corvette?” The engineer sits up straight and says, “Wow! Are you kidding?” The interviewer replies, “Yeah, but you started it.”

As for me, I am not kidding! I take my job seriously here at Holy Name.

Archbishop Cordileone to Celebrate World Day of the Sick Mass Saturday, February 11, 11:00 am St. Mary’s Cathedral, 1111 Gough Street, San Francisco Anointing of the Sick will take place. All are invited. The event is sponsored by the Order of Malta, which will arrange rides for people if they need them. OR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT: Kenneth Ryan, KM 415-613-0395 kenmryan@aol.com

FAZtor’s Notes By Fr. Arnold Zamora

FAITH FORMATION * CATECHESIS * Pastoral Outreach *
Director: Sr. Cristina Ovejera, FdCC Crisfdcc2016@yahoo.com (415) 664-8590

 Feast of St. Josephine Bakhita will be celebrated this Wednesday, Feb. 8th. After the 9:00AM Mass in the chapel, the Sisters and Lay Canossians will host a simple reception in the dining room of the Pastoral Center. We honor St. Bakhita as “Universal Sister”, as she was proclaimed by then Pope John Paul II. He stated: “In Blessed Josephine Bakhita, we have an eminent witness of God’s fatherly love and a luminous sign of the perennial relevance of the Beatitudes. In our time, in which the unbridles race for power, money and pleasure is the cause of so much distrust, violence and loneliness, Sister Bakhita has been given to us once more by the Lord as a Universal Sister, so that she may reveal to us the secret of true happiness: the Beatitudes.

First Holy Communion. At the 9:30AM Mass this Sunday, Feb. 5th, Logan Lehnert will receive our Lord in the Eucharist for the first time. We thank his Religious Education teacher, Ms. Rosvidia Uskert, who prepares our children for the sacrament. We thank Logan’s parents and family members for their prayers and support. Congratulations Logan!

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YOUTH CONFIRMATION GROUP

Reenu John Stephanie Salmon Jacqueline Tom

Will receive the sacrament of Confirmation (together with Holy Name School Confirmation Class) on Friday, February 10, 2017 at 5:00PM Mass. We thank their Religious Education teacher, Ms. Hilda Dela Cruz, their parents and sponsors, for their loving support and prayers.

May the gifts of the Holy Spirit be active in your Christian life. Congratulations!

Please pray for the Confirmation retreat and Confession this Sunday, at 9:30AM (Mass in church) to 1:30PM in the Pastoral Center. Thank you.

Volunteers for the Sick and Homebound Ministry will have an important meeting with Sr. Cristina this Tuesday, Feb. 7th at 11:00AM – 12:00 Noon in the meeting room of the Pastoral Center. Parishioners who are interested in this ministry are invited to attend.

Grief and Consolation Ministry Workshop with Sr. Toni Lynn Gallagher, RSM will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2017 at 10:00AM – 12:00 Noon in the Flanagan Center. Sr. Toni Lynn will talk and reflect on this topic: “Reality of Grief and how to move through this... What is helpful and what is not...” Bereavement Committee members and others who are interested to be at this meeting, please inform Sr. Cristina or Valerie Toy or call the parish office. Thank you.

Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life Please pray for religious sisters and brothers, priests who belong to religious orders, novices and postulants. May they remain faithful to their religious vocation. We thank God for these women and men who dedicate themselves fully to follow Jesus Christ in poverty, chastity, obedience, at the service of God’s people everywhere. Please pray for more vocations among our young people.

Reflection: “O God, we thank you for implanting the gift of Faith in human hearts. Today we ask you to bless in a special way all catechumens and candidates, who have generously responded to the invitation of Jesus: “Come, follow me”. Help them to persevere in their journey of faith despite any difficulties. Bless all those who minister through the RCIA process so that, under the guidance of your Holy Spirit, they may lead others to a life of faith in Jesus Christ.”
HOLY NAME SCHOOL PARENT NEWSLETTER
January 31, 2017

PRINCIPAL’S LETTER
Dear Holy Name Families, Happy Catholic Schools Week! Thank you to all of you who attended our mass and Open House this past weekend. Congratulations to all of our students for sharing their science knowledge with us at this year’s Science Fair.

Next week our 7th and 8th grade students will receive their Sacrament of Confirmation on February 10th at 5:30PM. We invite all of you to join us for this special sacrament! Enjoy your week!

Thanks, Natalie Cirigliano, Principal

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER ARNOLD
As we end this first month of the new year and welcome another month, let us remember to stay away from Anger... It hurts... Only You! If you are right then there is no need to get angry, And if you are wrong then you don’t have any right to get angry. Patience with family is love, Patience with others is respect. Patience with self is confidence and Patience with GOD is faith. Father Arnold

SCIENCE FAIR NEWS
Science Fair Winners and honorable mentions
6th grade First: Gabriel Borromeo for his unique and practical exploration of extracting coconut oil. Second: Jade Lim for her applicable examination of whether apples or bananas cause ripening more quickly, Third: Jenna Din, for her absolutely fabulous attempt to train a feline with proper documentation and variation Honorable mention: Nina Kwon, for her engaging presentation and experiment "Does sight affect taste?" 7th grade First: Sofia Blenkinsop for her notable adherence to the scientific method in exploring decay in apples for "Rotten to the Core" Second: Marisa Leung for her adept testing of water density and its affect on eggs for "Density: Float or Sink" Third: Nicole Catanzaro for her very clear success in "Cloning a cabbage" Honorable mention: Justin Lam for his demonstration of "Which paper will fly farther?" And Hannah Riskin, for her thought-provoking problem of "Memorizing a Sequence: Eyes or Ears?" 8th grade First: Ethan Kwong, for his notable adherence to the scientific method in displaying "Bernoulli's Principle" Second: Jonathan Wong for his culinarily applicable - yet rigorous - look at "A Yeast Uprising" Third: Dylan Fulton, for her clear application of chemistry in "Does Lactaid really work?" Honorable Mention: Crystal Wang, for a straightforward examination of "Which kind of liquid melts ice the fastest?" And Renee Avrutin for a beautiful demonstration of "Transpiration in Action" by dyeing flowers diversely.

Weekly Offering

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Special Collection: St. Vincent de Paul: $1,226.25

GIVING  When you give, see that you give that which multiplies in giving. —Raymond Lull
READ THE CATHOLIC BIBLE FOR ONE YEAR continued from column on the right...

Catholic Bible in One Year continued from column on the right... without dumbing-down the text. This second edition of the RSV doesn't put the biblical text through a filter to make it acceptable to current tastes and prejudices, and it retains the beauty of the RSV language that has made it such a joy to read and reflect on the Word of God.

COLUMBAN FATHERS
Annual Lunch and Raffle
Sunday, February 12, 2017
No Host Cocktails 12 PM, Lunch 1:00 PM
Baked Ham or Breast of Chicken with Lemon and Caper Sauce
$40 per person
United Irish Cultural Center 2700-45th Avenue, San Francisco
For Reservations Call Peggy Cooney 650-878-8260

HOLY NAME WEEKLY CALENDAR
Week of February 5, 2017

Sunday, Feb 5, 2017
10 AM Rel Ed Pastoral Center

Monday, Feb 6, 2017
10 AM Monday Exercise Group Flanagan Center
1 PM Sewing Group Pastoral Center
7:30 AM SVDP Meeting Pastoral Center

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9:30 AM Chinese/English Class Pastoral Center
10 AM Scripture Class Flanagan Center
3 PM HN School Dance Class Flanagan Center
7:30 PM Legion of Mary Pastoral Center

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READ THE CATHOLIC BIBLE FOR ONE YEAR
Readings for February 5-12, 2017


Readings are based on the Bible book arrangement as found in the Revised Standard Version, Catholic Edition, but can be used with any Catholic Bible with full canon of Scripture (this is different from the liturgical readings of the Mass as seen on page 2).

A link to a complete reading chart for a year is also available on our website: www.holynamesf.org

If you are looking into buying a new bible for reading with this program you may consider purchasing a study bible like The Catholic Study Bible 3rd Edition by Oxford Press. A study bible contains an extensive Reading Guide, that leads the reader through the Scriptures, book by book. References and background information are clearly laid out to guide the reader to a fuller understanding of the Bible. It also has a more extensive treatment of the biblical background, including history and archeology, a glossary, color maps and complete Lectionary readings. If you don’t want a study bible you may consider The Ignatius Bible: Revised Standard Version - Second Catholic Edition by Ignatius Press. This revised version is a contemporary English
HOLY NAME TREE OF LIFE located at the back of the Church is a bronze tree trunk with 400+ leaves. Donors can have their names or those they wish to honor engraved on the leaf. We suggest a maximum of 25 characters (including spaces) per line, limited to 5 lines. Leaf color choices are gold, silver or bronze.

Custom imprinted leaves are $500 each + $25 imprinting. The proceeds will go towards our Capital Improvement Fund. Please drop by or call the Parish office for more information (415)664-8590.

ARE YOU A NEW PARISHIONER?
Or just never registered?
You may register online at http://holynamesf.org/parish-registration/
You may also call (415) 664-8590 or drop by the Parish office (1555 39th Ave./Lawton St.) during office hours, Monday-Friday from 9 AM - 4 PM.