

# Holy Rosary Church

*A Century of Faithfulness through Mary's Fullness of Grace*

GRACE

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***We are a welcoming Catholic community called by God to live out the message of Christ in love and service to all people.***

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## EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**September 19 & 20, Second Collection -** Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

**Sept. 28 - Oct. 6 -** Novena Prayer for Holy Rosary Feast Day (5PM on weekdays; weekend schedule announcement to follow).

**October 7, 6PM -** Holy Rosary Feast Day Mass

**October 10, 6PM after the Saturday Mass -** Parish Feast Day Celebration & 50th Anniversary of St. Damien Memorial Statue, Potluck after the 5PM Saturday Mass

**Ground beef for sale at $10/lb. Please see John to purchase or reserve.**

**Holy Rosary Church Legacy Tiles Project: Check with James or John to purchase tiles for the project.**

Please send your contributions for the bulletin to s_almie@yahoo.com or to marycostales21@yahoo.com. Weekend mass: Saturday 5:00PM, Sunday 8:00AM. Weekday mass: 7:00 AM except on Tuesday (Fr. Jose's day off). Confessions by appointment; contact the office or Fr. Macoy. Parish office hours: Monday, Wednesday 9AM-12N; Friday 9AM-2PM.

## Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with them for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. Going out about nine o'clock, the landowner saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and he said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' So they went off. And he went out again around noon, and around three o'clock, and did likewise. Going out about five o'clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, 'Why do you stand here idle all day?' They answered, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard.' When it was evening the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Summon the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.' When those who had started about five o'clock came, each received the usual daily wage. So when the first came, they thought that they would receive more, but each of them also got the usual wage. And on receiving it they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last ones worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us, who bore the day's burden and the heat.' He said to one of them in reply, 'My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what is yours and go. What if I wish to give this last one the same as you? Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money? Are you envious because I am generous?' Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last."

**(Full text: Matthew 20:1-16a, usccb.org)**

### God rewards those who place their trust in him.

It is hard not to relate to the worker who toiled all day and then was jealous of the worker who was paid equally for his one hour of work. But if we unite ourselves to the heart of Christ, we can understand God's pleasure in the conversion of all souls, whether they were faithful their whole lives or came to him right before death. Thank God for the mercy shown to each of us. *(FAITH Catholic Subscriptions, 2026)*

# HONORING MARY'S HOLY NAME AND SORROWS AS WE APPROACH OUR CENTENNIAL FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

by Almie Lonzaga

As our parish family prepares for our landmark Centennial celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, the church calendar recently brought us two profound Marian observances. Above all, these feast days remind us that Mary's entire purpose is to lead us deeper into the heart of her divine Son, Jesus Christ.

**The Most Holy Name of Mary (September 12):** This feast honors the spiritual power, beauty, and comfort found in calling upon Mary's name. In Catholic tradition, Mary's name is inseparable from the name of Jesus; whenever we invoke her, she immediately directs our prayers, needs, and worship to Christ, acting as our faithful advocate who draws us closer to Him.

**Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows (September 15):** Observed immediately following the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, this memorial commemorates Mary's deep compassion as she stood at the foot of the Cross. Through her shared suffering, Mary reveals the immense, redeeming love of Jesus, teaching us how to unite our own daily trials and heartaches with Christ's ultimate sacrifice.







Reflecting on these feast days emphasizes that Mary never points to herself but always to Jesus. By calling upon her Most Holy Name, we open our hearts to her gentle maternal guidance, trusting her to guide our steps toward her Son. Simultaneously, contemplating Our Lady of Sorrows teaches us how to remain faithful at the foot of Christ's Cross, finding salvation, healing, and hope through His grace.

Together, these meditations serve as the perfect Christ-centered preparation as we approach our parish's centennial feast day. For 100 years, our community has gathered under the mantle of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary to draw closer to Jesus through the mysteries of His life, death, and resurrection. As we count down to our grand celebration, let us carry these lessons in our hearts—allowing Mary to take us by the hand and lead us ever more faithfully to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

***Holy Rosary Church Feast Day - October 7***

## INCOME SUMMARY 09/13/2026

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| Weekend Collection | $1433.00 | Donation Box | 30.00 |
| Building and Maintenance | 20.00 | Nativity of Mary | 100.00 |
| Candles | 262.00 | Catholic University of America | 50.00 |
| Mass Intentions | 150.00 | Ground Beef "Hamburger" | 2,700.00 |

**TOTAL DEPOSIT** **$4,872.00**

**ONLINE GIVING** **$457.00**