

St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

180 Harrison Avenue, Sausalito, CA 94965

Sunday, July 13, 2025

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions for the Week

7/19 - 5:00PM, Saturday: For the parishioners of Star of the Sea 7/20 - 9:00AM, Sunday: RIP - David Blanton 7/21 - 5:30PM, Monday: RIP - Greg Kesich 7/23 - 5:30PM, Wednesday: RIP - Julie Meir Wright 7/26- 5:00PM, Saturday: RIP - Rosemary Machado 7/27 - 9:00AM, Sunday: For the parishioners of Star of the Sea

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM Sunday: 9:00AM

Monday & Wednesday: 5:30PM Rosary: Wednesday: 5:10PM Confession: by appointment.

Email Fr Pat - pilgrym.ptm@gmail.com

Office Hours

Monday by phone and email: 1:00PM - 5:00PM Tuesday by phone and email: 10:00AM - 2:00PM

Wednesday in-person: 1:00 - 5:00PM

Thursday by phone and email: 10:00AM - 2:00PM

Friday: closed

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Sacraments/FaithFormation/Parish Communications

Marriage: Contact us at least six months before the desired date of the wedding
Sacramental Preparation: Contact Fr. Pat - pilgrym.ptm@gmail.com
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Please pray for the sick of our parish

- Tina Cunningham
- Gracie Lopez
- Karen Poligono
- Amein Szemansk
- Salud Macalma
- Walter Macalma
- Susan York
- Ceil Turner

- Francesca Valdez
- Zizana Siljdedic
- Chuck Leonard
- Ron Eason
- Christian Macalma
- Shejla Martinovic
- Geri Poloni
- Peggie Eason



July 20, 2025



S. Maria Maggiore, Roma, Abraham at Mamre, mosaic (432-440).

Jesus at the House of Martha and Mary, [Jacopo Robusti] Tintoretto (1518-94)

What do these two stories have in common? Why would the Church juxtapose them this weekend? The two images have very



different narrative styles. In the first (one of the earliest depictions of this scene), Abraham is depicted three times: meeting the three men at the entrance to his tent; instructing Sarah to make bread; and while serving the men at table, he receives the message about Isaac. In all three, Abraham is ready to serve them, but he is also ready to hear what they have to say about the coming birth of his son, Isaac. (The mandorla of light around the central figure above and the gold background of all three below speaks to the divine nature of the event, and the shifting between one and three.) In the Tintoretto, Jesus seems to be one of many guests, as the house is abuzz with activity, but the image focuses on the three in a dynamic triangle of movement: Jesus teaching, Mary seated below him, open and listening, and Martha accusing Mary of not helping. Even though Martha is inserting herself into the conversation, Mary and Jesus do not break eye contact. It is Martha, who, in her sense of responsibility, turns her shoulder to the Lord, cutting herself off from what he has to say.

Service seems to be what the two images bring to the forefront, with a reminder that whatever we are doing for someone else, we need to make sure that it does not keep us from hearing what the Lord has to say to us in that moment. Service is an important part of our Baptismal call, but if it replaces our ability to hear him proclaim his love to us, we cannot serve from that same love.