



St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

180 Harrison Avenue, Sausalito, CA 94965

Sunday, November 23, 2025

Christ the King Sunday

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM
Sunday: 9:00AM
Monday & Wednesday: 5:30PM
Thursday, Thanksgiving Day: 10:00AM
Rosary: Wednesday at 5:10pm
Confession: **Saturday: 3 - 4PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Mill Valley**
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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Thanksgiving Day Mass
Mass will be at 10:00am

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**Tiziano Vecellio
(Titian) and helpers
(1489/90-1576),
Jesus Christ and the
Good Thief (c.1563)**

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (formally Christ the King) is the final feast and Sunday of the Church Year. It came to the calendar late in our history: between WWI and WWII. It was the reminder that despite the chaos of a world, struggling to right itself after the devastation of the

conflict (and hints at another on the horizon) God still ruled the world through the death and rising of Jesus, love was still stronger than death.

Titian's painting is one of the few that depict this conversation between Jesus and the repentant thief, and he has chosen to heighten the tension between heaven and earth by painting it on a herringbone-weave canvas (a much more expensive piece of fabric than standard weave canvas), which zig-zags, right to left, from top to bottom. It is subtle, but it counters the horizontal tension between the figures. The figure of Jesus stands out as the focus of the work, inclining his head toward the darker, bright-eyed thief. It is as though Jesus tries to draw closer to the thief, who seems almost to be fleeing. The thief has not yet surrendered to mercy, but he will open and embrace hope.

Jesus came with the purpose of gathering hearts into the union of his love. That is the definition of his rule over the world, his kingship. He who, at the beginning of creation, was the one through whom all things came to be, loving them into existence, would be the one through whom sin would be conquered through mercy and infinite love. His life is extended across time and space to heal the world at the root of its fear-bound hearts, drawing them, under the power of love, into the union of his rule. He is King of the Universe. When we accept that rule we move toward perfect union with him.



CELEBRATION OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Patroness of the Americas
Wednesday, December 10, 2025

Rosary at 5:00 pm

Mass at 5:30

Immediately following Mass please join us for a Tamale Dinner and entertainment in Duggan Hall

Donations accepted

\$20.00 for adults and \$10 for children



Mark your calendars and plan to join us to kick off the Christmas Season!



Seasonal Concert at St. Mary Star of the Sea -

presented by:
St. Mary's Cathedral
Choir School

Saturday, December 6, 2025 6:00 pm



Admission is free, but donations are gladly accepted. There will be baskets at the back of the church for anyone wishing to leave a donation for the Choir.

St. Mary Star of the Sea, Pray for Us