

St. Patrick Parish

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August 17, 2025

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Visit our website and
register online or come to
the Parish Office

St. Patrick's Thrift Shop

457 Magnolia Avenue
Larkspur CA 94939
Phone: 415-924-5393

Hours:

Tuesday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: Noon - 4:00 p.m.

Mark Scafidi
Deacon
Michael Waters
School Principal
Francesca Previtali
Director of Religious Education
Barbara Santana Cronin
Thrift Shop Manager
Agata Konopka
Parish Office

Deborah Benedict
Adult Choir Director
Alice Kubo
Pianist
Cyndi Niven
Cantor
Barbara Cavalier
Hospitality Coordinator
Phyllis Rybensky
Helping Hands Coordinator

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Monday—Friday)

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m., Tuesday through Friday
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Parish Staff

Monsignor Michael Padazinski, *Pastor*

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

or another time
by appointment.

St. Patrick
K-8 School

415-924-0501

St. Patrick
School of Religion

415-924-0600 x15



*Welcome back teachers and students
of Saint Patrick School!*

*May God's blessing accompany you
as you begin this new school year.*



Calling all parents and faithful alike! Join us for a transformative Parish Mission on **August 23 and 24**, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, led by an exceptional Dominican friar in **Fr. Michael Sweeney, O.P.** who will preach at all the Masses that weekend sharing his decades of experience in pastoral ministry and insightful preaching. All will benefit by being better able to understand and share the truth, beauty, and goodness of our beloved Catholic faith.

**Mass Intentions
August 16 — 24**

Saturday August 16	5:00 pm	Giovanna Massoni †
Sunday August 17	8:00 am 10:00 am	People Pauline & Joseph Scafidi †
Monday August 18		No Mass
Tuesday August 19	8:00 am	Agata Konopka
Wednesday August 20	8:00 am	Barbara Buscher †
Thursday August 21	8:00 am	Most Rev. Salvatore Cordileone
Friday August 22	8:00 am	George Greco †
Saturday August 23	5:00 pm	Bob Rybensky †
Sunday August 24	8:00 am 10:00 am	Domenico Canziani † People

We welcome into our faith community

Gigi Sophia

daughter of
*Justin Totura
and
Nadia Balin*



who will be baptized today
Sunday, August 17, 2025
at 10:00 am Mass
at St. Patrick's.

We pray for blessings on her and her family.

Please remember in your prayers
longtime St. Patrick's parishioner
who passed away recently



Sal Catinella

*Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon him.
May his soul and all the souls of the
faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.*



The **Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)** is a series of classes commencing on **September 22nd** to learn about God's Divine Plan and develop an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ, our Savior, through prayer, study of Sacred Scripture, exploration of Catholic beliefs and practices, Eucharistic worship, and fellowship.

If you are an adult who wishes to be baptized, or a Christian baptized in another faith tradition who desires to become Catholic, or a baptized person wishing to receive First Communion, Confirmation, or both, we invite you to join us on a spiritual journey to encounter the living Christ who "calls you by name" (Isaiah 43:1).

Please contact Deacon Mark Scafidi to sign-up and/or request further information at: mscafidi@stpatricksmarin.org

Together in Holiness Couples Day Retreat

Saturday, Sept. 27, 2025 – 10:45a – 6:00p
Immaculate Heart Church
1040 Alameda de las Pulgas, Belmont

To Register:
<https://forlifeandfamily.org/events/th25-sfca/>

Married and engaged couples are invited to the 9th annual Together in Holiness Conference in the Archdiocese of San Francisco! Hear from national speakers Renzo and Monica Ortega and more as they discuss marriage as an icon of God's love! Grab the *Early Bird discount before Monday, August 11*. Register above as soon as possible to get the discount.

Adventures in Marriage

Saturday, Sept. 6, 2025 – 8:30am - 4:30p
St. Mark Parish – 325 Marine View Ave, Belmont

To Register: <https://sfarch.org/event/skills-for-sacramental-marriage-building/>

Every important vocation requires ongoing education and formation. How about the most important of all - Marriage? Join the Archdiocese Marriage and Life Office for the nationally recognized, award-winning Relationship skills Workshop for couples, helping make "average" marriages good and good marriages great! Contact Ed Hopfner for details, 415-614-5547, hopfnere@sfarch.org. Registration fee includes all materials, two lunches, and childcare if needed.



Cursillo Corner

The 2025 Marin Women and Men's Cursillo Weekends will be held at the University of Redlands campus at 105 Seminary Rd, San Anselmo. Applications are now being accepted and the dates are as follows:

Women's Cursillo Weekend: October 9-12, 2025
Men's Cursillo Weekend: October 23-26, 2025

What Happens At A Cursillo Weekend?

A Cursillo weekend is a retreat from Thursday evening through Sunday afternoon. It is a unique approach to Christian living in that presentations are largely by lay individuals. They share their walk in life through a series of informal talks and discussions. To facilitate relaxed and personal conversation, men's and women's Cursillo weekends are held separately. In addition to talks and discussions, liturgy, prayer, sacraments, and music provide an opportunity to reflect on values and goals as Christians. The weekend is also filled with fabulous food and incredible humor as we celebrate our Christian life.

For questions, please contact St. Patrick's Cursillo Rep, Karen Madden, at 415.378.9081, or karen.madden@rocketmail.com. Additional details can be found at the Marin Cursillo Website: <http://www.marincursillo.com>.

St. Patrick's Faith Formation



CFF REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Our Children's Faith Formation (CFF) program is open to registered parish families with children in **Kindergarten through 8th grade**, and includes sacramental preparation for those eligible to receive their **First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation**.

Returning families- login to schoolspeak.com to register

New Families- contact Francesca 😊



CATECHISTS NEEDED

We are looking for joyful, faith-filled adults to serve as catechists and share the love of Christ with the children of our parish!

We cannot offer our programs without you! All that's needed is a willing heart- training and ongoing support provided.

We are in most need of a **2nd grade teacher**, but could use help at all levels based on your interest and/or experience.



HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY KICK OFF

You're Invited to **The Upper Room!**
Come see what it's all about—a place to belong, be formed, and be sent out. Bring a friend! Let's kick off this year with joy, prayer, and purpose.

What To Expect:

- Pizza 🍕
- Games 🎮
- Meaningful Conversations 🗣️
- Prayer 🙏
- Leadership Opportunities ✨
- Service ❤️

FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

K-7 CFF Classes

Sundays 8:45-9:55AM

beginning Sept 7

Confirmation Year 2 Classes

Tuesdays 7-8:15PM

beginning Sept 9

The Upper Room High School Ministry

Wednesdays 7-8:30PM

beginning Sept 10

QUESTIONS OR NEED HELP?

Contact Francesca Previtali
415-924-0600
faithformation@stpatricksmarin.org





ST. MONICA TRIDUUM

August 25-27, 2025

Praying for the return of our family members to the Church



Our Relics of St. Monica and St. Jude

"A son of so many tears shall not perish"

Fr. Michael S. Sherwin, O.P. is a Professor of Fundamental Moral Theology and director of the Institute of Spirituality at the Angelicum in Rome. Previously, he served almost twenty years teaching at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland. He has also taught at the Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology in Berkeley, California, where he received his initial formation as a Dominican and was ordained a priest in 1991.

Fr. Sherwin is the author of several articles on the psychology of love, virtue ethics, and moral development. He also serves as chaplain to the *Association Nationale des Cavaliers Catholiques*, an equestrian pilgrimage organization.



Fr. Michael S. Sherwin, O.P.
Triduum Preacher

Triduum Schedule

All the Masses during this triduum (August 25-27) will be followed by a blessing with the Relics of St. Monica and St. Jude. Below is the schedule:

Masses:

8:00 am* and 5:30 pm

Confessions and Rosary:

15 minutes prior to each Mass

* Livestreamed

Our YouTube Channels: "St. Jude Shrine – Santuario de San Judas" or "St. Dominic's Catholic Church San Francisco"

Send us your prayer petitions to St. Monica scanning this code with your camera phone.



Or using this link:
[Stjude-shrine.org/current-novenas](https://stjude-shrine.org/current-novenas)