



OUR LADY OF THE PILLAR CATHOLIC CHURCH
Iglesia Católica de Nuestra Señora del Pilar

400 Church Street, Half Moon Bay, CA 94019 • 650-726-4674

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 19, 2012

Our Parish Clergy

Rev. Juan Manuel Lopez, Parish Administrator

Rev. Charles Fermeglia, Parochial Vicar
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Rev. Charles Onubogu, In Residence

Deacon John McGhee

Deacon John Sequeira, Parish Manager to the Clergy

Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday: 8:00 am

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Friday
- Anointing of the Sick: 1st Friday of the Month

Saturday, August 18

- 8:00 am Fr. Onubogu
- 12:00 pm Fr. Juan Manuel (Baptisms)
- 5:00 pm Fr. Onubogu
- 8:00 pm (Spanish) - Fr. Juan Manuel
- Reconciliation / Confessions 4:00 - 4:45 pm

Sunday, August 19

- 8:00 am 10:00 am - Fr. Charlie
- 12:00 Noon (Spanish) - Fr. Juan Manuel
- 6:00 Fr. Onubogu

St. Anthony's MASS SCHEDULE

- 696 North Street, Pescadero, CA 94060
- Saturday: 6:00 pm (Spanish) - Fr. Juan Manuel
- Sunday: 9:00 am - Fr. Onubogu

Our Lady of Refuge MASS SCHEDULE

- 146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA 94020
- Sunday: 10:30 am - Fr. Onubogu

WELCOME *Bienvenidos*

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today, as we gather together as God's family, John's Gospel again reminds us that each week we come to Mass to remember and affirm God's promise of love and life for us. Even when our faith may be challenged by difficulties and sorrow, our Lord Jesus Christ wants to fill our hearts with joy through the Eucharist. Jesus tells us "This is the bread that came down from heaven." ...and each time we eat it, we are again united with Christ. Amen.

Hoy, nos reunimos como la familia de Dios. El evangelio de san Juan nos recuerda otra vez que cada semana venimos a la misa para recordar y afirmar la promesa del amor de Dios y de la vida que nos regala. Incluso cuando nuestra fe puede ser desafiada por las dificultades y la pena, nuestro Señor Jesucristo quiere llenar nuestros corazones de la alegría que recibimos al participar en la Eucaristía. Jesús nos dice "Yo soy el pan que bajó del cielo." Cada vez que comemos el pan que bajo del cielo nos unimos nuevamente con Cristo. Amén.

May God Bless you all,
Fr. Juan Manuel



Parish Coordinators and Staff

- RCIA | Adult Faith Formation: Terry Ruppel
- Religious Education K-6th Grade: Eileen Arnold
- Religious Education (Spanish): Claudia Miramontes
- Spanish Weddings: Juana Ruano
- Youth Confirmation: Elizabeth Neapolitan

Church Office:

- Monday – Friday 9:30 am - 12:00 Noon; 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm
- 650-726-4674 FAX: 650-726-0980 Religious Ed 650-726-5587
- Parish Secretary and Bulletin Editor: Hilda Krup
email: hilda@ourladyofthepillar.org
- Management Advisor: Dr. James Spilker

As a Catholic community, we strive to grow in faith together through the Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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We welcome new members to our community who were baptized this weekend...

Juliela Aguilar	Viviana Maya
Christopher Carrillo	Salvador Morales-Acosta
Kayla Marie Cresci	Gala Guadalupe Quezada
Jesus Garcia	Kate Ramos
Salvador Gomez	Wilbert Ramos
Victoria Gonzalez	Dominique Santacruz
Lucy Graylen Neuhauser	Camila Santacruz
Dahlia Magdalena Haro	Keylene Sencion
Sean Huerta	Jayden Torres
	Marelyn Ugalde

Back to School Blessing Today

Today 8:00 am and 10:00 am Masses, we will be coming together to offer a *special blessing and prayer* for all our parish youth leaving or returning to school away from home.

Youth Confirmation Updates

For details and registration forms for the classes below, visit : www.ourladyofthepillar.org/youth-confirmation

- **New! Youth Confirmation Class** — August 20-24 for students who have completed first year.
- **First-Year Youth Confirmation:** Download invitation letter and registration forms online.
- **Liturgical Ministry Training Day** Sunday, August 26 10:00 am—5:30 pm at Mercy High School. Learn more online. Cost \$10.

New Photos on OLP Photo Gallery ONLINE...

See new photo of the Oaxaca Community's Santiago Festival, commemorating St. James the Greater, Apostle and patron saint of laborers:
www.ourladyofthepillar.org/parish-photo-gallery

September 16th, Catechetical Sunday

Religious Education Classes resume:
Thursdays 3:30 - 4:45 Sundays 8:50 - 9:50
Forms available in the Rectory, Church and New Hall folder.

For more information, visit Eileen's Corner at:
www.ourladyofthepillar.org/eileens-corner

INSIGHTS
with Fr. Charlie

Jesus, the Merciful

Previously we looked at the Sacrament of Penance, outlining Rites 1 and 2, which Pope Paul VI gave to the Church. In the process, we were reminded that Jesus taught his followers that a *change of heart* was the first step towards salvation --- and also that our *sin is never just personal*. It is social phenomenon which affects our relationships. Today, we expand our knowledge by examining Rite 3.

The third form — The Rite for Reconciliation of Several Penitents with General Confession and Absolution — is similar to the second, except that the penitents do not make an actual confession, but only manifest contrition (sorrow for sins). The prayer of absolution is given collectively or "generally" to all those gathered to celebrate the sacrament. This is why we call Rite 3, *General Absolution*. Imagining the experience of Rite 3, the first step as a penitent is feeling the sorrow of our sin and it comes with the obligation to actually confess each grave sin in our next confession. Form three is intended for emergencies and other situations when it is not at all possible for the priest(s) to hear all the individual confessions.

The historical evolution of this Rite can be traced to military battle. Questions arose during the First and Second World Wars as to how to ensure that all the men would be confessed before battle. Because of the large numbers of soldiers, it was impossible for a few priest chaplains to hear all their confessions. The bishops decided that a general absolution could be given by a single priest over a large number of men even without hearing their individual confessions. The men, on their part, were to confess their sins the next opportunity a priest was available to hear their confessions.

The Church proclaims *Salus Animarum, Suprema Lex*, "The health of souls is the highest law." Jesus, ever merciful, grants forgiveness to all of us who seek it.

Peace,
Fr. Charlie

Related INSIGHTS :
www.ourladyofthepillar.org/insights-fr-charlie



Supporting Our Parish | Your Offerings

August 11 and August 12	OFFERING	AAA
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 4,363.27	\$2,649.02
Our Lady of Refuge	\$ 149.00	\$ 115.00
St. Anthony's	\$ 242.80	\$ 295.21

NEXT 2nd Offering: September 2nd — OLP Building Fund

Sacrament Preparation

Baptism: Pre-Baptismal classes are held on 4th Thursday each month at 7pm, Rector's Conference Room. Learn more: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/baptism or call: 726-4674

Bautismos en Español son celebrados el primer y el tercer sábado del mes a las 12:00. Las pláticas prebautismales son el jueves previo al primer Sábado del mes. Solicitar en la oficina el calendario de las fechas del año. Las pláticas son las 7:00 p.m. en el hall viejo que esta a un lado de la iglesia.

Marriage: Our parish marriage preparation program is required of all couples planning weddings. Learn more: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/matrimony

Communion in the Home: The priest and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring communion to the sick and elderly in their homes. Ministers to the homebound are also available.

Anointing the Sick: *First* Friday each month during the 8:00 am Mass. This sacrament is celebrated for all those seeking the healing power of Christ. Learn more:

Parish Organizations and Services

Our Lady of the Pillar has a wide array of organizations, committees, faith formation groups, and service organizations that serve our parish community. For a complete list and meeting times, go to parish website: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/groups The list is also posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule of the church.

Pray for Our Parish Family Who are Sick

Pray that God's healing power will fill them with strength and hope. To add a name, please call the Church Office 726-4674. Each name is put on the prayer list for 3 weeks; to extend the time, please call to confirm.

Ozzie Berke	Carole Fioravandi	Nancy Madieros
Casey Cunningham	Karrie Johns	Christina Masters
Joe DiVecchio	Betty Hernandez	Edwin Nunes
John JD Donovan	Susan Lydon	Allan Howells

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Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, August 18

8:00 am Virginia & Antonio Coelho+, Mary Jane Murphy+
5:00 pm Belmira Vaz & Carlos Vaz+
8:00 pm Por la Parroquia

Sunday, August 19

8:00 am Palmira Cota & Parents+, Manuel Ferreira+,
Vivian Rayhill+
10:00 am Estuardo de Leon Coarcia+
12:00 pm Pr la Parroquia
6:00 pm Zoe Bautista+, Joe Lopes+, Isebel & Jose
Gabriel+, Manuel Jose+

Monday, August 20

8:00 am Maria Silveira+, Lucky Tom+, Patrick Tucciarone+

Tuesday, August 21

8:00 am Larry Looby+, Lillian Castl+

Wednesday, August 22

8:00 am Rosanna & Clifford Hollander+, Rita Grodt+, Larry Johnson

Thursday, August 23

8:00 am Francisco Costa+, Manuel Machado+

Friday, August 24

8:00 am Maria Salcido+, Lucky Tom+

Saturday, August 25

8:00 am Antonio Costa & Family+, Manuel Ferreira &
Family+
5:00 pm Guido Giusti+, Isabel Gregorio+, Joe, Arthur &
Emilia Goulart+

Pescadero - St. Anthony's

Saturday, August 18 6:00 pm For the Parish
Sunday, August 19 9:00 am For the Parish

La Honda - Our Lady of Refuge

Sunday, August 19 10:30 am For the Parish

Wisdom from St. Francis of Assisi

"I have been all things unholy. If God can work through me, he can work through anyone."



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