



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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 15, 2012

Our Parish Clergy

Rev. Juan Manuel Lopez, Parish Administrator

Rev. Charles Fermeglia, Parochial Vicar
email: frcharlie@yahoo.com

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

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

St. Anthony's MASS SCHEDULE
696 North Street, Pescadero, CA 94060
Saturday: 6:00 pm (Spanish) Fr. McCormick
Sunday: 9:00 am - Fr. Onubogu

Our Lady of Refuge MASS SCHEDULE
146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA 94020
(650) 747-9555
Sunday: 10:30 am - Fr. Onubogu

WELCOME *Bienvenidos*

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We welcome you! We learn another valuable lesson from our Lord Jesus Christ in Mark's Gospel. He teaches us how important it is for us to listen to the many ways God speaks to us and strengthens us every day. One example comes from people who show up to test our faith---to discourage us. Jesus tells us to "dust off our feet" and continue to do as He taught us: To live by His example. I encourage you to keep His message in mind and in your heart—and when your faith is tested, put it to work.

¡Les damos la bienvenida! Aprendemos otra lección valiosa de nuestro Señor Jesucristo en el Evangelio de Mark. Nos enseña cuán importante es para nosotros escuchar las muchas maneras que Dios habla con nosotros y nos refuerza cada día. Un ejemplo viene de personas que aparecen para probar nuestra fe---que nos desalientan. Jesús nos dice "desempolvar los pies" y continuar hacer como nos enseñó: Para vivir por Su ejemplo. Les pido mantener su mensaje en la mente y en el corazón—y cuando su fe sea puesta a prueba, la pongan a trabajar.

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 www.ourladyofthepillar.org
- Parish Secretary and Bulletin Editor: Hilda Krup
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- 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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PARISH *Life*

Our Lady of the Pillar Parish turns 144 Years Old!
Join us after mass next week for a “celebration toast” and blessing to commemorate this milestone together: Saturday, July 21 after the 5:00 pm mass and Sunday, July 22 after the 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 12:00 Noon masses. [Photo: First Communion Class 1918]



“Youth Encountering Spirit: Called and Qualified”
Leadership Training for Youth Ministry: Friday, August 10 and Saturday, August 11— 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; for 6th-8th grade and 9-12th grade. Learn more: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/youth-confirmation

We Welcome a New Member to Our Community – Payton Laura Costa is being brought to the waters of Baptism Sunday, July 15. She is the daughter of John and Kerri Costa. Welcome, Payton!

Full House for Hospitality Sunday! With everyone’s contributions, it became an abundant brunch for all. Thanks to Bob Fernandez for cooking the delicious frittata...and special thanks to Michael and Kathy Minasi for hosting this parish gathering for all of us last Sunday.

Thanks to the St. Anthony Society for sharing the wonderful celebration of the feast with all of us last Sunday.

Parish Council meeting this Thursday July 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Get free Legal Assistance Wednesday July 18th from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Senior Coastsiders Ted Adcock Community Senior Center, 535 Kelly Avenue. Call for appointment 650 726-9056.

Contributing in Your Own Way

Our parish has many needs and many of you tell us you would like to find your own way to contribute. Below are three new ways to give. Learn more on our website: ourladyofthepillar.org/other-ways-contribute

- Buy your groceries at Safeway.
- Make a Gift DONATION through our website.
- Choose from the “2nd Offerings” list on our website.

INSIGHTS *with Fr. Charlie*

Jesus, the Exorcist

Did you ever notice that movies about exorcism never take place in whitewashed protestant churches? When was the last time you saw a rabbi called to drive out demonic forces? It just doesn't happen. One reason the Catholic Church is associated with exorcisms is the far-reaching effect of the English Gothic horror novels of the 19th Century and their subsequent renditions on the silver screen. You know the score: graveyards after midnight, wispy howling spirits, black-robed monks sprinkling holy water, and more. Another reason is simply that Jesus believed in them, spoke to them, and liberated those who were possessed. In today's gospel, Jesus gives this power to his disciples.

Evil comes in many forms. Ask any priest about his experiences and you will be hard-pressed to find one who has not encountered some hair-raising event in his ministry. Though it may seem farfetched, it is safe to say that most of us experience inexplicable, tangible evil of some sort at some time in our lives. At those moments, we pray with Jesus, "...deliver us from evil."

Peace,
Fr. Charlie

NEW on Our Parish Website

Why I go to MASS? An inspiring VIDEO to help you—or someone you know — rediscover the answer to this question. ourladyofthepillar.org/why-i-go-mass



www.OurLadyofthePillar.org

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, July 14

8:00 am Manuel Ferreira & Family+
5:00 pm Jose Silveira+, Belmira Vaz+, Casimer & Adelina Podwojski+

Sunday July 15

8:00 am Michael Rodrigues+, Jihan Abdel-Gawad+, Manuel Machado+
10:00 am Luis & Bernardette Belo+, Jose & Maria Matos+, Jonathan & Joanne Ching (living)
6:00 pm Salustiano Bettencourt+, Dennis (living)

Monday, July 16

8:00 am Maria Silveira+, Manuel Machado+

Tuesday, July 17

8:00 am Nelda Aquino+, Manuel Machado+, Joe A. Lourenco+

Wednesday, July 18

8:00 am Ruth Dussai+, Salustiano Bettencourt+

Thursday, July 19

8:00 am Gerald Helms+

Friday, July 20

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

Saturday, July 21

8:00 am Virginia & Antonio Coelho+, Dolores E. McDonald+
5:00 pm Bernadette Austin+, Isabel Gregorio+, Joe Goulart+

Pescadero - St. Anthony's

Saturday, July 14 6:00 pm For the Parish
Sunday, July 15 9:00 am For the Parish

La Honda - Our Lady of Refuge

Sunday, June 15 10:30 am For the Parish

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 us to confirm.

Tony Azevedo	Nancy Madieros	Josefa Ritscher
Jessica Jeanes	Bill Madlem	Karen Ross
Betty Hernandez	Christina Masters	Aida Sagabaen
Barbara Kaposky	Robert Mazzetti	Rosario Sales
George Kelly	Jane McCoy	Caritina Segura
Jose Luis	James Morris	Cherie Schwing
Gabriela Leon	Pete Parks Jr	Paul Shephard
Deanna Mack	Lupe Perez	Frank Swick
	Mary Ann Pimentel	Josefina Villegas

www.OurLadyofthePillar.org

Supporting Our Parish

	Offering	AAA
July 7 and July 8		
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 3,941.74	\$2,383.69
Our Lady of Refuge	\$ 283.00	\$ 240.00
St. Anthony's	\$ 208.89	\$ 246.34
June 30 and July 1	Offering	Building Fund
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 5,091.39	\$1,591.39
Our Lady of Refuge	\$ 285.25	\$ 303.00
St. Anthony's	\$ 309.00	\$ 132.06

Sacrament Preparation

Baptism: Infant baptisms are celebrated in English on Sunday. Pre-Baptismal classes are by appointment only; held on 4th Thursday each month at 7pm in the Rectory's Conference Room. Call Rectory for information: 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: Couples planning to marry, please contact a parish priest at least six months prior to your wedding. Our parish marriage preparation program is required of all couples.

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 8am Mass. This sacrament is celebrated for all those seeking the healing power of Christ. A request may be made when a family member goes into the hospital or moves to a nursing facility. Learn more: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/sacraments

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, check the new parish website at www.ourladyofthepillar.org/groups This list is also posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule.



“Our Lord is ever present among those who believe in him.”

— St. Francis of Assisi