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serving the communities of Rodeo-Hercules



OCTOBER 05, 2025

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SCAN OF SACRIFICIAL OFFERING



Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Daily Mass: Monday - Saturday, 7:30am

Saturday, Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30am

Confessions: Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30pm

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

Holy Hour & Benediction: 8:00 - 9:00am



27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." - Lk 17:5-6

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass 02301, 1998, 1975 CCD.

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*Through the Gospel Message of Jesus Christ,
St. Patrick Parish is the hands, feet, body and heart of
Christ, that serves, loves and enlightens others
To make God better known.*

**ST. PATRICK
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**



Kelly Stevens - President
Ms. Cecily Clary - Co-Principal
Mr. Jules Perez - Co-Principal
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WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 05

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

Masses: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am
Two Collections - Regular Parish Maintenance
October count
Hospitality, 7:30, 9:30
Gift Shop, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30
Youth Ministry - Candidates & Sponsors
Covenant Ritual Mass, 9:30am
Confirmation - Candidates & Sponsors
Covenant Ritual Mass, 11:30
Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30, 11:30am
Confirmation Session, 1:30-2:30pm
Youth Ministry Class, 3:00-4:00pm
Blessing of the Animals in front of the school, 3:00pm

MONDAY, OCTOBER 06

Daily Mass: 7:30am
Fr. Larry's Bible Class, 8:15-9:15am
Sunday Mass Readings for October 11-12
All are welcome to attend

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 07

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Daily Mass: 7:30am
Fr. Larry's Bible Class, 7:30-8:30pm

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 08

Daily Mass: 7:30am
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 8:00am
School Mass, 8:30 (Gr. 6-8)
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, 10:00am
YLI Meeting, 6:00pm in the Hall
First Reconciliation Meeting for Parents, 7:00pm in the Church

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 09

Daily Mass: 7:30am
No Faith Formation & Edge classes

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Daily Mass: 7:30am
Santo Niño Novena, 8:00am

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

FEAST OF ST. JOHN PAUL XXIII, POPE

Daily Mass: 7:30am
Legion of Mary Rosary, 8:00am
Confession, 3:30 - 4:30pm
Vigil Mass, 5:00pm
Two Collections - Catholic Voice
October Count
Karaoke Night, 6:00 - 10:00pm

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Masses: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am
Two Collections - Catholic Voice
October count
Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30, 11:30
No Confirmation & Youth Ministry classes
Couples for Christ, 2:00 - 6:00pm in the Hall

MASS INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 05 - 12, 2025

Sun	10/05	7:30a	For the People of St. Patrick Parish	
		9:30a	Andres Rojas, Jr. †	Lilibeth C. Rojas
		11:30a	Elizabeth Jacobs (Birthday)	Carmen Foronda
Mon	10/06	7:30a	Merdinio Vergara	Divina Vergara
Tues	10/07	7:30a	Bill Fernando †	Joyce Fernando
Wed	10/08	7:30a	Arturo Foronda †	Carmen Foronda
Thurs	10/09	7:30a	Joaquin S. Asuncion †	Asuncion Family
Fri	10/10	7:30a	Lory Dela Cruz †	Dela Cruz Family
Sat	10/11	7:30a	Iluminada Perez †	Teresita Ong
		5:00p	Ben & Danny Ting †	Muyargas Family
Sun	10/12	7:30a	For the People of St. Patrick Parish	
		9:30a	Irene Rivera Merca †	Norma Rivera & Family
		11:30a	Donald Dominguez †	Mary Dominguez

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Please note that we are counting on the weekly collection of \$12,600.00 to meet our 2025 budget. Please give your part to help us reach our goal.

*Please continue to send your offering by mail, via online or bring them to the parish office,
Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm
Thank you.*

REGULAR PARISH COLLECTION

Plate Collection	9,791.89
Online Giving	3,085.79
Total:	\$12,877.68



A Message from our Pastor



Dear People of St. Patrick Parish,

How timely the First Reading is today, as the Jewish prophet six centuries cried out to God the creator. Yes, he was disgusted with the way the people were living a violent, hate-filled world, e.g., murders, drug-crazed people, a world of political and economical corruption. He complained to God to do something about the people not wishing to repent and renew and live the way God wanted them to live.

Out of frustration he called out to God in prayer, he said, *“How long, O Lord? I cry for help, but you do not listen! I cry out to you, “Violence!” but you do not intervene.”*

The prophet was a man of great faith and believed God was in charge.

In the Gospel of Luke, today, we hear the Apostles ask Jesus in a much later time, *“Lord increase our Faith.”* We find your teachings sometimes too hard to live, help us have the right Faith to live the way you want us to live.

We should be honest with God the creator and keep asking Him to put a stop to all the evil in our world. People cannot go to worship their God without evil, crazy people shooting at them, recent events of today.

We must strengthen our Faith in God and keep praying, and hope that God will intervene. Praying, receiving the Sacraments and encouraging people not to hate but work to make the world a place of peace and love and remember if we go the other way we could end up in hell with all the haters and killers.

Let us pray a little harder and trust that God will step in and once again save His people.

God Bless,
Fr. Larry Young
Your Pastor

News ~ Information ~ events



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ALTAR SOCIETY FUNDRAISERS

The Altar Society will again have a raffle for a very nice Nativity and will once again be selling personalized Angel ornaments. These items will be available for sale at the Gift Shop only starting with the sale of November 1-2. The Nativity tickets will be \$ 5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. The ornaments also will be \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00.



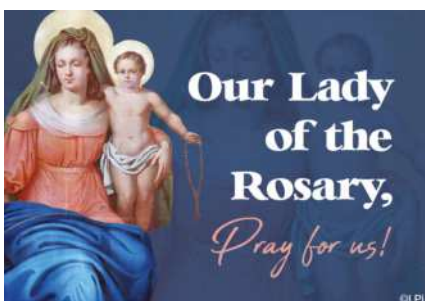
GIFT SHOP OPEN OCTOBER 05

Please stop by our Gift Shop after Mass to see our selection of jewelry, rosaries, books (childrens and adults) Holy Water containers, Crucifixes, Statues, a variety of Gift items and much more. We are only open on the 1st and 3rd Sundays after all Masses. Please note: we can only accept cash or checks. Thank you.



COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

St. Patrick Parish Ministry for the homebound is back. We have ministers to visit them and bring Communion. If you know someone who could benefit from this ministry, please contact the Parish Office at email: parishoffice@stpatrickrodeo.org or 510-799-4406. Anybody interested in joining this ministry, please contact the parish office.



On **Sunday, October 5**, our parish celebrates two important Covenant Rituals:

- At the **9:30 AM Mass**, our **Youth Ministry** (first-year Confirmation) students and their sponsors will take part

in the **Covenant Ritual**. This is the initial step of their two-year journey toward Confirmation. The word *covenant* means a sacred promise, and this ritual marks their commitment, together with their sponsors and our parish, to walk faithfully on this path of preparation.

At the **11:30 AM Mass**, our second-year **Confirmation candidates** and their sponsors will also participate in the **Confirmation Covenant Ritual**. This signifies their renewed commitment to completing their journey of faith and preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep our youth, their sponsors, and their families in your prayers as they grow in faith and prepare to fully embrace the gifts of the Holy Spirit.



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QUESTIONS?
CINDI ERICKSON 510-685-2834
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DEADLINE DATE:
OCTOBER 05 - NOVEMBER 04



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Life at St. Patrick Parish

San Lorenzo Ruiz - The Parish is proud and grateful to everyone who celebrated the Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz, with prayer, Mass and great food and worked so hard to make the event a joy to all who came.

Animal Blessing - Today, Sunday, October 5th at 3:00pm in front of the school, we will bless your animals and pets and pray and ask St. Francis to protect and bless your family pets. All animals are invited.

Month of the Holy Rosary - October is the month of the Holy Rosary and we should all try to pray the Rosary this month and to ask the Blessed Mother to pray for our very troubled world.

October count - At each Mass, this month on the weekends, the ushers will be taking a head count of all adults and children attending Mass. The results are used by the Diocese in making plans for all the Parishes in the Diocese.

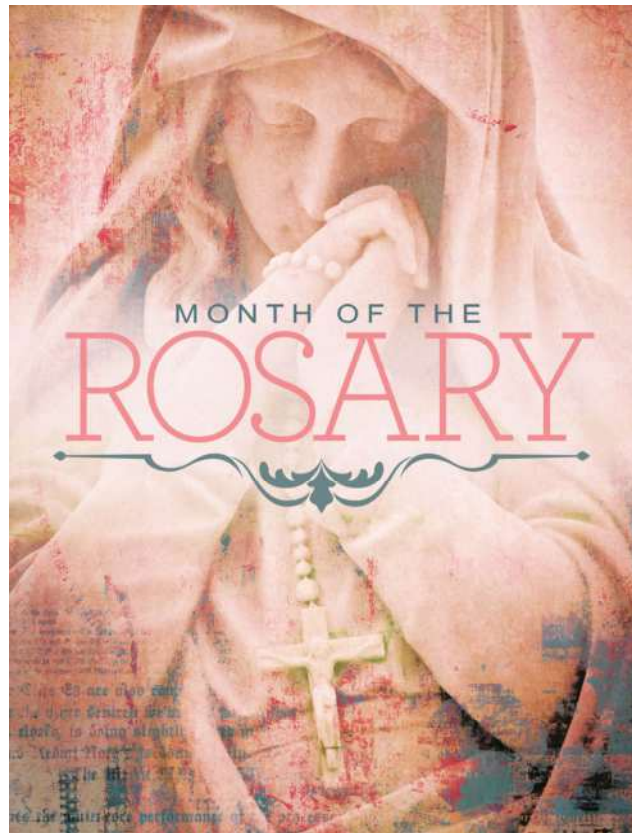
Adult Sacrament of Confirmation - If you are an adult and have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation and would like to receive it, please call the Parish office to get the information needed to make it happen.

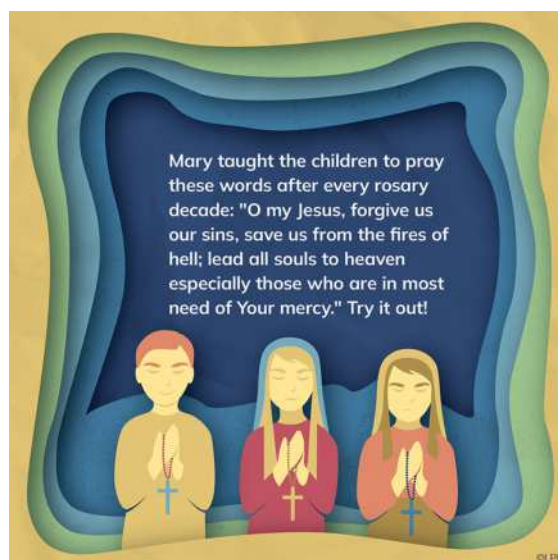
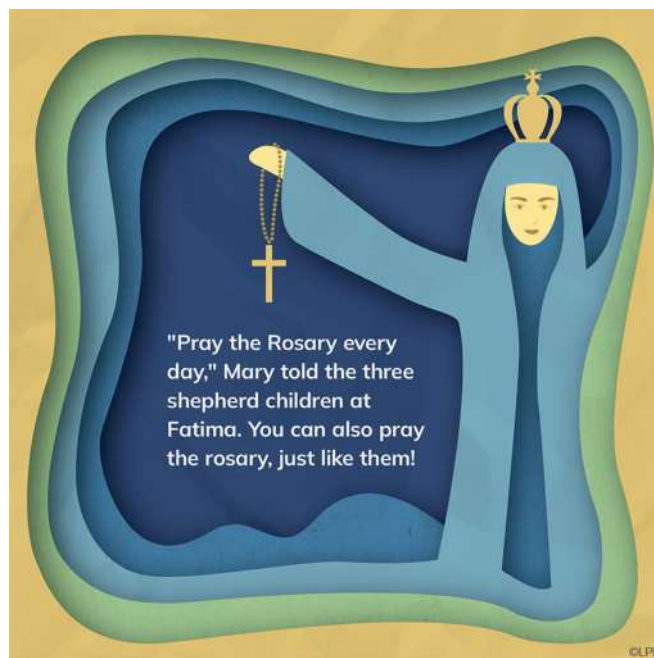
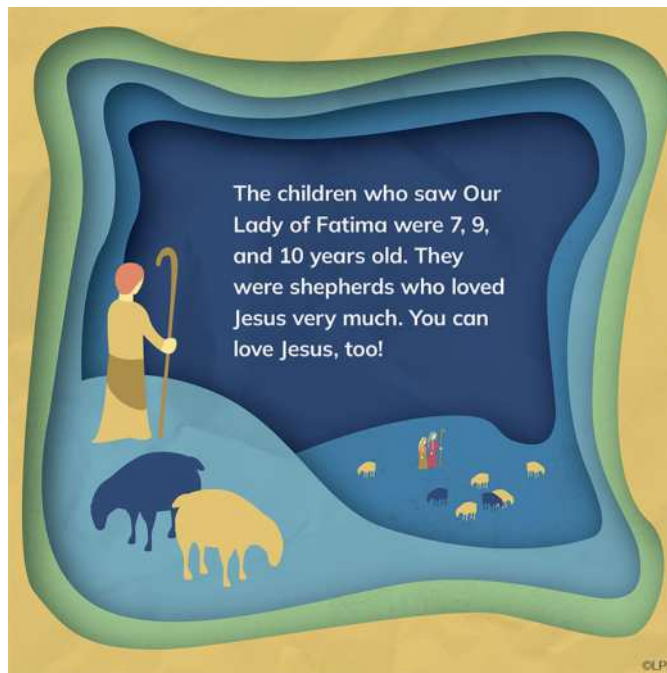
Memorial Service Mass - Sign up for the Memorial Mass to remember your beloved dead at Masses. Time is running out.

Diocesan 2025 Assessment - This week the parish paid the third installment on the Diocesan 2025 assessment. \$20,263.25, one more payment in December 2025 and we will have paid our mandatory assessment of \$81,053.00. This fee is to help the church in helping all parishes and schools that need help to keep the Catholic Faith alive and well in the Diocese of Oakland.



Karaoke Night - Saturday, October 11th, 6:00-10:00pm, you can sing and listen to Karaoke, eat and have great fun for \$20.00 a ticket. The funds raised are to help our Simbang Gabi event in December.





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