

St. Matthias

ST. MATTHIAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

1685 Cordilleras Road
Redwood City, CA 94062
Parish Phone (650) 366-9544
Preschool Phone (650) 367-1320
Website: www.stmatthiasparish.org
Email: info@stmatthiasparish.org

St. Matthias Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm (Church)*
Sunday 9:30 am (Outdoors)

St. Charles Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday 5:00 pm*
Sunday 8:30 am*, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm
*Live streamed Masses. See details inside.

St. Matthias Reconciliation

By appointment, call the parish office.

St. Charles Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm

First Communion and Confirmation

Email Sabrina Harper for information.

Baptism

Email Deacon Rich Foley for information.

Marriage

Email Deacon Rich Foley for information.
See Staff Directory inside for contact information.

Twenty-Seventh
SUNDAY
in Ordinary Time

Once again,

O Lord of hosts,

look down from heaven, and see;
take care of this vine,
and protect what your
right hand has planted.

Psalm 80:I5-I6

October 4, 2020

New Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:00 pm & Sunday 9:30 am

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest; and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord God, Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord. You alone at the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Reading 1

1 KGS 19:16b, 19-21

You shall also anoint Jehu, son of Nimshi, as king of Israel, and Elisha, son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah, as prophet to succeed you. Elijah set out, and came upon Elisha, son of Shaphat, as he was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen; he was following the twelfth. Elijah went over to him and threw his cloak on him. Elisha left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, "Please, let me kiss my father and mother good-bye, and I will follow you." Elijah answered, "Go back! What have I done to you?" Elisha left him and, taking the yoke of oxen, slaughtered them; he used the plowing equipment for fuel to boil their flesh, and gave it to the people to eat. Then he left and followed Elijah to serve him.

Responsorial Psalm

PS 16:1b-2a, 5, 7, 8, 11

R. Keep me safe, O God; in you I take refuge.
Keep me safe, O God;
in you I take refuge.
I say to the Lord,
you are my Lord,
you are my only good.

R. Keep me safe, O God; in you I take refuge.
Lord, my allotted portion and my cup,
you have made my destiny secure.
I bless the Lord who counsels me;
even at night my heart exhorts me.

R. Keep me safe, O God; in you I take refuge.
I keep the Lord always before
me; with him at my right hand,
I shall never be shaken.
You will show me the path to
life, abounding joy in your
presence, the delights at your
right hand forever.

Reading 2

GAL 6:14-18

But may I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which^a the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither does circumcision mean anything, nor does uncircumcision, but only a new creation. Peace and mercy be to all who follow this rule and to the Israel of God.

From now on, let no one make troubles for me; for I bear the marks of Jesus on my body.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen.

Alleluia

JN 10:27

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord;

I know them, and they follow me.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

MT 11:25-30

At that time Jesus said in reply, "I give praise to you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for although you have hidden these things from the wise and the learned you have revealed them to the childlike. Yes, Father, such has been your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son wishes to reveal him.

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light."

To Access Live Streamed Masses

St. Matthias and St. Charles are live streaming Masses each week.

NEW: **Saturday at 5:00 pm** on St. Matthias' YouTube page <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRRy371aMVoldjaDoj8droA>. Saturday 5:00 pm Mass will be celebrated in the Church; Sunday 9:30 am Mass will be celebrated behind the Rectory garage.

Monday-Saturday at 5:00 pm and Sunday at 8:30 am on St. Charles' Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/StCharlesParishSC/>.

St. Charles' Sunday 8:30 am Mass is celebrated outdoors, all are welcome to attend.

If you wish to attend one of our Outdoor Masses, please bring your own chair, wear a mask and maintain social distance of 6 feet between the members of your household and others.

Please regularly check the "COVID-19 Updates" page of the parish website for updates.

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God. Born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light

We pray for those who are ill in our community...

Roberta Thurston

Josefina Garcia

Barbara Soria

Liz Vugrinecz

Ethan Aronson

John Fortes

...that they may be comforted by the loving embrace of Jesus.

And for those who have recently passed away including...

Eddie Burke

...that they may be welcomed into the loving embrace of Jesus.

STAFF DIRECTORY

Pastor, Fr. Dave Ghorso

frdave@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2015

Parochial Vicar, Fr. Samuel Musiimenta

650-366-9544 x 2015

Hospital Chaplain, Fr. Malachi Theophilus

Parish Life Coordinator, Deacon Rich Foley

rich@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2016

Deacon David Rolandelli

david@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544

Deacon George Salinger

Pastoral Associate, Sabrina Harper

sabrina@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2021

Parish Administrative Assistant, Lisa Bamford

lisa@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2010

Bookkeeper, Fran Mylod

fran@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2011

Music Director, Randall Watts

randall@stmatthiasparish.org

650-366-9544 x 2013

Preschool Director, Rosemary Juarez

rosemary@stmatthiasparish.org

650-367-1320

Preschool Administrative Assistant, Gigi Casey

gigi@stmatthiasparish.org

St. Matthias Church is open Monday-Thursday

from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm for personal prayer, or individual Church tours. We ask that you use the provided Clorox wipes to sanitize the areas that you have come in contact with before leaving.

from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS

October 3rd — 5:00 pm Daniel Schorr (+)

October 4th — 9:30 am Al Piparo (+)

October 10th — 5:00 pm Patricia Beckett (+)

October 11th — 9:30 am Al Piparo (+)

October 17th — 5:00 pm Richard Marino (+)

October 18th — 9:30 am Paul & Maria Dolores Falzon (+)

October 24th — 5:00 pm Sam Masci (+)

October 25th — 9:30 am Bruce Paris (+)

***The Sunday 9:30 am Mass will be celebrated outdoors until the weather dictates a change. At that time, 9:30 am Mass will move into the Church.**

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

St. Matthias Community News & Upcoming Events



Feast of St. Francis

Blessing of the Animals - October 4th

On Sunday, October 4th St. Matthias will celebrate the Feast of St. Francis with a blessing of animals at the Sunday 9:30 am outdoor Mass.

**St. Matthias Preschool is
Now Enrolling 3 to 5 year olds.
Contact Rose Juarez**

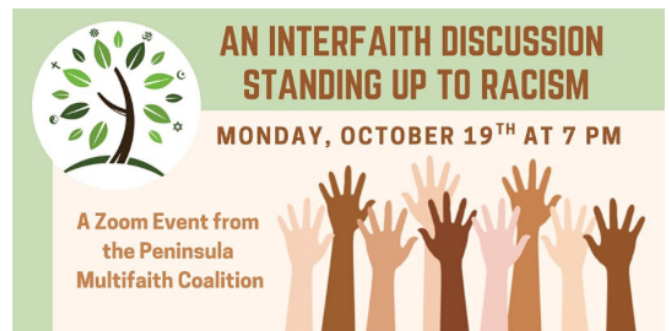


rosemary@stmatthiasparish.org for enrollment information.

St. Charles/St. Matthias Parish Pals

St. Charles & St. Matthias Parish Pals are parishioners who reach out and chat with parish seniors via weekly phone calls, creating connections and catching up within this pandemic situation. A simple conversation brings smiles and joyful anticipation for the next opportunity to chat. If you would like to volunteer to be a Parish Pal, or if you would like to receive a phone call from a Parish Pal, please contact Kathy Fagliano at 650-591-7349 ext. 402 or e-mail her at

kfagliano@stcharlesparish.org.



An Interfaith Discussion Standing Up to Racism

Will be hosted by Peninsula Multifaith Coalition (of which St. Matthias is a member) on Monday, October 19th at 7:00 pm. This Zoom event will feature speakers: Rev. Kristi Denham - UCC

Pastor, April Vargas - Community Organizer,
Kelly You & Alex Iliopoulou - Coalition Z, a
youth organization promoting positive change
and be moderated by Rabbi Corey Helfand.

Visit <https://pmc-standupto-racism.eventbrite.com>

Peninsula Multifaith Coalition Teen Service Project

Monday, October 12th from 9:30 am to noon.
Ages 12+ Do something good and have fun
while keeping socially distanced. For details
and registration visit [https://www/
eventbrite.com/e/teen-beach-clean-up-
tickets-121988931177](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/teen-beach-clean-up-tickets-121988931177)

Questions? Contact jennjacob@gmail.com

Thank You to our Annual Appeal Donors

Our Annual Appeal Assessment for 2020 is
\$67,431. To date, we have received 59.74% of
our goal, or \$40,227. We are grateful for those
who have contributed including:

Bob & Lynda Allen, Bruce & Teresa Anthony, Jon & Lisa Bamford, Cherell Bassett, Tom & Lynda Brouchoud, Bill & Debbie Bulanti, Sal & Robin Calcagno, Jair & Rosemary Campos, Bayardo & Gloria Chamorro, Andrew & Christine Chrystal, Karl & Vivian Clausing, Bill & Cheryl Clawson, Lois Conti, Laurie Coulter, Al & Carol Cresta, Mary Monihan & Mariano Dagang, Francesca DaGragnano, Colton & Jeri Daines, Paxton & Carol Davis, Jim & Marilyn Donnelly, Evie Dwyer, Vince & Denise Falzon, Claire Felong, Roger & Carol Flores, Roger S. & Arlene Flores, Tommie Fogliani, Nancy Galli, Lou & Fran Giannattasio, Charles & Mira Gillet, Steve & Shirley Grana, Laura & John Granucci, Mike & Karen Guidotti, Andrew & Maureen Hamer, Diana Hill, Carmella Huser, Greg & Ginette Jones, Joe & Kathleen Kaz, Bill & Gloria Keating, Jason & Fara Klein, Frances Jean Kucic, Craig & Diane Largent, Al & Maria Larrenaga, Sean Leddy, Russell Lee, Anthony & Sandi Machado, Lance Magee, Thomas & Virginia Malaspina, Bill & Angeli Maney, Laura Markman, Keith & Natalie Marshall, Carol McAdams, Sharon McQueen, Robert & Marge Mitchell, Severin Morger, Bruce & Diane Noriega, Mark & Stephanie Niu, Linda O'Keeffe, Sue Panelli, Jay Parashis, Elaine Piparo, Enrica Poggio, Brian & Ann Ponty, Mary Peruzzo, Susan Rawcliffe, Steve Rusconi, Jerry & Katherine Schembri, Adelaide Sciandri,

Joseph Schmidt, Bill & Mary Schorr, Pam Segale, Dave & Kate Severin, Mary Shea, Joseph Sheehan, Edmund So, Jim & Betty Steidel, Vivian Tarango, Liana Turchet, Jerry & Marina Turner, Tony & Ali Uccelli, Hal Urban, Tim & Sunshine Valderrama, Jacqueline Carter Walker, Joe & Christina Yanacek

Your donations help to ensure that we can meet our obligations to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal!

Special Thanks to our Electronic and Regular Donors

St. Matthias would like to thank the approximately thirty families who are currently giving electronically and those who continue to make weekly or monthly donations either by dropping off checks or envelopes in collection baskets at Mass or by mailing donations to the parish office. Your consistent giving does not go unnoticed in the parish office. Each month our parish receives a steady and predictable stream of income from those donors who have made the commitment to give to God first by having designated contributions automatically transferred to the parish through our Online Giving Program. During this time of uncertainty caused by the global pandemic, St. Matthias is grateful for all who continue to support the parish. If you would like to learn more about online giving which is safe, easy and secure, please contact Lisa Bamford at 366-9544 or lisa@stmatthiasparish.org or check out our website at [www.stmatthiasparish.org/
SupportUs/Online](http://www.stmatthiasparish.org/SupportUs/Online)

Diabetes Empowerment Education Program (DEEP)

Mills-Peninsula Senior Focus will be offering a FREE VIRTUAL evidence-based Diabetes Empowerment Education Program (DEEP) on Thursdays, October 15 through November 19, from 2:30 - 4:30 pm. Anyone 60 years of age or older, living with diabetes or pre-diabetes is welcome to attend. It is not a requirement to be a Mills-Peninsula patient. The program involves a six-week, two-hour per week

commitment. Over the course of the workshop series the older adult will learn about diabetes/pre-diabetes and the impact of a healthy lifestyle.

Registration is required to participate and is offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Call (650) 696-7663 to enroll. DEEP is a community-benefit program funded by Mills-Peninsula Senior Focus and San Mateo County Aging and Adult Services.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday

Monday: Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos

Tuesday: St. Bruno; Bl. Marie Rose Durocher

Wednesday: Our Lady of the Rosary

Friday: St. Denis and Companions.;
St. John Leonardi

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

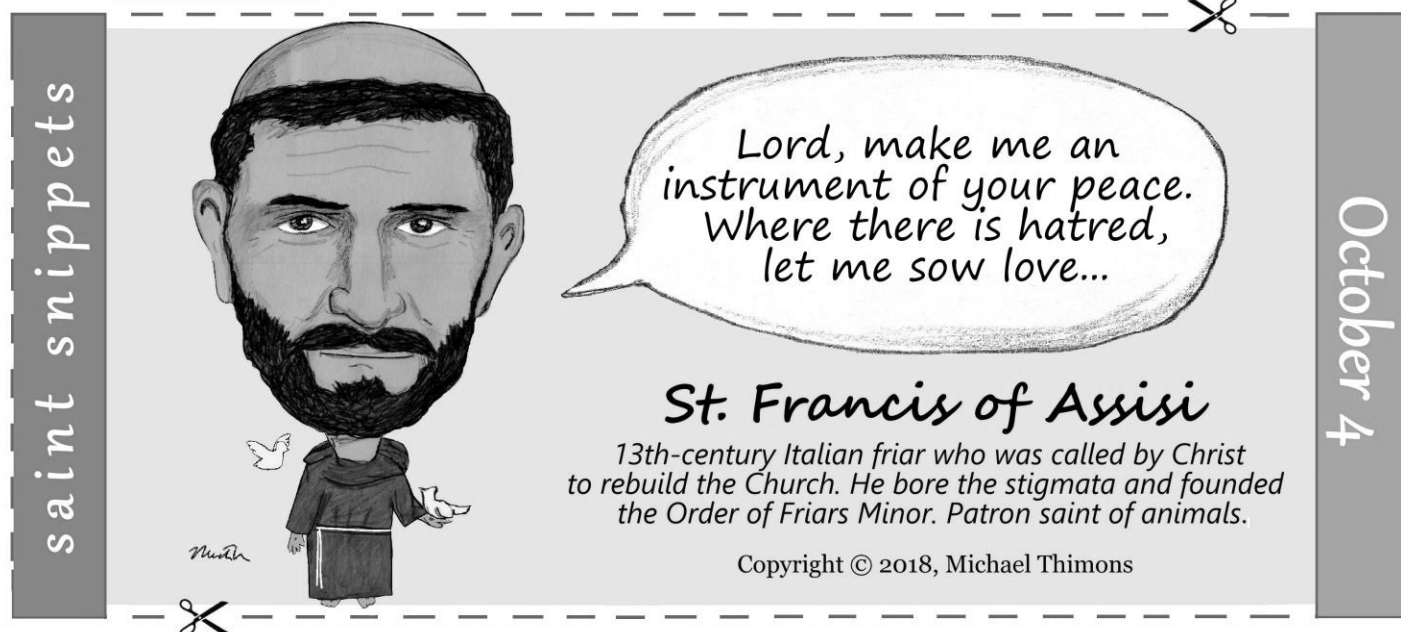
Saint Francis of Assisi (1182-1226)

October 4

When Franco Zeffirelli's *Brother Sun, Sister Moon* was released (1972), people were shocked by the movie's graphic nudity in the dramatic conversion scene. Son of a wealthy

merchant, Francis' aimless adolescence ended when a failed military expedition led to his imprisonment and complete breakdown. Once home, Francis rediscovered God in the beauty of nature and the ugliness of human suffering, caring for lepers, praying in the little church of San Damiano, whose crucified Jesus he heard calling, "Repair my house, Francis, which is falling into ruins." Francis sold his possessions—and his father's—to fulfill this command. When his father objected, Francis disrobed: "I return the clothes, your name, and all you gave me: God alone is my Father now." Later, the pope would dream of a ragged friar stretching forth a single hand to prop up the crumbling papal Cathedral of Saint John Lateran. Francis indeed helped rebuild the universal Church, founding the Friars Minor (Franciscans), dying at a young forty-four, bearing the stigmata of the Christ whose living icon he remains—in the Church and far beyond it.

—Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



The graphic features a central illustration of St. Francis of Assisi, a man with a beard and a shaved head, wearing a dark habit. He is holding a small white dove in his right hand. To his right is a large speech bubble containing the text: "Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. Where there is hatred, let me sow love...". Below the illustration and speech bubble is the text: "St. Francis of Assisi" followed by a description: "13th-century Italian friar who was called by Christ to rebuild the Church. He bore the stigmata and founded the Order of Friars Minor. Patron saint of animals." At the bottom of the graphic is the copyright notice: "Copyright © 2018, Michael Thimons". The graphic is framed by a dashed line with scissors at the corners, and has vertical bars on the left and right sides. The left bar contains the text "saint snippets" and the right bar contains "October 4".

William R. Conklin
ATTORNEY AT LAW

- Estate Planning
- Living Trusts
- Business Law
- Real Estate Law



(650) 361-1163
333 Twin Dolphin Dr. #230-A
Redwood City, CA 94065

ONE PARISH

Grow in your faith, find a Mass, and connect with your Catholic Community with OneParish!



Download Our Free App or Visit
www.MY.ONEPARISH.com

GRAY'S PAINT STORES

SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITIES AND PARISH FOR OVER 35 YEARS

REDWOOD CITY • BURLINGAME
MENLO PARK • BELMONT



FINDaPARISH.com

Check It Out Today!

The Most Complete Online National Directory of Catholic Parishes

MAJOR LEAGUE SERVICE!

From backyards to big leagues, count on me to be there. I can help you get the coverage you need and the discounts you deserve.



John W McAfee CLU ChFC CPCU, Agent
Insurance Lic#: 0E37462
734 Woodside Rd
Redwood City, CA 94061
Bus: 650-260-2532




State Farm, Home Office, Bloomington, IL

Donate your vehicle to help those in need!

Learn more at www.svdpsm.org
Or call 1-800-322-8284 open 7 days a week

Get a tax deductible receipt & help our neighbors in need!
Society of St. Vincent de Paul of San Mateo County



Dehoff's Key Markets

Key Quality Meats
Farm Fresh Produce
Friendly Service

1063 Upton Street
Redwood City
(650) 365-5190
www.dehoffskeymarket.com

Grow Your Business, Advertise Here.
Support Your Church & Bulletin.
Free professional ad design & my help!

email: kwiatkowskim@jupaluch.com www.jupaluch.com



Call Marcy Kwiatkowski

925.239.1401

catholicmatch[®] California



CatholicMatch.com/myCA

relevant radio

1260 AM

America's Catholic Talk Radio Network



Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY.

Catholic Cruises and Tours (GST 2117990-70)
Catholic Cruises and Tours
and The Apostleship of the Sea
of the United States of America

Catholic Cruises/Tours to Worldwide Destinations

Call us today at 860-399-1785 or email
eileen@CatholicCruisesandTours.com
www.CatholicCruisesandTours.com





519127 St Matthias Church

www.jupaluch.com

Crippen & Flynn

Woodside Chapel
400 Woodside Road
Redwood City, CA 94061
Al Stanley, parishioner
(650) 369-4103
FD 879



Carlmont Chapel
1111 Alameda de las Pulgas
Belmont, CA 94002
Family owned & operated
(650) 595-4103
FD 1825