



# The Holy Eucharist

## THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00 a.m. Sunday, May 21, 2017

*Newcomers and visitors, we welcome you warmly.  
May you find here, by the grace of God, that which feeds your soul.  
May you leave here with a heart prepared to serve.*



*If this is your first time here, or your first time back in a while,  
we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card found in your pew  
and put it in the offering plate.*

PRELUDE

*Prière à Notre-Dame*

Léon Boëllmann  
1862-1897

all stand

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

God is love, let heaven adore him

*Hymnal, #379*

**OPENING ACCLAMATION**

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen!

People **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia.**

**THE COLLECT FOR PURITY**

all pray together

**Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**GLORIA**

Harold Darke

*sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir*

1888-1976

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**PRAYER FOR THE INTERIM TIME** all pray together

**O Loving God, giver of all good things, be present with us and our vestry as we seek our next Rector. Lovingly guide them as they select a faithful pastor, patient teacher and wise councilor to lead us in the way of your Son. Instill in all of us a vision of a family of faithful servants that, guided by your Holy Spirit, is renewed by hope, united in love, and joyful in pursuing our mission here on earth. In the name of the risen Christ, our mediator and our redeemer, we pray. Amen.**

**P**aul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, “Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way. For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, ‘To an unknown god.’ What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. For ‘In him we live and move and have our being’; as even some of your own poets have said, ‘For we too are his offspring.’ Since we are God’s offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.”

Reader     The Word of the Lord  
 People     **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 66:7-18

*Jubilate Deo*  
*sung by St. Mary’s Parish Choir*

Samuel Wesley  
 1766-1837

## SECOND READING

1 Peter 3:13-22

**N**ow who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence. Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God’s will, than to suffer for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey,

when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you-- not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

Reader    The Word of the Lord

People    **Thanks be to God.**

## SEQUENCE HYMN

Love's redeeming work is done

*Hymnal, #188*

verses 1-2, before the Gospel; verse 3, after the Gospel

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

all stand

John 14:15-21

Response after the Deacon introduces the Gospel    **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

**J**esus said, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

"I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

Response at the end of the Gospel reading    **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## THE SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Paula Nesbitt

## THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*The Nicene Creed*

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again 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.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Leader Risen Christ, in the hope of the resurrection we pray.

Brief silence to collect prayers.

Leader We pray for the Church: direct its leaders and enliven us for its mission.

People **Christ is risen that we all might be one.**

Leader We pray for the world: lead us and every people into ways of justice and peace.

People **Christ is risen that all may act with integrity and courage.**

Leader We pray for creation: awaken in us a sense of wonder for the earth and all that is in it.

People **Christ is risen that the purposes of all creation might be fulfilled.**

Leader We pray for this community: Give grace to all whose lives are linked with our own.

People **Christ is risen that we might serve and love one another as God loves us.**

Leader We pray for those who have died: grant them eternal rest, and comfort those who mourn.

People **Christ is risen that the sting of death is overcome.**

Leader For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

The Deacon offers prayers and thanksgivings from the St. Mary's Prayer List and invites the congregation to add theirs.

Deacon God of Promise and God of Hope, who has granted us new birth through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, we praise your wonderful name! You have given us new strength to endure all things through faith in Christ our risen King, we praise your wonderful name! **Amen.**

## THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.  
People **And also with you.**

## GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

If Ye Love Me

Thomas Tallis

*sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir*

If ye love me,  
keep my commandments.  
And I will pray the Father,  
and he shall give you another comforter,  
that he may 'bide with you forever;  
E'en the spirit of truth;

- St. John

### DOXOLOGY WITH ALLELUIAS:

all stand

tune: *Lasst uns erfreuen*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise him, all creatures here below.**

**Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Praise him above, ye heavenly host:**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

**Alleluia, Alleluia,**

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

## SANCTUS

Darke

*sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir*

The people stand or kneel, as the Celebrant continues...

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said:

“Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made. In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

remain standing

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

## AGNUS DEI

Darke

*sung by St. Mary's Parish Choir*

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance  
that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with  
thanksgiving.

## THE INVITATION

All who desire to know God are invited to receive the consecrated Bread and Wine.  
If you prefer, gluten-free wafers are available. Please let the clergy know.  
You may also receive a blessing instead of bread and wine by crossing your arms over your chest.

## COMMUNION HYMN

My God, thy table now is spread

*Hymnal, #321*

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

all pray together

**God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation;  
you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of  
your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue  
for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**



## SENDING OF THE EUCHARISTIC VISITOR \*

Celebrant N., in the name of this parish family, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to \_\_\_\_\_. Together we share in the body and blood of Christ.

People **Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share one bread and one cup.**

\* when appropriate

## THE BLESSING

May the blessing of the God of Abraham and Sarah, and of Jesus Christ born of our sister Mary, and of the Holy Spirit, who broods over the world as a mother over her children, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

Lord, whose love through humble service

*Hymnal, #610*

## DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## POSTLUDE

Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals

Sigfrid Karg-Elert  
1877-1933

*As a courtesy to those who wish to continue in prayer or listen to the postlude,  
please exit quietly and join in fellowship in the courtyard.  
We request that there be no applause after the postlude.  
Thank you.*

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# Announcements at St. Mary the Virgin

## WELCOME VISITORS & GUESTS

We are delighted that you chose to worship with us.  
We hope to be in an ongoing and holy relationship with you in the days and years to come.  
Let us know how we can be of service to you. May God bless you and all whom you love.

**Please fill out a welcome card and put it in the offering plate,**  
or give it to one of the ushers or clergy. We are happy to add you to our email list  
so you can keep up with the programs, activities, and news of St. Mary's.

**Restrooms** are located at the end of the breezeway next to Fowler Hall.

**St. Mary's Nursery** is located off that same breezeway.

### CHILD CARE

The nursery is open for all children up to age three whose parents would like to attend the 9:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. services. Please contact Jackie Schroeder with any questions: [jackie@smvsf.org](mailto:jackie@smvsf.org)

### MUSIC FOR THIS SUNDAY

This morning the choir will sing Harold Darke's setting of the Mass; We have been using this joyful setting throughout Eastertide as a way of lifting up the feast of the Resurrection, which we observe every Sunday in the Christian year, with greater emphasis during the season of Easter. The anthem we will sing by Thomas Tallis, a foremost English Renaissance composer, comes directly from St. John's gospel, wherein Jesus calls us to be his Apostles. In my mind's eye, the Gospel of St. John is one in which we are invited into the profound love of God, and this motive appears frequently and distinctly in this particular Gospel. The hymns we sing this morning were very simply chosen to echo this call to love one another and to love God as God has loved us.

*-Eric Choate, Interim Director of Music*

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Because this is the weekend of the Parish Retreat we're missing a few Sunday School teachers. For that reason we'll have a special activity in the Great Room. The Pre-School children will go to their classroom as usual with no changes at all--same time, same place. The kindergarten and first through sixth graders will go to the Great Room at the usual dismissal time for a batch of activities led by Lisa Reynolds.

Reminder: There will be **no Sunday School classes next week**, Memorial Day weekend.

*-Nancy Clark, Sunday School Director*

### YOUTH GROUP

**Mission Trip:** We have begun fundraising for the Youth Mission Trip to **Marvell, Arkansas**. Our **goal** is to raise **\$8000.00** this year, and we are confident that you all will be able to support us. Beyond buying delicious baked goods in the courtyard, please donate a larger amount through the Church website:

**<http://smvsf.org/donation/>** Thank you for all of your continued support for our Youth!

**Today** the Youth Group is at the Parish Retreat! If you missed out this year, plan to bring your family to this awesome event next year!  
*-Michael Stafford, Youth Minister*

### EXPANDED HOSPITALITY AT COFFEE HOUR

Many people have commented on how much they enjoyed having food at the coffee hours following our Sunday Services. If you are interested in bringing cookies, cakes, fruit, and other such snacks a sign up sheet to indicate your willingness will be located on the Welcome Table in the Courtyard. Just sign up for the date and the time you will be bringing treats.

*-Josie McGann*

### NAN SLAVIN GRADUATES

#### FROM THE SCHOOL FOR DEACONS

We are thrilled that parishioner Nan Slavin is graduating from the School for Deacons. Our parish has supported Nan in her discernment to become a deacon, with a Local Discernment Committee, a scholarship, and prayers. Now we get to help celebrate with her by going to her graduation **today**, at **4:00 p.m.** It's in All Saints Chapel at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, 2451 Ridge Road, in Berkeley. A reception will follow. Everyone is invited.  
*-Fr. Don Brown*

### ADULT

#### CONFIRMATION/INQUIRER'S CLASS

#### A REFESHER CLASS FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO BRUSH UP ON EPISCOPAL BASICS

The class meets **today** from **12:30 p.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m.** Today's class includes discussions on **Anglican moral theology**.  
*-Fr. Don Brown*

### FAITH IN ACTION UPDATES

How do you feel called to live out your faith in the world? How should St. Mary's engage with the community around us? What is keeping you up at night? The St. Mary's Faith in Action team invites you to join one of our exploration groups to engage with the above questions and get to know each other more deeply. These groups are part of our congregation-wide discernment process to help shape our work with our community. We are doing this in partnership with the interfaith organization Faith in Action, which guides congregations in their own explorations and facilitates community engagement. If you missed attending a session but would like to know more, please email Margaret Stafford at [mpstafford@gmail.com](mailto:mpstafford@gmail.com). We look forward to this exploration process!

### CANDLELIGHT CONCERT PRESENTS

#### THALEA STRING QUARTET

"Thalea never failed to deliver a stirring performance." – *Calgary Herald*

**Join us on Saturday, May 27 at 6:00 p.m.**

Formed in 2014 at the Zephyr International Chamber Music Festival in Courmayeur, Italy, the Thalea String Quartet has been praised for their "vibrant performance" and "sincere expressivity" (SF Classical Voice). The quartet has performed recitals in Italy, the United States and Canada and was recently appointed as the first quartet-in-residence at the San Francisco Conservatory of Music. They were named one of the "Top 10 Bay Area Quartets You Should Know" by CultureTrip.com and were the recipients of the 2016 Barbara Fritz Chamber Music Award from the Berkeley Piano Club. They made their debut at the Kennedy Center in Washington, DC in early 2016. The Thalea

String Quartet have been featured on KDFC's The State of the Arts with Jeffrey Freymann and have performed on the program 'Revolutions per Minute', hosted by Bay Area Pianist Sarah Cahill on KALW.

*-Eric Choate, Interim Music Director*

### **BIKE/WALK TO CHURCH MAY 28**

On **Sunday, May 28** St. Mary's will join other faith communities in the Bay Area marking "**Walk & Bike to Worship**" activities taking place for several days at the end of May and the first week of June. We will announce this blessing on a banner on the side of the church and hopefully some of our neighbors will join us for this service of blessings. We will be blessing bikes, riders and walkers at all three Sunday services.

This is open to adults as well as children. I hope many of you who bike will either ride your bike or transport it to St. Mary's (since many of you live too far away to actually ride to church). Please feel it is perfectly fine to wear your biking apparel to church on that Sunday when we will bless bikes, riders and walkers of all ages. Children can bring their bikes or tricycles or scooters.

Those of you who are walkers are also encouraged to come in your walking attire.

**I am looking for some additional volunteers to help with logistics on the 28th at the 8 am and 11 am services.** If you'd be willing to help please **email me** at **don@smvsf.org** and I'll contact you. *-Fr. Don Brown*

### **DIOCESAN CONFIRMATION**

Join in a Diocesan-wide celebration of Confirmation at Grace Cathedral on **Saturday, June 3 at 10:00 a.m.** St. Mary's will joyfully present a large contingent for Confirmation. Please come and support

those who have been preparing to make a deeper commitment to their faith.

*-Natalie Hala*

### **CHORAL EVENSONG**

#### **FOR THE FEAST OF THE VISITATION**

Please join in the celebration of The Feast of the Visitation of Mary with her cousin Elizabeth at a service of **Choral Evensong** on **Thursday, June 1 at 6:30 p.m.** in the church. This is the second of a series of Marian Evensongs that are planned for throughout the liturgical year.

*-Eric Choate, Interim Director of Music*

### **SAN FRANCISCO INTERFAITH**

#### **RAMADAN IFTAR DINNER**

On Thursday, **June 1, at 7:00 p.m.** at **Calvary Presbyterian Church** on Fillmore our parish will be co-sponsoring, along with Calvary and other neighboring faith communities, the annual San Francisco Ramadan Interfaith Iftar dinner. It is an enriching opportunity to be in community with our Muslim, Christian, Jewish, and Buddhist sisters and brothers and to help celebrate the Iftar dinner which breaks the daily fast during the Muslim holy month of Ramadan. Delicious Iftar food will be served, and we will have an opportunity to meet others from different faiths. The evening will also feature a presentation on Ramadan and its importance to the Muslim faithful. Last year, ten parishioners from St. Mary the Virgin attended the event. It was a memorable evening of community and interfaith understanding for all who attended. We're hoping that even more parishioners from St. Mary's will attend and have a similar experience this year!

There is no charge to attend. Please **RSVP** at **pacificainstitute-sf.eventbrite.com** **no later than May 29!** If you have any questions, please contact **Deacon Tim Smith** at **tim@smvsf.org** or **415.921.3665, ext. 352.** *-Deacon Tim Smith*

### NEWCOMER RECEPTION

On **Sunday, June 11**, between **2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Deacon Tim Smith and his wife Ilia will be hosting a reception for newcomers at their house at **945 Bay St., San Francisco.** This will be a special opportunity for newcomers in an intimate and casual setting to become acquainted with other newcomers, members of the clergy, and other parishioners and to learn more about the parish and its ministries in the community. If you're not sure whether you are still a newcomer, please come anyway! Children are welcome! Parking is available in the neighborhood. Please **RSVP** at your earliest convenience but **no later than Sunday, June 4**, to **Deacon Tim** at **tim@smvsf.org**. If you have questions, please contact any member of the clergy.

### VISITING CHOIR FROM CAMBRIDGE

We are very excited to be hosting the **Chapel Choir of Selwyn College, Cambridge** this summer, when they will be singing a choral Mass for us and combine with our own Parish Choir for an evensong. It will be such a special exchange and a real treat for us to hear one of the absolute finest choirs in the OxBridge system. **We are still looking for housing for about ten students for four nights.** It doesn't involve much at all- a few meals, a clean bed, and a ride to and from pick up and drop off locations each day.

They will be here the nights of **July 13-16.** If you have a spare room and can take on a couple students, it would be very much appreciated. I can speak from personal experience that this is a wonderful exchange for both the students and the hosts. Please consider this opportunity, and don't hesitate to call with any questions. **415.921.3665 x 310** or email **eric@smvsf.org**.

### OUR FOOD BASKET

Our food basket, located in the Narthex, is always "open for business." When you grocery shop or clean out your pantry shelf, keep in mind that many of our community service organizations depend upon donations of non-perishable food items to prepare and feed folks who are in need. The items are delivered to reputable agencies such as St. Paulus Lutheran Church, Larkin St. Youth, food banks and other community-based programs. St. Mary's knows how to reach out, and your generosity is doubled when given so freely to others in need. Thank you! *-Deacon Nancy Bryan*

### LOST & FOUND

Have you lost something at St. Mary's? Misplaced your sweater, keys, book, hat? Upstairs in our Volunteer Office is a lost and found plastic bin. Please feel free to look in it for your lost items or call the church office at **415.921.3665.**

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## LAY WORSHIP MINISTRY

**Altar Guild:** *Erika Coughlan, Jerry Lehman, Gloria Galindo, Lee Walsh*

**Eucharistic Visitors:** *Jan Bolles, Steve White, David Gibson*

**Flowers:** *Victoria Sutton, Barbara Addeo*

### 8:00 a.m. service

**Chalice Bearer:** *John Hayashi*

**Usher:** *Mary Hill*

### 9:00 a.m. service

**Chalice Bearers:** *Rob Carrol, Jim Griffith, Debbie Veatch*

**Lector:** *Angela Grove*

**Prayer Leader:** *Betty Hood-Gibson*

**Ushers:** *Jerry George, Rick Darwin, Wells Blaxter*

**Acolytes**

**First Crucifer:** *Ellie Boyden*

**First Torch Bearers:** *Jake Boyden, Chase Mack*

**Second Crucifer:** *Caroline Parkinson*

**Second Torch Bearers:** *Seda Perry, Lily Peta*

**Servers:** *Ben Boyden, Margaret Veatch*

### 11:00 a.m. service

**Chalice Bearers:** *Roulhac Austin, Bruce McClatchy, Iliia Smith*

**Lector:** *Georgene Keeler*

**Prayer Leader:** *Kim Regan*

**Ushers:** *Peter Musto, Tom Austin, Ron Clark*

Printed lay schedule is as of deadline time - Tuesday at noon.

## We Pray For...

### ***PARISHIONERS, RELATIVES and FRIENDS***

Clareanne Herman  
Loretta Van Vleck  
Eleanor Lefferts  
Sandy Hamilton  
Linda Wood  
Lucile Lansing  
Anne Halsted  
Erika Coughlan  
Philip White  
Marcie White  
Canon Stefani Schatz  
The Tate Family

### ***CONTINUING CONCERNS***

Roy Brichard  
Mason Brown  
Mitch Graham  
Bob Mittelstadt  
Pat Okimoto  
Kerry Reed and Family  
Matt Sowick  
Joan Toto  
Lisa Vance  
Rebecca Wardell  
The Community at the Heritage  
The Community of St. Francis  
The Presidio Gate residents  
The CASA foster children  
Nick  
Carol Hughes  
Becky and Tom Claypool  
Jill

### ***DISCERNMENT OF MINISTRY***

Kathleen Bean  
Nan Slavin  
Stephanie Lehman

### ***RECENTLY DECEASED***

Steele Christian Caine-Gottschalk  
Emily Gable  
Wilma Marshall  
Shelli Dade Fleming  
Ron Ennis  
The Rev. John K. King  
Archbishop George Niederauer  
Erminio Joseph Peta  
Jane Lewis

### ***GLOBAL CONCERNS***

For those who suffer from loneliness and isolation.

For displaced peoples who live among us and seek safety, justice, and opportunity.

### ***THANKSGIVING***

For all those participating in the Parish Retreat this weekend.

### ***TO SUBMIT PRAYER REQUESTS***

Names may be submitted to our prayer request email at [prayfor@smvsf.org](mailto:prayfor@smvsf.org) or by filling out a **YELLOW** prayer card and placing it in the offering plate. Names will remain on the prayer list for **two weeks** and may be re-submitted.

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