

St. Aloysius Roman Catholic Church

St. Mary Star of the Sea Roman Catholic Church



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Sunday Masses/Misas Dominicales

Saturday Vigil/ Sábado Vigilia

5:00 p.m. (Español) Gualala

7:00 p.m. (Español) Point Arena

Sunday/ Domingo

9:00 a.m. (English) Point Arena

11:00 a.m. (English) Gualala

Daily Masses / Misas Ordinarias

Wednesday & Friday, 9:00 a.m. (English)
Gualala

Thursday 9:00 a.m. (English) Point Arena
Jueves 7:00pm (Spanish) St. Aloysius

Devotions/Devociones

Holy Hour:

Thursday 7:00 p.m. St. Aloysius

Hora Santa:

Jueves a las 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation/Reconciliación

Thursday During Holy Hour

Baptism/Bautismos

English: Scheduled after fulfilling preparation requirements. Please call the rectory.

Español: Se requiere tomar las pláticas pre-bautismales antes de programar la fecha de bautizo

Weddings/Matrimonios y Quinceañeras

Please Call (707) 882-1734

V Sunday Of Easter May 10, 2020



Teaching the Faith May month of the Virgin Mary

May is dedicated to the Virgin Mary, and the Church invites us to pray the Rosary in this prayer we join Mary the Mother of God and Our Mother to contemplate the Life of her Son.

Thus, in the Meditation on the Joyful Mysteries of the Holy Rosary we accompany Mary and Saint Joseph in the birth of Jesus, and we see how the Holy Family, obedient to the Old Testament law, observes the law of God. Likewise, in the contemplation of the Luminous mysteries we contemplate the public life of Jesus and his teachings.

In the Sorrowful mysteries we unite ourselves to the Virgin Mary to accompany our Lord Jesus Christ in his passion. Through the meditation of the Sorrowful mysteries we walk with Mary to the foot of the Cross. In the Contemplation of the Glorious Mysteries we unite ourselves to the joy of Mary as we contemplate the joy of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ her Son, and to the joy of the apostles as they experience the coming of the Holy Spirit. At the same time we join the joy of the heavenly court as we contemplate the assumption of our Mother the Virgin Mary into Heaven.

The Rosary is a prayer of great simplicity that leads us into the life of Jesus Christ, although it is distinguished by its Marian character, is a prayer centered in the life of Our Lord Jesus. In the Rosary we unite ourselves to Mary Our Mother who, through the Incarnation, received Jesus in her virgin womb. Every time we pray the Holy Rosary we join in the FIAT (let it be done to me according to your will) of the Virgin Mary, at the announcement of the Archangel Gabriel. (Luke 1:38).

In the Rosary, Mary teaches us to contemplate the face of Christ and invites us to experience the depth of his love for us. Through the recitation of the Holy Rosary we obtain abundant graces from God and receive them through the maternal hands of Mary, mother of Jesus Christ and our mother.

My brothers in Christ, in this month of May I invite all of you to open the doors of your home to the Blessed Virgin Mary, by reciting the Rosary as a family. She is the messenger who wants to make her Son known to us and wants us to receive the graces we need.

I invite you to entrust all your needs of body and soul to our Blessed Mother in the Holy Rosary so that she may instill in you the strength and grace that each of you needs. So, trusting that she

is our Mother, let us ask her to teach us to see her son with the eyes of Faith, so that we can say, FIAT (be done to me according to your word).

***Happy Mother's Day to all
mothers in our parish***



*May God Bless Your constant love and
dedication.*

Dear Parishioner(s):

Greetings to all of you in the Divine Will!

I hope and pray everyone is keeping healthy and safe. I want to share with you a fantastic new tool, called ParishSOFT Giving, which we will be using at St. Aloysius Parish and Mary Star of the Sea Mission in Gualala, to transform the Offering Process that we currently use. This will allow for donations, including weekly and monthly recurring gifts, to be done online with a credit card, debit card, or bank account.

This program is beneficial to you, as a parishioner, as it allows you to schedule donations and eases your need for remembering to bring your offering to Church every week. And it is also beneficial to our parish, as it allows for us to gain a clearer picture of our finances which will allow us to use our offering resources more effectively to support and operate both churches St. Aloysius and Mary Start of the Sea.

Sign up for our new online giving at: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/sta70s106> You can also find more information on how to get started by visiting our parish website: www.staloyusiuscatholicchurch.org and clicking on the online giving link.

The Community of St. Aloysius and Mary Star of the Sea mission thank you for your generosity, and for your continued support. May the Lord reward you abundantly.

We will remember you in our prayers.

Grace and Peace from God Our Father and the Lord Jesus be with you all.

+Fr. Barrera

Pastoral Administrator