



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

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SAINT MARGARET MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH**
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024
20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
(We offer the Mass Propers in the Parish Bulletin)

Dear Faithful,

On this Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost, we also celebrate the first Sunday of October, the month of the Holy Rosary. Our souls turn with special devotion therefore to Our Blessed Mother, in the knowledge that it is only through her that we can receive the grace of Her Divine Son, and His salvation. The daily recitation of the Rosary is such an excellent, even necessary, way of recalling the mysteries of the lives of Our Lord and Our Lady, and inflaming our hearts with divine love. Mary was constantly attentive to the needs of those around her, like the wedding guests at Cana. Canon Talarico reminds us of this in his October letter:

“To fully understand the joys of Easter and happiness of Heaven, we need ears better than our own. Our hearing does not suffice. Too often, we hear only what we want to hear. Stubbornness makes us want to listen only to ourselves...How often we are deaf to the needs of others!

Let us then resolve to be more faithful to the daily recitation of this powerful prayer! Each devout recitation of the Rosary will open our ears to discern what God wants for us. In each Hail Mary, Our Lady will be giving us the strength and the courage to do God’s Will in our daily life.”

Looking for a way to gain greater appreciation for Our Lady's Rosary during the month of the Most Holy Rosary? Join #RosaryReflections to receive a daily text message with a quote from a saint, or Our Lady herself, contemplating the glorious power of the recitation of the Holy Rosary: <https://institute.flocknote.com/rosaryreflects24>.

If you had a chance to visit the “capital city” of the **Holy Roman Church**, wouldn't you want to take it? Rome, the “Eternal City,” was consecrated to the Church by the blood of the Apostles themselves, Saint Peter, the first Pope, and the great St. Paul. The Pope has declared **2025 a Holy Year of Jubilee**, that is, one in which a **plenary indulgence** may be obtained (in addition to the usual conditions) by passing through the “Holy Door” of one of the four major Roman basilicas, these being St. Peter’s, St. John Lateran, St. Paul’s outside the Walls, and St. Mary Major. (Learn more on the topic of “Jubilee Year” in the “Did You Know?” column in Flocknote.)

Join Canon Benoît Jayr of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest on a **10-Day Holy Year Pilgrimage to Italy**, from May 6-15, including stops in Rome, Gricigliano (the Institute’s seminary), Siena, and others. For more information and to register: <https://stcharlespilgrimages.com/jayr>.

The monthly dinner for our Apostolate's Men's Group, the **Men of St. Joseph**, is **this Wednesday**, October 9 at 7:15 pm in Fr. Kozina Hall. Join us for a talk on the challenges and joys of living out our Catholic Faith in the world today, Q&A, and a delicious catered dinner. Catholic men need fraternity among themselves, so we hope to see you there! RSVP to Felipe Vásquez: MANofStJoseph@gmail.com or: 510-432-8995.

A Morning of Recollection for the **Society of the Sacred Heart** will take



Jesus' Healing of a Royal Official's Son

place **next Saturday**, October 12 from 11:30 am – 1:30 pm. If you are not yet a member of the Society but wish to understand more distinctly the Salesian and Benedictine spirituality of the Institute of Christ the King (and enjoy a delicious lunch!), this is the conference for you. Please **rsvp by tomorrow** at the latest: Monday, October 7 at 12 pm to: iconnick@pacbell.net.

The **Sisters Adorers of the Royal Heart**, the female religious branch of the Institute, continues to benefit from vocations sent by God! On October 16 at the Sisters’ conventual church in Naples, Italy, four novices will pronounce their first vows. On October 17, three postulants will receive the blue habit. Deo gratias! These women will spend their lives in prayer, work and sacrifice for your intentions; let us remember to say a prayer for them!

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be administered by Bishop Michael Barber on **Saturday, November 23 at 10 am** here at St. Margaret Mary’s. The Confirmations, which are anticipated to last roughly one hour (more or less) will begin at 10 am. The **Mass will follow** afterwards.

We hope to see you at the Sunday reception!

Wishing you a blessed Sunday,

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Date	Time	Mass of the Day	Celebrant	Intention
Sun. 10/6	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	20th Sunday after Pentecost <i>2nd Class / Green</i>	Canon Norman	Souls in Purgatory
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>			Cn. Jacob Wells
Mon. 10/7	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary <i>2nd Class / White</i>	Father Staal	Yvonne Giuseponi†
Tue. 10/8	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Requiem Mass <i>3rd Class / Black</i>	Canon Norman	Shawn Iver Chapel†
Wed. 10/9	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	St. John Leonardi, Confessor <i>3rd Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Mireya Rodrigues
Thurs. 10/10	12:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	St. Francis Borgia, Confessor <i>3rd Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Martha Gonzalez†
Fri. 10/11	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	The Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>2nd Class / White</i> <i>Adoration After Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Sarah Mills
Sat. 10/12	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	Saturday of Our Lady <i>4th Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Msgr. David Link
Sun. 10/13	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	21st Sunday after Pentecost <i>2nd Class / Green</i>	Canon Norman	Souls in Purgatory
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>			Albert Bocek†

SACRAMENTS

Confessions are heard 30 minutes before each Mass, and also during the Adoration after the 6 pm Mass each Friday. Please contact Canon Norman if you are in need of or have questions regarding reception of any of the Sacraments.

CATECHISM CLASSES

Weekly catechism classes online: Please contact Canon Norman to request the Zoom link.

Youth Class: Tuesdays at 4:00 pm

Adult Class: Saturdays, at 2:30 pm (**resumes October 19**)

Prospective Catholics: contact Canon

NB: *My Catholic Faith* is once again available for purchase!

Flocknote: Sign up at [icksopoakland.flocknote.com](https://www.icksopoakland.flocknote.com) or text "ICKSPOakland" to 84576

PRAYER LISTS *

For the sick:

Thomas Henriksson	Gigi Cunningham	Peter Trong Nguyen
Lianne Claver	Msgr. David Link	Steve Farinaro
Marianne Martinez	Angie Gonzalez	Eurydice Buenger
Sylvia Duenas	Catherine Willis	Fil Marquez
Joshua Nascimento	Rick Pawek	Catherine Duenas
Linda Richter	Lillian Jimenez	Diana Henriksson
Noe Perez	Tim Irving	Monica Roberts
LesleeRose Thomas		

For the repose of the souls of our beloved departed:

Nancy Duenas	Canon Fragelli	Ernest Jacob
Louisa Siu	Gabriel Fernandez	Camdan McWright
Mme. Guillemette de Guernon	Count Wolfgang von Waldstein	
Bernadette Moreau	Fr. Prokop Jozef Zboron, OCarM	
Thomas Apple	Alan Wong	Carole Jenkins
Fr. Alexander Snyder	Paulann Dymond	Sandra Weaver
Msgr. Luciano Giovanetti		<i>Requiescant in pace.</i>

***Prayer lists:** If you wish to add a name or revise an entry on the prayer lists, please send an email to oakland@institute-christ-king.org. A longer list of the Apostolate's faithful departed is attached to the weekly Flocknote. *Thank you!*

UPCOMING EVENTS AND LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

September 29 to October 7—Novena for Holy Vocations

October 7—Our Lady of the Holy Rosary

October 9—Men's Group Dinner, 7:15 pm in Fr. Kozina Hall, RSVP to Felipe Vásquez: MANofStJoseph@gmail.com or: 510-432-8995

October 12—Society of the Sacred Heart Recollection & lunch, 11:30am-1:30pm. Please rsvp to: iconnick@pacbell.net.

October 17—Feast of St. Margaret Mary, titular feast of this church

October 20— External Solemnity of St. Margaret Mary

HOLY YEAR PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY, MAY 6-15, 2025

Jubilee Year 2025! Visiting the Eternal City offers a uniquely Catholic experience. This pilgrimage to Italy offers you a deeply personalized experience that carries you back in time on an unforgettable journey that will include Italian culture, history, art, and culinary delights. Join us on this unforgettable experience where you will encounter beauty and forever be reminded of the greatness of Italy. Join Canon Benoît Jayr of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest on a 10-Day Holy Year Pilgrimage to Italy! <https://stcharlespilgrimages.com/jayr>.

SUNDAY SERMONS AND BULLETINS

Audio recordings of the Sunday sermons and digital copies of the Sunday bulletin can be found at the following links, respectively:

<https://institute-christ-king.org/oakland-sermons>

<https://institute-christ-king.org/bulletins-oakland>

SUPPORT THE RETREAT CENTER - FUNDRAISING DINNER

November 16th in Burlington, Wisconsin. All proceeds will go towards the restoration of Sacred Heart Retreat Center. If you cannot make the dinner but would like to donate to cover dinner expenses and help restore the Retreat Center, use the QR code. Thank you!



SUNDAY RECEPTION

We gather in the church hall every Sunday after the 12:30 Mass for refreshments and fellowship. **Please join us! Everyone is welcome!**