



NATIONAL SHRINE OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

SERVED BY THE CAPUCHIN FRANCISCANS

The Very Reverend John De La Riva, O.F.M. Cap., Rector

MOST REVEREND SALVATORE J. CORDILEONE, J.C.D.

ARCHBISHOP OF SAN FRANCISCO

July 1, 2018

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus said to the synagogue official,

“Do not be afraid. Just have faith.”

— *Mark 5:36*

MASS TIMES

MONDAY — SATURDAY:
12:15 PM

SUNDAY: 11:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

MONDAY—SATURDAY:
11:00 AM—12:00 Noon

Also by appointment

NATIONAL SHRINE HOURS

CHURCH: 10:00^{AM} - 5:00^{PM} MONDAY - SATURDAY

10:00^{AM} - 2:00^{PM} SUNDAY

OPEN CERTAIN HOLIDAYS

PORZIUNCOLA CHAPEL: 10:00^{AM} - 4:00^{PM} MONDAY - SATURDAY

10:00^{AM} - 2:00^{PM} SUNDAY

SATURDAYS IN THE CHAPEL:

HOLY ROSARY SODALITY AT 2:30^{PM} & CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY AT 3:00^{PM}

Baptism

- Contact the Shrine office for details

Marriages at the Shrine

- By special permission
- All inquiries: Please contact the Shrine office for Rector's initial assessment
- Note: Arrangements at least six months in advance

Church & Office: 610 Vallejo Street (at Columbus)

San Francisco, CA 94133

Office: (415) 986-4557 **Hours:** Mon. - Fri. 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Email: info@shrinesf.org **Website:** ShrineSF.org

ELEVATOR ACCESS: Please ask the Rector or one of our Shrine volunteers if you need assistance with our Main Church elevator, or automatic door for the Porziuncola Nuova chapel.

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living (*Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24*).

Psalms — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (*Psalms 30*).

Second Reading — Your abundance should supply the needs of the others (*2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15*).

Gospel — Your faith has saved you (*Mark 5:21-43 [21-24, 35b-43]*).

DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 50:16bc-23; Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday: *St. Thomas, Apostle*
Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 10:24-29

Wednesday: *St. Elizabeth of Portugal, St. Anthony Zaccaria*
Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Ps 50:7-13, 16bc-17; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: *St. Maria Goretti; First Friday*
Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: *First Saturday; B.V.M.*
Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 9:14-17

ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

First Saturday of every month

The next meeting is July 7 in the Shrine church

10:00am Open church

10:15am Begin

10:30am Relic Veneration

Padre Pio prayers

10:50am Exposition/Adoration;
Confession, Rosary

11:50am Benediction

12:15pm Holy Mass

Brief meeting after mass



All are welcome. Questions, call the Shrine office at (415) 986-4557, or email info@shrinesf.org

"MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK"

VOLUNTEERS: The Rector is looking for people willing and able to assist with light house-keeping: *(sweeping, dust mopping, mopping, emptying trash cans) for the Shrine church and chapel. It would be helpful to have regular assistance from volunteers from one to three times a week. If interested and would like more information - please contact the Shrine office by phone (415) 986-4557 or e-mail info@shrinesf.org.

Mass Intentions— JULY 1 to 7

Sunday	11:00 am	Gerald Gibson (<i>Intention</i>)
Monday	12:15 pm	† Pamala Lynn Crawford
Tuesday	12:15 pm	† Tomasa "Terry" De Vera
Wednesday	12:15 pm	Maidie Weisbarth (<i>Intention</i>)
Thursday	12:15 pm	† Tom Dusek
Friday	12:15 pm	† Loring E. Tocchini
Saturday	12:15 pm	† Samuel & Mary Rose Mantione

INDEPENDENCE DAY SCHEDULE

Wednesday, July 4

Shrine Church OPEN from 10am—1pm

Confessions: 11am—12pm

Holy Mass: 12:15pm

Doors close immediately after Mass

Porziuncola Nuova Chapel and Shrine office will be CLOSED



*Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception,
Patroness of the United States, pray for our nation!*

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION

For the month of July the Holy Father asks the faithful to especially remember:

Evangelization – Priests and their Pastoral Ministry

That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE A MASS SAID IN HONOR OR MEMORY OF SOMEONE?

Simply visit the Mass Intentions page of the Shrine website to find and request available dates and make offerings online:

<http://www.shrinesf.org/mass-intentions.html>

or, email or call the Shrine office— admin@shrinesf.org, (415) 986-4557.

Please provide: 1) the name of the person the Mass is for, 2) whether living or deceased, 3) your name and phone number, 4) your preferred date and we will try our best to accommodate, and 5) the suggested offering is \$10 for one Mass. Intentions can also be used to remember someone's birthday, anniversary, or other special occasion. Your donation is payable by credit card on the website. You may also mail cash or check (*payable to Capuchin Franciscan Order*) to the Shrine office.

Reflections on the Wisdom from St. Francis

by Fr. Bobby

"Behold, each day He humbles Himself as when He came from the royal throne into the Virgin's womb."
Admonition I.

Many in medieval Assisi were obsessed with the idea of "upward mobility." The important thing was to get ahead, to dominate others, whether through money, power, prestige, or popularity. Young Francis of Assisi was caught up in this dynamic. He wanted to change his status, to get ahead, to become greater than others, to be a "*maior*." Then he encountered the presence of God in a leper, and he learned something about Jesus: that He continued to humble Himself for our sake, that He was present in the lowly, the poor, the outcasts. It was the humility of God, shown in the Incarnation and continued in the Eucharist, that became Francis' model for how to live. Francis decided he would find meaning in life in "downward mobility," in learning to serve others as a lesser brother (a friar minor), and in this he encountered true happiness. God bless!

Fr. Robert Barbato, OFM Cap. is the Formation Director for the Capuchin Franciscans—Western America Province, and pastor of Old Mission Santa Inés in Solvang, CA.

STUDENTS AND NOVICES



Student Brothers Marvin Abella (left, kneeling before Provincial Fr. Harold Snider, OFM Cap.) and Niko Barth renewed their vows on June 15. Please keep them in your prayers!



Noted Catholic author and speaker Bishop Robert Barron of Los Angeles spent a day inspiring novices of both the Conventual and Capuchin Franciscans at the San Lorenzo Novitiate in Santa Ynez, California. Seated at the far right is our own Brother Austin Cambon, who is completing his year of novitiate.



In Praise and Thanksgiving to
Almighty God
The Order of Friars Minor Capuchin
Western America Province of
Our Lady of Angels
Joyfully announces and cordially
invites you to attend the

Profession of Simple Vows

of

Br. Austin Cambon, OFM Cap.

Saturday July 14, 2018
at 11:00 AM

Old Mission Santa Ines
1760 Mission Drive
Solvang, CA 93463

Please RSVP: joanne.tegge@yahoo.com or 805-350-0206

Reception to follow after the Ceremony







**26th Annual
Capuchin Golf
Tournament**
Monday, Sept. 24, 2018
Green Hills Country Club
Millbrae, CA
www.capuchinalgolf.com

ASSISI PARDON

PORZIUNCULA PARDON is always available under the conditions the Catholic Church has stipulated.

The conditions for receiving the Porziuncula Pardon are:

To receive the Porziuncula Indulgence, one must receive sacramental absolution and receive Holy Communion at Mass. Additionally, one must visit a church where one prays at least the Creed and an Our Father for the intentions of the Pope. Additionally, one must be completely free of any attachment to sin; if this condition is not met, the indulgence is partial rather than plenary.

At the National Shrine of St. Francis of Assisi, the Pardon of Assisi may be received on October 4th, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi (in the Shrine Church); on any two days of one's own choosing during the year (one day in the Church and one day in the Porziuncula Nuova); and as often as one makes a formal pilgrimage as part of a group to the Shrine Church or to the Porziuncula Nuova. (One may receive a plenary indulgence only once a day and it may be applied to oneself or to the soul of one of the faithfully departed.)

POPE FRANCIS TO NEW CARDINALS: 'KEEP THE FACES OF THE DISTRESSED BEFORE YOU'

Pope Francis reflects on Jesus' interaction with the disciples on the way to Jerusalem during the Consistory in which he created 14 new Cardinals.

(Vatican City; June 28, 2018) Pope Francis on Thursday invited the 14 new Cardinals to follow Jesus, to eliminate vain and self-centered discussion in the Church, in order to further the interests of the Father. He drew inspiration from the Gospel of Mark (10:32-45) read during the Ordinary Public Consistory.



Hearts revealed

The disciples are walking with Jesus to Jerusalem having just heard the prediction of his passion the third time. Jesus walks ahead of them. Pope Francis defines this moment as important and crucial, one in which "the heart can speak and reveal the intentions and tensions within us". The secrets hidden in the disciples' hearts begin to manifest themselves: "the quest for honours, jealousy, envy, intrigue, accommodation and compromise", Pope Francis said.

Hearts refocused

Jesus continues walking ahead without focusing on their pettiness. "The Lord tries to refocus the eyes and hearts of his disciples" by firmly saying "It shall not be so among you; whoever would be great among you must be your servant" (Mk 10:43). The Pope said Jesus gave us this principle to eliminate vain and self-centered discussions from the community of disciples in order to bring out the best in their hearts.

Hearts converted

Pope Francis continued saying Jesus' teaching is that of conversion. He said conversion allows the Church to seek the Father's, rather than personal, interests. The "moment of truth" happens when we come face to face with those in distress. Keeping their faces before us helps us carry out the Church's mission; losing sight of those faces we get bogged down "in the pursuit of our own interests and securities", the Pope said.

Hearts in service

In conclusion, Pope Francis reminded the new Cardinals that Jesus continues walking at their head. His example of washing the disciples' feet before "bowing his head on the cross", the Pope said, is the greatest honour to which the Cardinals are called.

This is the highest honour that we can receive, the greatest promotion that can be awarded us: to serve Christ in God's faithful people.

Sr. Bernadette Mary Reis, FSP ; Catholic News Agency

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Catholic Men's RETREAT

In Service To One, In Service To All



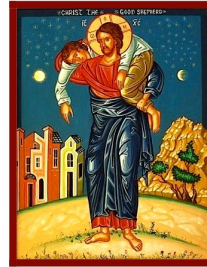
BE CONFIDENT, BE BOLD, WE NEED YOU TO STEP

"INTO THE BREACH"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 2018 8:00am – 3:00pm

"I am the Good Shepherd. A good Shepherd lays down his life for the Sheep."

John 10:11



Reverend Sebastine Tor
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Chaplain
Parochial Vicar Cathedral of
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Rev. Mr. R. Christoph
Sandoval
Facilitator
Deputy Grand Knight
Deacon
Cathedral of Saint Mary of the
Assumption

+PRAYER+COMMUNAL REFLECTION+HEALING+CELEBRATION+

Need to go deeper? Jesus tells us "Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch."

This retreat is designed for ALL CATHOLIC MEN—Husbands, Fathers, Sons, Brothers, Grandfathers, Grandsons, Uncles, Nephews, Cousins, Godfathers, Godsons, Widowers, Priests, Deacons, Religious Brothers, Seminarians, Veterans, Members of the Military and all men seeking God. Come and learn about the MANHOOD OF CHRIST--THE GOD MAN!

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

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National Shrine of
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Blessing of St. Francis of Assisi

"God bless you and keep you. May God smile on you, and be merciful to you; May God turn his regard towards you and give you peace. May God bless you."



Any and all signs, posters, fliers, pamphlets, booklets, etc. must be submitted to the Rector for review, possible edit or revision, and necessary authorization before the desired materials can be properly posted, displayed or distributed on the properties of the *National Shrine of St. Francis of Assisi. Furthermore, any and all Solicitation, petition signing, and promotion of any and all entities outside of the Nat'l. Shrine itself is prohibited without prior approval of the Shrine Rector. It is also Shrine Policy that the removal, altering, and or discarding of any and all approved signage, posters, pamphlets, booklets, etc. will be by Shrine Rector authorization only. Any and all materials that do not abide by this Policy of the Rector: Fr. John De La Riva, OFM Cap., will be removed and confiscated.

*Please note: The St. Francis Church, the Portiuncola Nuova Chapel, and the Rectory residence together constitute the properties of the National Shrine of St. Francis of Assisi.