

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

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14 DECEMBER, 2025 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SACRAMENTS AT THE CATHEDRAL

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY - FRIDAY, 7:30 AM; 12:10 PM

SATURDAY, 8:00 AM; 5:30 PM

SUNDAY, 7:30AM; 9AM; 11AM; 1PM (ESPAÑOL)

FIRST WEDS (TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS), 3:00 PM

12:10 AND 11AM MASSES LIVESTREAMED TO:

youtube.com/CathedralofStMaryoftheAssumption

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CONFESSION SCHEDULE

✠ (Daily) Mon-Fri, 11:30 to 12:00 Noon

✠ (Weekly) Saturdays, 4:00 to 5:00 pm

BAPTISM

INFANTS English Preparation: Third Wednesdays, 3:00 pm

English Baptisms: Second Sundays at 2:15 pm

Consult our Web Page: www.smcsf.org/parish/baptisms

BAUTIZO EN ESPAÑOL: Primer Domingo del Mes, 2:15 pm

Informes con Sofia Aguilar (415) 310-6142

OCIA FOR ADULTS OR SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN:

Contact Cathedral Office (415) 567-2020

FIRST COMMUNION

Cathedral Parishioners, contact our Office (415) 567-2020 x 200

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Informes con Rosario Morales (415) 988-5884

o Maria Sandoval

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5676 CONFIRMATION

Cathedral Parishioners, call Office (415) 567-2020x200

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MARRIAGE

Please contact Mimi Ruiz (415) 567-2020x254

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ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

(Within our Parish), please call office for a priest (415) 567-2020

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Contact Deacon R. Christoph Sandoval (415) 567-2020x203

FUNERALS

Call Mimi Ruiz for Funerals/Memorials (415) 567-2020x254

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Contact Deacon R. Christoph Sandoval (415) 567-2020x203

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First Fridays: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

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CATHEDRAL OF ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

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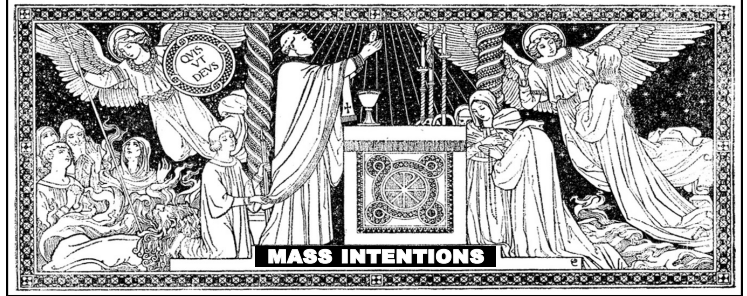
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Mass intentions are \$10, offered in person only, in our Office. Dates subject to availability.

Sat Dec 13 - (See Readings for Sunday)

5:30 pm Intentions of Anne Marie Albizo

Sun Dec 14 - Is 35:1-6a, 10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11

7:30 am + Maria Suu

9:00 am + Phero Nguyen Van Tuong & Martha Nguyen Thi Tuong

11:00 am Intentions of All Parishioners

1:00 pm + Antonio Ruelas y Luz Díaz

Mon, Dec 15 - Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Mt 21:23-27

7:30 am + Regina, Joseph, and Philomina Nwhim

12:10 pm Intentions (Health) of Regina Moore

Tues Dec 16 - Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Mt 21:28-32

7:30 am + Sr. Francisca of the Child Jesus, OCD

12:10 pm + Jesus Ramirez

Wed Dec 17 - Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17

7:30 am + Xine Huang

12:10 pm + Ismael and Paul Matic

Thu Dec 18 - Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25

7:30 am + Maria de Jesús Ortiz Montes

12:10 pm + Josephine Ventura

Fri Dec 19 - Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25

7:30 am + Cesar J. Ascalon

12:10 pm Intentions of Robert W. and Ditta R. Eoff

Sat Dec 20 - Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38

8:00 am + The Deceased of the Talay-Causcosin Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21- FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Is 7:10-14/Rom 1:1-7/Mt 1:18-24

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

St. Mary's Cathedral Conference



Monthly Sandwich-Making
 Holiday Giving Drives
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 Banquet Fundraisers
 Winter Shelter Support & Service



Find out more: 415-567-2020, ext. 205

OFFICE HOURS/HORARIO DE OFICINA

Monday to Friday = 8:30-12:00; 1:00-5:00 = Lunes a Viernes

CLOSED = Saturday/Sunday Sábado/Domingo = CERRADO

GIFT SHOP/TIENDA DE REGALOS

Tues-Fri/Martes-Viernes: 8:30 - 12; 1 - 4:30

Saturday/Sábado: 9 - 12; 1 - 5:30 **Sunday/Domingo:** 9 - 3:00

CLOSED Monday/CERRADO Lunes; tel. (415) 567-4040

Cathedral of Saint Mary of the Assumption
Third Sunday of Advent

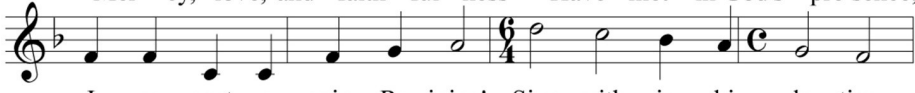
San Francisco, CA
14 December 2025

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INTROIT HYMN



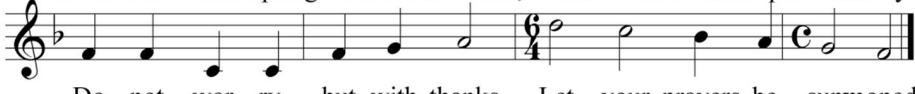
Antiphon: Come, re-joice in God our King; Sing, your voi-ces rais-ing.
Verses: Lord, you fa-vored once your land, Broughtback Ja-cob's for-tunes,
Mer-cy, love, and faith-ful-ness Have met in God's pre-sence;



I re-peat a-gain: Re-joyce! Sing with ju-bi-la-tion.
And for-gave your peo-ple's sins, Par-doned their trans-gress-ions.
Peace and jus-tice have em-braced, Have be-come one es-sence.



Let your gen-tle-ness be known; Lo, the Lord is com-ing.
You with-drew from them your wrath, Turned from your hot an-ger.
Faith-ful-ness springs from the earth; Jus-tice rains pro-fuse-ly



Do not wor-ry, but with thanks Let your prayers be summoned.
Now re-store us, sav-ing God; Let your rage not lin-ger.
And shall march be-fore our God; Peace shall fol-low close-ly.

Doxology:

Glory to the Triune God:
Praises to the Father;
Praises also to the Son,
Who became our brother;
Sing the Holy Spirit's praise,
Peaceful dove, descending;
As at first it was, is now,
And will be unending.

Antiphon:

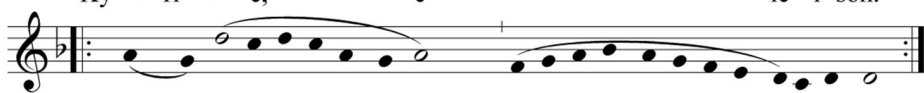
Come, rejoice in God our King;
Sing, your voices raising.
I repeat again: Rejoice!
Sing with jubilation.
Let your gentleness be known;
Lo, the Lord is coming.
Do not worry, but with thanks
Let your prayers be summoned.

Introit for the Third Sunday of Advent. Antiphon: Phil. 4:4-6; Verses: Psalm 85:1-5, 11-12, 14. Setting by Christoph Tietze. Copyright (c) 2005 World Library Publications. All rights reserved.
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KYRIE



Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.



Chris - te, e - le - i - son.



Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

Readings for this Weekend:

Isaiah 35:1-6, 10

Psalms 146

James 5:7-10

Matthew 11:2-11

Choir Music this Weekend:

9:00 am Mass (Gregorian Chant)

Introit: "Gaudete in Domino"

Gaudete in Domino semper: iterum dico, gaudete: modestia vestra nota sit omnibus hominibus: Dominus prope est. Nihil solliciti sitis: sed in omnia oratione petitiones vestrae innotescant apud Deum. Ps. Benedixisti, Domine, terram tuam: avertisti captivitatem Iacob.

(Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Let your forbearance be known to all. The Lord is at hand. Do not be anxious over anything; but in all manner of prayer, let your requests be made known unto God. Ps. Lord, you have blessed your land; you have put an end to Jacob's captivity. Phil 4:4-5, Ps 84)

Offertory: "Benedixisti"

Benedixisti, Domine, terram tuam: avertisti captivitatem Iacob: remisisti iniquitatem plebis tuae.

(O Lord, you have blessed your land, you have put an end to Jacob's captivity; you have forgiven the guilt of your people.)

Communion: "Dicite: Pusillanimes"

Dicite: "Pusillanimes confortamini, et nolite timere: ecce, Deus noster veniet, et salvabit nos."

(Say, "Take courage, you who are faint-hearted, and do not fear; behold, our God will come, and he will save us. Cf Is 35:4)

11:00 am Mass (Cathedral Choir)

Introit / Communion (see above)

Kyrie/Agnus Dei: Orlando di Lasso

Missa octavi toni

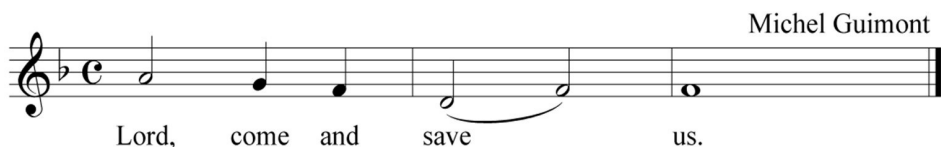
Offertory: Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

"Canite tuba"

(Blow the trumpet in Zion, for the day of the Lord is nigh. Lo, he comes to our salvation. The crooked paths shall be made straight, and the rough ways plain. Come, Lord, and do not delay. Alleluia.)

Communion: Anon. English
"Rejoice in the Lord"

PSALM



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ALLELUIA



9:00 am only:



Chant Mode 4

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.

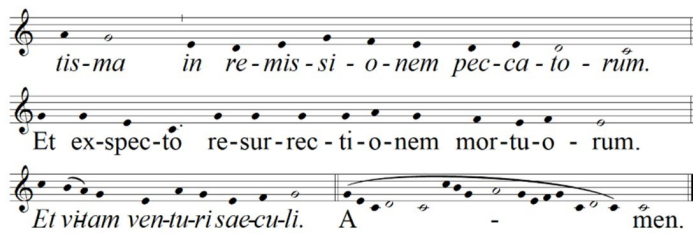
PROFESSION OF FAITH

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 from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven (bow) 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

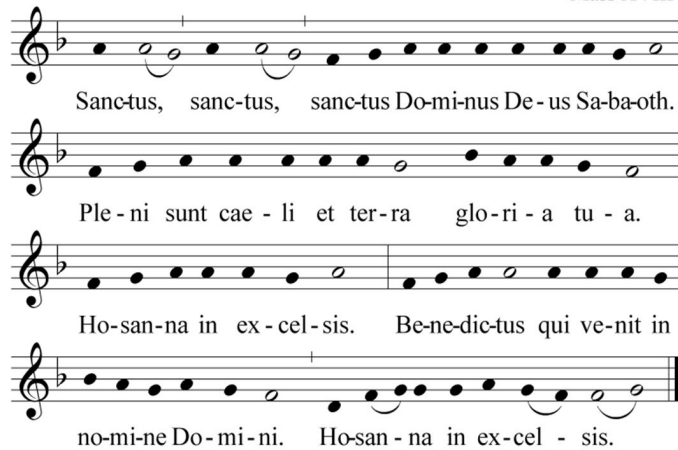
CREDO 9 and 11 am



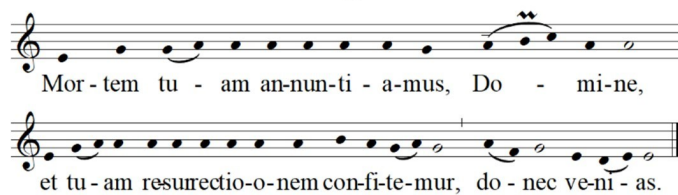


SANCTUS

Mass XVIII



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



PATER NOSTER 9:00 and 11:00 am

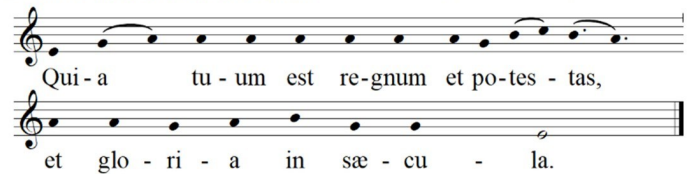
Præceptis salutaribus moniti, et divina institutione formati, audemus dicere:

At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:



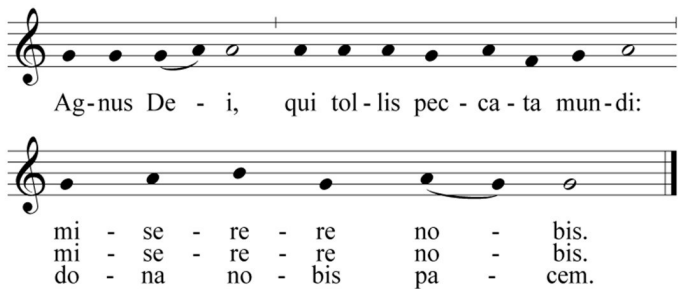
Libera nos, quæsumus, Domine, ab omnibus malis, da propitius pacem in diebus nostris, ut, ope misericordiae tuae adiuti, et a peccato simus semper liberi et ab omni perturbatione securi: expectantes beatam spem et adventum Salvatoris nostri Iesu Christi.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant us peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.



AGNUS DEI 5:30 pm, 7:30 am

Mass XVIII



COMMUNION

Christoph Tietze

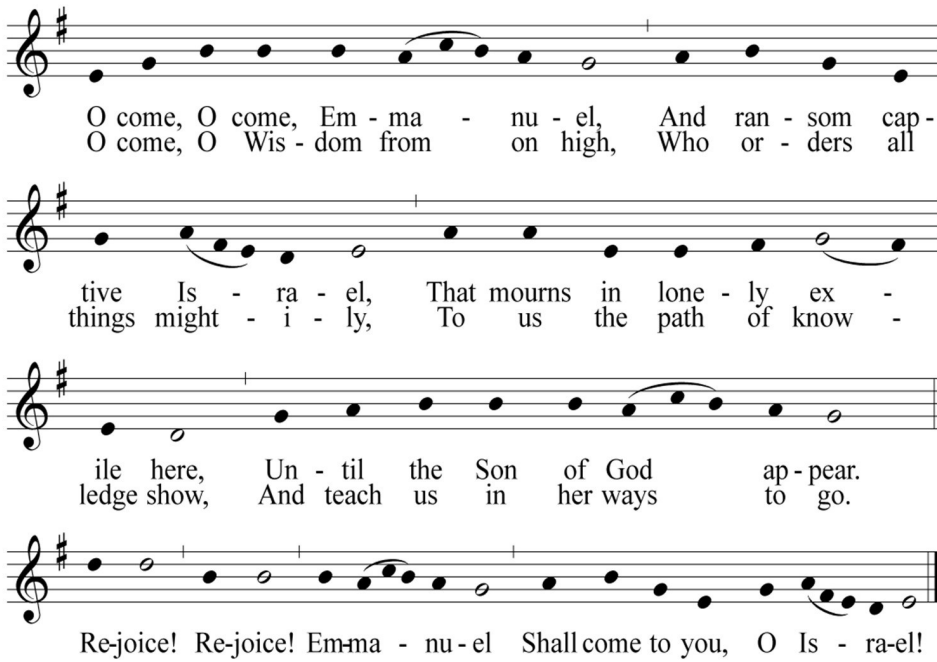


Communion for the Third Sunday of Advent, "Dicite: Pusillanimes."
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COLLECTIONS

There will be two collections today. The first is for the program and services of the Cathedral and the upkeep of this wonderful sacred place. Since we are a small parish, we do need and depend on the generosity our visitors. An appropriate offering might be the price of a meal, a tour, a theatre ticket. The second collection is for the Retirement for Religious and will be taken up after Holy Communion.

RECESSIONAL



O come, O come, Em - ma - nu - el, And ran - som cap -
O come, O Wis - dom from on high, Who or - ders all

tive Is - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly ex -
things might - i - ly, To us the path of know -

ile here, Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
ledge show, And teach us in her ways to go.

Re-joyce! Re-joyce! Em - ma - nu - el Shall come to you, O Is - ra-el!

BAPTISMS IN ENGLISH

Baptismal Preparation Classes, including Parents and godparents, take place on the third Wednesday of each month at 3:00pm. Register for the class at least a week in advance. Baptism ceremonies will take place on the Second Sunday of the following month, at 2:30pm.

These documents are requested at registration:

Please bring a copy of Child's Birth Certificate with \$100 payment by Cash or Check (\$50 for class only).

The child may have one Godfather, one Godmother, or one of each, practicing Catholics in good standing; show copies of Baptism, Confirmation, and Marriage Certificates (if married), and a letter of good standing from their pastor.

smcsf.org/parish/baptisms/ Info: 415-567-2020

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

If you are planning a marriage in the Archdiocese of San Francisco, please consider a wedding here in this magnificent Cathedral Church.

According to Catholic rules, marriage preparations must begin a minimum of six months before the wedding date.

To begin planning, contact the Cathedral Wedding Coordinator, Mimi Ruiz, at 415-567-2020, ext. 254.

Cookies and Carols:

Sunday, Dec 14, 7 pm to 9 pm. The combined choirs of the Cathedral and Stella Maris Academy will present an informal presentation of their seasonal musical delights, while you feast on some of their favorite desserts. \$35 for adults, \$25 for seniors and children, under 5 free. For tickets and more information, scan the QR code.



PRAYER LIST/ORACIONES

Join us in prayer for our parishioners and their loved ones.

Unimos en oración por nuestros miembros y queridos.

Intenciones • Intentions

Maria Avendano	Sheila Maduli
Colleen Bradley	Martha McDaniels
Rosa Cartagena	Anne Marie McKeon
Margaret De Bono	Maureen McKeon
Della Maggiora Family	Paquita P. Reyes
Alfredo Grez	Maria Samuels
Michaele Herbert	Adam Sandoval
Reyner Ildefonso	Dino Smith
Jean KabbertJose &	Gerardina Talao (Thanks)
	George Zinner Family

Deceased • Difuntos

✕ Josefina Alba Garcia	Anthony E. McGuire
✕ Fr. Michael Brillantes	✕ Brian McKeon
✕ Edmund Ralph Capalla	✕ Deacon Jim Meyer
✕ Ildorfo Chavez	✕ Elizabeth Passanisi
✕ Adolphus Chimara	✕ Rev. Paul E. Perry
✕ Carlos Corea	✕ Helene Rosenthal
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✕ Miguel Angel Garfias	✕ Anicleta Talao
✕ Rev. Don D'Angelo	✕ Angelica Toledo
✕ Paul & Delyanira Hunt	✕ Aura Toledo
✕ Gerardo León Alba	✕ Msgr. Romolo "Loi" Vergara
✕ Aurora Mallari	✕ Rev. ✕ Jose Pedro Zelada Romero

Misa en Español

ENTRADA*“Vendrá el Señor” Maximino Carchenilla*

VENDRA EL SENOR,
CON SU LUZ NOS LLENARA.
VENDRA EL SENOR,
Y A SU PUEBLO SALVARA.

1. El llenara nuestra vida,
El colmara nuestro amar.
El nos alumbra en la noche,
Nos da fuerza y nos da paz.
El nos alumbra en la noche;
El Señor vendrá.
2. El es consuelo en las penas,
El es la felicidad.
El nos comprende y nos ama,
Nos da fuerza y nos da paz.
El nos comprende y nos ama;
El Señor vendrá.

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INTROIT “Gaudete in Domino”

(Regocijaos en el Señor siempre; repito, regocijaos. Que vuestra paciencia sea conocida de todos. El Señor está cerca.. No os inquietéis por nada; antes bien, en toda forma de oración, dad a conocer vuestras peticiones a Dios). (Salmo Señor, has bendecido tu tierra, has puesto fin al cautiverio de Jacob. Fil 4, 4-5, Sal 84)

PRIMERA LECTURA Isaías 35:1-6, 10

SALMO RESPONSORIAL Salmo 146
Ven, Señor, a salvarnos.

SEGUNDA LECTURA Jaime 5:7-10

ALELUYA Tradicional

EVANGELIO Mateo 11:2-11

PROFESION DE FE

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible.

Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos:

Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no creado, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y por nuestra salvación bajó del cielo, y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre; y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato; padeció y fue sepultado, y resucitó al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin.

Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor y dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y gloria, y que habló por los profetas.

Creo en la Iglesia, que es una, santa, católica y apostólica.

Confieso que hay un solo bautismo para del perdón de los pecados.

Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida del mundo futuro.

Amén.

OFERTORIO Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina
“Canite tuba”

(Tocad trompeta en Sión, porque el día del Señor está cerca; he aquí que viene para nuestra salvación. Los caminos torcidos se enderezarán, y los senderos ásperos se allanarán. Ven, Señor, y no tardes. Aleluya.)

SANTO

Mass XVIII

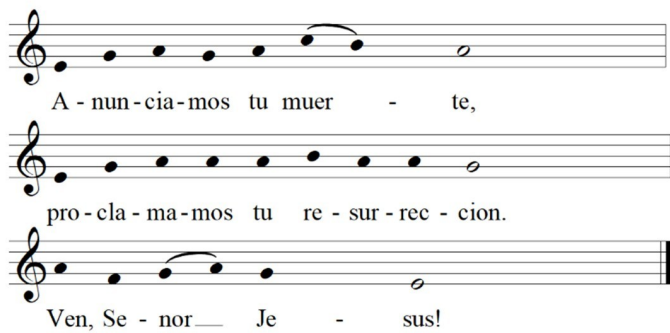
Sanctus, sanc-tus, sanc-tus Do-mi-nus De-us Sa-ba-oth.

Ple-ni sunt cae-li et ter-ra glo-ri-a tu-a.

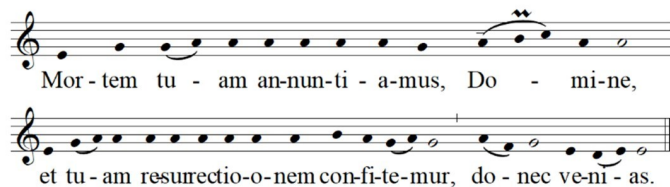
Ho-san-na in ex-cel-sis. Be-ne-dic-tus qui ve-nit in

no-mi-ne Do-mi-ni. Ho-san-na in ex-cel-sis.

ACLAMACION

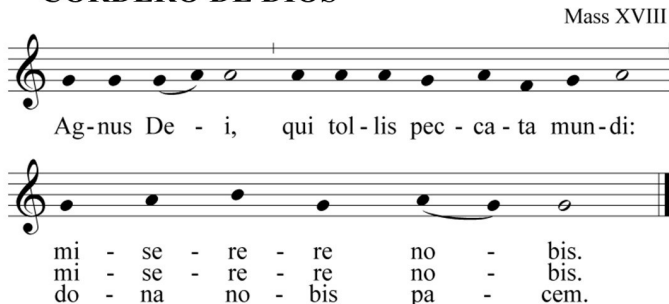


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AMEN

CORDERO DE DIOS



COMUNION

Antifona “Dicite: Pusillanimes”

(Di: “Ánimo, los pusilánimes, y no temáis; he aquí nuestro Dios vendrá, y nos salvará. Cf. Is 35,4)

“Toda la Tierra”

Alberto Taule

1. Toda la tierra espera al Salvador:
viene a traer a los hombres la verdad,
a sembrar por el mundo semillas de amor.
A todos los pobres su brazo salvará.
2. Dice el profeta al pueblo de Israel:
“Pronto la luz del Mesías brillará.
Dios se acerca a nosotros: su nombre, Emmanuel!”
Germinará la tierra amor y libertad.
3. De nuestra carne se quiso revestir,
pobre y sencillo, de humilde corazón.
Nacerá como entonces, vendrá a compartir
la suerte del hombre, su angustia y su dolor.
4. El viene siempre. Vivimos de esperar
todos los días la vuelta de Jesús.
Contemplad su mirada, su voz escuchad,
dejad que las sombras se llenen de su luz!

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SALIDA

“Ven, Señor, No Tardés Más” Cesáreo Gabarain

VEN, SEÑOR, NO TARDES MAS.

VEN, SEÑOR JESUS. 3X

1. Desde el fondo de los siglos
va elevándose un clamor
|: como grito de esperanza
ansiendo un Redentor.:|
2. Desde el fondo de los siglos
busca el hombre un salvador;
|: mira al cielo y a la tierra,
va buscando al Dios Amor.:|
3. Las promesas se han cumplido.
Va a nacer el Niño Dios.
|: Cielo y tierra ya se abrazan,
la esperanza floreció.:|

PREPARACIONES MATRIMONIALES

SEGUNDOS Y CUARTOS SÁBADOS, 9-11am

Comenzaremos las charlas matrimoniales en la Catedral. Las charlas serán el 2do y 4to sábado de cada mes.

LAS CONFIRMACIONES

Las clases para las Confirmaciones reúnen cada segundo y cuarto sábado del mes, empezando el 14 de Junio, y son necesarios para la iniciación en la Iglesia para ser padrinos, entrar las órdenes religiosas o casarse en la iglesia.

Llaman por favor al Diácono Juan Michel al número 415-567-2020 ext. 210.



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LAS POSADAS NAVIDEÑAS EN LA CATEDRAL
16 - 23 DE DICIEMBRE, 7:00 - 8:30 P.M.
CON EL SEÑOR ARZOBISPO EL 21 DE DICIEMBRE



CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS INSTALLATIONS
Tue, 23 Dec, No Confessions, No 12:10 Mass today

CHRISTMAS EVE

- ✱ **8am** Advent Weekday Mass (**Not** Christmas Mass)
No 12:10pm Mass; No Confessions today
- ✱ **5:00pm** Caroling with Cathedral Choir School
- ✱ **5:30pm** Christmas Vigil Mass
- ✱ **11:30pm** Caroling, Cathedral Choir, GG Ensemble
- ✱ **12:00am** Midnight Mass, Archbishop Cordileone

CHRISTMAS DAY

- No 7:30am or 12:10pm Mass; No Confessions today*
 - ✱ **9:00am** Gregorian Chant Mass, Scola Cantorum
 - ✱ **11:00am** Solemn Mass, Cathedral Choir
 - ✱ **1:00pm** Misa en Español, Coro Hispano
- Cathedral Closes at 4:00pm*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SIMBANG GABI NOVENA, 15-23 DECEMBER

15 Dec, 7:30am; St. Mary's Cathedral
16-23 Dec, Other Locations (Times Vary by Location)

LAS POSADAS

16-23 Diciembre, 7pm; Sopa Caliente después

PONTIFICAL LOW RORATE MASS

Weds, 17 December, 5³⁰am; Archbishop Celebrating

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

3rd Weds, 17 December, 3pm; Cathedral Office
Info at: smcsf.org/parish/baptisms

"THROUGH DARKNESS INTO NEW LIGHT"

FREE GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

3rd Fri, 19 December, 10³⁰ - Noon Msgr Bowe Room

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

(See schedule detailed above)

SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES

Livestreamed at:

www.youtube.com/CathedralofStMaryoftheAssumption

Sunday, 14 December, 2025

4pm: Issa Stemler, Organ. Works for Advent.

7:00pm (Note Time): Cookies & Carols, an annual seasonal concert by the Cathedral Choirs, Patrons Hall. Admission \$35/25.

Updates: Dr. Christoph Tietze (415) 567-2020, ext 213

UPCOMING CONCERTS

Dec 21, 4:00pm: Nataly Pak, Organ.

Dec 28, 4:00pm: Wendy Loder, Soprano and Violin, with Jeanette Wilkin Tietze, Piano.

Jan 4, 4:00pm: Epiphany Lessons and Carols, sung by the Cathedral Choir School and the Golden Gate Boyschoir and Bellringers.

Jan 11, 4:00pm: Christoph Tietze, Organ.

Jan 18, 4:00pm: Gail Archer, Organ.

Jan 25: NO RECITAL



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays after the 12⁰⁰ Mass

A Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help takes place every Wednesday after the 12:10 Mass at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The novena includes prayer and songs.

MISA DE VELAS
 ANTES DE
 AMANECER
 EN IDIOMA LATÍN

Miércoles

17 de Diciembre
 a las 5:30 a.m.

Celebrado por el
 Arzobispo Cordileone
 en honor de la
 Santa Virgen María

PONTIFICAL LOW RORATE MASS



LATIN LOW MASS
 BY CANDLELIGHT
 BEFORE DAWN

Wednesday
 17 December
 at 5:30 a.m.

Celebrated by
 Archbishop Cordileone

in Honor of the
 Blessed Virgin Mary

RETIREMENT FOR RELIGIOUS

Second Collection for December 13-14

Our second collection is for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Many senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests served for little or no pay.

Today, religious communities often do not have enough savings to meet retirement needs. Your gift helps provide medications, nursing care and more, for tens of thousands of elderly religious. It also helps ensure younger members can continue the works of their elders.

Please be generous.

AAA 2025

Goal/Meta:	\$59,625
Received/Recibido	\$46,852
Pledged/Prometido	\$650
Total	\$47,502
Percent of Goal/Porcentaje de Meta:	78%

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

21 Dec - Cathedral Music Program

28 Dec - Art and Environment

(January Collections Pending)

SAINTS & FEASTS

Sun, Dec 14 - St. John of the Cross, Carmelite, Mystic, Doctor

Mon, Dec 15 - St. Adalbero of Metz, Benedictine Monk, Bishop

Tue, Dec 16 - St. Haggai, Old Testament Prophet

Wed, Dec 17 - St. Olympias of Constantinople, Deaconess

Thu, Dec 18 - St. Malachi, Old Testament Prophet

Fri, Dec 19 - Urban V, Benedictine Abbott, Reformer, Pope

Sat, Dec 20 - St. Dominic of Silos, Benedictine Abbott, Reformer

Read Bios of the Saints on mycatholic.life/saints

MUSIC PROGRAM

Second Collection for December 20-21

This collection for music helps to cover the costs of salaries, organ and piano maintenance, sheet music, choir robes, Concert Series, and so much more.

Your donation helps us continue the high quality of musical leadership at St. Mary's Cathedral.

Thank you for your support!

JUBILACIÓN DE RELIGIOSOS/AS

Segunda Colecta del 13-14 de Diciembre

Esta colecta está asignada al Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos. Muchos religiosos, religiosas y sacerdotes de órdenes católicas jubilados sirvieron con poco o ningún pago.

Hoy día, faltan los ahorros suficientes para las necesidades de sus jubilaciones. Su donativo ayuda con medicamentos, enfermeros y más, para miles de religiosos. También ayuda a asegurar la continuación del buen trabajo de los jubilados en la próxima generación.

Sean generosos, por favor.

COLECTAS/COLLECTIONS

JULY 2025 - JUNE 2026 FISCAL YEAR: \$296,200 GOAL

Total 30 Nov: \$105,193

Collection/Colecta 7 Dec: \$6,669

Total: \$115,487

39% of Goal/de Meta \$296,200

SEGUNDAS COLECTAS QUE VIENEN

21 Dec - Programa de Música de la Catedral

28 Dec - Arte y Ambiente

(Colectas de Enero Pendientes)

SANTOS Y FIESTAS

Dom, 14 Dic - S. Juan de la Cruz, Fraile Carmelita, Místico, Doctor

Lun, 15 Dic - S. Adalbero de Metz, Monje Benedictino, Obispo

Mar, 16 Dic - S. Hagüe, Profeta del Antiguo Testamento

Mier, 17 Dic - Sta Olimpia de Constantinopla, Diaconisa

Jue, 18 Dic - S. Malaquías, Profeta del Antiguo Testamento

Vier, 19 Dic - Urbano V, Abad Benedictino, Reformador, Papa

Sáb, 20 Dic - S. Domingo de Silos, Abad Benedictino, Reformador

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PROGRAMA DE MÚSICA

Segunda Colecta del 20-21 de Diciembre

Esta Colecta para el Programa de Música ayuda a cubrir los gastos de salarios, mantenimiento del órgano y el piano, partituras, vestimentas para el coro, la serie de conciertos y mucho más. Su donación nos ayuda a mantener la alta calidad de la dirección musical en la Catedral de Santa María.

¡Gracias por su apoyo!



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A Festive Event of Traditional Carols and Christmas Music

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SVdP GIVING TREE



THE SOCIETY OF
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IN THE SPIRIT OF THE HOLIDAYS!

We happily announce the continuation of our "Giving Tree" Program for 2025.

The Giving Tree will be located near the Gift Shop through the weekend of December 13-14. Please bring a gift card corresponding to the tag pulled from the tree to the Cathedral office or to the Cathedral gift shop by the end of the weekend of December 13-14.

Bring a smile to a woman or child during the Holidays — and help them celebrate the season!



ARBOL DE REGALOS DEL SVdP



¡EN EL ESPÍRITU DE LA NAVIDAD!

Nos complace anunciar la continuación de nuestro programa «Árbol de Regalos» para 2025.

El Árbol de los regalos estará ubicado cerca de la tienda de regalos durante el fin de semana del 13 al 14 de diciembre. Por favor, traiga una tarjeta de regalo correspondiente a la etiqueta que haya sacado del árbol a la oficina de la catedral o a la tienda de regalos de la catedral antes de que termine el fin de semana del 13 al 14 de diciembre.

Haga sonreír a una mujer o a un niño durante las fiestas - y ayúdeles a celebrar la temporada.

LAS POSADAS EN LA CATEDRAL

16 - 23 DE DICIEMBRE A LAS 7:00 P.M.



FOOD Friends

Volunteers Needed!

The FOOD Friends team is seeking enthusiastic home cooks to participate in a monthly service opportunity. The team prepares and delivers meals to needy San Francisco families.

What You Can Do:

- Choose an item from the monthly menu and prepare portions of that item in your own home.
- Volunteer drivers will pick up the food item from you, if you are unable to deliver to the service venue.

When You Can Volunteer:

- You can volunteer whenever you have free time.
- There is no obligation to participate from month-to-month.

How to Get Involved:

- Contact Kevin White at kevinjwhite86@gmail.com to learn more and sign up.

Why Volunteer:

- Make a difference in the lives of others.
- Share your love of cooking with others.
- Be a part of a team that is making a difference in the community.

Join the FOOD Friends Team and LIVE the spirit of the Gospel of Matthew: "For I was hungry and you gave me food..."

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