Saint Hilary Church
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Third Sunday of Easter
May 5, 2019
I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me
Psalm ~30

Mass Schedule:
Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:00pm
Sunday Mass at 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am and 5:00pm
Daily Mass Monday through Friday at 8:30am
Saturday Morning Mass at 9:00am
Holy Days of Obligation at 7:00am, 8:30am, and 7:00pm

Sacrament of Penance:
Fridays at 9:00am
Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:30pm or by appointment with a Priest

Rev. William Brown — Pastor
Rev. Andrew Ginter — Parochial Vicar

“This is the cause of our life: that we have Christ dwelling within our carnal selves through the flesh, and we shall live through Him in the same manner as He lives through the Father.”
Saint Hilary of Poitiers († 360 A.D.)
Our Book Club:

Monday, May 20th
7:00-8:30 P.M.

Title: Before We Were Yours
by: Lisa Wingate

In our lovely & Cozy Tarantino Hall
All are Welcome!

Book Titles chosen from a variety of subjects for all to enjoy!

Second Collection next Sunday, May 11-12

Catholic Charities of San Francisco
Your support continues to directly support our brothers and sisters in need.

Thank you so much for your generosity!

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Baptism
Each child should be baptized as soon as possible after birth. Parents are required to attend an instruction session before the baptism of their baby.
Please contact Diana Rittenhouse at (415) 937-5524.
Is the Pope Catholic?

Sunday, May 5, 2019

Dear parishioners,

Once again, we see a group of disgruntled people attacking the Pope (in this case, Pope Francis), accusing him of heresy, and setting themselves up as a sort of parallel Magisterium that’s holier and more Catholic.

I say “once again” because this phenomenon is really nothing new. Throughout the ages, people in camps we might call ultra-liberal and ultra-conservative have attacked the Catholic Church as a whole, or the Vatican, or the reigning Pope, not merely for making mistakes, but for being heretical, diabolical, un-Christian, etc.

Right here in America we have a young man from Oklahoma City who calls himself Pope Michael and was elected to the papacy by six lay people, including his mom and dad. In this case, David Allen Bawden (aka “Pope Michael”) is from the ultra-conservative side, claiming that the Catholic Church has had no valid Pope since the death of Pope Pius XII back in 1958. To remedy this sad state of affairs, Mr. Bawden graciously invited some folks over to elect him to the Chair of Peter back in 1990. If you Google his name, you might spot him on the wooden porch swing back in Oklahoma, granting an interview to reporters. It’s not really the Chair of Peter, but it looks very cozy and folksy.

I mention him as merely one example of the ultra-conservative side which believes we really haven’t had a legitimate Pope for decades, because they disapprove of the Second Vatican Council and a whole bunch of things — it would take more than this page to list their grievances.

On the ultra-liberal side, we also have people who claim to be more Catholic than the Pope, and who have thus chosen to take some steps on their own which won them a number of followers. Like the sedevacantists listed above (who believe the Chair of Peter is empty because John XXIII, Paul VI, John Paul I, John Paul II, Benedict XVI and Francis are all heretics and not valid Popes), these people have made up their own version of the Catholic Church, creating a lot of confusion among regular Catholics like you and me — especially when it comes to having a “Catholic wedding” on a surfboard or on the beach.

For example, they use the word “Catholic” in their titles (e.g., American Catholic Church, Independent Catholic Church, etc.), but they are not in communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Like the ultra-conservatives mentioned above, these people on the other end of the spectrum engage in practices that seem extremely confusing to mainstream Catholics: the ordination of women as bishops and priests; the ordination of married men who in some cases were Catholic priests before but left the active ministry to get married and now serve as rent-a-priests for weddings and such; the celebration of liturgies that can look extremely bizarre.

Having researched these topics a bit over the years, nothing surprises me any longer when it comes to people clamoring for religious revolution. However, it does sadden me that the Successors of Peter, the center of today’s Gospel, are still being slammed from the left and from the right by those who may not realize just how damaging such attacks can be for our beloved Church. Jesus asked his Father that we might be one, just as he and his Father are one — and this takes a lot of work, charity, patience, and the humility to realize that my pet peeve might be my personal agenda, not that of the Holy Spirit.

Father Brown
Pasta Night

Join your fellow parishioners To enjoy Pasta Night!

6:00 p.m. — Sat., May 18th in Tarantino Hall (various pastas, salad, garlic bread, desserts, soft drinks, vino)

All are welcome!

Archdiocese of San Francisco
2019 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal

The Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) provides parishioners throughout our Archdiocese a unique opportunity to come Together. Through AAA, the over ninety Parishes in our Archdiocese unite as one! The AAA is essential to the work of the Archdiocese of San Francisco. Although we are spread over the counties of Marin, San Francisco, and San Mateo, we are one Archdiocese, collaborating in the Ongoing mission of evangelization and education. The theme for this year’s Annual Appeal is “I will show you my faith by my works.” Together, we are able to demonstrate our faith through the AAA by Supporting such critical needs as youth and Young adults, parish schools and students, social ministries, ecumenical efforts, and greater Church.

NEXT WEEK [May 11-12] IS CATHOLIC CHARITIES SUNDAY.

This second collection is an invitation to parishioners to personally invest in the lives of thousands of marginalized and vulnerable residents in San Francisco, San Mateo and Marin counties. Your generous support keeps families together by preventing poverty and homelessness; enriches the lives of aging and disabled adults; welcomes and supports immigrants and unaccompanied minors, and nurtures the healthy development of children and youth. Pew envelopes are on Catholic Charities Sunday. You can also text CCSunday to 41444 or visit CatholicCharitiesSF.org to donate. Please respond with a generous and open heart.

For more information contact Jane Ferguson Flout at 415 972 1227 or jfergusonflout@CatholicCharitiesSF.org

Immerse yourself in Easter joy, Listen to Relevant Radio!

Relevant Radio
Talk Radio for Catholic life

Listen, pray, and find hope in the Church and around The world 24/7 on the Free Relevant Radio mobile App!
Volunteers needed for our Sunday Hospitality, every Sunday after the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses. Please email Diana at DianaR@sthilary.org or give her a call at 415-937-5524 if you are interested in helping!

Saint Hilary School Teacher Corner
Lauren Fee, First Grade Teacher

I chose to work at a Catholic school because my teaching philosophy is very much in line with our Catholic faith. In our classroom, we discuss the importance of helping one another and following Jesus’ teachings of loving one another as ourselves. We prepare our religion lessons to the weekly Masses that we attend and bridge the conversation to our weekly time with our 7th Grade buddies who provide insight, share their faith experiences, and exhibit how to be a true Christian. We pair our teachings with the liturgical calendar, learning about ourselves through reflection which falls in line with our social-emotional practices too.

I love working at a Catholic school because I am able to give back to a community that gave me so much. I was fortunate to receive a private, Catholic school education starting with elementary school, high school, and through college. I felt the strong sense of community around the faith and the involvement through parents, teachers, and religious leaders. Because of this, I became a member of the Catholic Church and took my Sacraments of Initiation this Easter Vigil.

The Saint Hilary community, and Catholic Schools in general, is one where we are lucky to have parent support and involvement. It is this type of involvement that opens doors for children to gain individualized learning, experiences such as off-campus retreats, field trips, and the team building activities. The parent and parish support is a driving force of our school and the support they give to teachers and students alike is contagious and provides a rewarding environment.

St. Sebastian Parish
International Sips & Samples

Saturday, May 11th—6:00pm
Food from around the world
Beer, Wine and Soda Tastings

Live and Silent Auction
Admission: $40 per person, $10 per child
(before April 24)
$50 per person (after April 25)
Call the parish office for Reservations
415-461-0704

Eucharistic Adoration Chapel Devotion ~

Please consider spending time weekly with the Blessed Sacrament in our own Adoration Chapel: 10 minutes, 30 minutes, or a Holy Hour.

Adoration Chapel special hours:
• Wednesdays 6:30pm to 7:30pm
• Fridays 9:00am to 10:00am
• Saturdays 4:00pm to 5:00pm

“A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent in sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.”

Padre Pio
Saint Pio of Pietrelcina
(May 25, 1887 – September 23, 1968)
The St. Hilary Tiger says:

"No one can make you feel inferior without your consent."

Think about it…

This Week at St. Hilary Parish

- Monday, May 6
  9:00-11:00 Dante Book Club
- Tuesday, May 7
  9:00-11:00 Women’s Prayer Group
  7:00-8:30 RCIA
- Wednesday, May 8
- Thursday, May 9
- Friday, May 10
  **Saturday, May 11**
  10:00 First Holy Communion
- Sunday, May 12

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**Rest In Peace**

Mrs. Caroline Bittencourt
Mr. Ken Kercheval
Mr. Byron Kilgore
Mrs. Ellen Tauscher

**ARE YOU REGISTERED IN THE PARISH?** If not, please return this form and we will be happy to send you an official registration form.

Name__________________________________________
Address_____________________________________________________________________________________
City_________________________ Phone_________________________
Email_________________________________________________________ Year you moved into the parish?__________

Have you changed your address, phone number or e-mail address? Please return this form to help us keep in touch with you.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- **Monday:** Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
- **Tuesday:** Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
- **Wednesday:** Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
- **Thursday:** Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
- **Friday:** Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
- **Saturday:** Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
- **Sunday:** Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5; Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30