Saint Hilary Church
761 Hilary Drive, Tiburon, California 94920
In the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of San Francisco
Phone: (415) 435-1122 — Fax: (415) 435-1862
Website: www.sthilary.org

Our lord Jesus Christ,
King of the universe
November 24, 2019

“LET US GO REJOICING TO THE
HOUSE OF THE LORD.”
Psalm ~ 122

Mass Schedule:
Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:00pm
Sunday Mass at 7:30am, 9:00am,
11:00am and 5:00pm
New! ➔ Daily Mass
Monday through
Saturday at 9:00am

Holy Days of Obligation at 7:00am,
9:00am, and 7:00pm

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

Rev. William Brown — Pastor
Rev. Ernesto Jandonero — 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.)
Thanksgiving Day Worship

Please join us on Thursday, November 28th for our 10:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Mass.

Our Bake Sale

December 7-8 in Tarantino Hall

If you are interested in baking or making a special treat, please contact:
Melissa Cristo: Melissa.cristo@gmail.com
Anne Ashendorf: Anashendorf@msn.com

We also have new Parish Bake Sale Coordinators, Melissa Cristo, Alicia Van Oast, and Denise Sutherland

Thank you to Anne Ashendorf for all your years dedicated to the Parish Bake Sale!

St. Hilary School (Grades K to 8)
765 Hilary Drive — Telephone: (415) 435-2224
Fax: (415) 435-5895
Website: www.sainthilaryschool.org
Facebook: www.facebook.com/sainthilaryschool/
Ms. Marie Bordeleau — School Principal
Mrs. Jane Cort — Personal Assistant to the Principal
Ms. Marie Bordeleau — Director of Admissions
Mrs. Lidiette Ratiani — Marketing and Advancement
Betsy Shelton & Elizabeth Hachman — Admissions Counselors
admissions@sainthilaryschool.org

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 dianar@sthilary.org or (415) 937-5524

Ban of Marriage

Claire Woot de Trixe & Federico Baradello
Katharina Koch & Owen Phillips
Jessica Lamson and Matthew Chan

Book Club:

Monday, November 18
7:00-8:30 P.M

Title: The Life and Times of the Thunderbolt Kid

Author: Bill Bryson

In our lovely & cozy Tarantino Hall.
All are welcome!

Book titles chosen from a variety of subjects for all to enjoy.

Faith Formation Office (K to 8)
761 Hilary Drive — Lisaveto@gmail.com
Mrs. Lisa Veto — Director of Faith Formation
Ideas for the Advent Season

Sunday, November 24, 2019

Dear friends in Christ,

On this last Sunday of our liturgical year, we prepare for Advent, and in this letter I would like to offer some ideas on how you individually, or your family, might choose to mark the progress of time toward Christmas in ways that will feed your soul.

Candles — many people purchase candles (white, or colored), which they light as part of their Evening Prayer each night, using personal words, Scripture, and/or meditations from the little Living Faith booklets we always provide. You may also find daily meditations on the internet according to what your soul is longing for: social justice themes, sites for families with children, how to deal with age and suffering.

Advent Calendars — in some parts of the world, Catholics purchase (or make) an Advent calendar that gives them the chance to pull open a little drawer, or open a tiny window, and find there a piece of chocolate, a quote, or some spiritual food for thought.

Music — it is so easy nowadays to search for and find music for various needs, including Advent. I often google topics such as “Advent music” and then listen to it via the internet (e.g., YouTube) as I sit and have a cup of herbal tea, taking some quiet time with God.

Service Projects — there are many opportunities to help others through this parish, but also in countless other ways, as I hear when families come in for Catholic high school recommendations. Even if we only start such a thing because it’s Advent, sometimes it becomes truly part of us, and we continue this ministry long after Christmas Day has arrived! The Giving Tree is just one way the people of Saint Hilary help others.

Acts of Reconciliation — each year, we at Saint Hilary have a Communal Penance Service, with individual confession and absolution, to help our hearts get ready for the birth of the Christ child: it will be celebrated on Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 7:00 p.m., with five priests hearing confessions. In addition, it’s a beautiful thing to embrace creative acts of reconciliation on one’s own, which can transform a person’s heart. This happened to me just recently, and the person who reached out to me was such a balm for my soul!

Eucharistic Adoration and Private Prayer — often people like to escape the busy-ness of the season by taking some time each week to enjoy sacred silence in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel, located down the hall between the church and Tarantino Hall. Being in the presence of the Lord Jesus can be so calming, such a great blessing, especially if our hearts are hurting from the loss of a loved one, or just feeling overwhelmed. Our chapel is open whenever our church is open, and the chapel door is never locked.

You may also find additional ideas and resources by visiting the website of the Archdiocese of San Francisco:

https://sfarchdiocese.org/advent

In addition, the website of the American bishops:

http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/liturgical-year/advent/

Father Brown
Join us on Thanksgiving Day as our Season of Helping Begins!

Thursday, November 28, 10:00 a.m. Mass

This year our Christmas Food Drive will be just like last year. Such a great success! Namely, we invite you to purchase a $50.00 Safeway Gift Card, write a nice Christmas Card (or have your children compose a lovely Christmas letter), and then drop it into the collection basket or into the Poor Box in the church. Please be sure to only spend $50.00 on each card and please write the amount so we are sure it is $50.00. Each envelope will be taken to the centers in Marin City and The Hilarita, thus allowing the recipients to receive not only Christmas wishes from you, But also a Safeway $50.00 gift card so they can purchase what they need to a special Christmas Dinner! Thank you all in advance for your generosity!

We, at Saint Hilary School, cannot express our gratitude adequately to our parishioners who have generously given to the Secure Their Future Capital Campaign thus far. With your help, we have raised $2.2 million of the $3.4 million goal! That is two-thirds of the way to our goal! In order to start demolition this June 2020, we still need your help in meeting our financial goal.

The staff and faculty have dutifully maintained and improved the school facilities over the years since the construction of the middle school, science lab, and but the front building has outlived it useful life span. Our existing front space is outdated, immobile, highly inefficient and unable to accommodate technological enhancements. We need to reinvent the space to allow our current and future students, the programs, and the learning space they deserve.

Help us build upon the vision our founders created over 50 year ago by transforming our campus so we can deliver the academic and religious education for today and tomorrow. Pick up a pledge envelop in the vestibule or go to our website www.sainthilaryschool.org and click on the Secure Their Future Campaign Giving Pledge Now.

Thanksgiving Blessings to you all,
Lidiette Ratiani
Director of Advancement

If anyone has reason to believe, or might suspect, there is or has been abuse involving clergy, employees, volunteers, or children attending Catholic schools, parish religious education programs, or other church-related events, those suspicions or allegations are to be reported first to civil authorities and then to the Archdiocese via its assigned Victim Assistance Coordinator, Rocio Rodriguez, LMFT. Phone: (415) 614-5506 — Email: rodriguezr@sfarchdiocese.org

https://sfarchdiocese.org/how-to-report-suspected-abuse

For Marin County, the proper authorities are listed below:

Child Protective Services (415) 499-7153
Sheriff’s Department (415) 479-2311
Volunteers needed for our Sunday Hospitality, every Sunday after the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses. Please email Diana at DianaR@st hilar y.org or give her a call at 415-937-5524 if you are interested in helping!

Parish Workshop – “Mental Health Wellness and the Church”

Our Parish, the Archdiocese of San Francisco Mental Health Ministry Advisory Group, and the Pastoral Ministry Department invite you to an evening workshop, “Mental Health Wellness and the Church: Reaching Out to Families Experiencing Mental Health Challenges”

Monday, December 2, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
In Tarantino Hall, 763 Hilary Drive, Tiburon, CA 94920 (near the corner of Rock Hill Road).

At the workshop, you will learn about the Mental Health Ministry Network being established by the Archdiocese of San Francisco, what it will mean for our parish to participate, and what ministry opportunities will be available to parishioners. Prayerfully supported by parish lay leaders and receiving professional care, families experiencing mental health challenges will find wholeness, and together, we’ll work to end the stigma that still endures when mental health is an issue.

The workshop is open to all parishioners and free of charge.

For questions or for more information, please contact Dick Collyer at 415-614-5593 or Sister Dolores Maguire at 415-937-5538.

Compassionate, Innovative, and Future-Ready

Saint Hilary School is a K-8 Apple Distinguished and Stanford “Challenge Success” School that nurtures spiritual values, academic excellence, and global awareness. We offer enrichment programs in Fine Arts, Music, PE, Technology and Spanish along with our core curriculum.

Call for a tour of our unique school and join the fun at Saint Hilary School in Tiburon!

Application Deadline: 1/17/20

Book your tour online at: http://sainthilaryschool.org/
email us at: admissions@sainthilaryschool.org or call 415-937-5502.

Eucharistic Adoration Ministry at Saint Hilary Parish:
Monday through Saturday

Our Blessed Sacrament Chapel (located down the little hallway between the Church and Tarantino Hall) is a sacred oasis in this busy and troubled world, for those who desire greater intimacy with Jesus, and the chance to enjoy some holy silence with him and his people.

If you are able to dedicate an hour a week, or one hour a month, you help make Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament possible for the people of Marin County — a great service.

Please contact Shawn Sylvia to learn more: ssylvia@sbcglobal.net
The St. Hilary Tiger says:

“No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.”

Think about it…

This Week at Saint Hilary’s

Monday, November 25
9:45am—Dante Club

Tuesday, November 26
9:30am—Women’s Prayer Group
7:00-8:30pm—RCIA

Wednesday, November 27
6:30am—Men’s Prayer Group

Thursday, November 28
10:00am—Thanksgiving Day Mass

Friday, November 29
9:30am—Confessions

Sunday, December 1 — Advent begins!

Masses at Saint Hilary — Nov. 25 to Dec. 1

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day, Suggested:
Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Sunday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

Rest In Peace

Mrs. Joann Elizabeth Cook
Mr. George Martinez
Mrs. Rosemary Grundin Royer

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.