

SAINT BARBARA PARISH

AT OLD MISSION SANTA BARBARA

A Franciscan Center of Evangelization

In response to God's call to love, we are a faith community that strives to live the gospel in prayer, formation, evangelization, outreach and stewardship in the Franciscan tradition.

MARCH 15, 2020
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



MICHELANGELO'S
**SISTINE
CHAPEL
EXHIBITION**
— OLD MISSION SANTA BARBARA —

ROME COMES TO MISSION
SANTA BARBARA!

May 23 to September 7, 2020

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Weekly Collections \$9,694.00
Weekly Online Donations \$2,045.20
\$11,739.20

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Reminder: Please make checks payable to ST. BARBARA PARISH
(Note: Checks made out to the Old Mission will be used by the Mission not for use by the Parish)

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL
4:00 p.m. in the Mission Church

SUNDAY
7:00 a.m. - Poor Clare Monastery
7:30 a.m. - Mission Church
9:00 a.m. - Family Focused Mass in the Mission Church (also 2nd Sunday 9am Children's Mass in Serra Chapel)
11:00 a.m. - Mission Church

DAILY MASS
7:00 a.m. - Poor Clare Monastery
8:00 a.m. (M-F) - Serra Chapel

HOLY DAYS: 8am, 12:10pm, (5:30pm)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturdays from 3pm to 4pm. Priests are also available by appointment. Enter church through the side door at the end of the portico.

PORZIUNCULA CHAPEL

The Porziuncula Chapel is available for private prayer and meditation
Tuesday - Thursday
1:00 to 4:00 pm
Porziuncula access stickers available in the Porter's Office.



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WELCOME TO ST. BARBARA PARISH !

We are all on a spiritual journey! If you would like to learn more about our beautiful Catholic faith tradition, we would be happy to assist you. Through both one-on-one meetings, as well as our Inquiry Class, we are available to answer your questions and to accompany you.

Please contact Fr. Dan Lackie, Pastor, at (805)682-4151, ext. 101 or dlackie@sbofm.org.

For information on Liturgy, Faith Formation classes for Children and Adults or upcoming events, please visit our website: www.SaintBarbaraParish.org

REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER

New to Santa Barbara? Interested in making St. Barbara Parish your faith community? Please complete a parish registration card, available online or in the Parish Office, and return it to us.

KEEPING OUR CHILDREN SAFE

BE AWARE OF POISON DANGERS IN THE HOME

More than 90% of all poisonings happen in homes. Parents should know the top risks for children (especially children who still put things in their mouths!) and work to eradicate them. Lead poisoning is high on the list, especially for older homes with lead paint or dust. Button batteries are small and shiny and lurk in many toys and electronics that litter our homes. Swallowing these can be deadly for children. The same is true of household cleaners like laundry or dishwasher detergent pods.

For more information, visit <https://latholics.org/did-you-know/>.

If you have any questions about the Safeguard the Children Committee contact: Alex Turcios - Director of Faith Formation at: aturcios@saintbarbaraparish.org

LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Friend,

With fears of the corona virus spreading far and wide and threatening to paralyze our spirits (in a way like the virus itself), it's a little strange to be excited about launching a major public event here at the Mission. But that's what's happening...to me anyway - call it Franciscan foolishness...



For the first time ever, our Franciscan leadership, under the guidance of Fr. David Gaa, has approved the temporary expansion of our Mission Museum to house a major art display. And for good reason: to broadcast our Gospel vision as a center of Franciscan evangelization through the power of beauty and education. For three months this summer, through the miracle of 21 st century technology and the enterprising spirit of Bridgeman Images, our premier campus gathering areas, Serra Chapel and the Friars Lounge, will become the Sistine Chapel. The exhibit, photographic reproductions of the Sistine frescoes, is currently attracting large crowds to the campus of Christ Cathedral in Orange County.

In one way, the exhibit carries forward a long-standing Franciscan mode of devotion and preaching: making the beauty and inspiration of faraway holy sites more available to local communities. The Stations of the Cross, practiced frequently during Lent, came about through friars who wanted to make it possible for people to experience a spiritual pilgrimage without having to travel all the way to Jerusalem. In a similar way, St. Francis himself was able to establish the “the Pardon of Assisi”, making it possible for pilgrims to visit his beloved chapel in Assisi to receive the grace of God’s forgiveness more easily than travelling to St. Peter’s in Rome.

As we bring the Gospel to life in new ways, let’s pray for an end to the corona virus and, with prudence, place our future – and our current project - in the hands of God!

Gratefully,
Fr. Dan OFM
Pastor



MICHELANGELO'S SISTINE CHAPEL EXHIBITION

— OLD MISSION SANTA BARBARA —

Mission Santa Barbara is delighted to host the internationally acclaimed Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel Exhibition this summer!

The Mission's historical, architectural and artistic beauty is the perfect setting for this visually stunning, immersive presentation of museum quality, near life-size reproductions on fabric of the iconic master's frescoes that adorn the Sistine Chapel in Rome. It's also a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to view the frescoes up close and see every exquisite detail – a perspective impossible to achieve in the Sistine Chapel.



**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE MISSION
TOUR DESK BEGINNING MAY 23!
NO ONLINE TICKET SALES**

Visit www.santabarbaramission.org/sistine for details



Every Friday in Lent - please join us for

STATIONS AND SOUP

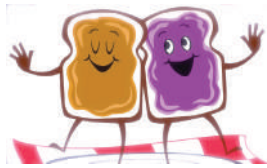
5:30pm Stations of the Cross in Serra Chapel, followed by fellowship while we share a supper of Soup & Bread

Support our Confirmation Students'

PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY DRIVE!

March 21 and 22

We, the Confirmation program, will be taking a collection of peanut butter and jelly jars before all the Masses the weekend of March 21st/22nd. The jars of peanut butter and jelly go to fill the shelves at the Catholic Charities pantry in Santa Barbara. As parents, you know that a PB&J sandwich can go a long way for a kid for a school lunch. Peanut butter and jelly are some of the most needed items at the pantry. Often, those shelves are empty. Thank you in advance for your generous contributions to this drive! This could be a great opportunity to talk about almsgiving as a family during this Lenten season.



Enriching Your Lent

Jesuit Father Noel Barber will present six evening sessions of meditation and reflection based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. The Exercises are a scripture-based series of meditations aimed at drawing all who participate into a deeper sense of God's presence and guidance in our lives. Fr. Barber has long experience working with groups and individuals and has designed this series as a special Lenten gift to those desiring a richer life in the Spirit. These sessions (over 6 weeks) lasting about one hour will continue on **Mondays March 9th through March 30th at 7:00 p.m.** in Serra Chapel.



Bishop McElroy On Voting

Bishop Robert McElroy of San Diego recently gave an address at the University of San Diego that was published in *National Catholic Reporter* under the headline "Bishop McElroy on voting with faith and conscience." He begins by quoting Pope Francis' encyclical *The Joy of the Gospel*, which quotes Pope Benedict: "If indeed 'the just ordering of society and of the state is a central responsibility of politics', the Church 'cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice'."

McElroy's thesis follows: "It is primarily through the votes of Catholic women and men, rooted in conscience and in faith that the Church enters into the just ordering of society and the state." That thesis has a second part: "And it is primarily in voting for specific candidates...that believers as citizens have the greatest opportunity to leave the earth better than we found it."

The trouble is that "comparatively little attention has been paid in Catholic moral theology to...the act of voting for specific candidates." The USCCB's quadrennial statement on voting is all about how Catholics should think about issues and very little about how to evaluate candidates. More next week on how Bishop McElroy corrects that imbalance.

~Roger Bergman (rbjps@creighton.edu)

MOVIE NIGHT- *Of Gods and Men*

Friday, March 20th at 7pm

Bonaventure Room



Men never do evil so completely and cheerfully as when they do it from religious conviction.

Eight French Christian monks live in harmony with their Muslim brothers in a monastery perched in the mountains of North Africa in the 1990s. When a crew of foreign workers is massacred by an Islamic fundamentalist group, fear sweeps through the region. The army offers them protection, but the monks refuse. Should they leave? or stay... come what may. This film is loosely based on the life of the Cistercian monks of Tibhirine in Algeria, from 1993 until their kidnapping in 1996. -- (C) Sony Pictures Classics

COMMUNITY

Parish Calendar: March - April

Saturday, March 14th

Second Saturday Hospitality after the 4pm Mass

Sunday, March 15th - 3rd Sunday in Lent

7:30am, 9am & 11am Masses

9am Children's Liturgy of the Word

Monday, March 16th - Enriching your Lent

7pm Fr. Barber on the Spiritual Exercises of
St. Ignatius of Loyola in Serra Chapel

Friday, March 20th

5:30pm Stations of the Cross in Serra Chapel
followed by Soup Supper (Led by Legion of Mary)

7pm Movie Night - Of God's and Men in Bonaventure

Sunday, March 22nd - 4th Sunday in Lent

7:30am, 9am & 11am Masses

Monday, March 23rd - Enriching your Lent

7pm Fr. Barber on the Spiritual Exercises of
St. Ignatius of Loyola in Serra Chapel

Friday, March 27th

5:30pm Stations of the Cross in the Olive Garden
followed by Soup Supper in Francis Room

7pm Lenten Choral Meditations in Serra Chapel

Sunday, March 29th - 5th Sunday in Lent

7:30am, 9am & 11am Masses

9am Children's Liturgy of the Word

Monday, March 30th - Enriching your Lent

7pm Fr. Barber on the Spiritual Exercises of
St. Ignatius of Loyola in Serra Chapel

Friday, April 3rd

5:30pm Stations of the Cross in Serra Chapel
followed by Soup Supper

Sunday, April 5th - Palm Sunday

7:30am, 9am & 11am Masses

Saturday, April 25

9am-2pm 1st Communion Preparation Retreat

Ongoing Meetings:

1st Saturday - 8:30am Secular Franciscans Mass followed by
9am Secular Community Gathering in Bonaventure

Every Saturday - 3-5pm Legion of Mary - Anthony

Tuesdays 7-8:30pm Adult Inquiry & Confirmation

Save the Date!

LENTEN CHORAL MEDITATIONS

Choir and Schola of St. Barbara Parish

Friday, March 27th at 7pm
in Serra Chapel



ADULT FAITH INQUIRY & CONFIRMATION

Do you have a friend interested in the Church? Have you been attending Mass, but are still unsure about becoming a Catholic? Would you like to better understand your faith? Are you an adult that would like to receive the sacrament of confirmation?

Join us on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the St. Anthony Room, through May 19.

Please register for these sessions by emailing rciasbparish@gmail.com.

PASCHAL TRIDUUM THE SACRED THREE DAYS

Holy Thursday, April 9th

8:00 am Morning Prayer (Serra Chapel)

7:30 pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, April 10th

8:00 am Morning Prayer (Serra Chapel)

12:00 noon Stations of the Cross (Olive Garden)

1:00 - 3:00 pm Quiet Prayer before the Cross

3:00 pm Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
(Mission Church)

Holy Saturday, April 11th

8:00 am Morning Prayer (Serra Chapel)

No Confessions • No 4:00 p.m. Mass

7:00 pm Glorious Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, April 12th

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection (Mission Church)

7:00 am (earlier time) • 9:00 am (Serra Chapel
and Mission Church) • 11:00 am

Seating is limited. Early arrival is suggested.

LITURGY

Mass Intentions

Mar 14	4 pm	Church	†Anna Alois Lindelbauer
Mar 15	7:30am	Church	†Patricia Blaschke
Mar 15	9 am	Church	†Israel Isaac Vargas
Mar 15	11 am	Church	†Devera Broderick
Mar 16	8 am	Chapel	†John Shellabarger
Mar 17	8 am	Chapel	†Manuel Gonzales
Mar 18	8 am	Chapel	Sr. Mary Seraphica
Mar 19	8 am	Chapel	†Bill Belfiore
Mar 20	8 am	Chapel	James Martin
Mar 21	4 pm	Church	†Joseph Jankowski
Mar 22	7:30am	Church	†Israel Isaac Vargas
Mar 22	9 am	Church	†Bienvenida Chavez
Mar 22	11 am	Church	†Maria Morilla

Friars Community Mass will pray for the Benefactors, Living and Deceased, of the Poor Clare Sisters, Spokane, WA

Let us Pray for the Sick

Javier Quezada	Lillian O'Reilly	Ellie Gymnaites
Mark Zaunius	Samira Ali	Mary Ryder
Marilyn Zaunius	Amir Khajemirki	Mariana Kusky
Ernie Pico	Marisela Arana	Becky Betancourt
Paulette Hoffman	Jessica Diaz	Sven de Klerk
Wayne Hoffman	Patricia Bucciarelli	William R. Bonilla
Rosario T. De Leon	Adi Kazali	Maryann Severe
Jean Berger	Laura Sitler	Leo Avila
Nivan Jayawardene	Thomas Reviea	Leopoldo Gaitan
Mary Fernando	Dan Murphy	Lolita Gaitan
Mary Ann Schmidt	Bernd Moessle	Dot Kelley
Jack Lee Fletcher	Jim Lemon	Gloria Cardona
Dorothea Johnson	Tony Wilson	William W. Colvert
Matt Helman	Barbara Boros	Eugene Bucciarelli
Linda K. Van	Kitty Peri	Christopher
Arsdale	Amy Boulden	Garnicke
Marion Weide	Reg Aguiar	

— May they know Christ's Healing —

Please contact the Parish Office at (805)682-4151 to add or remove a name from the prayer list.

Readings:

March 15th - 3rd Sunday of Lent

First Reading — Exodus 17:3-7
 Responsorial Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9
 Second Reading — Romans 5:1-2, 5-8
 Gospel — John 4:5-42

March 22nd - 4th Sunday of Lent

First Reading — First Samuel 16:1, 6-7, 10-13
 Responsorial Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5,6
 Second Reading — Ephesians 5:8-14
 Gospel — John 9:1-41



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For Readings and other info:
<http://uscbb.org>

WIDER CATHOLIC COMMUNITY NEWS

LENTEN FISH FRY DINNER - Knights of Columbus Council 5300 is sponsoring Lenten Fish Fry dinners each Friday evening during Lent beginning February 28th. (No fish fry on Good Friday). Come to St. Raphael's Parish Hall in Goleta to enjoy one of the tastiest fish dinners you can get in Southern California. Cost is only \$10. Children under 12 are \$5. Take-out meals are available. Serving begins at 6:00 pm. Proceeds support the charitable works of the Council.

HOSPICE OF SANTA BARBARA'S LEARN @ LUNCH SERIES

"Death and Dying from Different Religious Perspectives" join us for this **FREE program on the 3rd Friday of the Month from 12pm-1pm.**



March 20th - Rev. Elizabeth Molitors - Trinity Episcopal Church. Bring your lunch and meet in the conference room at Hospice of Santa Barbara office located at 2050 Alameda Padre Serra #100 To RSVP call (805) 563-8820. For more information: www.hospiceofsantabarbara.org. Videos of the presentations are available to view at www.hospiceofsb.org about two weeks after each talk. Just click on "Knowledge Library" and then "Videos."

MISSION DOCTORS ASSOCIATION will offer the **2020 West Coast Retreat/Seminar, March 27-29, 2020** for Catholic Doctors, Dentists, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants considering Short-term mission service. This will be held at Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles. This weekend is offered free of charge to those considering service at a Mission Hospital or Clinic. Visit the web site: www.MissionDoctors.org or call for (213) 368-1872.

MEN'S CONFERENCE - Saturday, March 28, 8am-1pm, at Notre Dame School campus. Men looking for spiritual growth are invited to attend this half-day conference that includes inspiring talks by Fr. John Love and Fr. Calin Tamiian, time for prayer, fellowship, and lunch. Sponsored by Saint Therese Classical Academy. Cost: \$10, RSVP: sbrocha@hotmail.com or 805-729-4309

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TEA - The Catholic Daughters of the Americas will hold their beautiful annual tea on Saturday, April 4th at 1:30 p.m. at Serra Hall (Los Olivos and Garden Street). Reservations are \$35.00 and can be made by calling Lisa at 805-689-1974 or e-mail godschan@cox.net. Reservations are only made when paid. Please make your reservation early as we have limited seating. Hope to see you there.



Please join us in prayer for an end to abortion and for the conversion of those working at Planned Parenthood, 518 Garden Street in Santa Barbara. The Most Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited. Please contact Gisela Cooper at 805-886-3732 (text/call) for meeting dates and times. Habla español.