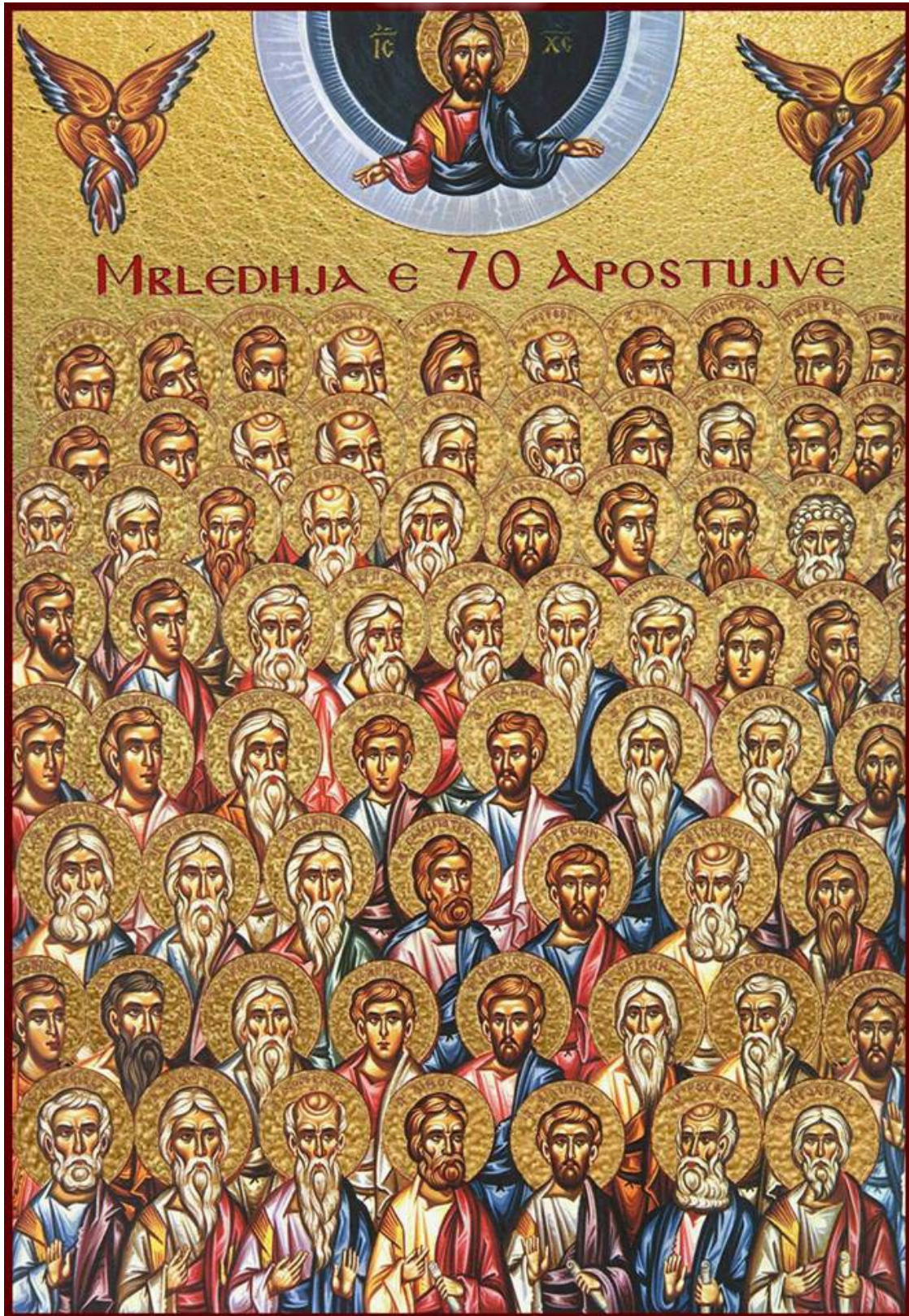




ST. RAYMOND
CATHOLIC CHURCH
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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 6, 2025



This Week

SATURDAY, JULY 5, 2025

8:15 am Mass followed by Adoration & Confession until 9:15 am
3:30 pm Confession until 4:30 pm
5:00 pm Mass

SUNDAY, JULY 6, 2025

8:00 am Mass
10:00 am Mass followed by ☕ & 🍷
5:00 pm Mass

MONDAY-SATURDAY

8:15 am Mass

MONDAY, JULY 7, 2025

6:00 pm Legion of Mary (Hall)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 2025

10:00 am Bible Study
7:00 pm Catholic in Recovery (p.6)
7:00 pm Holy Hour (Confession & Adoration)

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 2025

8:15 am Mass followed by Adoration & Confession until 9:15 am
3:30 pm Confession until 4:30 pm
5:00 pm Mass

SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025

8:00 am Mass
10:00 am Mass followed by ☕ & 🍷
5:00 pm Mass
6:00 pm Salt & Light (7th-12th Grades) (p. 3)

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 5, 5:00 pm Connie Auyeung †

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun., July 6, 8:00 am St. Raymond Parish
10:00 am Matthew Blach 🎂
5:00 pm Blach & Derry Families, L&D

Mon., July 7, 8:15 am Ronnica Hagy 🎂

Tue., July 8, 8:15 am Glafira Cano Arias †

Wed., July 9, 8:15 am Judith Heyboer †

St. John of Cologne, OP, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs (m); St. Francis de Capillas, OP, Priests, St. Peter Sanz, OP, Bishop, St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs (m)

Thu., July 10, 8:15 am Bernadette Marcu (7/1) 🎂

Fri., July 11, 8:15 am Mary & Charles † Galdes
St. Benedict, Abbot (M)

Sat., July 12, 8:15 am Puz & Harold Nelson & Family, L&D

Sat., July 12, 5:00 pm St. Raymond Parish

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun., July 13, 8:00 am Melissa Kissling & Baby Ingrid ††
10:00 am Aurelio Maestrini †
5:00 pm In Thanksgiving to St. Michael

S - Solemnity; F - Feast; M - Obligatory Memorial; m - Optional Memorial; L&D - Living & Deceased

PRAYERS

As a parish community we pray for the sick among us, including: Jackie, Nony & Penny Bantug, Anda-Louise Bozda, John Caletti, Modesta Cintron, William Cintron, Alessandra Colorado, Beverly Crawford, Andrea Edwards, Grace Cunningham, Ella DeLaMare, Maureen DeMoss, Esther Falsario, Anthony Galdes, Estela Gallegos, Anna Greco, Janice Hagy, David Huntzinger, Sandra Lecha, Bonnie Morey, Red Morrow, Anjuli Nunn, Glenn Olsen, Leo Paule, Nora Semaan, Mary Shepherd, Joli Stieber, Connie Sutton, Karel Sykora, Connie Williams, the homebound, those in our local hospitals and skilled nursing facilities, and those who wish not to be named.

We also pray for the recently deceased Frank Helfrich, Margaret Head, Fr. Reginald Martin, O.P. and Fr. Eugene Sousa, O.P.

To add a name, please contact the Parish Office.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Dear Parishioners,

In our parish survey, you asked for more information on finances. I'd like to update you on our parish's financial health, covering the third quarter of our fiscal year (Q3 FY25), from January to March 2025. It is with a grateful heart that I reflect on what we continue to accomplish together, thanks to your unwavering commitment and generosity.

Highlights of the quarter include the following:

- Offertory in Q3 FY25 reached \$246k, marking a \$30k increase compared to the same period last year (Q3 FY24).
- Total income for Q3 FY25 was \$538k, including a significant rise to \$11k in the Religious Education/Faith Formation category.
- Total expenses for Q3 FY25 were \$525k, lower than the overall expenses for the same period last year.
- Of this amount, \$53k was used for capital improvements (sound system, building projects) and was paid for by donations restricted to those projects.
- Our expenses for Payroll and Contractors increased versus last year as we invested in essential services to support our operations.
- Excluding projects paid by restricted donations, our operating expenses exceeded our income by \$10k in Q3 FY25.

Overall, our robust financial foundation allows us to sustain and expand our vital ministries, building a vibrant and connected parish community, from welcoming new families and engaging our youth to deepening our faith through various programs and outreach initiatives. However, the rising costs of goods and services continues to impact our operational expenses. To ensure our continued financial stability and support our growing parish family, we invite those who are able to prayerfully consider increasing their monthly giving or making a generous annual gift.

Recurring electronic giving helps support the parish consistently. If you have not already signed up, please consider doing so at www.straymondmp.org/giving. Other giving options include stock donations, employer matching donations, IRA distributions, and donor-advised funds and charitable foundations. Please feel free to reach out to me directly if you have any questions about giving or wish to discuss specific projects or contributions.

As your pastor and priest, I am profoundly grateful to witness our parish diligently build a vibrant spiritual home, a place for faithful prayer, selfless service, and joyful fellowship. As we look with hope to the future, may we continue this powerful momentum, always relying on God's grace and your continued support.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Jerome

St. Vincent de Paul

Thank You!

Thank you for helping support our local chapter of the Society of St. Vincent dePaul. Your donations will help many in our local communities.

If you missed a chance, you can donate here with the QR code or use an envelope next time you're in church. Why not set up a recurring donation???



God bless you and thank you for your generosity! Donate at straymondmp.org/giving.

7th-12th grade

SALT and Light

Sunday July 13th

5PM: Youth Mass
6-8PM: Games, Dinner, and Discussion

Finding God's Plan for Your Life
Vocation Story of
Fr Antony Cherin, OP

RSVP:
religioused@straymondmp.org

A stylized illustration of two people, a man and a woman, holding megaphones and shouting. The man is on the left, wearing an orange shirt and yellow shorts. The woman is on the right, wearing a purple shirt and purple pants. They are both facing towards the center of the poster.

The Brother Report

Greetings from Puebla Mexico where I am spending the summer learning Spanish. (Attached is a photo of the Chapel of the Rosary where I'm staying here JP2 called the 8th wonder of the world.)

DEACONATE ORDINATION 9/13/25

Thank you for your prayers for my Solemn Vows in May; it was a beautiful day. I just wanted to let you all know that it's official that I will be ordained a deacon this **September 13th at 10:30 am at St. Dominic's, 2390 Bush St., San Francisco.** (Please send me your mailing address for a paper invitation.) It would be great to have you all there for this special day, but I realize that it is a long trip. The plan is that I will be ordained a priest next June, also in San Francisco, so that might affect your decision about coming out this Fall. Either way, thank you for your love, support, and prayers during all these years. I am humbled by the blessings I've received during this adventure of following Jesus, and I'm so excited for what is to come.

I will be going on pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe this weekend so please let me know if you have any special intentions. brjohnpaul@straymondmp.org



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

I am thrilled to be back at St. Raymond, this time as the Faith Formation Director, starting in early September!

Many of you know me as I had a few hats in the past at St. Raymond: I did the Children's Liturgy of the Word before COVID; I chaired the hospitality committee for the school; I hosted art and cooking classes or summer camps for many St. Raymond children and teenagers; I painted a few commissions as a full time artist which I was until three years ago when I started as the Faith Formation Director for the Palo Alto Parish.

I am very excited to work along with Fr. Jerome, Fr. Antony, Br. John Paul, and the rest of the St Raymond's team, to continue to grow the faith formation programs. I have a lot of energy and passion for the Catholic Church, the Sacraments, the Real Presence and the People of God.

Flo deBretagne



Mark your calendars for a new season of Rescue Project!

What is it? An 8-week faith-sharing series on the most essential parts of our faith. Dinner, talks, and small group discussions.

Who is it for? Everyone. Because every one of us can go deeper in our relationship with God. There are small groups for teens (ages 14-18), Young Adults (19-40), married couples (child care available), and adults of all ages.

When is it? Mondays 6:30-8:30 PM

- September 22nd
- September 29th
- October 6th
- October 13th
- October 20th
- October 27th
- Saturday November 1st retreat. 11am-5pm
- November 3rd

(times & dates subject to change)

"There is something special about watching the talks together with like-minded people who share the same goal of growing in faith together. Small group discussions following the talks are a great way to be inspired by others, when we see things through different lenses. There is something to learn from everyone.

"The unifying theme is how God loves us deeply, and we are all empowered to bring God's grace to others, as individuals and a community. I would highly recommend this program."

Catholic in Recovery

St. Raymond Church

1100 Santa Cruz Avenue, Menlo Park | PARISH HALL

WEDNESDAYS

@ 7:00 p.m.

Catholic sacramental recovery and fellowship for those seeking freedom from addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments.



THE SHRINES of ITALY 2025 JUBILEE





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NOV. 3 - 16, 2025

FOR INFO
Bel Cruz, Tour Coordinator
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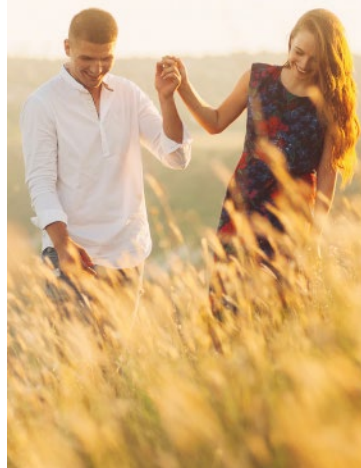
Mass at 7 pm followed by outdoor rosary process and benediction.

Mon., July 14, Wed., Aug. 13, Fri., Sept. 12, Mon., Oct. 13.

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Join us to celebrate
the canonization by Pope Leo XIV of

Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati

(THIRD ORDER DOMINICAN)

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 2025 @ 6:30 PM



THE IGNATIUS PRESS MOVIE

PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI

If I Didn't Have Love



WHERE: Church of the Nativity, O'Hare Center, 210 Oak Grove Ave, Menlo Park, CA

TICKETS: \$15 Adults • \$10 Youth 10 - 17 yrs old
Doors open at 6:00 pm • Limited seating

Pay by check to "Dominican Laity" and mail to the Treasurer:
Ms. Araceli D. Antonio, OP, 42 Nelson Court, Daly City, 94015

Tickets are at "will call" and limited availability at the door - cash only

PRESENTED BY: The Dominican Laity Corpus Christi Chapter on their 60th anniversary

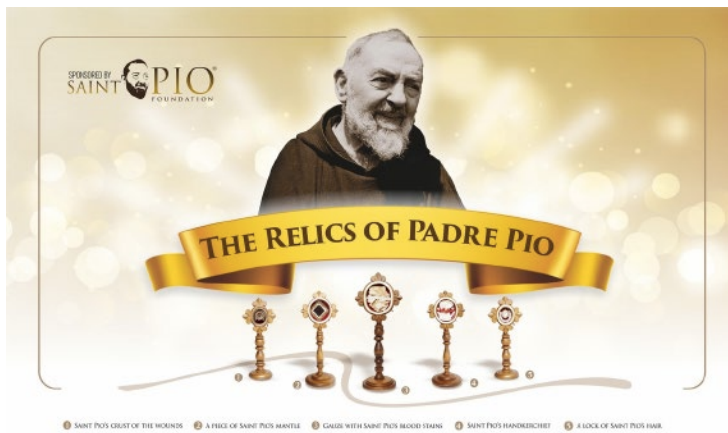
Introductory Remarks By Rev. Fr. James Thompson, OP

Movie Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm • Light refreshments will be served

For more information, contact Finola Glassmoyer at (650) 868 - 3090

"Pier Giorgio Frassati was a man of the eight beatitudes,
a modern youth and great mountaineer who was keenly interested in the problems of
culture, sports and social questions, as well as the true values of life."
-Pope St. John Paul II

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Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church
300 Fulton Street, Redwood City, CA 94062

2-day Visit of the Relics of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina
August 15 and 16, 2025



MICHELANGELO'S SISTINE CHAPEL THE EXHIBITION

IN THE EVENT CENTER AT SAINT MARY'S CATHEDRAL
1111 GOUGH STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CA, 94109
TUESDAYS THROUGH SUNDAYS
JUNE 21 TO SEPTEMBER 14
TICKETS at: chapelsistine.com/exhibits/san-francisco



**ST. FRANCIS DE CAPILLAS
AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS**
July 9
opwest.org

Painting in Santa Sabina, Rome. Photo by Fr. Lawrence Lew, O.P.



EMOTIONAL & MENTAL WELLNESS MINISTRY

If you or a loved one is experiencing mental or emotional wellness challenges, please contact our St. Raymond Emotional & Mental Health ministry at (650) 899-0370. This is a dedicated line and only co-leads of the ministry team will hear your message. You may also email the ministry team at emwm@straymondmp.org.



Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary meets every Monday at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Feel free to join us and learn more about the Legion of Mary.



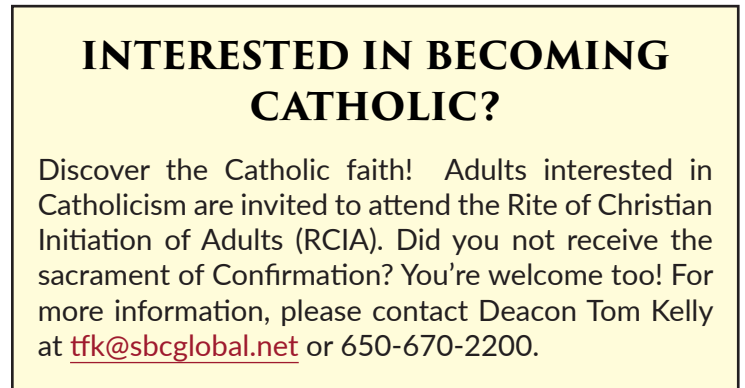
PACK THE PANTRY

As part of our parish mission to pray, serve, and socialize we will have a "Pack the Pantry" collection site at our parish. We will be collecting unopened non-perishable items to supplement our St. Raymond St. Vincent de Paul conference's mission to feed the vulnerable. Next time you're at the store, please grab a few extra items from our list! This will be an ongoing project.

Located in the black storage locker in the parish courtyard next to the parish hall.

All items MUST be NON-PERISHABLE. Items needed:

Peanut Butter (16oz preferred)
Canned Tuna
Canned Chicken
Canned Fruits
Canned Vegetables
Pasta
Rice
Beans



INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Discover the Catholic faith! Adults interested in Catholicism are invited to attend the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Did you not receive the sacrament of Confirmation? You're welcome too! For more information, please contact Deacon Tom Kelly at tfk@sbcglobal.net or 650-670-2200.

WELCOME



If you are a visitor to St. Raymond Parish, we want you to know you are welcome here—whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or another parish in the Bay Area. Say hello to any of our parishioners! For information about our parish or to register, contact us at office@straymondmp.org or register online at straymondmp.org/register.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays	5:00 pm Vigil
Sundays	8:00 am, 10:00 am, 5:00 pm
Weekdays	8:15 am (Mon-Sat)
Holy Days	8:15 am, 12:15 pm, 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:45-9:15 am & 3:30-4:30 pm;
Wednesday 7-8 pm, or by appointment

ADORATION

Saturday 8:45-9:15 am, Wednesday 7-8 pm

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK, BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, & FUNERALS - Please contact the parish office at 650-323-1755 or email office@straymondmp.org.

MISSION STATEMENT St. Raymond is a Catholic parish where we Pray, Serve, and Socialize together as we live out our faith in Jesus Christ.

VISION STATEMENT St. Raymond Catholic Church is a vibrant parish in which every parishioner is engaged in ministry and all parishioners pray-serve-socialize together to keep the fire of our faith growing.

GIVING: ONLINE AND IN PERSON

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