



20th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

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BAPTISM: Sundays at 12:30 pm preceded by instruction for the parents and godparents. Please call the rectory for more information.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements for the marriage preparation program must be made at least six months prior to the date of marriage. Call the Rectory for an appointment.

ANointing THE SICK: Call the rectory when you know of anyone who is ill at home, in the hospital, scheduled for surgery or homebound.

REGISTRATION IN THE PARISH: Registration forms are available at www.saintdunstanchurch.org or by calling the parish office.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 8:30 to 9:00 am & 3:00 - 4:00 pm and by appointment at the rectory.

MASS TIMES:

WEEKDAYS: 6:30 am, 8:00 am & 5:10 pm

SATURDAYS: 8:00 am & 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)

SUNDAYS: 7:00 am, 10:00 am & 11:30 am

HOLY DAYS: 6:30 am, 8:00 am, 11:00 am, 5:10 pm

CHINESE MASS: 3rd Sunday of the month, 1:15 pm



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August 17, 2025 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire,
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August 17, 2025 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Lk 12:49-53

During my baseball career, my best coach often said, "You shouldn't be worried if I yell at you. Be worried if I don't. If I stop pushing you, it means I don't think you have any more potential." He demanded a lot, and I knew it meant he saw that I could be something special on the baseball field.

Jesus says some demanding words to us this week. "Do you think I have come to establish peace on the earth?" he asks, "No, tell you, but rather division" (Luke 12:51). He wants you and me—in fact, all the earth—to participate in the luminous glory of God. That's why he speaks of himself as a divine arsonist. Divine fire is like a good coach: it demands the removal of all that obstructs the achievement of the lofty goal.

How is your life demanding right now? That inconvenient family situation, the unfair boss at work, the kids who reject their parents' wishes, the nagging health issue? Maybe things would be more peaceful devoid of these seemingly arbitrary difficulties. But for us who believe in the one who comes to set the earth of fire, we should be much more worried if he stops demanding so much from us. In fact, let's thank him for it. He sees how glorious we can become.

— Father John Muir

Prayers of Protection for Our Men & Women in the Service

In continued prayerful support of our men and women in the military, please call the rectory with name, rank, and branch of service and location (if allowed) of your loved ones who are serving our country.

Christopher Bruzzone, SPC, Army Combat Medic

1LT Daniel Realini, US Army

Tom Harold Purple, US Army

Adam J Helmers, US Navy

Gregory M Grogan, PO1, USCG-R

Michael Obregon, CPL, USMC

Luigi Lorenzo, 2nd Lieutenant US Airforce

Enrico Enriquez US Army

Jacob Arnold, Sergeant, US Army

Ben Soto, US Airforce

Ken Soto, US Air National Guard

James Raphael R. Cepriano, US Navy

John Lorenzo R. Cepriano, US Navy

Dominic Galarza, US Army

Michael Laemmlein, US Navy

Matthew A. Martinez, 1st Lieutenant US Army

Timothy Joseph Summit, US Air Force

John Michael Mendoza, USN

St. Dunstan Parish Prayer

*God, our Father, we are all your children.
Jesus, our Brother, you taught us to love.
Holy Spirit, by Your Light, may our Parish family grow.
St. Dunstan, pray for us. Amen.*

WELCOME BACK, KNIGHTS

St. Dunstan's School staff and students will kick off the new school year on Tuesday, 8/19/25! Whether you're returning or just joining us, we welcome you. Friendly reminder that the parking lot is closed when school is in session.

GRATITUDE FROM FR. GERVAIS KOUAM:

"I just wanted to extend my heartfelt thanks for the opportunity to assist at Saint Dunstan Parish during the month of July. My experience there was truly amazing—I felt so warmly welcomed by everyone in the community. Please convey my gratitude to the parish staff and parishioners for their kindness and hospitality."



Save the Date for St. Dunstan's Annual Holiday Boutique on Sunday, November 23, 2025! Do you or someone you know create handcrafted items? Consider joining us as a vendor! The boutique attracts many attendees

from communities up and down the Peninsula; and, of course, the members of our own St. Dunstan community. For more information, please contact Krissy: 650-697-4730.

Parishioners, the **2025 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal** is under way. St. Dunstan's Assessment for 2025 is \$107,660. **We have made it over \$80,000 in donations and pledges!** With each passing week we are getting closer to our goal. Thank you! Envelopes available in the pews.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR 2025-2026

Registration is now open for Grades 1-6 and Confirmation classes: saintdunstanchurch.org/religious-education. Classes start on 8/19/2025. Contact Cecille Toy at CRE@st-dunstan.org or 650-697-7451. Contact us if you have an older child that needs sacrament of Baptism or any other sacraments. *We also need adult volunteers: Catechist Aides at Religious Ed classes. Simple task – monitor the class and help the Catechist in the classroom as needed. No experience required. We also need office assistants and youth ministry aides. Contact Cecille.*

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is for adults who wish to learn about the Catholic faith, its traditions and practices, ultimately leading to the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. OCIA classes are starting at St. Dunstan soon. Interested? Contact Fr. Joe Glynn: 650-697-4730 for more information.

Weekly Mass Intentions: August 17 - 23, 2025

- Sunday** 7:00 am For Parish
10:00 am Jose Jacob
11:30 am Leona Freddie
- Monday** 6:30 am Gener Cabrera
8:00 am Celso Abaya
5:10 pm Kyle Enanoria & Reno Vella
- Tuesday** 6:30 am John Chien Fa Hung (dec) & Dolly Li To Li (living)
8:00 am Robert Bodeman
5:10 pm Cikku Agius
- Wednesday** 6:30 am Beatrice & Sara Rodriguez
8:00 am Adriana Precivale
5:10 pm Al Morando
- Thursday** 6:30 am Vic Chamorro
8:00 am Adriana Precivale
5:10 pm Bob Keefe
- Friday** 6:30 am Marlene & Charlie Martin & Family (liv/dec)
8:00 am Frank Cannizzaro
5:10 pm Ramona & Petros Tamaresis
- Saturday** 8:00 am Kathy Bodeman
5:00 pm Doris & Reno Camilleri

We Pray for the Deceased Members of our Parish Family

Josefa Ramos
Thomas Zucchelli

Thank you to our Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers For Serving at this Weekend's Masses.

- 8/16 Saturday**
5:00 PM E Lumanlan, A Woolen, T Phipps,
G Tantillo, F Gutierrez
- 8/17 Sunday**
7:00 AM G Miranda, S Bosso, V Rapues
10:00 AM J Cardon, G Maldonado, R DiRicco
11:30 AM L Roxas, L Aragon, J Roxas, C Caimotto

Many thanks to our ushers and greeters at this weekend's mass. If you're interested in helping, please contact the Rectory.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Jesus tells us that he has come to set fire to the earth. What can we give him as kindling? Let us look into our souls and see where the fire of Christ can be ignited, and pray that our souls may be consumed by its life-giving flames.



Regular Collection: August 9 & 10: \$6,418

Online Giving: August 9 & 10: \$1,826

Thank you for ALL your support!

August 2025 Second Collections

August 15: Assumption of Mary

August 17th: Parish Maintenance & Development Fund

Observances for the week of August 17, 2025

- Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:
Tuesday: St. John Eudes, Priest
Wednesday: St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church
Thursday: St. Pius X, Pope
Friday: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday: St. Rose of Lima, Virgin
Next Sunday: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Morning prayer is held in the Church at 7:10AM Mon - Sat. **Evening prayer** is held in the Church at 4:45PM Mon - Fri. All are welcome to join!



RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini Reflection: If we let Christ set fire to our lives, what would that fire burn away? What dead undergrowth in our souls would be consumed by the flames? What promise of future holiness would sprout from beneath the ashes?

Please join us in the Church grotto on Saturdays at noon to pray the Rosary for world peace.



We pray for the sick members of our Parish family and for those who care for them:

Susan Silvera-Dunn, Nafal Jweinat, Emily Marshall, Mary Spiteri, Annie O'Sullivan, Wilma & Heather Aragon, Vonnice Spencer, Maria Teresa Rosario, Kathy Montiel, Ida Marinario, Letty Santa Cruz, Mike Phipps, Karen Neal, Diane Vanoncini, Peggy Winkenbach, Barbara Cappel, Irene Aubright, Christine Monahan, Paul Leung, Arthur Starrh, Margaret Armstrong, Valentino Regal, Christine Regal, Matilda An, Carolina Cedia Orantes, Carole Weldon, Doug Wright, Joan Walsh, Conchita Chao, Lucrecia Merida, Joshua Liu, Andrew de los Reyes, Marchita Obregon, Frank Richard, Fiona Selig, Geronimo De Los Reyes, Fernando S. De Los Reyes, Cruz David Lagomarsino, Dave Marquez, Denise Fricano, Terry Marquez, Dominic Cannuli, Rosemarie Regal, Yolanda Viteri, Flordeliz Sanchez Ledesma, Luke Skall, Willie Manalang, Consuelo Robel, Gary Wilson, Baby Leon Regal, Michael Regal, Sharon Alejo, Rolando Lopez, Olivia and Grace Hallermann, Meaghan Douglas, Cynthia Aclaro, Dawn Rossi, Kathy Wilson, Fr. Brendan Hally, Claro Zulueta, Marcelina Gatchalian, Harry Aubright, Charlie Silva, Imelda Arceo, Samuel Williams, Baby Winston Regal, Carlos Yegros Ocanipos, Dorice Mallia, Gladys Tordaro, Sylan Joanne Newsom, Alicia Abell, Virginia Victoria Rivera, Nancy Christensen, Mark Kinder, Erlinda Cheng, Tony Amable