

St. Maria Goretti Church

Long Beach, CA

**June 25, 2017**

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1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

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**ST. MARIA GORETTI SCHOOL:**

*Tel. (562) 425-5112 Website: www.smgschool.com*

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**ST. MARIA GORETTI RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:**

*Tel. (562) 248-3454*

Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Sunday - 8a.m. – 2 p.m.

**SACRAMENTS:**

***Sunday Eucharist***

5:00 p.m. Saturdays  
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12 noon (Spanish)

***Weekday Eucharist***

8:00 a.m. Monday thru Friday

***Reconciliation***

Saturdays: 3:00 p.m.  
Anytime, by appointment

***Baptisms:*** Parents expecting a child, please phone Parish Office, even before the birth, regarding preparatory classes.

***Marriages:*** Please phone our parish priest at least 6 months in advance.

***Anointing of the Sick:*** Call the church office anytime. For Eucharistic care, arrange with the Ministry Office for weekly visitation.

**Devotions**

***Rosary and Chaplet***

Monday thru Friday at 7:20 a.m.

***Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions***

Friday at 8:30 a.m.

***First Friday: Eucharistic Adoration***

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Online E-Giving available through our Parish website:  
**www.smgchurch.com**

***NEW PARISHIONERS: Please stop by the church office to register at your earliest convenience.  
We need you! Welcome to our parish family.***

**TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH**

Sat, June 24: Confessions—Church 3pm  
 Sun, June 25: RCIA—Library 11:30am  
 Boy Scout Troop 224 Meeting— Hall 6pm  
 Mon, June 26: Ordinary Activities  
 Tues, June 27: CODA Meeting— CR 6pm  
 Wed, June 28: Ordinary Activities  
 Thurs, June 29: AA Meeting— CR 6:30pm  
 Bible Study— AMR 7pm  
 Fri, June 30: Ordinary Activities  
 Sat, July 1: Confessions—Church 3pm  
 Sun, July 2: Boy Scout Troop 224 Meeting—Hall 6pm

**Natural Family Planning**

Do you want to learn the secret to living your marriage sacrament freely, totally, faithfully and fruitfully? Come learn Natural Family Planning; it's highly effective and can do wonders for your relationship. A new class series starts June 13th. To learn more visit [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org) or contact Greg and Beth Gath at [562-377-5877](tel:562-377-5877).



**FIREWORKS=SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Knights of Columbus will once again be selling "Safe and Sane Fireworks" in support of our Scholarship programs. Please visit our fireworks stand Lakewood Located at 4265 Woodruff Ave near Carson at the corner of Woodruff and Harvey way directly in front of Sprouts Market. **July 1st and 4th, 9am to 10pm**

**\*\*BRING THIS CHURCH BULLETIN AND RECEIVE A DISCOUNT OF "NO SALES TAX"**

**Peter's Pence Collection**

During the weekend of July 1-2 will be Peters Pence Collection. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters in the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. For more information, visit: [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

**Thank you to Dave Haro!**

Our parish would like to extend a huge thank you to Dave Haro for all the work he has done for our community. His assistance to Linda, as well as all the effort he has put in alone has made our gardens look beautiful. Thank you,



**Sunday Catholic TV Mass**

**9:00am on KDOC Channel 56**

Also on cable/satellite TV. Check listings for "KDOC." Please help spread the word. Tell a homebound relative or neighbor.

**Saturday, June 24**

5:00 Fathers Day Novena

**Sunday, June 25**

8:00 am +Judy Brown (Kathy Hernandez)  
 10:00 am +Patrick Palzer (Family)  
 12:00 noon SMG Parishioners



**THIS WEEK 8:00am**

Monday: +Jim Smith (Katherine Richardson)  
 Tuesday: +Chris Cathrort (Joanne Gunsaulus)  
 Wednesday: +Lola Heron (Joanne Gunsaulus)  
 Thursday: +Pauline Brokaski (Maria Connors)  
 Friday: +Richard Romero (Family)

**Saturday, July 1**

5:00 SMG Parishioners

**Sunday, July 2**

8:00 am +Elizabeth Schultz (Cecelia Clemson)  
 10:00 am +John & Pat Rogers (Olsen Family)  
 12:00 noon +Lupita Diaz (Maribel Everett)

**DID YOU KNOW?**

**Summer safety and abuse prevention**

As you begin to make summer plans for activities – whether in your own backyard, the local park, summer camps or other overnight or out-of-town settings – keep child safety in mind. The best practice rules for child safety is to have as much information about the place, program and its coordinators as possible and replace blind trust with knowledge and healthy suspicion. To request a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Summer Safety Tips Can Help Prevent Sexual Abuse," email [jvienna@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org) or call (213) 637-7227.

**Thank you!**

Our parish and school would like to extend an enormous thank you to everyone who helped make this year's carnival a success. We cannot begin to explain how grateful we are that we have such caring and generous people in our community. We hope that we can continue to make our carnival such a success in the years to come.



Thank you and God Bless.

**Updating Parishioner Information**

Don't forget to promptly notify the Rectory of any changes in your registration information. Such changes could include changes in names, address, phone number, e-mail address, marital status, etc., or, if you no longer attend St. Maria Goretti Church. Please also let us know if you do not want to use envelopes. If you want to have a record of your contributions, however, it is important that you either use envelopes or write your family ID number on your checks. Your continued cooperation is greatly appreciated so that we can ensure the accuracy of our records.

**ST. MARIA GORETTI LONG BEACH**

**Breaking Bread**

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**Responsorial Psalm:**

“Lord, in your great love, answer me.”

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP**

*Maker, Fun Factory: Created by God, Built for a Purpose.*

9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

Monday - Friday July 10-14

at **St. Maria Goretti Parish**

Registration forms are available in the church vestibule.



**REMINDER**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO LOCK YOUR CAR AND HIDE YOUR VALUABLES FROM PLAIN SIGHT**

**Help Raise Box Tops for SMG!**

Help earn money for St. Maria Goretti Catholic School with Box Tops for Education! Box Tops are found on the packaging of many different food products and household items (please see BTFE.com for a full list of participating products). Each one that is clipped and turned in means 10¢ for our school!

It may not seem like a lot, but it all adds up. Our goal this year is to raise \$1,000 to purchase new books for our library.

You may turn in your Box Tops to the school office, or drop them in the box in the back of the church. SMG School thanks you for your support!

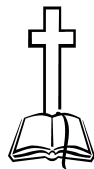


**To All Parishioners:**

Just a reminder that all donations given to our church are tax deductible. If you are a registered parishioner you will receive a letter at the end of the year showing your annual contributions. If you are not yet registered please call our rectory office to get started. Church donations may help on your taxes!

**Ministry to the Sick**

Do you have a family member or know someone who is unable to attend Mass? Special Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring Communion to our parishioners who are unable to attend Mass on Sundays because of sickness or disability. For more information, please call the rectory at (562) 425-7459



**Carnival Meeting**

There will be a wrap up carnival meeting on Saturday, June 24, 2017 after the 5pm Mass. The meeting will be held in the hall. We will provide hotdogs, hamburgers, and drinks. All are welcome to join.

**LECTORS**

5:00pm	<b>June 24</b> Hanna	<b>July 1</b> Hanna
8:00am	<b>June 25</b> Gaudy	<b>July 2</b> Moons
10:00am	Kerlagon	Arroyo/ Castaneda
12 noon	Godinez/ Viramontes	Gutierrez/ Hermosillo

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**Saturday, June 24**

5:00pm Bud Miller, Gloria Miller, Katherine Richardson  
Carol Gerbrand, Volunteer

**Sunday, June 25**

8:00am Terry Gil, Patricia Jondle, Hilda McAllister  
Yvonne Seyler, Volunteer

10:00am Yolinda Medina-Skinner, Sandy Moons, Louie  
Moons, Debbie Palzer, Rhonda Rivera,  
Lupita Stimpson

12:00pm Maria Alvarado, Rosa Santana, Lidia Godinez,  
Lydia Fonesca, Margarita White

**Saturday, July 1**

5:00pm Donna Coutts, Genelle Curiel, Joe Curiel,  
Yolanda Litzinger, Volunteer.

**Sunday, July 2**

8:00am Ron Costin, Elizabeth Stroh, James  
Schmerbauch, Greg Meyers, Candy Meyers

10:00am Steven Way, John Bryson, Barbara Clark, Carrie  
Cox, Mike Garry, Dani Hernandez

12:00pm Lydia Fonesca, Margarita White, Carmen Cruz,  
Nelly Lopez, Adela Rivera.

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Saturday, June 24**

5:00pm I. Garcia, C. Garcia

**Sunday, June 25**

8:00am G. Jondle, Volunteer

10:00am M. Contreras, S. Contreras

12:00pm A. Penaloza, P. Hermosillo

**Saturday, July 1**

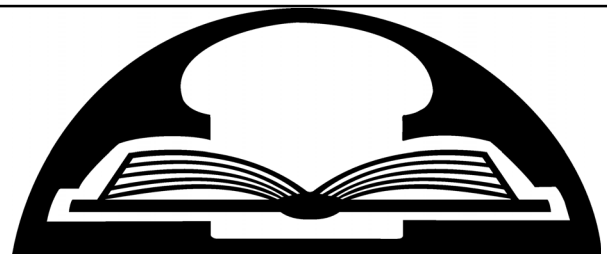
5:00pm A. Valdez, S. Loomis

**Sunday, July 2**

8:00am J. Godinez, S. Godinez

10:00am I. Garcia, C. Garcia

12:00pm J. Lopez, V. Godinez



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*“Not by bread alone does one live, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of the LORD.”*

*-Deuteronomy 8:3b*

## St. Maria Goretti School News Corner



**August 23**  
**First Day of School**  
**Noon Dismissal All Week**

**If you have any questions please contact the school office at (562) 425-5112.**

### *Using Visitor Envelopes*

When using a visitor contribution envelope for your weekly offering, please be sure to list your full name and address so that our Rectory staff can apply credit to the appropriate family or member, as some families share the same last name. Thank you!

### Parish Register

Being an active member at a Parish has many rewards such as: being eligible to sponsor a child for Baptism, receiving financial aid for Catholic Education, to be married within the parish and to prepare one's children for the Sacraments, to name a few. To be an active member is to participate in acts of stewardship and prayer throughout the Parish. All adults over the age of 21 can register and be considered members. Participating in one or more of the ministries offered by the Parish is a way in which you can share your time and talents for the greater good of the Church Community and beyond. If you are not a member, feel free to pick up a registration form from the Rectory.



### **7 Night Western Caribbean Cruise**

Come and sail away on a 7 night Cruise with Priest to be assigned by The Apostleship of the Sea of the United States of America. Sail dates September 17th– September 24th, 2017 on Royal Caribbean's Liberty of the Seas out of Galveston, Texas. Ports of call: Roatan, Bay Islands Honduras, Costa Maya, and Conzumel. Prices begin at \$1085.00 for two passengers which includes all port fees and taxes. Daily mass offered. Deposits of only \$350.00 per person will reserve your cabin. For further info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785.

### Kiosk in the back of Church

All parishioners are welcomed and encouraged to check out the kiosk located at the back of our Church. This kiosk has several religious books and CDs. Please see if any of these items might be beneficial to you. Each item has a price marked on the back of it so if you decide that you would like to take an item home, please leave that amount of money inside the box attached to the kiosk so that we may continue to restock it for your fellow parishioners. Thank you.



June 25, 2017

**Please pray for our sick brothers and sisters . . .**

Larry Aguilar, Steven Bopp, Frances Boudreau, Esperanza Caballero, Madelyn Caldwell, Max Cardona, Kris Cash, Bertha Chavira, Brooklyn Blue Chavira, John Clark, Bill Cooper, Virginia Cooper, Trese Cordoza, David Costello, Gloria Delgado, Sue Dietrich, Barbara Duran, Robert DuPont, Ann Erlich, Shelley Flores, Altagracia Garcia, Larry Gaudy, Sal Gonzales, Stephan Gutierrez, Pat Hawthorne, Fr. Henry, Thomas Alexander Hogan, Matthew Holliday, Frank Humphreys, Ellie Jacobs, Richard Joyce, Doug Jungemann, Mykella Kershaw, Patricia Kershaw, Leon Labayen, Jaime Lagana, Margaret Lander, Gabriel Lopez, Manuel Lopez, Jack & Barbara Luera, Leo Montano, Mary Ann Mendoza, Kelly Miller, Tom Moran, Sean Murray, Kristine Negrete, Jeffrey Newon, Jim Niemeyer, Stella Oliva, Joe Padilla, Patty Padilla, Mike Petersen, Lorissa Privette, Gia Quintero, Harper Reich, Kevin Reich, Patricia Reich, Suzanne Reich, Thomas Richardson, Margie Rodriguez, Mary Ruth Romo, Dora Saning, Richard Santos, Brad Schneider, Lisa Sielen, Toby Sturgis, Raymond Tanguay, Virgie Trajano, Robert Trani, Tess Turla, Don Watts, Joyce Watts, Richard Zapata, Holder Zimmerle, Michael Zuelke,



Please pray for those who have died, especially:

+*Al Viau*

Long time Parishioner

*May they and all who have died be received into God's eternal Kingdom; and may those grieving the loss of loved ones be comforted and supported through faith and prayers.*



**MINISTRY CONTACT LIST**

**Knights of Columbus:** Dave Williams (562) 221-6985

**Boy Scouts:** Kelly Bryson (562)-761-9375

**Cub Scouts:** Melissa Ray (714) 785-3577

**Altar Servers:** Humberto Arredondo (562) 841-2054

**Carnival:** Anna Marie Erdman (714) 290-3657

**Children's Liturgy:** Lupita Stimpson (562) 673-2851

**Coffee and Donuts:** Tina Richardson (562) 883-3150

**Eucharistic Mass:** Rectory (562) 425-7459

**Eucharistic Sick:** Rectory (562) 425-7459

**Lectors:** John Clark (562) 425-3203

**Music:** Steve Ordonez (562) 896-6959

**Bible Study:** Rolf Trondsen (562) 897-6584

**RCIA:** Rolf Trondsen (562) 897-6584

**Respect Life:** Patty Padilla (562) 496-0750

**Safeguard the Children:** Chris Shararian (562) 925-8247

**Senior Social Circle:** Genelle Curiel (562) 425-7753

**St. Vincent De Paul:** Tina Richardson (562) 506-5105

**Ushers:** Dave Williams (562) 221-6985