



Saint Rita Church

St. Rita Mission Statement

We, the community of St. Rita's, welcome all to share in the richness of our Catholic Heritage.

We worship God and celebrate the gift of Jesus Christ in Word and Sacrament, and commit ourselves to outreach & service to all in our community.

Parish Staff

Rev. Kenneth Weare, Ph.D., Pastor
Mrs. Dolores Stoll, Parish Administrator
Mrs. Anya Artigiani, Spiritual Director
Ms. Yvette Armendariz, Office Manager
Mr. Michael McCarty, Music Director
Mrs. Erin Albachten, Bookkeeper
Mrs. Sondra Engle, Thrift Store Manager

Parish Office & Rectory

100 Marinda Drive
Fairfax, CA 94930

415-456-4815
Fax: 415-456-3677
saintritafairfax@att.net
www.SaintRitaChurch.org

Monday through Friday: Office Hours 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Religious Education

Please contact the Rectory to register. Classes are Sundays after 9:00 AM Mass, September to May.

St. Rita CYO Program

email: cyostrita@gmail.com

Dominic Berardi, Athletic Director
Fall: Girls Volleyball
Winter: Boys and Girls Basketball

Saint Rita Helping Hands

415-454-6420

Monday through Friday: Office Hours 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

St. Rita Thrift Store

2090 Sir Francis Drake Blvd
Fairfax, CA 94930

415-482-7622

Mon.-Fri.: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM, Sat. & Sun.: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 7:30 AM

Saturday: 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Please call the rectory for an appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

New or expectant parents should contact the rectory to schedule a pre-Baptismal preparation class for parents and godparents, and to select a date and time.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples should contact the rectory at least six months before the desired date of their marriage.

Sacrament of the Sick or Communion Visit

Please call the rectory for an appointment.

Christian Burial

Please call the rectory before or during your meeting with the funeral director.

St. Rita Parish Hall

The parish hall is available for rent to parishioners and non-profit organizations. Please call rectory for information.

Sunday, 28 August 2016
Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Coming Soon

Sunday, 11 September
St. Rita parish picnic celebrating the
100th
Anniversary
of the original St. Rita Church
(now St. Rita Hall)

Quote of the Week

“We cannot adequately combat
environmental degradation unless we
attend to causes related to human and
social degradation”.

Pope Francis, *Laudato Si'*

Guatemala Mission Project

New photos from the 2016 St. Rita delegation are now posted on the encased bulletin board in the vestibule.

Traveling on that delegation were:

Fr. Ken Weare,
Mrs. Rose Milani,
Jack Heppner,
Giancarlo Esposito,
Jordan Mulligan,
Keara Mulligan,
and Geoffrey Giles

Next year's delegation is tentatively scheduled for
12-21 June 2017

Save the Date

The Sacrament of Confirmation will take
place on
Sunday, 30 October, 11 AM.
The main celebrant will be
Archbishop George Neiderauer, Ph.D.

St. Raphael Preschool Registration

Have you considered Saint Raphael Preschool?

Their faith-based program includes daily prayer, bible stories, and the celebration of special feast days. Most importantly, our religious faith is the foundation for teaching children compassion, cooperation, respect, and dignity. Space is available for the 2016-2017 school year, which begins on August 25.

To learn more, visit
www.saintraphaelpreschool.com or call us
at (415) 456-1702
1100 Fifth Avenue in San Rafael

Save the Date:

Marin Cursillo Bocce Ball Fun Day
Saturday 10/9/2016 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
All are Welcome!
You do not have to attend Cursillo to play.
Bocce & Lunch \$40
Lunch Only \$15
Interested? Contact Charlynn Baumsteiger
Charlynn415@gmail.com
(415) 302-8996

August: Vacation Month

During the past few years, an average of only three or four persons attended the weekday Masses. This year, for the vacation month of August, there will be no weekday Masses scheduled. Coincidentally, to date for the entire month of August no Mass intentions have been requested.

Sunday, 28 August 2016
Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 27 August 5:00 PM † Frank Wilson
Sun. 28 August 7:00 AM † Patrick McGee
Sun. 28 August 9:00 AM † Tom Zeller
Sun. 28 August 11:00 AM Saint Rita Parishioners
Mon. 29 August 7:30 AM *No Service*
Tues. 30 August 7:30 AM *No Service*
Wed. 31 August 7:30 AM *No Service*
Thurs. 1 September 7:30 AM *No Service*
Fri. 2 September 7:30 AM *No Service*
Sat. 3 September 5:00 PM Saint Rita Parishioners
Sun. 4 September 7:00 AM † Pat Cuneo
Sun. 4 September 9:00 AM † Chris Leach
Sun. 4 September 11:00 AM † Mary & Basilio
Fugiani

Pray for... Erin Saunders, Wayne Lamb, Robin Marci,
Elva McGuinness, Marie Gabel, Ron Tamm, Meg Doyle,
Rob Nelson, Cabot Maloney, Pete Doyle, Iris Rivera,
Claudine Woeber, Susan Maynard, Susan McLean,
Anne Kehrlein, Irene DeVita, Peggy Aronoff, Robert Wagner,
Vanessa Ortiz, Frank Doyle, Faye Beck, Leila Rodrigues,
Darren Crofe, Anne Bersaglieri, Amelia Colin, Suzanne DiSilvestri,
Matthias & Rendi Keller, J. Burke, Tony & Caine Starelli,
Don Douglas, Matt Maloney, Lauren Jenkins, Yolanda Chapman,
Norine Maloney, Sienna Giddings, Ryder Morford, Eric Estigoy,
Millie Calvo, Ron Douglas, Greg Herbert, Helen Austin,
Margaret Framm, Dolores Barringer, Victoria Granucci,
Howard Carter, Louis Felipe Miranda, Lisette Hug,
John Giovanni Pardini, Joan Barker, Marla Mulligan, Pat Morrison,
Howard Schwartz, Linda Schwartz, Asher Norvell, Marisa Giannini,
Cathy Giannini, Diane Giannini, Marisinna Giannini, Sally Norton,
Vince Kehrlein, Gretchen Koles, Dr. Kathryn Sexton Foell,
Stace Narbutas, Javier Martinez Angel, Dorothy Reed,
David Martin, Scott Costello, Jane Ritchie, Jeff Barnaby,
Carol Bennetts and those preferring anonymity.

To All the
Volunteers, Staff and
Friends:

It has been 19 years of
success for the Saint Rita
Thrift Store. Now it is time
for me to retire.

I will miss the company of
all of you and I
embrace my retirement
most gratefully.

My desire is that you wish
me well, and let me go
quietly into the “day”.

Love,
Sondra





**The parishioners of
Saint Rita Church welcome you.**

Please complete this form and return to the rectory
office or place in the Sunday collection basket..

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Phone _____

Email: _____

- New Parishioners
- New Address
- New Phone
- New Email Address
- Put me on the mailing list
- Send Sunday envelopes
- Please call me
- Moving/please remove from mailing list
- I would like to serve the parish as a

 Other _____

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Sunday's Gifts

21 August 2016

For the Parish ... \$2989.00

(amount needed each week \$5000)

**Missionary Cooperation Plan Appeal ...
\$1669.00**

AAA 2016

Collected as of 22 August 2016 ... \$3390.00
(10% of goal)

16 Households Participating
(636 Registered Households)

Goal ... \$37,335

Thank you for your generosity.



The Sanctuary Lamp

*The visual reminder of the Real Presence
of our Lord in the
Eucharist burns for*

World Peace

Week of 28 August -3 September 2016

The Sanctuary Lamp is available for your special
intention. Call the rectory:

415-456-4815

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