



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.

We invite you to join us.

Parish Staff

Rev. Sebastine Bula, VC Pastor
Rev. Martin Njoalu, VC Parochial Vicar
Ms. Yvette Armendariz, Office Manager
Mrs. Erin Albachten, Bookkeeper
Mrs. Anya Artigiani, Spiritual Director
Minister of Liturgical Environment
Mrs. Kathleen Silverthorne, Minister of Liturgical Environment
Mr. Stephen Iverson, Music Director
Ms. Candace Brown, Choir Director
Ms. Lynette Shaw, Choir Pianist
Jan Brown, Mandolin Player
Marge Bean, Choir Member
Barbara Czelusta, Choir Member
Marcie Leach, Choir Member
Anne Mulvaney, Choir Member
Madeleine Sloane, Choir Member
Mr. Andrew "Shane" Barreras, Organist

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Religious Education

Please contact the Rectory.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Monday through Friday

415-454-6420

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 7:30 AM

Saturday: 7:30 AM, 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4-4:30 PM or by 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, 27 October 2024
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



All Saints Day Mass:
Friday, 1 November
at 7:30 AM



Memorial Mass:
Sunday, 3 November
at 11 AM.

All Souls Novena

All Souls Novena cards are available at both exits of the church. This novena provides us with an occasion to remember our loved ones who have passed away and whom we hold dear in our hearts.

[Please return your novena intention cards to the rectory.](#)

Mass offerings & Vigil Lights for 2025

If you would like to remember someone through the offering of a Mass or Vigil Light, the 2025 Mass book is now available.

[Email: yarmendariz@strita.edu](mailto:yarmendariz@strita.edu)

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

6 & 13 October 2024

For the Parish ... \$3845.00

R.E. ... \$80.00

21 October 2024

For the Parish ... \$1302.00

World Mission Sunday ... \$670.00

Quote of the Week

“He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds” (Psalm 147:3)

God offers us comfort and the medicine for everything broken and wounded to our being. We may feel that nothing is going right in our lives and the pain is growing day by day, yet those sufferings are not permanent. No wounds can be left unhealed if we offer them to Him.

Lectors:

Saturday 5:00 PM C.C. (L)

Sunday 9:00 AM Susanne J. (L)

11:00 AM Michael S. (L)

The Sanctuary Lamp

Beginning October 27th, the visual reminder of the Real Presence of our Lord in the Eucharist burns for

All Souls Novena

Week of 27 October - 3 November 2024

The Sanctuary Lamp is available for your special intention. Call the rectory:
415-456-4815

St. Rita Church
Warm Things Collection
For Marin's Unhoused

They need our help!

We're collecting men and women new or lightly used and clean winter coats, raincoats, sweaters, pants, hats, gloves, scarves, new underwear and socks for distribution to the unhoused.

Deliver warm things before or after Saturday and Sunday Mass

Saturday, Nov 2 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, Nov 3 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, Nov 9 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, Nov 10 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Our sister parishes: St. Cecilia and St. Mary are welcome to bring warm things to St. Rita Church for distribution.

Thank you!