



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
Ms. Gwyneth Varn, 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

Parish Office & Rectory 415-456-4815

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Religious Education

Please contact the Rectory.

St. Vincent de Paul Society 415-454-6420
Monday through Friday

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.

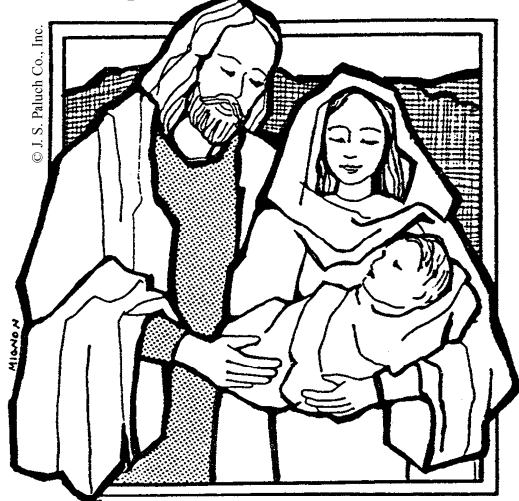
Sunday, 29 December 2024

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

New Year's Day

The annual New Year's Day Mass will be celebrated on 1 January 2025 at 9:00 AM.
All are welcome.

The child
grew to maturity



and was
filled with wisdom

Rectory Office Closed

The rectory office will be closed in observance of Christmas:



Mon. 23 December - Wed. 1 January

Dear Parishioners:
You are invited to visit our
St. Rita Church webpage.

www.SaintRitaChurch.org

On the webpage you will find links to the weekly Sunday bulletin, Pope Francis' Encyclical, flyers for upcoming events, and much more information.

Quote of the Week

“As the family goes, so goes the nation
and so goes the whole world in which we live.

The great danger for family life, in the
midst of any society whose idols are pleasure,
comfort and independence, lies in the fact
that people close their hearts
and become selfish.”

– St. Pope John II

Lectors:

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

Sunday 9:00 AM Anya A. (L)

11:00 AM Dolores S. (L)

The Sanctuary Lamp

*Beginning December 29th, the visual
reminder of the Real Presence of our
Lord in the
Eucharist burns in memory of*

Bobbie Danz

Week of 29 December - 4 January 2025

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

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 28 December 7:30 AM
5:00 PM † Julie Isetta

Sun. 29 December 9:00 AM † Maureen Cassidy

Sun. 29 December 11:00 AM † Joe Allen

Mon. 30 December 7:30 AM Imbimbo Family

Tue. 31 December 7:30 AM Foell Family

Wed. 1 January 9:00 AM Saint Rita Parishioners

Thur. 2 January 7:30 AM Simon Family

Fri. 3 January 7:30 AM Williams Family

Sat. 4 January 7:30 AM
5:00 PM † Julie Isetta

Sun. 5 January 9:00 AM †

Sun. 5 January 11:00 AM † Joe Allen

Pray for... Erin Saunders, Wayne Lamb, Robin Marci, Marie Gabel, Ron Tamm, Rob Nelson, Cabot Maloney, Pete Doyle, Iris Rivera, Claudine Woerber, Susan Maynard, Irene DeVita, Peggy Aronoff, Robert Wagner, Vanessa Ortiz, Frank Doyle, Leila Rodrigues, Darren Crofe, Anne Bersaglieri, Matthias & Rendi Keller, J. Burke, Caine Starelli, Don Douglas, Lauren Jenkins, Yolanda Chapman, Norine Maloney, Sienna Giddings, Ryder Morford, Eric Estigoy, Ron Douglas, Greg Herbert, Dolores Barringer, Victoria Granucci, Louis Felipe Miranda, Joan Barker, Marla Mulligan, Pat Morrison, Howard Schwartz, Linda Schwartz, Asher Norvell, Marisa Giannini, Cathy Giannini, Diane Giannini, Marisinna Giannini, Sally Norton, Vince Kehrlein, Stace Narbutas, Javier M. Angel, David Martin, Scott Costello, Jane Ritchie, Jeff Barnaby, Edwin Ahrens, Brian Jaeger, Deborah Young, Melanie LaCome, Veronica Hernandez, Joe LaCome, Diane Hain, Peter Dunselman, Josie Sanchez, Mike Abballo, Alice Bauer, Bob Testa, Cynthia Ann Thompson Smith, Ramona Hodges, Isabel Armendariz, Duffy McDermott, L. Colin, Gabrielle Trevino, Blake D., Marilyn S., Shirley B., Brian Bailey-Gates, Serena Greer, Elizabeth Calloway and those preferring anonymity.

CONGRATULATIONS
&
WELCOME TO OUR
ST. RITA CHURCH



Erik & Leon Morales

sons of
Erik & Jocelyn Morales

Baptized on
21 December 2024

*Through the waters of Baptism
you are born to new life*

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

22 December 2024
For the Parish ... \$1452.00

AAA 2024

Collected as of 17 December 2024...\$13167.00
(50.5% of goal)

35 Households Participating

(658 Registered Households)

Goal ...\$26,082.00