

Parish Information



Religious Education

Registrations for 2025 - 2026 Children's Catechetical Ministry, First Eucharist Preparation, Christian Initiation, Adult and Youth Confirmation is open.

If you would like more information, please contact Ed Ibarra (Faith Formation) eibarra@stmartin.org or 408-294-8953 ext. 321 or stop by the parish office



SUNDAY
OCTOBER 19th



For the past 29 years, the Rose Garden Homes Tour has proudly supported the students of St. Martin of Tours Catholic School.
Rose Garden Homes Tour— a beloved community event featuring exquisite homes in the historic Rose Garden neighborhood.



Friday, October 17

Volunteers welcome!
Set up begins at 3pm outside the church.
Clients wishing to shop should plan to arrive by 3:30pm



Grief During the Holidays

The holiday season can be one of the most difficult times for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. While the world around us celebrates, many find this season brings a deep sense of loneliness, longing, and sadness.

This year, we are unfortunately unable to offer our own grief support workshop; however, we understand how important it is to find comfort and connection during this time. There are several local organizations and faith communities offering grief support groups and workshops throughout Santa Clara County — spaces where you can find understanding, healing, and hope.

Please see <https://stmartintourchurch.org/pastoral-care-ministries> for more details and don't hesitate to reach out to Aevanne at asheoighe@stmartin.org or at 408-294-8953 Ext. 316 if you need more information.

Serra Club Fundraiser Dinner

Supporting Vocations in the Diocese of San Jose

Saturday, October 25, 2025

School Gym @ St. Martin of Tours
200 O'Connor Dr., San Jose, CA 95128

Vigil Mass at 5:00 pm Dinner at 6:00 pm

Silent Auction/Raffle

\$40 per person

Dinner Menu Includes:

Fresh Bread & Butter
Classic Italian Salad
Chicken Parmigiana
Pasta Aglio Olio
Mixed Vegetables Medley
Dessert Selection

Join us for a fun evening of fellowship, delicious food, and support for those discerning a call to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Your presence helps nurture vocations and strengthen our diocesan community.



Use the QR code to order tickets online or call Cathleen at 408 248-6728 to make a reservation.



Catered by:



We will remember our beloved dead throughout November. All Souls envelopes are available at the church doors & parish office. Please fill one out and return it at Mass in the collection basket or to the parish office.

Prayer Box

New Program! Starting on October 26th at 10am Mass



Parishioners can sign up to be assigned a Sunday Mass. At the end of that Mass, the priest will invite you forward to receive the Prayer Box and a blessing.

The box contains a cross, candle, and daily prayer guide for use throughout the week. The following Sunday, your family returns it so it can be shared with the next participant.

The Prayer Box is currently offered at the 10 am Mass.

To register your family visit our website: www.stmartin.org or scan the QR code



Upcoming Events

October 14.....Adoration - 7pm
October 19Rose Garden Home Tours
October 25.....Serra Fundraiser Vocations Dinner - 6pm
November 8..... St. Martins Feast Day - 5pm
November 12..... Community Faith Night - 6pm

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." - Lk 17:17-19

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2025

Mass Times and Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Monday–Friday at 8:00am (Wednesdays at 8:10am)

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00pm or by appointment

Adoration

First Fridays of the Month: 8:30am

Presider Schedule

Saturday, Oct. 11	Saturday, Oct. 18
5:00pm Fr. Celso	5:00pm Fr. Tony
Sunday, Oct. 12	Sunday, Oct. 19
8:30am Fr. Celso	8:30am Fr. Tony
10:00am Fr. Tony	10:00am Fr. Saju
11:30am Fr. Tony	11:30am Fr. Tony

Daily Mass and Saturday 5pm Mass are livestreamed on Facebook & Zoom

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10am-4pm

Formation of Disciples as Part of the Pastoral Plan

Fr. Tony



Our Lord Jesus in order to form the kind of leaders he wanted for his Church and ministry, chose the twelve apostles whom he formed so they could be wise, prudent and effective in their ministry. It took him three years to form them to become the kind of leaders he wanted. The Gospels are full of examples where the apostles on many occasions did not get it right in their thinking and actions. Jesus, however, was very patient and understanding with them.

Following in the footsteps of Jesus, the formation of missionary disciples is the second priority of the pastoral plan. Here, it is our dream that people will learn how to pray and be committed to their daily prayer. The first disciples asked Jesus to teach them how to pray, we want to be sure that our people know how to pray in this age and have time too. It is our desire that faith formation programs will be made available for every stage of life. We are equally hoping to see parish communities of well-formed, intentional disciples in our parishes. For this reason, we shall encourage every parishioner to belong to a small faith community where they can pray together, do bible sharing and so on.

Our dream is that the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) program will be flooded with catechumens and candidates who have been invited or motivated to join having experienced how other disciples witnessed their faith at work or in the family. We hope that there will be an increased number of people seeking spiritual direction, approaching the sacraments and joyfully sharing their faith with others.

The fruits of Formation will reflect in an increased number of vocations to the sacraments of matrimony and holy orders as well as to the religious life. These two sacraments sustain our Church and guarantee a future Church. We continue to pray that all of us may be motivated to work hard for the implementation of this pastoral plan that has so much to offer us in the Diocese of San Jose.

Prayer & Worship



Saturday, October 11

5:00pm Sean Carter Kelley †
Mary Conte †

Sunday, October 12

8:30am Regina Sobejana-Yep †
10:00am St. Martin of Tours School & Parish
11:30am Maria De Jesus Suárez Béjar

Monday, October 13

8:00am St. Martin of Tours School & Parish

Tuesday, October 14

8:00am St. Martin of Tours School & Parish

Wednesday, October 15

8:00am Isobel Viloría †
Joan Borella

Thursday, October 16

8:00am Sr. Amalia Torres, CCM †

Friday, October 17

8:00am Patrick Filler †

To schedule a Mass Intention, please stop by the parish office or contact us at: (408) 294-8953



Wonderful to see so many of our parishioners and pets at the annual Blessing of the Animals for the feast of St. Francis of Assisi

Prayer Requests

Pray with us for our parishioners, family and friends.

For the Deceased

Fr. Seth Kupo †
Robert M. Mahowald †
Thomas Wieske †
Walt Vierra †
Laura Woodard †
Mathew Ryan Atangan †

For the Sick

Joseph Snapp
Pat Infantino-Toschi
Gloria Verna
Harry & Mary Kay Tocce
Sr. Jane Garrison
Carol Prodis
Fr. Anthony Nguyen



Adoration

Tuesday, October 14 at 7pm

Weekly Stewardship Report October 4 - 5, 2025

ACH & We Share	\$5,640.50
Envelopes by Mail	\$530
Sunday Mass Collections	\$4,940
TOTAL Collection	\$11,110.50
Weekend Goal Collection	\$12,500

Thank you for
your generosity!



SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend's second collection supports WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, when Catholics worldwide unite in prayer and generosity for the Church's missionary work in more than 1,100 mission territories.

This collection taken up next Sunday supports:

- The formation of seminarians and religious
- Educating children
- Healthcare and pastoral care in remote areas
- Training catechists
- Building churches and schools
- Together, we answer Christ's call:

"Go and make disciples of all nations." (Matthew 28:19)