Parish Information



Adoration

(First Friday of the month) 8:30am Friday, November 7

Young Adult Sponsored Adoration 7pm Tuesday, November 11





In celebration of the feast of our patron saint, St. Martin of Tours, we invite all parishioners to bring new or gently used coats to the church before and after Masses on the weekends listed above.

There will be rails at the rear of the church to hang the coats.

Volunteers welcome 15 minutes before and after each mass.

Upcoming Events

November 3......Episcopal Ordination November 8...... St. Martins Feast Day - 5pm November 10......Office closed for Veteran's Day November 12..... Community Faith Night - 6pm



Wednesday Nov. 12 + 6:00PM - 8:00PM

St. Martin of Tours Gym

LITE DINNER: PIZZA, SALAD **ICE CREAM SUNDAES** FREE EVENT - ALL ARE WELCOME!

Speaker: Fr. Brendan McGuire, Pastor of St. Simon Parish explores how small, consistent practices of prayer can anchor our hearts amid the busyness of life.

> RSVP by November 5 For more information and to RSVP https://tinyurl.com/faith-night





Episcopal ordination of Most Rev. Andres C. Ligot, DD November 3 at 2pm To attend & for more information: https://www.dsj.org/event/bpligotordination/2025-11-03/

Prayer Box

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. To register your family visit our website: www.stmartin.org

Helping Our Neighbors Through Food Shortages

Across Santa Clara County, local food banks and pantries are experiencing increased demand due to higher food costs, ongoing supply challenges & reduced federal assistance. These factors



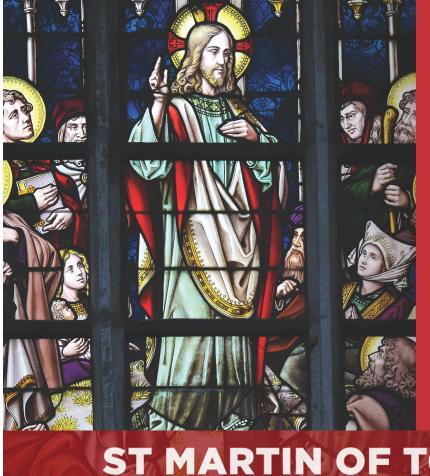
have created temporary shortages that make it harder for families and seniors to access nutritious meals. Your support truly matters - donations of non-perishable food, volunteer time, or financial contributions all help us restock shelves and reach more households in need.

If you or someone you know is food insecure, please check our website for a list of trusted local resources.

St Martin of Tours also has a small reserve of shelf stable food which we are happy to share.

Contact Aevanne: 408-294-8953 ext. 316

Together, we can ensure that no one goes hungry.



THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL **DEPARTED**

"And this is the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me, but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day." - Jn 6:39-40

ST MARTIN OF TOURS PARISH

200 O'CONNOR DRIVE, SAN JOSE, CA | 408.294.8953 | PARISHOFFICE@STMARTIN.ORG

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 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, Nov. 1

5:00pm Fr. Tony

Sunday, Nov. 2

8:30am Fr. Tony

10:00am Fr. Celso

11:30am Fr. Celso

Saturday, Nov. 8

5:00pm Fr. Celso

Sunday, Nov. 9

8:30am Fr. Celso

10:00am Fr. Tony 11:30am Fr. Tony

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

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Celso Singson Pastor, Ext. 312 celso.singson@dsj.org

Rev. Tony Famave Parochial Vicar, Ext. 314 tony.famave@dsj.org

Aevanne Ni Sheoighe Pastoral Care, Ext. 316 asheoighe@stmartin.org

Candy Berenguer Business Manager, Ext. 311 candace.hamill@dsj.org

Ed Ibarra Dir. Faith Formation Ext. 321 eibarra@stmartin.org

David Cortese Principal david.cortese@dsj.org Samuel Aguilar Parish Maintenance **Buildings and Grounds**

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 10am-4pm

An Update on my Retreat and Pilgrimage in Rome, Giovanni Rotondo, Assisi, Orvieto, Barcelona and Paris

Fr. Celso



My Dear Parishioners of St. Martin,

Peace be with you all!

I am delighted to be back with you after a truly blessed and spiritually inspiring two-week retreat and pilgrimage. Though I was away, please know that you were constantly in my daily prayers. The Lord was always at my side, guiding my steps throughout this beautiful journey.

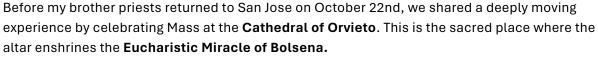
The first part of the pilgrimage with my brother priests was centered in **Rome**, where the retreat was a profound success. A highlight was the opportunity to visit and enter the Holy Doors of the Four Major Basilicas. As a priest and your pastor, I carried your needs and intentions with me: At **St. Peter's Basilica**, I prayed for myself and my own intentions in my ministry to you and our community here at St. Martin of Tours. We were privileged enough to celebrate Mass near the Tomb of St Peter.



For all of you, (parish staff, pastoral and finance councils, parish leadership team, different liturgical ministers, all parish organizations, the school, teachers-staff, students, parents and parishioners) I offered my prayers and intentions as I passed through the Holy Doors of the other three great basilicas: **St. John Lateran, St. Paul Outside the Walls, and St. Mary Major.**

On the 18th of Oct, we visited and prayed at the church of St Padre Pio where his uncorrupted body can be seen.

Our pilgrimage also led us to the beautiful hill town of Assisi, where we celebrated Mass and visited the cherished churches of **St. Francis**, **St. Clare**, and the inspiring new saint, **St. Carlo Acutis**.





A Continued Journey of Faith

After my brother priests departed, I was fortunate to continue my journey, traveling to Barcelona and Paris.

In Barcelona, I was overwhelmed by the architectural beauty and spiritual significance of the Sagrada Familia, the magnificent Cathedral of Barcelona, and the lovely Sacred Heart Church at Tibidabo. On my last day in Barcelona, I traveled for one & half hours to this uniquely estranged mountain formation of Monserrat where Our Lady of Monserrat is enshrined. I prayed and lighted a candle.



My time in **Paris** was equally moving: On the 27th, I had the privilege of **concelebrating the 12 Noon Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral**—a powerful experience in that historic sanctuary. I also spent time in prayer at the **Sacre Cœur Church.** On my last day, I journeyed to **Normandy**, a 3hr bus ride to make a final ascent and spend the day in prayer at the altar of Mont Saint Michel, on a rocky island dominated by a medieval Benedictine Abbey.

I hope this spiritual experience helps you share in the graces I received. It was a pilgrimage dedicated to renewing my own spirit and to lifting up the needs of our parish.

May the good Lord use this inspiration to help us walk always in His ways all the days of our life.

Prayer & Worship

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 1

5:00pm For All Souls in Purgatory †

Sunday, November 2

8:30am For All Souls in Purgatory †
10:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †
11:30am For All Souls in Purgatory †

Monday, November 3

8:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †

Tuesday, November 4

8:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †

Wednesday, November 5

8:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †

Thursday, November 6

8:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †

Friday, November 7

8:00am For All Souls in Purgatory †

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



Children ages 4—11 are invited to hear the Gospel in a way they can understand! During the 8:30 am and 10 am Sunday Masses, they'll be led to the Community Center for age appropriate, faith filled activities.

Weekly Stewardship Report October 25 - 26, 2025

ACH & We Share	\$5,441.50
Envelopes by Mail	\$1,310
Sunday Mass Collections	\$3,845
TOTAL Collection	\$10,596.50
Weekend Goal Collection	\$12,500

Thank you for your generosity!



SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend's second collection is for the Archdiocese for the Military Services. Where Catholic Faith & Duty Unite.

The Archdiocese for the Military Services is responsible for providing pastoral care and services to active-duty men and women serving in all six branches of the United States Armed Forces.

Prayer Requests

Pray with us for our parishioners, family and friends.

For the Deceased

For the Sick

Fr. Seth Kupo †

Walt Vierra †

Joseph Snapp

Harry & Mary Kay Tocce

Laura Woodard †

Sr. Jane Garrison

Fr. Anthony Nguyen

Mathew Ryan Atangan †

Carol Prodis

Guadalupe Flores Lares †

All Souls Day 2025

We will host an In Loving Memory table behind the baptismal font in commemoration of all the Faithful Departed. All Souls' Day is a sacred time to remember our loved ones who have died and to pray for their eternal peace. You are invited to



bring framed or unframed photos of your loved ones to be placed on the All Souls' Altar. Prior to All Souls' Day, a basket will be available in the church foyer where you may drop off your photos. Alternatively, you may place them directly on the altar after the All Souls' Day Masses.

Please include the name of the deceased and your name on the back of each photo. The pictures will remain on display throughout the month of November and can be retrieved during the first week of December.

We also invite you to fill out one of the All Souls envelopes found at the entrances to the church, to share the names of those you would like to have held in prayer during this period. To be included, please return your envelope to the collection basket at Mass or to the Parish Office.

If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office.