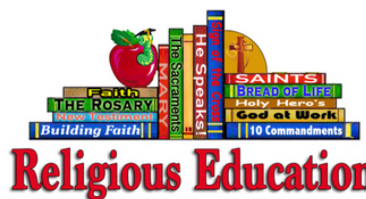


Parish Information



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



Registration for OCIA 2025 - 2026 is open

Interested in becoming Catholic?

Are you a non-Catholic who is attracted to the Catholic way of life? The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) helps prepare adults to receive the Sacraments of Initiation into the Catholic Church. We meet in a supportive, small group setting to learn about Scripture, the Mass, Sacraments, Church History, Catholic Prayer, Devotional Practices and Catholic Teachings on Theology, Moral issues and Social Justice.

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Baptism Class
2nd Tuesdays of the month
5:00pm - 6:00pm
through Zoom

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

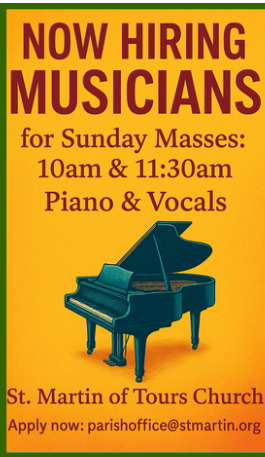


Rejoice with us
Bishop-elect Andres "Andy" C. Ligot
appointed Auxiliary Bishop of San José.

The Diocese of San José joyfully announces that Pope Leo XIV has appointed Rev. Andres 'Andy' C. Ligot as Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of San José. Bishop-elect Ligot serves as Vicar General/Chancellor of the Diocese and Pastor of St. Elizabeth of Portugal Parish in Milpitas. Born in the Philippines and ordained in 1992 at St. Peter's Basilica by Pope St. John Paul II, he has ministered in our local Church for many years, serving as parochial vicar, pastor, Judicial Vicar, and now Vicar General. He is fluent in English, Spanish, Tagalog and Ilocano.

An auxiliary bishop assists the diocesan bishop in the pastoral and sacramental care of the diocese (he is not a coadjutor and does not have the right of succession). Details regarding episcopal ordination will be announced soon.

Please join us in praying for Bishop-elect Ligot and for our Diocese of San José



welcome

As many of you know, Therese Lehane is retiring from her role as St. Martin of Tours Outreach Coordinator. We are deeply grateful for her years of service and wish her the very best.

We're excited to welcome Aevanne Ni Sheoighe as she steps into this position. Aevanne and her family have been part of Parish since 2006. Her oldest daughter, Caitriona Winston, started at St. Martins in 2011, and Aevanne has been an active volunteer in the outreach program ever since.

Her younger daughters, Clara and Ania, graduated from St. Martin of Tours in 2023 and now attend Notre Dame, San Jose.

Please stop by the parish office to welcome Aevanne, she is looking forward to meeting everyone and continuing the great work of our outreach ministry.



FREE Pots in the room
next to the Chapel



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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

Mass Times and Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday: 8:00am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00pm or by appointment

Adoration

First Fridays of the Month: 8:30am

Presider Schedule

Saturday, September 6	Saturday, September 13
5:00pm Fr. Tony	5:00pm Fr. Celso
Sunday, September 7	Sunday, September 14
8:30am Fr. Tony	8:30am Fr. Celso
10:00am Fr. Celso	10:00am Fr. Tony
11:30am Fr. Celso	11:30am Fr. Tony

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Reflection

Dear STM Parishioners:

Peace be with you.

As our diocese embarks on the Pastoral Plan for Spiritual Renewal, our parish of St. Martin of Tours is committed to implementing its mission with great hope and enthusiasm. There are six strategic priorities namely: worship, youth-young adults, family ministry, faith formation, outreach and structure. At this time, we focus our attention to one of its priorities: Worship. Our goal is to deepen our understanding of the Holy Mass so that our worship to God may become even more meaningful and transformative.

I am happy to announce a new initiative that will begin in the month of September. At all our Sunday Masses, we will dedicate three minutes to a brief catechesis on the Holy Mass. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to explore the meaning and beauty of the entire structure of the Mass: from the entrance hymn as the celebrant processes in, to the final blessing and recessional.

It is my sincerest hope and prayer that by doing this, we will be properly disposed in mind, body, and spirit, and more actively engaged in the entire celebration. We are not meant to be mere spectators at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Instead, we are called to engage and participate in this profound expression of Jesus's love for humanity.

The Eucharist is truly the food that nourishes and strengthens us on our journey through this world. It continually refreshes our souls and equips us for the challenges we face. Jesus is present in this celebration, and he continually welcomes us to participate and draw closer to him.

May this catechesis inspire us as pilgrims of hope in this challenging world.

May God bless you all.

Fr. Celso



Weekly Stewardship Report

August 30 - 31, 2025

ACH & We Share	4,844.50
Envelopes	\$2496
Sunday Mass Collections	\$3827
TOTAL Collection	11,167.50
Weekend Goal Collection	\$12,500

Thank you for your generosity!

Prayer & Worship



Saturday, September 6

5:00pm Thad & Mimi Padua
Attilio & Yvonne Borella †

Sunday, September 7

8:30am Margaret Collins †
Yvonne Borella †
10:00am Cresenciano Mahinay †
Raul Villarin †
Milagros Mahinay †
Thanksgiving for all blessings received
11:30am Gina Orbe

Monday, September 8

8:00am Margaret Collins †
Diane Borella

Tuesday, September 9

8:00am Judy Orbe †

Wednesday, September 10

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

Thursday, September 11

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

Friday, September 12

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

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



Growing Your Faith

Women's Spring Cursillo Weekend: October 2 - October 5, 2025

Men's Spring Cursillo Weekend: October 16 - October 19, 2025

A great opportunity to deepen your relationship with Jesus is coming this Fall. Described as a short course on Christianity, Cursillo combines prayer, learning, heartfelt talks, good food, and fun. You’ll meet people like you who desire a stronger Catholic-Christian Faith. Leaders and speakers have a passion for the Faith. A Catholic priest rounds out the team for each weekend. St Clares Retreat House, in the beautiful Santa Cruz mountains, is the setting for both retreats.
De Colores! Brian O’Leary 408-209-4434

Adoration

Join our Young Adult Sponsored Adoration on Tuesday, September 9th 7pm

Prayer Requests

Pray with us for our parishioners, family and friends.

For the Deceased

Clarence Flores †

Selina Siudzinski †

Robert M. Mahowald †

For the Sick

Joseph Snapp

Pat Infantino-Toschi

Gloria Verna

Sr. Jane Garrison

Cynthia Gomes

SECOND COLLECTION

THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA

Next weekend, the diocese will take up the National Collection for The Catholic University of America. Catholic University is a national research university, in the heart of Washington, D.C., with over 5,700 undergraduate and graduate students in more than 250 academic programs. By giving to the collection, you are supporting future Catholic leaders, both religious and lay, who are being formed by an exceptional, faith-rooted education. The University’s various research and training initiatives support dioceses and parishes in responding to the most pressing needs of their faithful. Visit: collection.catholic.edu to learn more.

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH!

JOIN US AFTER MASS FOR DONUTS AND COFFEE