

SAINT BARBARA PARISH

AT OLD MISSION SANTA BARBARA

A Franciscan Center of Evangelization

In response to God's call to love, we are a faith community that strives to live the gospel in prayer, formation, evangelization, outreach and stewardship in the Franciscan tradition.

FEBRUARY 10, 2019
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER

New to Santa Barbara? Interested in making St. Barbara Parish your faith community? Please complete a parish registration card, available from the ushers or by calling or stopping by the Parish Office, and return it to us in the collection, at the office, or by mail.

PARISH GIVING

Our Weekly Goal.....\$ 10,976
Feb 3, 2019 Total.....\$ 8,130
Difference.....\$ (2,846)

If you'd like to donate on-line go to:
www.santabarbaraparish.org/donate

"Charity is infectious, it excites, it risks and it engages! For true charity is always unmerited, unconditional and gratuitous!"

Pope Francis

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Sunday: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
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(805) 682-4151 ext. 104

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL

4:00 p.m. in the Mission Church

SUNDAY

7:00 a.m. - Poor Clare Monastery
7:30 a.m. - Mission Church
9:00 a.m. - Mission Church
11:00 a.m. - Mission Church

DAILY MASS

7:00 a.m. - Poor Clare Monastery
8:00 a.m. (M-F) - Serra Chapel

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturdays from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm.
Priests are also available by appointment. Enter church through the side door at the end of the portico.

FRANCISCAN FRATERNITY AT THE OLD MISSION

Fr. John Hardin, OFM - Guardian
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Br. Zeno Im, OFM

WELCOME TO ST. BARBARA PARISH AND THE CATHOLIC FAITH!

We are all on a spiritual journey! If you would like to learn more about our beautiful Catholic faith tradition, we would be happy to assist you. Through both one-on-one meetings, as well as our Inquiry Class, we are available to answer your questions and to accompany you.

Please contact Fr. Dan Lackie, Pastor, at (805) 682-4151, ext. 101 or dlackie@sbofm.org.

ELEMENTARY AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Preparation for the Sacrament of First Reconciliation and preparation for the Sacrament of First Eucharist. Religious Education Classes, Grades 1-5 (September to May).

CONFIRMATION AND MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY: St. Barbara Parish offers a Middle School Ministry and a High School Confirmation program.

To Register for all educational programs, including RCIA and Baptism classes. Please contact Alex Turcios, Director of Faith Formation, at (805) 682-4151, ext. 118 or aturcios@saintbarbaraparish.org for more information.

PORZIUNCULA CHAPEL

The Porziuncula Chapel is available for private prayer and meditation during the following times:

Tuesday through Thursday 1:00 to 4:00 pm

Porziuncula access stickers available in the Porter's Office.



LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Friend,

This weekend we put into action the project we have been anticipating for months now: our welcome and sharing with Congregation B'nai B'rith. "Exploring Our Roots" is the banner under which this event is taking place. Our exploration began with a very well-received reflection on the roots of our Mission and the encounter of Junipero Serra with our Chumash brothers and sisters. This week our Jewish neighbors join us as our elder sisters and brothers in the family of faith. We have so much to learn!



The presence of our dear visitors might invite us to hear Luke's Gospel in a new way. Jesus directs Peter and his companions to an abundant catch of fish, and then tells them that from now on they'll be fishing for men and women – *the whole human family*. And "catching them" for what? For an encounter with God together, one that leads to the sustenance of life and love for all, in abundance.

When Rabbi Daniel Brenner and I first spoke over the phone last summer, he told me about a special project he was overseeing at B'nai B'rith. The project's title went straight to my heart: the Human Family Initiative. The effort was designed to foster relationships beyond the walls of the synagogue with communities with a shared vision of human dignity. I thought immediately of our Franciscan roots and of how St. Francis rebuilt the church through strong outreach to those beyond the city walls of Assisi. God had sent us a special messenger and ally.

In Rabbi Daniel's memorable words at our reconciliation service on November 7th, friendships can begin with something as simple as one phone call. Making connections, exploring our roots, growing in understanding – it can begin as simply as that.

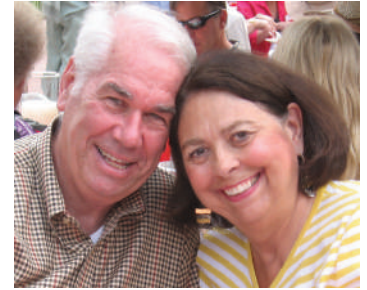
Gratefully

Fr. Dan ofm
Pastor



SPOTLIGHT ON SERVICE

Katherine (Kappy) & Jim Pattison



Parishioners:

We have been parishioners since 1994. We moved from Wisconsin when we got married. We are both cradle Catholics.

Mass We Attend: Generally the 11:00.

Our Service in Parish:

Kappy: Volunteers at the Fr. Virgil Cordano Center once a week, providing service to the homeless in Santa Barbara; was also a Eucharistic Minister.

Jim: Currently is Chair of the Finance Council, and is an ex-officio member of the Pastoral Council.

Why I like Service:

Kappy: "It provides an opportunity for me to experience something I haven't done in the past (i.e. working with the homeless)."

Jim: "It gives me a chance to use my professional expertise in a "behind the scenes" manner."

How it helps me experience/share my faith:

Kappy: "I have a chance to have conversations with the guests who come to the Center and just "be there" for them."

Jim: "I have a chance to put my professional work to use for the parish."

Service in SB Community:

Kappy: Volunteers to help individual students at St. Raphael School. Is also a member of Bishop Barron's Word on Fire Institute.

Jim: Provides fund-raising advice to schools in the SB area.

Occupation:

Kappy: Was a KinderKlasse teacher for 23 years at St. Raphael School in Goleta.

Jim: Is a professional fund-raiser with 40 years of experience; currently at Harvard-Westlake School in Los Angeles.

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“DOESN'T THE BIBLE JUSTIFY WAR?”

Before the Persian Gulf War in 1991, a radio interviewer asked me, “Doesn't the Bible justify war?” Here's how I wish I had answered.

1. Yes, ancient Israel understood God as a Warrior who led them in battle, but that doesn't justify a particular war centuries later.
2. Yes, but God also authorized what we would today condemn as genocide (see Isaiah 13: 11-12, 15-18).
3. Yes, but also war against Israel. The prophets understood the destruction of the Northern Kingdom in the 8th century by Assyria and of the Southern Kingdom in the 6th century by Babylon as God's judgments on Israel's infidelity.
4. Yes, but also war without active Israelite participation. Sometimes God fought Israel's battles without Israel itself taking up arms.
5. Yes, but with swords, lances, bows and arrows, and chariots. The Bible has nothing to say about modern weapons of mass destruction.
6. Yes, but through the prophet Jeremiah God also urged Israel to surrender to a greater power, Babylon.
7. Yes, but also peacemaking and nonviolent action.
8. Yes, but also universal standards of justice for going to war.

There is no one, simple, ready-made answer to the question of war in the Bible.

~Roger Bergman (rbjps@creighton.edu)

KATHERINE (KAPPY) &
JIM PATTISON**Personal Interests:**

Kappy: Travel, fashion, reading.

Jim: Travel, reading, finding ways to “pay for” Kappy's fashion interests.

What We Love about St. Barbara Parish:

We both enjoy the sense of worshipping in a historical church that is so beautiful. We also very much appreciate the quality of the preaching (i.e. when the priests in their homilies share a part of their personal prayer life and express it so movingly and in such beautiful ways). The music is also inspiring.

Anything else?

It is great to see the church re-vitalized with the current Pastoral Plan. Many initiatives are quite interesting and helpful in understanding the particular Franciscan charism and our role as missionary disciples. Bravo to all the volunteers who are stepping up and helping out.

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If you would like to contact Kappy or Jim, please catch them at church.

If you would like to Volunteer:

- To tell your story of serving in a ministry or volunteering, pick up a Spotlight form in the Parish or Porter's Office.
- At the Fr. Virgil Cordano Center, (see page 6)
- To become an Altar Server, Eucharistic Minister, Lector or Usher, contact Roy Spicer in the Parish Office.

AS CATHOLICS OUR STORY IS HOPE

Next weekend, February 16 & 17, is Together in Mission “Commitment Sunday.” Archbishop Gomez invites us to make our annual commitment to help those parishes and schools that need our help. If you have made a gift in the past, you should have received a letter asking you to renew your support. You can return that pledge card via mail or make your pledge at ourmissionla.org/give.

The 2019 theme, “Our Story is Hope”, reminds us that our gifts to Together in Mission are an active demonstration of our faith and love for those in our Archdiocese who need our support.

Please make a pledge with the information that was mailed to your home, or use a pledge card found on the pew, or online at ourmissionla.org/give.

COMMUNITY AND LITURGY

Parish Calendar: February - March

Sunday, February 10

All Masses - Welcome visiting members of
Congregation B'nai B'rith
9am RE/ Adult Faith Formation
10am Catholic Inquiry - Parish Social Rm

Friday, February 15

5:30pm Shabbat Service and Conversation at
Congregation B'nai B'rith

Sunday, February 17

7:30am, 9am, 11am Sunday Mass
10am Catholic Inquiry - Parish Social Rm

Sunday, February 24

9am RE/ Adult Faith Formation
10am Catholic Inquiry - Parish Social Rm

Sunday, March 3

9am RE/ Adult Faith Formation
10am Catholic Inquiry - Parish Social Rm

Wednesday, March 6 - Ash Wednesday

8am Parish Mass
12:10pm Parish Mass
5:30pm Parish Mass

“Be with us. Learn with us. Grow with us.”

PARISHSOFT GIVING

As you know, in 2018 we migrated our database to ParishSOFT, in alignment with the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

We are taking the next step and are pleased to announce that St. Barbara Parish now provides online giving through software called ParishSOFT Giving. This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy—just visit our website, <https://www.santabarbaraparish.org/donate/>, and click our online giving link.

When you participate, your gift will transfer directly into the parish bank account. And you won't have to remember to write a check or stop by the ATM on Sundays!

And if you still want to place something in the offertory basket, just pick up one of our “I GAVE ONLINE” cards on your way into church and use that at offertory time.

Mass Intentions

Feb 9	4 pm	Church	Cathy & Paul Oliverio
Feb 10	7:30am	Church	Catherine Pattison
Feb 10	9 am	Church	Alice McCarthy
Feb 10	11 am	Church	Lance Stevenson
Feb 11	8 am	Chapel	†David Oliverio
Feb 12	8 am	Chapel	†Peggy Stevens Dionne
Feb 13	8 am	Chapel	Benefactors of Poor Clare Sisters, Spokane, WA
Feb 14	8 am	Chapel	†Bernard A. Clark
Feb 15	8 am	Chapel	Joe P. Salvestrini - For strength to manage God's will
Feb 16	4 pm	Church	†Edward Lyons
Feb 17	7:30am	Church	Brian Stevens
Feb 17	9 am	Church	Sister Christine Bowman - 50th Jubilee
Feb 17	11 am	Church	†Boots Johns

Let us Pray for the Sick

<i>Annie Ardry</i>	<i>Sandra Morales</i>	<i>Hildegard Johnston</i>
<i>Damarius Johnson</i>	<i>Will McBride</i>	<i>Wayne Hoffman</i>
<i>Maggie Carracino</i>	<i>Steve Rath</i>	<i>Bob Helman</i>
<i>Javier Quezada</i>	<i>Rosario T. De Leon</i>	<i>Maria Favro</i>
<i>Mark Zaunius</i>	<i>Tony Ortega</i>	<i>Nivan Jayawardene</i>
<i>Margaret Jimenez</i>	<i>Jean Berger</i>	<i>Mary Fernando</i>
<i>Manuel Barrera</i>	<i>Vance Baldwin</i>	<i>George Rubio</i>
<i>Maria Jimenez</i>	<i>Donna McGruk</i>	<i>Laura Albrecht</i>
<i>Ernie Pico</i>	<i>Wyatt Dennett</i>	<i>Mary Ann Schmidt</i>
<i>Ascension Arroyo</i>	<i>Elizabeth Brooke</i>	<i>Margot Quinn</i>
<i>Paulette Hoffman</i>	<i>Barbara Boros</i>	

— May they know Christ's Healing —

Please contact the Parish Office at (805)682-4151 to add or remove a name from the prayer list.

THANK YOU



Thank you for supporting the St Vincent de Paul Winter Relief Drive

We know this past weekend the weather was very rainy. If you would still like to make a donation, please drop off in the Porter's Office. Please make your check payable to:
Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Your contribution can help bring hope to a family in need of assistance with rent, utilities and/or food. Often family members have lost or are between jobs. Some family members have physical and mental disabilities and some are single mothers and a few single fathers with young children.

STEWARDSHIP

WIDER CATHOLIC COMMUNITY NEWS

LITURGICAL MINISTRY FORMATION

WORKSHOPS - These will be held at Old Mission Santa Ines, during the months of February and March. To register for these workshops please visit our site, or follow the link below the workshop. Old Mission Santa Ines, 1760 Mission Dr, Solvang, CA 93463.

Basic Lector Formation: Saturdays Feb 23rd, Mar 2, 9, 16. 8:30am-12:30pm, \$60 per person to register: <http://store.la-archdiocese.org/basic-lector-formation-22319>

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: February 23rd:

Ministry at Mass: 8:30am-11:30am

Ministry to the Sick: 8:30am-2:00pm

Half Day: \$15 Per Person or Full Day: \$25 Per Person
<http://store.la-archdiocese.org/eucharistic-ministry-training-day-22319>

Lector Ministry Renewal: March 9 from 8:30am-12:30pm, \$15 per person
<http://store.la-archdiocese.org/lector-ministry-renewal-3919>

Children's Liturgy of the Word Team Formation
March 16th from 8:30am-12:30pm
\$15 per person
<http://store.la-archdiocese.org/childrens-liturgy-of-the-word-31619>

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER - The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are **April 26-28, 2019** in Simi Valley. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online at www.twocanlove.org. We help make good marriages better.

Keeping our Children Safe

KNOW WHEN WORDS ARE WARNING SIGNS

Some predators will use comments and conversations to groom potential victims. Be on guard any time an adult is talking to a child about sex, no matter how they're presenting it (hygiene, reproduction, etc.). Physical flattery can be another red flag — predators sometimes try to make children feel good about themselves by commenting on their physical appearance

If you have any questions about the Safeguard the Children Committee, contact Alex Turcios, Director of Faith Formation at aturcios@saintbarbaraparish.org.

Fr. Virgil Cordano Center
4020 Calle Real, Suite 2
Santa Barbara, CA 93110
805-563-1051;
frvirgilocordanocenter.org;



Co-sponsored by the Daughters of Charity at St. Vincent's and the Franciscan Friars at the Old Mission Santa Barbara, the Fr. Virgil Cordano Center welcomes Santa Barbara's most vulnerable population: our brothers and sisters who are homeless. The center provides a quiet, respectful, and safe environment for the members of our Companionship Club to experience a place of welcome, belonging, and support. Members have access to spiritual guidance and personal care services from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. We invite you to come in for a visit and to share this information with anyone who might be in need of our services. We also ask for your prayers. It is because of your support and prayers that we will be able to continue this much needed Gospel ministry.



The Historic Mausoleum
at Old Mission Santa Barbara

Offering Columbarium Niches
for the Inurnment of
Cremated Remains

For more information, contact the cemetery
office at (805) 569-5483 or email at
thm@sboldmission.org

