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**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021
15TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

Dear faithful,

September is the month of the Holy Cross, above all with the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on September 14th. Canon Talarico reminds us in his letter for this month that glory awaits those who carry their crosses bravely in this life:

“In these recent moments, filled with uncertainty and confusion, many also feel the pains that afflict Holy Mother Church at this moment. However, let us remember that we preach Christ crucified! Just as Saint Paul can boast of the cross of Jesus Christ, we can boast of our crosses which we bear during our earthly sojourn when united with the one He carried to Calvary in order to accomplish our Redemption.”

Another wonderful feast is coming up even sooner, this Wednesday **September 8th, the Feast of the Nativity of Our Lady**. If we strive each year to remember our earthly mothers on their birthdays, how much more should we love and reverence the Queen of Heaven on her special day?

What an honor it is to serve the Sacred Liturgy! Indeed, a young man can have no greater privilege while alive on earth than to serve the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Do you have sons who are interested in joining our corps of altar servers? If so, please contact me so that they can be trained.

Please be sure to take one of the flyers in the back of the church with the new priestly assignments for canons of the Institute serving in the United States this year. Can you guess my assignment? I'll give you a hint: it starts with the letter “O.”

Catechism classes will soon be starting up again. The Confirmation (Youth) Catechism class will begin on Tuesday, September 14 at 4 pm, and the Adult Catechism class on Saturday, September 18 at 2:30 pm. Both classes will occur once weekly.

In addition, there is a twice-monthly course this year of basic instruction in the Catholic Faith for those who are not yet Catholic but would like to be received into the Church. If this interests you, please contact me for the details.

Are there ladies among us who wish to contribute to the beauty of our sacred music program? If so, participation in our Lady's Schola may be in order. Who would not want to sing for the King of Kings if given the opportunity? If interested, please contact Judy Wendel by email: judy.wendel@gmail.com

The patronal feast day of the Institute's founder and Prior General, Monsignor Gilles Wach, was this past Wednesday September 1, Feast of St. Gilles. Do you pray for Msgr. Wach? Our superiors



A special statue of Our Lady as an infant, “Maria Bambina,” is venerated at the Sister Adorers' convent in Wausau, Wisconsin, which is dedicated to the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

MARRIAGE BANNS

Mr. & Mrs. Scott and Linda Jones of Dublin, California announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Jennifer to Mr. James Brumbeloe of Walnut Creek on Sunday, September 19 at St. Margaret Mary Church.

If anyone knows of an existing impediment which would prevent this marriage, he is bound to let Canon Norman know as soon as possible.

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need the prayers of the faithful now more than ever. Msgr. Wach and a number of other superiors of traditional communities recently put out a statement on the increasingly difficult situation for our communities in the life of the Church, and it is worth reading. It is available here:

<https://rorate-caeli.blogspot.com/2021/09/communique-of-superiors-general-of.html>

Wishing you a blessed Sunday,
Canon Benjamin Norman

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Date	Time	Mass of the Day	Celebrant	Intention
Sun., 9/5	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost <i>2nd Class/ Green</i>	Canon Norman	Deceased members of Adriano Family†
	12:30 pm <i>Higyb Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Maria Filomena de Brito†
Mon., 9/6	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Votive Mass of the Holy Trinity <i>4th Class/ White</i>	Canon Norman	Margaret Isquirdo
Tue., 9/7	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Votive Mass of the Holy Angels <i>4th Class/ White</i>	Canon Norman	Sang Thi Nguyen†
Wed., 9/8	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	The Navity of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>2nd Class/ White</i>	Canon Norman	Jose & Racquel Migabo
Thurs., 9/9	12:00 noon <i>Low Mass</i>	Commemoration of St. Gorgonius, Martyr <i>4th Class/ Red</i>	Canon Norman	Jordan Gusky†
Fri., 9/10	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	St. Nicholas of Tolentino <i>3rd Class/ White</i> <i>Adoration after Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Jeffrey Glass†
Sat., 9/11	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	Our Lady's Saturday <i>4th Class/ White</i>	Canon Norman	Fay Cole†
Sun., 9/12	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost <i>2nd Class/ Green</i>	Canon Norman	Norine St. Lezin†
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Special intentions

SACRAMENTS

Confessions are heard 30 minutes before each Mass, and also during the Adoration after the 6 pm Mass each Friday.

Please contact Canon Norman if you are in need of or have questions regarding reception of any of the Sacraments.

CATECHISM CLASSES

Weekly catechism classes on Zoom are resuming in September. Please contact Canon Norman to request the Zoom link.

Youth Class—begins on Tuesday, September 14, at 4:00pm

Adult Class—begins on Saturday, September 18 at 2:30pm

****New Class****—a twice-monthly course will be offered this year of **basic instruction in the Catholic Faith for those who are not yet Catholic but would like to be received into the Church.** If this interests you, please contact Canon Norman for the details.

TO BE ON THE EMAIL LIST, send your request to oakland@institute-christ-king.org

PRAYER LISTS

In your kindness, please keep these requests in your prayers. Thank you.

For the sick:

Thomas Henriksson	Nancy Duenas	Gigi Cunningham
Dario Gonzalez	Rose Stone	Paula Case
Timothy Paul Irving	Veronica Seder	Lianne Claver
Eurydice Buenger	Elizabeth Pawek	Paulann Dymond
Marie-Terese Karel-Michaan		Diane Kasdan
Msgr. David Link	Catherine Rose Eich	Courtney Shoda
Canon Fragelli*	Peter Trong Nguyen	Ramon Lanzar

For the repose of the souls of our beloved departed:

Barbara Powell	Pauline Marie Longchamp	Pedro Barreto
Walter Wagoner	Rosary Gilheany	Cecilia Ramos
Jeff Glass	James Metran	<i>Requiescant in pace.</i>

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 8—Nativity of the Blessed Virgin

September 29—St. Michael the Archangel

October 3—St. Thérèse of Lisieux

October 17—Feast of St. Margaret Mary

October 31—Kingship of Jesus Christ

(Titular Feast of the Institute of Christ the King)

SUNDAY SERMONS

Audio recordings of the Sunday sermons for the Institute's Oakland apostolate are now being posted on our website. They can be found at this address: <https://institute-christ-king.org/oakland-sermons>

SUNDAY BULLETINS

Did you miss a Sunday bulletin? All Sunday bulletins are also posted on the Institute website. They are available at:

<https://institute-christ-king.org/bulletins-oakland>

SUBMISSION OF MASS INTENTIONS, PLEASE NOTE:

There will be a slight change regarding the submission of Mass intentions. From now on, please do not put Mass intention envelopes in the Sunday collection, but instead submit them by one of the following options:

- By phone call to the Parish Office: (510) 482-0596
- By email: parishoffice@stmargaretm.org
- By dropping off your intentions in person at the Parish Office
- By postal mail: St. Margaret Mary Church, 1219 Excelsior Avenue, Oakland, CA 94610

You may request a Mass on either a specific date or the next available date. You may ask for a Mass in the Traditional Latin Rite specifically. Stipends made by check should be made payable to "St. Margaret Mary Church." The customary donation is \$10 per Mass. For additional details regarding submission of Mass intentions, please also refer to the Parish Bulletin.