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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER FOR PARISH CATECHETICAL LEADERS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN FRANCISCO



Echo/Eco

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Mary,

Star of Evangelization Help us Be

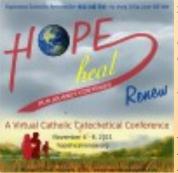
Missionary Disciples

We are into our new website and I know that many people have not been able to find things that were on the old site. It is a work in progress and not everything is up. If you need information please contact Anelita, Claudia or Sr. Celeste and we will send it to you. If you want to look at the site for Faith Formation click here https://sfparishconnect.com/faithformation/

There are two sites for use. One is external for the general public and one internal. Check both out as they are developing and can be useful for information.

Our front facing website for the general public: http://www.sfarch.org

Our internal website for staff, volunteers, and clergy: http://www.sfparish.com



Several important events are coming up. Have you and your parish people registered for the faith formation

conference—Hope, Heal and Renew? It is November 4, 5, and 6 and fast approaching.

Remember that you get catechist certification and re-certification for workshops. A list of speakers and credit given will be sent out to each dre/cre soon.

You can go live with workshops for the weekend and then go back to the site and watch other workshops you were not able to get to.

If you need help with scholarships for your parish please contact Sr. Celeste for this.

The website is

hopehealrenew.org



Adult Confirmation classes are happening on October 15 and 16. The form is in this Echo/Eco. Remember to

invite those who are not full initiated to join in this program. Confirmation with the Archbishop is on the weekend of the Feast of Christ the King—November20th at 5:30 Mass.



Missionary Childhood Association materials were emailed a few weeks ago to all the PCLs. If you did not get let us know and we can send it to you. Please consider having your students participate in this great educational endeavor about missions and our part as church community,

The forms for the annual art contest and free materials for your groups is in this newsletter.



In Memory of



Sr. Janet Yee Kwan Chau, RSM died at Mercy Care Center in Oakland on September. 9, 2021. She taught religious education at St. Agnes Parish for many years and was active in the Chinese Catholic community leading retreats, often bringing participants to Mercy Center. Even people who are bilingual found a special grace in being able to reflect on their spiritual life in their first language. She also did spiritual direction for many.

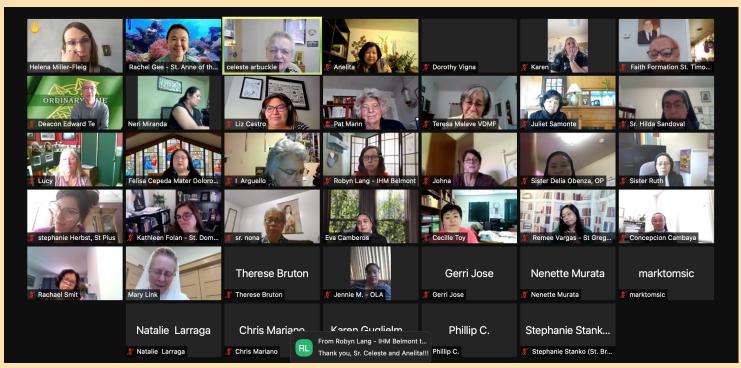
Classes at peninsula Museum of Art helped her discover her art

talent and she took delight in selling some of her very delicate and sensitive work with the proceeds going to Mercy Ministries.

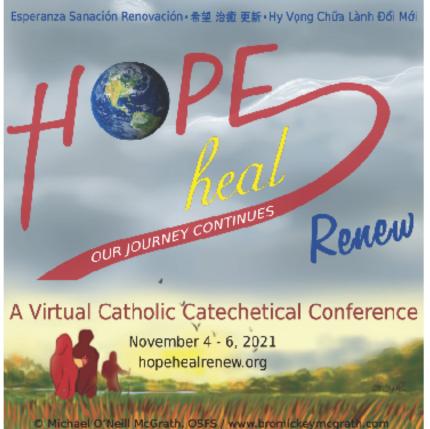
She was a great friend to the Office of Faith Formation and we so enjoyed her presence at meetings. There was never a call made to her for help that she did not respond with open arms.



Just some of our wonderful Parish Catechetical Leaders who joined us for our Beginning of the Year Meeting. Thanks for all who attended.



Registration is now open!



As Christians, we are on pilgrimage, accompanied by Christ on a sacred journey of discipleship. The road has not always been easy, especially over the past year. But our purpose is clear: to be messengers of hope, healing, and renewal to all we encounter along the way.

Inspired by the

success of our inaugural virtual conference last fall, we invite you to join us to engage in uplifting prayer services & liturgies, live interactions with presenters, learning sessions in multiple languages, real-time "coffee talk" conversations with colleagues in ministry, and so much more! Come, be with us as our journey continues...

Registration/Registraciones \$15

Virtual Conference "Hope, Heal, Renew: Our Journey Continues"

Save the Date

Online registration will be opening 9-8-2021 Registraciones en línea se abrirán 9-8-2021 November 4 - 6, 2021 Family style events & Workshops

The event is co-hosted by the Catholic Dioceses of Fresno, Honolulu, Las Vegas, Monterey, Reno, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Jose, Stockton, and the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

Conferencia Virtual "Esperanza, Sanación, Renovación:

Nuestra Camino Continua"

Guardar la Fecha

4 al 6 de noviembre del 2021
Eventos para la familia & Talleres

El evento es co-organizado por las Diócesis Católicas de Fresno, Honolulu, Las Vegas, Monterey, Reno, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Jose, Stockton, y la Arquidiócesis de San Francisco.

Como cristianos, estamos en peregrinación, acompañados por

Cristo en un viaje sagrado de discipulado. El camino no siempre ha sido fácil, sobre todo el ano pasado. Pero nuestro propósito es claro: ser mensajeros de esperanza, sanación y renovación para todos los que encontremos en el camino.

Inspirados por el éxito de nuestra conferencia virtual inaugural del otoño pasado, lo invitamos a unirse a nosotros para participar en liturgias y servicios de oración edificantes, interacciones en vivo con presentadores, sesiones de aprendizaje en varios idiomas," conversaciones con colegas en el ministerio, "Conversaciones con un Cafecito", en tiempo real y mucho más! Ven, quédate con nosotros mientras nuestro camino continúa ...

www.HopeHealRenew.org



Welcome to our new & renewing Master Catechists.

They help teach basic catechist formation, adult confirmation and other programs with the Office of Faith Formation

Sr. Eva Camberos, MFP—Our Lady of Lourdes & St. Paul of theShipwreck

Julie Kanzhai — Immaculate Heart of Mary & Notre Dame School

Sr. Maria Ruth Linaac—St. Luke Parish **Gerri Jose**—St. Elizabeth Parish

Nelson Lao—Chinese Ministry Pat Mann—Our Lady of Lourdes

Chris Mariano—Youth & Young Adult Ministry & Our Lady of Angeles Dorothy Vigna –St. Paul Parish

Liz Castro—St. Anthony of Padua, Novato

Carmel Cabahug-Volpe—St. Patrick, SF

Susana Lapeyrade Drummond — Dept. of Catholic Schools Edmund Ibarra — St. Mark Parish

Felisa Cepada—Mater Delarosa **Karen Guglielmoni**—St. Veronica

Diane LawrenceSr. My Hanh CaoVisitacionVietnamese Community

Maria Rosales Uribe—Mission Dolores

You may recognize some of these wonderful women who celebrated the Jubilee with a Liturgy at St. Pius in Redwood City on September 19. Sr. Rosina, Head of Consecrated Life for the Archdiocese, organizes this event each year with Archbishop Cordileone. Celebrants had 25, 40, 60, 70 and 75 years in religious life.





(A prayer to St. Joseph to encourage families to come back to Faith Formation Programs)

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Sponse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became Man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself

a father & guide us in the path of life for our faith formation programs.

We pray that families will be open to returning to their ongoing formation.

Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,

love and willingness to reach out to all who need

to hear the call of discipleship with Jesus. Amen



For Your Ministry

Recruiting and Forming Your Parish Initiation Team Donna M. Eschenauer

Have you ever wondered how to encourage more parishioners to get involved with RCIA in your parish? Have you felt the need to grow your team or help the assembly under-

stand its role in the process of Christian initiation? In Recruiting and Forming Your Parish Initiation Team Dr. Eschenauer answers these questions by • describing and outlining a team approach to initiation ministry; • providing tools on how to recruit, develop, and form an initiation team; • offering insights on the necessary roles and skills needed for an effective team. Eschenauer's pastoral and accessible wisdom will inspire a team that accompanies inquirers, catechumens, candidates, the elect, and the neophytes on their spiritual journey. Sample pages What people are saying . . . Rooted in the ritual and documents of the Catholic Church, Recruiting and Forming Your Parish Initiation Team moves beyond providing guides for content and recruitment. Dr.

Eschenauer invites us to embrace the call to grow in our understanding of what Christian initiation is about—growth in discipleship. The invitation—given to individuals, initiation teams, and parish communities—to be rooted in our call to holiness is an invitation to fully realize the vision of RCIA. —Rebecca Spellacy, Associate Director for Liturgy in the Office of Formation for Discipleship, Archdiocese of Toronto Donna Eschenauer provides a fundamental vision of an authentic Christian initiation process and how ministries, liturgical practice, parish life, and living the mission contribute to it. Rooting the rite in the conciliar documents and the lived experience of the Church, she shows it as continuing the mission of Jesus today. From reflections on the practice of ministry, to recruiting methods and training outlines, she describes basic and practical steps to a vibrant parish initiation ministry. —Joseph Milner, Director of Christian In, Archdiocese of St. Louis

Available Now Order code: RFPI | \$14.95 Paperback | 6 x 9 | 96 pages https://www.ltp.org

RCIA Training with LTP = "Seeing Initiation Ministry with 20/20 Vision"

We had a wonderful three evenings with LTP on our ministry with RCIA. Thanks to all who participated. If you need anything let our office know.



Kathleen Bissell—Pacifica
Joe Brumbaugh—Novato
Tho Bui—San Francisco
Deacon Sal Campagna—San Mateo
Marianne Daly—San Francisco
Lourdes Yniguez Gallo—So. San Francisco

Kathleen Harais—Novato

Christopher Major—Novato

Johna Maychrowitz—San Mateo

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Chris Mariano—San Mateo

Jeannie Lyn Malibiran—San Mateo

Shirley Rodrigues—Pacifica

Maria Sanchez-Chen—Daly City

Sr. Hilda Sandoval — Pacifica

Deacon Edward Te—San Francisco

Jane Trecroci—Pacifica



Registration Form: for virtual classes (Please print)

Return: Office of Faith Formation, One Peter Yorke Way, SF 94109 / arbucklec@sfarch.org / fax: 415-614-5652

Role of the Parish:

Since sacramental preparation is formational, candidates must have an active participation in their parish community. The parish must provide

- A preliminary interview with the candidate
- Provide the candidate with a parish contact who will maintain weekly contact with the candidate in the preparation time
- Secure from the candidate all certificate documents necessary for the reception of Confirmation.
- Conduct an exit interview for a final discernment of readiness (the Office of Faith Formation will notify the parish of the competition of classes.
- Provide for the Office of Worship the necessary information for the sacrament
- After the ceremony, provide a Confirmation Certificate and enter information in the parish sacramental registry. (the Office of Worship will notify the parish of reception)

Role of the Candidate:

- Attend both interviews with the parish staff person
- Provide sacramental information of Baptism and Eucharist
- Attend all virtual sessions of the catechetical formation
- Pay \$60.00 for the class
- Choose a sponsor who is at least 16 years of age, a practicing Catholic and fully initiated (has received Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist)







MATERIAL ORDER FORM 2021-2022



MATERIALS FREE OF CHARGE!

PLEASE INDICATE BELOW HOW MANY OF EACH ITEM YOU WOULD LIKE.

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PRINCIPAL/MISSION MODERATOR (CONTA	ACT NAME)	_	
SCHOOL/RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRA	M ADDRESS	CITY, STATE	ZIP
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QUARTER/COIN FOLDERS	WORLD MISSION ROS	SARY PRAYER CARDS	
MITE BOXES_	POSTERS (1 per class	sroom/hallway)	
PRAYER CARDS	LEAFALOPES	BOOKMARKS	

MISSIONARY CHILDHOOD ASSOCIATION-MISSION OFFICE 1 PETER YORKE WAY SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109 PHONE (415) 614-5670 FAX (415) 614-5671

E-mail: missionofficesf@sfarch.org www.sfarch.org/MissionsSF





Mail or drop off by January 31, 2022

To: MCA Artwork Contest Archdiocese of San Francisco-Mission Office 1 Peter Yorke Way San Francisco, CA 94109

Christmas Artwork
Contest Entry Form



THE 2021-2022 MCA CHRISTMAS ARTWORK CONTEST

All children in the Archdiocese of San Francisco are encouraged to enter our annual Missionary Childhood Association Artwork Contest. The San Francisco MCA office will select twelve local winners from all entries submitted.

The artwork of the twelve local winners will be posted on our website www.sfarch.org/MissionsSF. The twelve local winning entries will then be submitted to the MCA National Office in New York to be entered nation-wide contest where twenty-four winners will be selected to be displayed at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculated Coneption in Washington, D.C. during Advent and Christmas 2022.

Entries for the 2021-2022 school year are due January 31, 2022 and to be submitted to your local Missionary Childhood Association office in the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

(See attached for terms and conditions)

Attach entry form below to artwork

Winner's Corner 2020 National Finalists



Leshley Martin 7th Grade All Souls School



Kaylasky Vu 2nd Grade ar Lady of Mercy

	Student Name:	
	Please check one: ■ Male ■ Female	Grade:
	Please check one: ☐ Catholic School ☐ Parish RE/CCD ☐ Hor	ne School
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ш	School / Parish Phone Number:	
2	Student's Home Address as of September 2021:	
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	Student's Home Telephone Number as of September 2021:	
	Parent / Guardian E-mail Address:	
	Each entry (drawing) MUST have an entry for	_

PLEASE USE TAPE TO SECURE THE ENTRY FORM TO THE BACK OF THE DRAWING.

DO NOT GLUE OR STAPLE ENTRY FORM TO ARTWORK. PLEASE DO NOT FOLD ARTWORK



"the single most critical factor in an effective parish catechetical program is the

leadership of a professionally trained parish catechetical leader." (NDC, Chapter 8 No. 5)

2021-2022 Foundational Training Coursefor Parish Catechetical Leaders

Topics & Schedule of Sessions

2021

The Foundational Training Course is a series of workshops conducted by the Office of Faith Formation to assist parish catechetical leaders in their practice of their ministry in accordance with the Certification Standards and Core Competencies set forth in the National Certification Standards for Lay Ecclesial Ministers, in particular, Standard No. 5 — the Professional Practice of Ministry.

The Course is recommended

- ⇒ To those who are new or nearly new in parish catechetical leadership role
- ⇒ As a 'refresher' and 'update' to those who are already in catechetical leadership role.
- ⇒ To those who are considering catechetical leadership roles in the near future.
- The Course specifics are cited on the side panels.
- Participants may choose to attend all or any of the courses.
- A Certificate of Completion will be awarded to participants who had attended the entire series.



The courses will be Conducted <u>virtually via</u> Zoom

Daytime: 1:30 to 4 pm Evening: 6:00 to 8:30 pm



To register, please fill in the registration form on page 2

September 27 - Getting Started

- ⇒ Overview of Archdiocesan Policies and Guidelines in Parish Faith Formation Programs
- ⇒ Requisites for Pastoral Parish Catechetical Leadership—Understanding Ministerial Responsibilities and Ethical Standards
- ⇒ Overview of Print and Online Resources for Catechetical and Youth Ministry

October 4— Program Design: Parish Faith Formation Curriculum

- \Rightarrow Formulating Goals and Objectives
- ⇒ Curriculum Design, Implementation & Assessment
- ⇒ Use of Media and Technology in Ministry

November 8 - Program Management

- ⇒ Collaboration and Ministry in Diverse Settings
- ⇒ Culture Sensitivity and Inclusivity

<u>December 8— Program Design: Parish Sacramental Programs— Preparation & Celebration</u>

- ⇒ Requisites When Designing Parish Sacrament Programs, Guidelines & Policies
- ⇒ Planning Liturgies for Sacramental Celebrations
- ⇒ Adult Faith Formation and the Catechumenate as the Model for All Catechesis

2022

February 7— Program Planning

- ⇒ Essentials for Developing Parish Faith Formation/Youth Ministry Program Handbook for Families and Volunteers
- ⇒ Calendaring and Time Management
- ⇒ Budget, Record Keeping and Forms

March 7— Program Administration

- ⇒ Recruitment, Supervision and Support of Volunteers in Ministry
- ⇒ Catechist Training and Formation

April 4— Program Administration

- ⇒ Planning and Conducting Meetings with Parents and Catechetical Staff/ Volunteer Team
- ⇒ Communication Skills and Conflict Management

May 2 — Program Assessment & Evaluation

- ⇒ Creating Assessment and Evaluation Tools for Faith Formation Program
- ⇒ Self-Assessment Process for Parish Catechetical Leaders based on the National Certification Standards for Lay Ecclesial Ministers

2021-2022 Foundational Training Course Registration Form

Kindly fill in the information requested below, and email to Anelita Reyes — reyesa@sfarch.org or fax (415) 614-5651.

To mail the form: Office of Faith Formation

Archdiocese of San Francisco

One Peter Yorke Way,

San Francisco, CA 94110

NAME	
PARISH	
POSITION	
Email	
Phone	
Please check which session time you will attend:	
Daytime session: 1:30 to 4 p.m.	
Evening session: 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.	
Course Fee: \$60.00 Bill Parish	
Or Make check payable to OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION and mail to: Faith Formation, Archdiocese of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA 94109	Office of



Email/Fax/Mail your registration by September 25

Questions???

Need more information about this program?

Call Anelita Reyes(415) 614-5651 or email reyesa@sfarchdiocese.org.

ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN FRANCISCO

SAVE THE DATE!!!

YOUTH IN SERVICE: LITURGICAL TRAINING

Sponsored by the Office of Youth Ministry & Young Adult Ministry

COME JOIN AND GROW IN FAITH AND KNOWLEDGE IN LEARNING THESE MINISTRIES:

- LECTORS
-EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION
-CANTORS/CHORAL MINISTRY
-ALTAR SERVING

Saturday October 30, 2021
Times and Location TBD



When we met for our Beginning of the Year meeting people were asking for links to workshops in Spanish that could be provided to meet the basic catechist certification. We are working on getting this together for our dre/cres. If you have good resources you would like to share please send them to Sr. Celeste for the list. Thanks to all our Spanish coordinates and the work you are doing. Remember that the faith formation conference in November will be a great resource for all of your catechists.

hopehealrenew.org



Welcome to the renewed Master Catechist.

Thank you for your generosity.

Caritina Cuevas - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Redwood City

Jorge Guzman - Our Lady of the Pillar, Half Moon Bay

Carolina Martinez - Our Lady of the Pillar, Half Moon Bay

Maria Villegas - Our Lady of the Pillar, Half Moon Bay

Juan Machado - St. Matthews Parish, San Mateo

Pedro Saucedo - St. Anthony of Church, Redwood City

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catechist-resources/Spanish



Dios te salve, Guardián del Redentor, Esposa de la Santísima Virgen María. A ti Dios te confió a su único Hijo; en ti María puso su confianza; contigo Cristo se hizo hombre.

Bendícenos José, a nosotros también, muéstrate padre y guíanos en el camino de la vida para nuestros programas de formación en la fe.

Oramos para que las familias se abran a regresar a su formación permanente.

Obtén para nosotros gracia, misericordia y valor, amor y disposición para llegar a todos los que necesitan escuchar el llamado del discipulado con Jesús.

Amen.



RECURSOS PARA FAMILIAS "IGLESIA DO-MÉSTICA"

Como apoyo la Oficina de Familia y Formación de la Fe ha creado

una compilación de recursos para usted. ¡Por favor, comparta!

https://www.scd.org/family-and-faith-formation/recursos-para-familias-y-su-formacion-en-la-fe



Forma de Registración: (Usar letra de Molde)

Los candidatos deben asistir a ambos grupos de clases para su confirmación y hacer una entrevista introductoria y de salida con el contacto de la parroquia:

Nombre del Candidato

Teléfono de contacto ________ Ciudad _______ Código Postal ______

Parroquia _______ Sí, he recibido los siguientes sacramentos: _____ Bautizo ______ Primera Comunión

Tomaré las clases en _____ Ingles _____ Español

Información de la Parroquia: (Usar letra de Molde)

Nombre del pastor o Asociado Pastoral ______

Teléfono de contacto ______ Correo Electrónico _______

Dirección ______ Ciudad ______ Código Postal _____

Parroquia ______ Firma Del Párroco _______

Devuelver el formulario a: Office of Faith Formation, One Peter Yorke Way, SF 94109 / arbucklec@sfarch.ore / fax: 415-614-5652

Deberes Parroquiales:

Dado que la preparación sacramental es formativa, los candidatos deben tener una participación activa en su comunidad parroquial. La parroquia debe proporcionar

- Una entrevista preliminar con el candidato
- Proporcionar al candidato un contacto parroquial que mantendrá un contacto semanal con el candidato durante el tiempo de preparación.
- Obtener del candidato todos los documentos de certificado necesarios para la recepción de la Confirmación.
- Realizar una entrevista de salida para un discernimiento final de preparación (la Oficina de Formación en la Fe notificará a la parroquia de la competencia de clases.
- Proporcionar a la Oficina de Adoración la información necesaria para la Santa Cena.
- Después de la ceremonia, proporcione un Certificado de Confirmación e ingrese la información en el registro sacramental parroquial. (La Oficina de Adoración notificará a la parroquia de la recepción

Deberes del Candidato:

- Asistir a ambas entrevistas con el miembro del personal de la parroquia
- Proporcionar información sacramental del Bautismo y la Eucaristía.
- Asistir a todas las sesiones de la formación catequética
- Paga \$ 60.00 por la clase
- Elija un padrino que tenga al menos 16 años de edad, sea católico practicante y esté completamente iniciado (haya recibido el Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Eucaristía)



OCCORCI		Pope's intention for the month: Missionary disci- ples That every baptized per- son may be engaged in	Evangelization available to the mission, by being witnesses of a ife that has the flavor of the Gospel	Month of Mary & Respect Life Month
2	Archdiocesan Rosary Rally	10:00—2:00	St. Mary Cathedral All are invited.	
4	Feast of St. Francisco	Archdiocesan Feast Day		
4	Foundational Training Session 2	1:30 to 4 pm Or 6 to 8:30 pm	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
5	Respect Life Webinar	12:30	Join in this informative - Respect Life	prolife@sfarch.org Tuesday, October 5, 12 & 19,
11	Columbus & Indigenous People day	Pastoral Offices are closed		
12	Respect Life Webinar	12:30	Join in this informative webinar from -Life	prolife@sfarch.org Tuesday, October 5, 12 & 19,
14	Deaneries 1 & 2 DRE Meeting	10 am to 12 noon	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
15-16	Adult Confirmation	Friday 6:00-8:30 PM & Saturday 10:00-4:00	All adults 17 years of age and older are invit- ed with permission of their pastor	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
16	YMYAM Liturgical Ministry Training Day		Training for Youth	Marianoc@sfarch.org
19	Respect Life Webinar	12:30	Join in this informative webinar -Respect Life	prolife@sfarch.org Tuesday, October 5, 12 & 19,
21	Deanery 10 PCL Meeting	10:00-11:30	ТВА	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
22	Priests Retirement Luncheon	11:00	St. Mary Cathedral	
23	Arata's Youth Day Outing	6:00 PM	Half Moon Bay	Marianoc@sfarch.org
24	World Mission Sunday			
25	Deaneries 8 & 9 DRE Meeting	10 am to 12 noon	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
26	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	10:00—Noon	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
27	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	10:00—Noon	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
31	Halloween			

Noven	nber	Pope's intention for the month: People suffering from depression	That people who suffer from depression or	burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to ife
1	All Saints Day			
2	All Souls Day			
4 –6	Hope Heal Renew Conference	All are invited	Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
8	Foundational Training Session 3	1:30 to 4 pm Or 6 to 8:30 pm	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
11	Veterans Day	Pastoral Offices are closed		
18	Deanery 1 & 2 PCL Meeting	10:00-Noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
20	Adult Confirmation	5:30 PM St. Mary Cathedral		Office of Worship Laura Bertone Bertonel@sfarch.org
21	Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe			
22	Deaneries 8 & 9 DRE meeting	10 am to 12 noon	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
25 –26	Thanksgiving	Pastoral Offices are closed		
26	Native American Heritage Day			
28	1st Sunday of Advent			
28	Hanukkah Begins at Sunset			
Decen	nber			
2	Deanery 10 PCL Meeting	10:00-11:30	TBA All parish catechetical leaders are invited	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
7	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	10:00—Noon	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
8	Immaculate Conception	Holy Day of Obligation		
12	Our Lady of Guadalupe			
15	Simbang Gabi Novena Begins			

17	O Antinhana Pagin	O Wisdom	O Sapientia	
17	O Antiphons Begin	O Wisdom	O Wisdom of our God Most High, guiding creation with power and love: come to teach us the path of knowledge!	
18	O Antiphons	Leader of the House of Israel	O Adonai O Leader of the House of Israel, giver of the Law to Moses on Sinai: come to rescue us with your mighty power!	
19	O Antiphons	Root of Jesse	O Radix Jesse O Root of Jesse's stem, sign of God's love for all his people: come to save us without delay!	
20	O Antiphons	Key of David	O Clavis David O Key of David, opening the gates of God's eternal Kingdom: come and free the prisoners of darkness!	
21	O Antiphons	Radiant Dawn	O Oriens O Radiant Dawn, splendored of eternal light, sun of justice, come and shine on those who dwell in darkness in the shadow of death	
22	O Antiphons	King of All Nations	O Rex Gentium O King of all nations and keystone of the Church: come and save man, whom you formed from the dust!	
23	O Antiphons	O Emmanuel	O Emmanuel O Emmanuel, our King and Giver of Law: come to save us, Lord our God!	
23	End of Simbang Gabi Novena			
26	Feast of the Holy Family Kwanzaa Begins			
24-Janury 1	Christmas Break	Pastoral Offices are closed		

Janua	r y	Pope's intention for the month: Human Fraterni- ty	May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellow-ship with our brother and sisters of other religions, praying for one another,	Kick off of Respect Life Es- say Contest begins
			open to all	
1	Feast Mary, Mother of God			
	New Years Day			
7 & 8	Diocese of Reno Annual Diocesan Conference	"Blessed Bendecidos And Grateful		www.reno-diocesan- conference.org
8-9	High School Retreat	Open to all High School students	Redwood Glen Retreat Center	Marianoc@sfarch.org
10	Foundational Training Session 5	1:30 to 4 pm Or 6:00 to 8:30 pm	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
13	Deaneries 1 & 2 DRE	10:00-Noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
17	Martin Luther King Day	Pastoral Offices are closed		
24	Deaneries 8 & 9 DRE Meeting	10 am to 12 noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
29	Archdiocesan High School Confirmation Retreat	10:00 AM	Candidates must regis- ter with parish	Marianoc@sfarch.org
31	New Directory Meeting	10:00-12:30 Or 6:00-8:30	Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
31	Mission Office Christmas Art Work	Due for school year 2021-2022		
Februa	ary	Pope's intention for the month: Violence Against Women	We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protect- ed by society and have their sufferings consid- ered and healed	
1	Chinese New Year Begins			
1	Black History Month Begins			
7	Foundational Training Session 4	afternoon	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
10	Deanery 1 & 2 PCL Meeting	10:00-Noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
16	Required Master Catechist Gathering New Beginnings	10:00-Noon	Join on the 16th or 17 Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org

17	Deanery 10 PCL Meeting Date may change	10:00-11:30	ТВА	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
22	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	3:30—4:45 Place: TBA		Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
28	Deaneries 8 & 9 DRE Meeting	10 am to 12 noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
26	Archdiocesan High School Confirmation Retreat	10:00 AM	Candidates must regis- ter with parish	Marianoc@sfarch.org
March		Pope's intention for the month: Sacrament of Reconciliation	Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God	
1	Women's History Month Begins			
2	Ash Wednesday	Lent Begins	Do you have your Rice Bowls ready to give out?	
5	Catechists' Retreat Hosted by Deaneries 1 & 2	3:00 to 5 pm	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
6	Rite of Election	4:00 PM St. Mary Cathedral		Office of Worship Laura Bertone bertonel@sfarch.org
7	Foundational Training Session 5	1:30 to 4 pm Or 6 to 8:30 pm	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
9	Lenten Retreat for catechists and PCLs #1	6:30-7:45	Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
10	Deaneries 1 & 2 DRE Meeting	10:00-to 12 noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
16	Lenten Retreat for catechists and PCLs #2	6:30-7:45	Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
17	Feast of St. Patrick Patron of the Archdiocese			
16-19	LA Religious Education Congress			
19	Feast of St. Joseph Patron of the Archdiocese			
22	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	3:30-4:45	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
28	Deaneries 8 & 9 DRE Meeting	10 am to 12 noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org

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April			Pope's intention for the month: Fundamental Rights	We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under	dictatorship, authoritarian regimes and even in democ- racies in crisis
4	Foundational Session	_	afternoon	virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
9	Archdiocesan High firmation Re		10:00 AM	Candidates must register with parish	Marianoc@sfarch.org
10	Palm Sun	day			
17	Easter Sun	ıday			
18	Easter Monday	/ Holiday	Pastoral offices are closed		
21	Deanery 10 PCL	. Meeting	10:00-11:30	ТВА	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
24	Respect Life Essa Mass	ay Contest	11:00 AM	St. Mary Cathedral	
25	Deanery 8 & 9 PC	CL Meeting	10 am to 12 noon		Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
26	Deanery 11 PCL	. Meeting	3:30-4:45	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
May			Pope's intention for the month: The World of Fi- nance	Let us pray for those in charge of finance will work with gov- ernments to regulate the	financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers
1	Asian American Islanders Herita				
2	Foundational Session	_		virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
6-7	Adult Confirmati	on Classes	Friday 6:00-8:30 PM & Saturday 10:00-4:00	All adults 17 years of age and older are invited with permission of their pastor	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
12	Pius X Dinner and	Recognition	6:30 PM	St. Mary Cathedral with Archbishop Cordileone	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
24	Deanery 11 PCL	. Meeting	3:30-4:45	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
30	Memorial	Day	Pastoral offices are closed		
June	e		Pope's intention for the month: The Beauty of Marriage	Let us pray for young people who are preparing for mar- riage with the support of a	Christian community: may they grow in love, with gen- erosity, faithfulness and patience.
5	Pentecost Si	unday			
5	Adult Confirmations		11:00 AM St. Mary Cathedral		Office of Worship Laura Bertone bertonel@sfarch.org
16	Deanery 10 PCL Meeting		10:00-11:30	ТВА	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
28	Deanery 11 PCL	. Meeting	3:30-4:45	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org

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12-14	National Gathering in Christine Initiation	"Evaluating and Revital- izing the RCIA in Your Parish"	Chicago, III	<u>LTP.org</u>

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