Prayer for Independence Day - July 4th

God, source of all freedom,
this day is bright with the memory of those who declared that life and liberty are your gift to every human being.
Help us to continue a good work begun long ago.
Make our vision clear and our will strong:
that only in human solidarity will we defend liberty, and justice only in the honor that belongs to every life on earth.
Turn our hearts toward the family of nations:
to understand the ways of others,
to offer friendship, and to find safety only in the common good of all.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.
Dear Parishioners of Mary Star of the Sea:

In this month of June many Priests, Deacons and Religious take their final steps in serving God and Holy Mother Church. Mother Teresa was an incredible example to us all of what true service to Christ is all about. She is also a wonderful reminder to the world of the Dignity of every human life at all stages and circumstances. Let us continue to follow her example especially in our care for the poor and our reaching out to those who in our own families who might feel unloved and unwanted. Have a Blessed Week.

Fr. Harrigan - The Pastor

In honor of St. Teresa of Calcutta’s canonization here are twenty quotations from the foundress of the Missionaries of Charity who exuded joy and selflessness while serving the poor and uncared for.

1. What is my thought? I see Jesus in every human being. I say to myself, This is hungry Jesus, I must feed him. This is sick Jesus. This one has leprosy or gangrene; I must wash him and tend to him. I serve because I love Jesus.
2. Be kind to each other in your homes. Be kind to those who surround you. I prefer that you make mistakes in kindness rather than that you work miracles in unkindness. Often just for one word, one look, one quick action, and darkness fills the heart of the one we love.
3. We think sometimes that poverty is only being hungry, naked and homeless. The poverty of being unwanted, unloved and uncared for is the greatest poverty. We must start in our own homes to remedy this kind of poverty.
4. We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop.
5. We need to find God, and he cannot be found in noise and restlessness. God is the friend of silence. See how nature - trees, flowers, grass- grows in silence; see the stars, the moon and the sun, how they move in silence... We need silence to be able to touch souls.
6. If you are judging people, you have no time to love them.
7. I choose the poverty of our people. But I am grateful to receive the [Nobel] prize in the name of the hungry, the naked, the homeless, the crippled, the blind, the lepers, of all those people who feel unwanted, unloved, uncared for throughout society, people that have become a burden to the society and are shunned by everyone.— Upon accepting the Nobel Peace Prize, 1979
8. There is always the danger that we may just do the work for the sake of the work. This is where the respect and the love and the devotion come in - that we do it to God, to Christ, and that's why we try to do it as beautifully as possible.
9. The biggest disease today is not leprosy or tuberculosis, but rather the feeling of being unwanted.
10. Let us not use bombs and guns to overcome the world. Let us use love and compassion.
11. I alone cannot change the world, but I can cast a stone across the waters to create many ripples.
12. Yesterday is gone and tomorrow has not yet come; we must live each day as if it were our last so that when God calls us we already, and prepared, to die with a clean heart.
13. Everybody today seems to be in such a terrible rush, anxious for greater developments and greater riches and so on, so that children have very little time for their parents. Parents have very little time for each other, and in the home begins the disruption of peace of the world.
14. If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other.
15. If the good you do will be forgotten tomorrow, do it anyway.
16. I am not sure exactly what heaven will be like, but I do know that when we die and it comes time for God to judge us, he will not ask, ‘How many good things have you done in your life?’, rather he will ask, ‘How much love did you put into what you did?’
17. If you can't feed a hundred people, then feed just one.
18. I have found the paradox that if I love until it hurts, then there is no hurt, but only more love.
19. When you know how much God is in love with you then you can only live your life radiating that love.
20. It is easy to love the people far away. It is not always easy to love those close to us. It is easier to give a cup of rice to relieve hunger than to relieve the loneliness and pain of someone unloved in our own home. Bring love into your home for this is where our love for each other must start.
I.C.F. CASINO & SAN FRANCISCO TRIP

SAN MANUEL TURNAROUND CASINO TRIP is on Tuesday, July 9, 2019. Price $25.00 per person. Members will get $5.00 discount. Casino will give $5.00 that can be used towards free play.

SAN FRANCISCO, MONTEREY, WINERIES, CASINOS TRIP.
Three nights four days September 8 thru 11, 2019. Trip also includes stops in Solvang, St Luis Obispo and Napa. Proceeds of both trips to benefit the Italian Catholic Federation Branch 115 adopted seminarian program and various charities. For additional information and reservations call Pauline Iacono 310-832-0563

No Parking due to FIESTA-2019-Set up
Beginning, Monday, July 15 at 12:00 p.m. The Parish Parking lot will have limited parking. On Wednesday, July 17th. And through, Monday, July 22nd, The Parish Parking lot will be CLOSED. Parking lot will re-open on: Tuesday, July 23rd at 3 p.m. The Fiesta Committee apologizes for this inconvenience. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Prayer Intention of The Holy Father for the month of July
The Integrity of Justice
That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.
The Queen Candidates are
(Left to right in the picture)
Angelina Schroeder, Dana Jones,
Rosana Poliseri and Sophia Cardenas.
Come out and support the four princesses
participating in the 72nd Annual Parish Fiesta.

Each candidate will have an individual bake sale (Saturday and Sunday) after all masses and main raffle ticket sales on the Church patio. This will begin in June into July (before the parish fiesta weekend). Each raffle ticket that the princess sells will count as a vote for the queen contest. The princess who gets the most votes will be crowned the Fiesta Queen.

Parish families can also vote for a queen candidate on all the yellow main raffle tickets.

How is the Queen Chosen?

The 2019 Fiesta Queen is chosen by a combination of votes cast on Yellow parish tickets and votes that she receives from the Pink tickets. The Fiesta Queen does NOT receive votes from the white bonus tickets. If the Fiesta Princess’ name is not specified on the Yellow parish tickets or on the Pink tickets, the Candidate will NOT receive a vote!

We ask that you please vote for your Fiesta Queen Candidate on all of your tickets stubs (yellow & pink). The 2019 Fiesta Queen contest will end on Sunday, July 21st. All votes must be in by 5 PM to count in the contest.

No exceptions. Crowning will be this same day at 7:30 pm.
June 30, 2019  “All blessings come to us through our Lord. He will teach us, for in beholding his life we find that he is the best example.”  - Teresa of Avila

**Fiesta Announcements**

**Food & Beverage on the Grounds**

**Beer Garden - Hosted by the Perez Family**

**Croatian Catholic Family Guild**: BBQ Lamb
(Sunday only), Cevapcici or BBQ Sausages, Cole Slaw & French Rolls.

**MSHS**: Hamburgers, Hot Dogs & Chili Dogs, French Fries & Chili Cheese Fries

**MSSE**: Coca-Cola, Sprite, Capri Sun, Bottled Water.

**I.C.F**: Cheese Pizza, Pepperoni Pizza, Sausage Sandwiches, and Meatball Sandwiches.

**Hispanic Society**: Carne Asada or Pollo Asada Combo Plates (with rice & beans), Burritos & Tacos (carne asada, pollo asada, or bean and cheese) Pork Tamales, Pupusas, Nachos, and Corn on the Cob.

**Daughters of Isabella**: Snow Cones, Popcorn, Cotton Candy, and other treats!

**San Pietro Society**: Fried Calamari / with dipping sauce.

**Club Trappeto**: Cannoli, Cake, Cookies, Specialty Coffees, and other Fantastic Treats!

**Fiesta Queen Candidate BAKE SALE**

**June 29th-30th**

**Princess Rosana Poliseri**

She is a student at Mary Star of the Sea High School. Please stop by her Bake Sale Table, outside on the church patio today.

She has homemade foods and great pastries. This is your chance to purchase main Fiesta raffle tickets from this week Fiesta Candidate, plus for every ticket she sells, she will receive one vote for the Queen Contest.

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**ALL THREE NIGHTS OF THE FIESTA - 2019 - AUDITORIUM DINNERS**

**Friday Night Dinner: July 19th. 5p.m. to 9p.m.**

BBQ SWORDFISH, Pasta Alfredo, Garden Salad, Mediterranean Green Beans, Rolls and Butter, Lemon Cake, and Coffee.

**Hosted by Mary Star of the Sea Elementary School**

Swordfish Sandwiches, 5 pm – 9 pm at the 8th Street Fiesta entrance.

**Saturday Night Dinner: July 20th. 5p.m. to 9p.m.**

BBQ tri-tip Roast, Garden Salad, Potato Fennel Gratin, Roasted Vegetables, Garlic Bread, (Make it surf and turf, add only $3.00 for Shrimp Skewer,) Lemon Cake, and Coffee.

**Hosted by the St. Anne Altar Society**

BBQ Tri Tip Sandwiches, 1 pm to 8 pm at the 8th Street Fiesta entrance, Special Raffle held before end of dinner. (winner need not be present to win)

**Sunday Afternoon Dinner: July 21st 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.**

Mostaccioli/ with meat sauce & Roast Beef, Sauerkraut w/Pork, Garden Salad, Rolls and Butter, Apple Strudel, and Coffee.

**Hosted by the Velike Gospe Society.**

Special Raffle held before end of dinner. (winner need not be present to win)

**ALL AUDITORIUM DINNER WILL BE:**

Adults- $20.00 EACH, AND KIDS (12 years and under) $10.00 each
FIESTA 2019
FINAL PLANNING MEETING
All Mary Star Parish Groups, M.S.H.S. Groups & Students, MSSE Groups, All Auditorium Dinner Chairpersons, are asked to please attend this final-IMPORTANT-information meeting, on Wednesday, July 10th. At 7 p.m. in the Parish Auditorium. Final Fiesta weekend and current events will be discussed.

TRIPLE YOUR CHANCES TO WIN!
Return $30.00 purchases book of (30) Yellow Main Fiesta Raffle tickets to the rectory by Friday, July 12, 2019 and you will receive "2 FREE BONUS BOOKS" ($60.00 value- 60 tickets total)
"Please make checks payable to: Mary Star of the sea Parish Fiesta"

FIESTA- BINGO, NEWS
Join us all three days of the Fiesta and play "Bingo." Great "Prizes" are awarded during each game. Fiesta- Bingo will be played in the Mary Star Elementary school class room 107,
Hours are:
Friday, July 19th 5 p.m. to 11 p.m.
Saturday, July 20th 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Sunday, July 21st 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Hosted by our parish: Knights of Columbus

UPCOMING…..BAKE SALE
The bake sales are:
Rosana Poliseri: June 29th-30th
Dana Jones: July 13th-14th
Please come and support our FIESTA Queen Candidates with their upcoming bake sale!

FROM OUR PARISH FIESTA 2018
PROCEEDS HELPED TREMENDOUSLY TO DO THE FOLLOWING PARISH IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS
Classrooms painted in the former High School Building
Elementary School Art Room painted and Roof repaired
Roofs repaired for all Parish buildings
Church Tower Clock rebuilt
Auditorium Roof repaired and Air Conditioning Repaired
Plaques installed in recognition of various donor’s projects
New Ice Machine for the Auditorium

ON THE MIDWAY
The Fiesta Grounds will be filled with carnival rides for adults and children! Game & raffle booths will be run by volunteers, parents, MSSE & MSHS students, Parish Groups and Societies! Special Thanks to the Baque Brothers & Classic Rides Amusements for continuing the legacy of Bob Swartwood & J.A. Blash Shows who provided 55 years of excellent service to the Parish Fiesta!

ATTENTION- FIESTA UNDERWRITERS
Our three day weekend carnival not only provides wonderful fun for all families in our parish but to our San Pedro community. Also, our annual fundraiser generates proceeds that provide much needed financial support to our: Parish, and serving both of our Parish Schools, in the way of capitol improvements.
If you would like to participate as a Fiesta-2019 Underwriter, or would like more information, please contact Fr.Harrigan at 310-833-3541 ext. 203.

MSSE Summer School
MSSE Summer School is right around the corner too! These three theme-based curricular weeks are taught by MSSE Faculty and are open to all students, public and private, that are incoming 1st thru 8th graders. Field trips and other activities are included. Summer School, June 24 - July 11, runs Monday - Thursday (July 4th NO School) from 8:30am - 2pm. Registration can be made online at https://bit.ly/2VPTcGN or with flyers in the MSSE Office. Cost is only $325 per student, that's about $29 per day for all the instruction, activities and fun.. All fees should be paid into the MSSE Office. God bless!
Mr. Cordero - Principal
June 29-30
Know the signs of a potential predator

It’s not always easy to spot someone who has malicious intentions towards children in your community. Although we have sex offender registries and certifications for adults who work with children, predators can slip through the cracks. Adults who are in regular contact with children — parents, grandparents, caregivers, etc. — should know the warning signs of a potential predator. Often, potential abusers will go overboard with touching children, wrestling, tickling, giving hugs and kisses. Other red flags including wanting to be alone with children or giving gifts, often without checking in with the parents first. You can find more warning signs in the VIRTUS® article “Sex Offenders Within Our Communities: Our Responsibility to Protect” at http://www.la-archdiocese.org//org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx.

Junio 29-30
Conozca las señales de un potencial depredador

No siempre es fácil detectar a alguien que tiene intenciones maliciosas hacia los niños en su comunidad. Aunque los adultos que trabajan enseñando y cuidando a los niños, tienen registros y certificaciones de delincuentes sexuales, los depredadores pueden pasar desapercibidos. Los adultos que están en contacto regular con niños (padres, abuelos, cuidadores, etc.) deben conocer las señales de advertencia de un posible depredador. A menudo, los abusadores potenciales se van por la borda tocando a los niños, luchando, haciendo cosquillas, dando abrazos y besos. Otras señales de alerta podrían ser querer estar a solas con los niños o dar regalos, a menudo sin consultar con los padres primero. Puede encontrar más señales de advertencia en el artículo de VIRTUS® “Sex Offenders Within Our Communities: Our Responsibility to Protect” (Agresores sexuales dentro de nuestras comunidades: nuestra responsabilidad de proteger) en http://www.la-archdiocese.org//org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx.

Let us pray for the Sick

Ben Branstuder, Victor Biel
 Jacob Abraham, Donna Meagher
 Jo Ann Di Rocco, George Diorio,
 Agnes Domdoma, Lisa Hernandez,
 Sebastiano Terzoli, Michelle C.
 Dibernardo, Ramiro Palos,
 Sagani Gliane, Rose Russo, Micah
 Abraham,
 Hugh Moorehouse, Richard Hernandez,
 Annette Hernandez, Mitchell Palacios,
 Donna Grilli Caruthers, Antonina Dutkiewicz,
 Hanna Abraham, Emmanuel Araujo Acevedo.

IN MEMORIAM

Stanko Svorinich, Chiara Sancirardi,
 Kuzman "Matty" Domancich
 Nick Giacalone, Zorica Dragovich,
 Eddie Hernandez.

May Their Souls Rest In Peace!
SATURDAY: June 29, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Hy Sing by heather morgan †
5:15 p.m.  Antonio and Della Maria Lucero by family †

SUNDAY: June 30, 2019
7:30 a.m  Frank and Wilmot Bird by Nancy and Rosario Scognamillo †
9:00 a.m.  Pro Populo
10:30 a.m.  Enrique Chacon by wife Esther Chacon †
12:00 p.m.  Jack Donato by wife Nancy †
1:30 p.m.  Marija and Zoran Jeric by Biserka Mosor & family †
4:00 p.m.  Maria Samana by Lidia Arancio †
5:15 p.m.  Filippo Mattera by Salvator Mattera & family †

MONDAY: July 1, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Rosario Boccanfuso by Vincenzo Lauro and Family †
5:15 p.m.  Susan Snee by Husband †

TUESDAY: July 2, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Kathleen Joncich McGrane and Family by Mary †
5:15 p.m.  Jerko Ursic by Dobrila Ursic and Daughters †

WEDNESDAY: July 3, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Anna Scalo by Daughter †
5:15 p.m.  Giuseppa Rallo by Daughter and Family †

THURSDAY: July 4, 2019
9:00 a.m.  Priest Intention

FRIDAY: July 5, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Luke Mardesich by Peri Mardesich †
5:15 p.m.  Joseph and Gabriela Casares †

SATURDAY: July 6, 2019
8:00 a.m.  Msgr. George M. Scott by Mary Star Staff †
5:15 p.m.  Rosa Schepis by Nancy D’asaro †

SUNDAY: July 7, 2019
7:30 a.m.  Antonio and Giovanna Di Bernardo by Nancy Donato †
9:00 a.m.  Pro Populo
10:30 a.m.  Eddie Diaz (L)
12:00 p.m.  Vinka Mardesich by J&R Mardesich †
1:30 p.m.  Luka Buda by His Wife and Children †
4:00 p.m.  Francesco Giovanni Scuderia by Angela Salvatore Castania †
5:15 p.m.  Nina Fadich by Fadich Family †

L = Living † = Deceased

Dear MSHS Community:

Fritz Coleman
One Night of Comedy
For MSHS
Come share Los Angeles favorite weatherman's hilarious take on growing up and growing older. A charming, warm and wild tale for baby boomers and the entire family.

All proceeds will benefit Mary Star of the Sea High School Phase II Building Expansion.

Click here for more information and to purchase tickets.
Saturday, August 24, 2019 at 8PM
At the Historic Warner Grand Theatre

“I can have no other spouse, but Jesus Christ. I have considered myself content to live in poverty and misery for his love.” - Kateri Tekakwitha   June 30, 2019
June 30, 2019 “Give yourselves unswervingly to God. Conform yourselves in all things to his glory, to his holy will.” - St. Teresa of Calcutta