

JULY 5, 2026

14th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

**The Spirit of Jesus brings us life.
We praise God and give thanks for this great gift.**



OUR LADY of the PILLAR CHURCH

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Masses at Our Lady of the Pillar

Monday — Saturday: 8:00 am (English)
Monday — Saturday Recitation of the Holy Rosary
after 8 am masses (English)
Friday: 12:00p.m. Noon Latin Mass ("Novus Ordo")
Saturday:5:00 p.m. (English) & 8:00p.m. (Español)
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. (English) 10:00 a.m. (English)
12:00p.m.(Español) & 6:00 p.m. (English)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):
Saturdays: 4 - 5 p.m. (or by appointment)

**24/7 Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament in the Adoration Chapel**

English info: Juliette Kulda (650)283-6175
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Masses at St. Anthony's, Pescadero
696 North Street, Pescadero

Sunday: 9 a.m. (English) 6 p.m. (Español)

Masses at Our Lady of Refuge, La Honda
146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

English Baptisms: 2nd Sundays at 2:00 p.m.
Bautismos en Español: 1^{er} y 3^o Sabado a las 11:00 a.m.
Platicas Pre-bautismales: 3^{er} Jueves del Mes a las 7:00pm.

About Today's Readings

Our First Reading reminds us of the entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday: "Shout for joy, O daughter Jerusalem! See, your king shall come to you ... meek, and riding on an ass." In our Gospel, Jesus praises his Heavenly Father for having hidden these things from the "wise and the learned", and revealed them to the meek and lowly. Jesus is the most powerful person on earth, and yet, He is so humble! He never sought to take advantage of His equality with God, but he acted more as a slave, serving others to the very end of His life. That is his "yoke", which sounds as if He is a beast of burden! He invites us to take His yoke upon ourselves, and to learn from Him how Heavenly it is to be of service to others. Our world depends on Christians being faithful to Christ, scattering darkness and evil with the light that we have received in our Baptism. We are to be the salt that enhances the world and brings out the flavor of God's love where now there is violence and chaos. God offers us true greatness, the blessedness of the saints; but the greatness that the world offers is an empty, fleeting glory that passes away like grass which rises in the morning and is dry and gone the next day. Without faithful Christians, the world is full of death, destruction, and despair. The greatness that Jesus shows us is true and lasting because it reflects His meekness and self-sacrifice. All the people whom we regard as "holy" and "saintly" and "lovable" in our lives have somehow shown that same attitude and have reflected the love of God to us and to others. We want to take that same yoke upon our shoulders, asking God to make us channels of His peace, for Jesus says, "My yoke is easy, and my burden light."

Mass Schedule and Intentions

JULY 4 - 11, 2026

Our Lady of the Pillar, Half Moon Bay

Saturday Night, JULY 4

5:00 pm † Climaco Ferreira da Cunha
 † For the Souls in Purgatory
 8:00 pm † Jesus Hernandez
 † Maria de Jesus Cortez

Sunday JULY 5

8:00am (Int) For Priests & All Souls of OLP Parish
 † Climaco Ferreira da Cunha
 10:00am † Frank Vaz & Parents-in-law
 † Antonio Simas, Maria Simas & Family
 12:00pm † Antonio Mora
 † Maximino Jimenez & Raul Jimenez
 6:00 pm † Ivo Oliveira
 † Maria Rodrigues

Monday JULY 6

8:00am † Repose of the Soul of Philip Velez
 (Int) Carlos Gonzalo Ortega Espinoza

Tuesday JULY 7

8:00am † Diva & Lorenzo Marcheschi
 † Adrie Roelands

Wednesday JULY 8

8:00am † Francisco, Idalina Costa & Family
 † Repose of the Soul of Philip Velez

Thursday JULY 9

8:00am † Repose of the Soul of Philip Velez
 † For the Souls in Purgatory

Friday JULY 10

8:00am † For the Souls in Purgatory
 † Lilia Rios & Ignacio Valencia

Saturday JULY 11

8:00am † Maria Otilia Amaro Jose Alves
 † Repose of the Soul of Philip Velez

Your Offerings Supporting our Parish

Collections for June 27 – 28

	<i>1st Coll.</i>	<i>2nd Coll.</i>
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 4,941	\$ 1,609
Saint Anthony	\$ 282	\$ 138
Our Lady of Refuge	\$434	\$ 95

Upcoming Second Collections

Jul 05	Annual Appeal
Jul 12	Building Fund
Jul 19	Annual Appeal
Jul 26	Building Fund

Mass Schedule and Intentions at our Missions

St. Anthony's, Pescadero

Sunday JULY 5

9 a.m. (Eng) † Tony & Frank Vaz
 6 p.m. (Esp) †

Our Lady of Refuge, La Honda

Sunday JULY 5

10:30am † Steven, Lisa & Laura Goldthwaite

2026 ANNUAL APPEAL

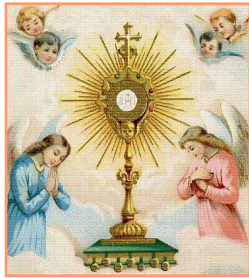
The Church depends on the support and generosity of its members to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, educate its youth, and care for the elderly. Our parish goals for this year's Annual Appeal are:

	Assessment	Collected	Balance
OLP	\$ 79,311	\$ 44,000	\$ 35,311
St. Anthony's	\$ 5,802	\$ 4,400	\$ 1,402
OLR	\$ 4,718	\$ 4,718	\$ 0

This year's theme is from 1 Corinthians 10:31

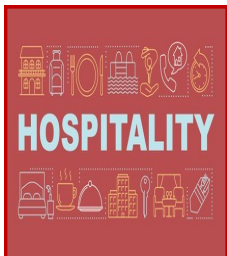
Sobre las Lecturas de Hoy

Nuestra primera lectura nos recuerda la entrada de Jesús en Jerusalén el Domingo de Ramos: "¡Alégrate, hija de Jerusalén! Mira, tu rey viene a ti... humilde y montado en un asno." En el Evangelio, Jesús alaba a su Padre celestial por haber ocultado estas cosas a los "sabios y entendidos", y habérselas revelado a los humildes y sencillos. Jesús es la persona más poderosa de la tierra y, sin embargo, ¡es tan humilde! Nunca buscó sacar provecho de su igualdad con Dios, sino que actuó más bien como un siervo, sirviendo a los demás hasta el final de su vida. Ese es su "yugo", ¡una expresión que hace pensar en una bestia de carga! Él nos invita a cargar con su yugo y a aprender de Él cuán celestial es servir a los demás. Nuestro mundo depende de que los cristianos sean fieles a Cristo, disipando las tinieblas y el mal con la luz que hemos recibido en nuestro Bautismo. Hemos de ser la sal que enriquece el mundo y resalta el sabor del amor de Dios allí donde ahora hay violencia y caos. Dios nos ofrece la verdadera grandeza, la bienaventuranza de los santos; pero la grandeza que ofrece el mundo es una gloria vacía y fugaz, que se desvanece como la hierba: brota por la mañana y al día siguiente ya está seca y desaparecida. Sin cristianos fieles, el mundo está lleno de muerte, destrucción, y desesperación. La grandeza que Jesús nos muestra es verdadera y duradera porque refleja su mansedumbre y su sacrificio personal. Todas las personas que en nuestras vidas consideramos "santas" y "dignas de amor" han demostrado, de alguna manera, esa misma actitud y han reflejado el amor de Dios hacia nosotros y hacia los demás. Queremos asumir ese mismo yugo, pidiendo a Dios que nos haga canales de su paz, pues Jesús dice: "Mi yugo es llevadero y mi carga ligera."



SIGN UP FOR A HOLY HOUR TODAY

English: Juliette Kulda (650) 283-6175
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 o Emma Moctezuma (650) 455-8509
<https://OLPA.WeAdoreHim.com>



HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

We will have HOSPITALITY next **SUNDAY**
JULY 12TH, after the 8am and 10am Masses.
 For information, please visit the
 PARISH WEBSITE.



Church Votive Candles

If you want to purchase votive candles
 for use at home,
 you may do so at the Parish Office
 or at the Gift Shop for \$5 per candle.
 Please do not take candles
 from the church candle racks.



RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Join us after the 8 a.m. Masses Mon. through Sat. for the Holy Rosary. This powerful prayer draws us closer to God through meditation on the lives of our Blessed Mother and Jesus Christ.
Después de la misa de 8 a.m. todos los Lunes a Sábado se estarán meditando los misterios del Santo Rosario en la Iglesia. Acérquemonos a Nuestro Señor Jesucristo por medio de Nuestra Madre Santísima.



**Welcome, “Fr. Andy”!
 Fr. Antonio de Guzman
 Our New Administrator**

Welcome Father, to Our Lady of the Pillar and its missions, St. Anthony’s in Pescadero and Our Lady of Refuge in La Honda! We open our hearts to you and thank God for bringing you to our parish family.

We hold you in our prayers as you begin your ministry here. Thank you for answering the call to shepherd our community.

We are blessed to have you here and look forward to growing in faith together.

Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick

Parientes y Amigos Enfermos

May God’s healing power fill them with strength and hope.

Marina & Mickey Williamson, Raquel Corona, Rich Perez, Helen Victa Castillo, Maria P. Nuñez Merlo, Consuelo Villa, Alberto Villasenor, Adriana Rivas, Michael White, Shana Reallypond, Sylvia Allen, Marge Healy, Carlos Sánchez, Virgilio Viloría, Leslie Henry, Mariland Damron, Thanna Warren, Henry Schoop, John Denny, Pauline Bilafer, Rey Caloca, Jim Bradley, Glenn Gonzales, Lynn Gijon, Bob Mazzetti, Ana Rose Depedro Viernes, Michael Schnabel-Kuehn, Sally Ann Thomas, Tiesha Kelly, Charles Decoteau, Nicole Barros, Patricia Bolfing, Louise Luteran, Adelaida Villarreal, Michael Abeyta, Mary Elliot.



The Our Lady of the Pillar Altar Server Team is looking for new members!

IF YOU ARE IN THIRD GRADE THROUGH JUNIOR YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL PLEASE JOIN US AND SERVE YOUR PARISH AS AN ALTAR SERVER!

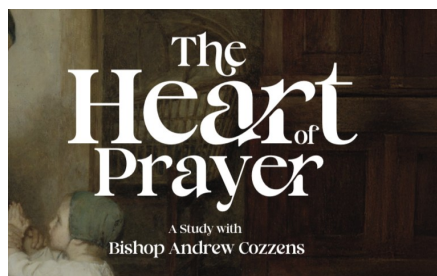
WE WILL BE HOLDING A TRAINING FOR NEW AND EXPERIENCED SERVERS ON **SATURDAY, JULY 11 AT 1:30 PM IN THE CHURCH.**

PLEASE COME TO LEARN ABOUT SERVING AND HOW TO CONTRIBUTE TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY.

WE WILL BE HAVING ANOTHER TRAINING THIS SUMMER, SO IF YOU CAN'T MAKE THIS ONE, PLEASE KEEP US IN MIND!

PLEASE NOTE: ALL CURRENT SERVERS WILL NEED TO ATTEND AT LEAST ONE TRAINING SESSION THIS SUMMER.

WE HOPE TO SEE SOME NEW FACES ON THE ALTAR SOON!



PRAYER IS ESSENTIAL TO THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

It is the most profound expression of a relationship with God that is both vital and personal (see CCC 2558). Prayer is not one-sided.

God desires a relationship with us;

He initiates this relationship, and when we pray, we respond to him.

Join highly-acclaimed author Bishop Andrew Cozzens as he leads us through eight sessions of teaching and reflection on prayer and its place in our spiritual life.

Share with a friend...and do the study together!

***Log onto formed.org - access on your phone, tablet or TV
Enter **Parish zip code: 94019 (paid for by the parish)



VISIT OUR MISSION CHURCHES



St. ANTHONY'S, in PESCADERO

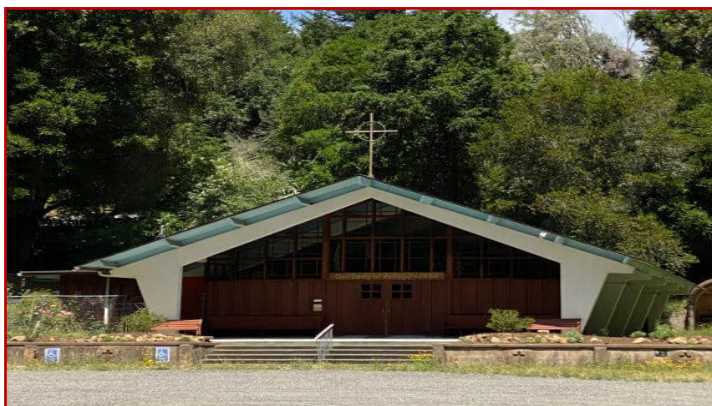
696 North Street Pescadero, CA 94060

Sunday Mass:

9:00 am

Misa Dominical:

6:00 pm



OUR LADY of REFUGE, in LA HONDA

146 Sears Ranch Road La Honda, CA 94020

Sunday Mass:

10:30 am