



ST. RAYMOND
CATHOLIC CHURCH
SERVED BY DOMINICAN FRIARS



15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 12, 2026

2026 YOUTH MISSION TRIP RECAP #2

"This trip helped me grow in faith in so many monumental ways. My prayer life definitely became deeper and it was amazing getting to grow closer to my peers through service and prayer. This experience allowed me to connect with both my fellow missionaries and all the people we served through Christ, and that is something that I hope to continue to do for the rest of my life. I saw God so many times during this week: in the fun I had hanging out and serving with the other teens, in the smiles and 'thank you's of everyone we helped, in the nature we got to experience, and, of course, in the beautiful moments of Mass and Adoration. This was an amazing trip; I'd love to be able to experience it again."

— Cate



This Week

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 2026

8:15 am Mass followed by Adoration &
Confession until 9:15 am
3:30 pm Confession until 4:30 pm
5:00 pm Mass

SUNDAY, JULY 12, 2026

8:00 am Mass
10:00 am Mass followed by ☕ & 🍩
5:00 pm Mass

MONDAY-SATURDAY

8:15 am Mass

MONDAY, JULY 13, 2026

6:00 pm Legion of Mary (Parish Hall)
7:00 pm Compass College Group (p.3)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 2026

10:00 am Bible Study
7:00 pm Catholic in Recovery
7:00 pm Holy Hour (Confession &
Adoration)

FRIDAY, JULY 17, 2026

7:30 pm Family Movie Night (p.3)

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 2026

8:15 am Mass followed by Adoration &
Confession until 9:15 am
3:30 pm Confession until 4:30 pm
5:00 pm Mass

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2026

8:00 am Mass
10:00 am Mass followed by ☕ & 🍩
5:00 pm Mass

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 11, 5:00 pm St. Raymond Parish
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun., July 12, 8:00 am Blach & Derry Families, L&D
10:00 am Otello Ascani †
5:00 pm Oswaldo Espinoza †
Mon., July 13, 8:15 am Bantug & Imperial Families,
L&D
St. Henry (m)
Tue., July 14, 8:15 am Donald & Barbara
Mahoney ††
St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin (M)
Wed., July 15, 8:15 am Mary Amm Robbiano †
St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (M)
Thur., July 16, 8:15 am Delores Wallace †
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (m)
Fri., July 17, 8:15 am Guido & Florence Budelli ††
Sat., July 18, 8:15 am Mr. & Preston Marguet ††
St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest (m)
Sat., July 18, 5:00 pm Doherty & Kelly Families,
L&D
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun., July 19, 8:00 am Rosario Tavora †
10:00 am Frank Helfrich †
5:00 pm St. Raymond Parish

S - Solemnity; **F** - Feast; **M** - Obligatory Memorial;
m - Optional Memorial; **L&D** - Living & Deceased

Mass Intentions are still available for 2026.

PRAYERS As a parish community we pray for the sick, including: Jackie Archibald, Nony & Penny Bantug, Maureen DeMoss, Esther Falsario, Anna Greco, Janice Hagy, Mark Head, Carolyn DeMarce, Pia Jensen, Margaret Kelly (Dn. Tom's mom), Sandra Lecha, Bonnie Morey, Rosie & Roger Pidena, Anjuli & Rashmi Nunn, Linda Rasmussen, Miguel Rosa, Enrique Diaz Salazar, Esperanza Quintanilla, Varsha Saxena, Andrea Edwards, the homebound, those in our local hospitals and skilled nursing facilities, those formerly on the list, and those who wish not to be named.

To add a name or to relist a name, please contact the Parish Office.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

This week's special collection will support the Society of African Missions (SMA Fathers). Our guest homilist next weekend will speak more about the SMA. This is part of our annual mission appeal as part of the Archdiocese's Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Envelopes are in the pews.



TOWN HALL MEETINGS

There will be a Town Hall meeting to discuss the Archdiocese's bankruptcy settlement on Thursday, July 30 at 7 pm in the church.

For those who cannot attend in person, the meeting will be livestreamed and recorded.



On Saturday, July 11, I will be witnessing the wedding of two of our parishioners, Mitchell and Amy, in Truckee. Please keep them in your prayers as they enter into the Sacrament of Marriage.

On Sunday, July 12, I will fly to New York and New Jersey to spend time with my family. I will return on Wednesday, July 23.

Please behave yourselves while I'm away — and yes, I'm looking forward to eating lots of bagels!

YOUNG ADULTS

Young Adult Group (ages 21–40). Looking for community and authentic friendship centered on Christ? Hoping to learn more about the Catholic faith? We meet on the 4th Thursday of every month @ 4D Event: Dinner, Drinks, & Discussion w/ Dominicans.

Plug into our growing young adult community by joining our WhatsApp group — scan the QR code!



Young Adult Mass Meet-Up (YAMM)

Every Sunday, young adults:

- 1) Sit at 10 am Mass together (center-right);
- 2) Greet clergy & one another outside Parish Hall;
- 3) Enjoy **FREE** ☕, 🍩, & fellowship @ Rose Garden.

EVENTS

Sunday, July 12: YAMM + Brunch

Thursday, July 23: 4D with Fr. Antony — a special evening to celebrate and thank him as he prepares to move on from our community. Suggested donation of \$15 to cover food expenses.

Registration: <https://strmp.link/4d0726>

Donation: <https://strmp.link/ya-donate?s=bulletin>

Sunday, July 26: Young Adult-Led Mass + Brunch. Volunteers needed for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, lectors, gift bearers, and choir. Contact Mabel at mabel95unni@gmail.com to get trained and added to the roster.

August 6: Torch — information meeting for year-long small groups. See flyer for details. Register at <https://strmp.link/torch>

ST. RAYMOND CATHOLIC CHURCH
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TORCH
A YOUNG ADULT FORMATION COMMUNITY
UNLOCK GOD'S PLAN FOR YOUR LIFE
THROUGH AUTHENTIC FRIENDSHIP
AND INTEGRAL FORMATION.

YOU'RE INVITED!
INTEREST MEETING
AUGUST 6
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Join us to learn more, meet the community, and discover what **TORCH** is all about.

ONGOING GATHERINGS
1ST & 3RD THURSDAYS
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
AUGUST 2026 – JUNE 2027

SCAN TO RSVP ON PARTIFUL

ST. RAYMOND CHURCH, 1100 SANTA CRUZ AVE., MENLO PARK CA

ST. RAYMOND'S
YOUNG ADULTS
(ages 21–40)

4-D: Drinks, Dinner, and Discussion with Dominicans

RSVP in Partiful
THURSDAY, JULY 23
6:30–8:30 PM PARISH HALL
1100 SANTA CRUZ AVE. MENLO PARK

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We Were Never Meant to Walk Alone
Discussion led by
Fr. Antony Augustine Cherian, O.P.
Dominican Friar • Parochial Vicar



Dominicans on EWTN!

EWTN broadcasts history of Western Dominican Province for America's 250th

We all love hearing family stories. It helps us understand who we are, where we're going, and why.

In that spirit, we're thrilled to share that our "family story" is now streaming free to watch on EWTN!

Carrying the Cross to California: The Founding of the Western Dominican Province is an inspiring documentary chronicling the Dominican story of faith, grit, and absolute commitment to the salvation of souls as the Church established itself in the American West.

The courage of those early Dominicans is part of our family history, but it's also part of yours. It's a piece of the great missionary history of the Catholic Church, and a piece of the story of our nation. It's a story that's worth telling, and worth watching.

That's why we're so excited to partner with EWTN in making Carrying the Cross to California available to everyone for free as part of their programming for America's 250th anniversary!

We truly hope you enjoy watching! Please pray for us as we step forward in faith into the next 175 years (and more!) of the Province of the Most Holy Name of Jesus.

Watch: <https://strmp.link/ewtn250>

Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary meets every Monday, rain or shine, at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Feel free to join us and learn more about the Legion of Mary.

The South San Mateo Legion of Mary is hosting an outdoor function at St. Raymond Church on Sunday, July 19 at 2 pm. All are invited. Come and learn more about the works of the Legion of Mary.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration is now open for the 2026-2027 Religious Education School Year.

- Pre-K through Kindergarten: Religious Education
- Grades 1 and 2: First Communion
- Preparation (two-year program)
- Grades 3 through 6: Religious Education
- Grades 7 and 8: Confirmation Preparation

More information on the programs and registration links are at <https://straymondmp.org/faith-formation/>.



St. Raymond School Front Office Volunteers Needed

St. Raymond Catholic School is seeking friendly, dependable volunteers to assist in our front office during the school year. Volunteers play an important role in creating a warm, welcoming environment for our students, families, and visitors.

Volunteers are asked to commit to a consistent day and approximate number of hours each week. Responsibilities may include:

- Greeting visitors and assisting families
- Answering phones
- Receiving mail and package deliveries
- Assisting students as needed
- Providing general administrative support to the school office

All volunteers must complete the Archdiocese's Safe Environment requirements, including Livescan fingerprinting and Virtus training.

If you have a welcoming spirit, enjoy serving others, and would like to support the mission of Catholic education, we invite you to join our team.

To learn more or express your interest, please contact Erin Glanville at eglanville@straymond.org.

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC?

If you've been curious about the Catholic faith, we'd love to have you join us for OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults). It's a welcoming group where adults explore what it means to be Catholic—no pressure, just honest conversation and learning together. Contact Dn. Tom Kelly at tfk@sbcglobal.net or 650-670-2200. He's happy to answer any questions you might have.



Mary's Garden Summer Camp

- For current 1st-5th graders
(Catholic and non-Catholic welcome)
- August 10-14, 9 AM-3 PM
- At St Raymond Parish Hall
- Tuition: \$290

A summer full of fun, creativity, and faith! Children will act out Gospel stories, bake, paint, build, sing, and pray—discovering the love of Jesus and Mary in a joyful and meaningful way. The program is thoughtfully designed by Faith Formation Director Florence, who brings 15 years of experience leading summer camps.

We have 30 spots only. It will fill out, please register today.

<https://strmp.link/marysgarden>



St. Raymond Catholic Church

Summer Date Night Challenge

June, July, August 2026

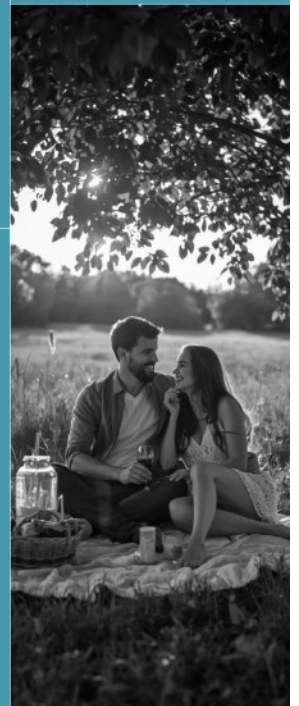
Marriage grows through small, intentional moments. This summer, commit to one date per month for three months and watch how simple connection can renew your marriage.

How It Works

1. Sign up for the Summer Date Night Challenge.
2. Go on one date each month in June, July, and August.
3. At the beginning of each month, you'll receive an email with date night ideas and simple conversation starters.
4. Enjoy your date—keep it simple and meaningful.
5. Send in a photo of the two of you on your date for a chance to win prizes!

Your marriage is worth it.

ebwell00@stanford.edu



Sign up today!



A CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CONFERENCE THAT
INSPIRES SPOUSES AND EMPOWERS PARENTS

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WHERE SPOUSES DISCOVER
GOD'S PLAN FOR THEIR FAMILY

SAVE THE DATE

OCTOBER 24, 2026
ST. PATRICK'S SEMINARY
MENLO PARK, CA

FOCUSING ON THE THEME:

Hope in the Domestic Church

For more information, contact Conference Coordinator
Christel Vallagomesa at christel@forlifeandfamily.org.

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**COME AND SEE
VOCATION WEEKENDS**

<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>
Oct 9-11	Feb 5-7
Nov 20-22	Apr 9-11

Western
Dominican
Province
opwest.org

TO REGISTER, CONTACT:
Fr. John Winkowitsch, O.P.,
Vocation Director
vocations@opwest.org
opwest.org/comeandsee

Interested?

Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.
St. Raymond Church

Catholic sacramental
recovery and fellowship for
those seeking freedom from
addictions, compulsions, and
unhealthy attachments.

**Catholic
in Recovery**

FAITH | FREEDOM | FELLOWSHIP

**HELPLINES FOR CLERGY/CHURCH
SEXUAL ABUSE VICTIMS**

(415) 614-5506 This number is answered by Rocio Rodriguez, LMFT, Archdiocesan Pastoral Outreach Coordinator. This is a secured line and is answered only by Rocio Rodriguez.

(415) 614-5503 If you wish to speak to a non-archdiocesan employee please call this number. This is also a secured line and is answered only by a victim survivor.

(800) 276-1562 Report sexual abuse by a bishop or a bishop's interference in a sexual abuse investigation to a confidential third party. www.reportbishopabuse.org

WELCOME



If you are a visitor to St. Raymond Parish, we want you to know you are welcome here—whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or another parish in the Bay Area. Say hello to any of our parishioners! For information about our parish or to register, contact us at office@straymondmp.org or register online at straymondmp.org/register.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays	5:00 pm Vigil
Sundays	8:00 am, 10:00 am, 5:00 pm
Weekdays	8:15 am (Mon-Sat)
Holy Days	8:15 am, 12:15 pm, 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 8:45-9:15 am & 3:30-4:30 pm;
Wednesday 7-8 pm, or by appointment

ADORATION

Saturday 8:45-9:15 am, Wednesday 7-8 pm

ANOIDTING OF THE SICK, BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, & FUNERALS - Please contact the parish office at 650-323-1755 or email office@straymondmp.org.

GIVING: ONLINE AND IN PERSON

Make stewardship simple with eGiving! Set up secure automatic donations using your credit card, debit card, or bank account, and never worry about forgetting your weekly offering again. Manage your giving anytime at straymondmp.org/giving.



LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS AVAILABLE

Low-gluten hosts are available at every Mass. Simply join the presiding priest's Communion line to receive one.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Know someone who is homebound or ill? We'd love to connect with them. Our parish family cares for those who cannot join us for Mass, bringing the comfort of faith directly to their homes. Please contact the parish office at (650) 323-1755 so we can reach out and provide the ministry they need.

ST. RAYMOND PARISH

Served by the Dominican Friars of the Province of the Most Holy Name of Jesus (Western Dominican Province) since 2013.

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Telephone	650-323-1755
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