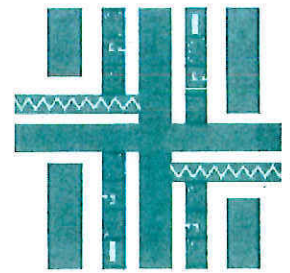


# ST. COLUMBA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Pastor

Fr. Aidan McAleenan

## Clergy Support

Fr. Hilary Martin, OP

## Director of Music

D. Mark Wilson

## Director of Faith Formation

Margaret Roncalli

## Pastoral Council Co-Chairpersons

Michelle Batista / Joan Morris

## Office Manager

Maria Creer

## Parish Financial Officer

Mary Ellen Morgan

## Liturgy

Wednesday - Thursday : 8:00 AM (Mass)

Monday: 8:00 AM (Prayer Service)

Friday: 8:00 AM (Communion Service)

Rosary: Monday - Friday: 7:30 AM

Saturday Mass - 4:00 PM

Sunday Masses - 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

## Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

## Sacraments

**Baptism** - Contact Margaret Roncalli

**Marriage** - Contact pastor 6 months in advance

## Reconciliation

3:30 PM - 4:00 Saturday

## PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE

For communion/visits to the sick & homebound; mass intentions, prayer request & funerals

## St. Martin de Porres Catholic School

Regional School for St. Columba, Sacred Heart, St. Patrick and Cathedral of Christ the Light

### K-5 Campus

510-652-2220

675 - 41st Street, Oakland

### 6-8 Campus

510-832-1757

1630 - 10th Street, Oakland

**President:** Hollis Pierce-Jenkins

**Principal:** Dara Northcroft



Peace  
&  
Harmony

## Mission & Vision

Through African American traditions, we are moved  
by the Spirit to serve.

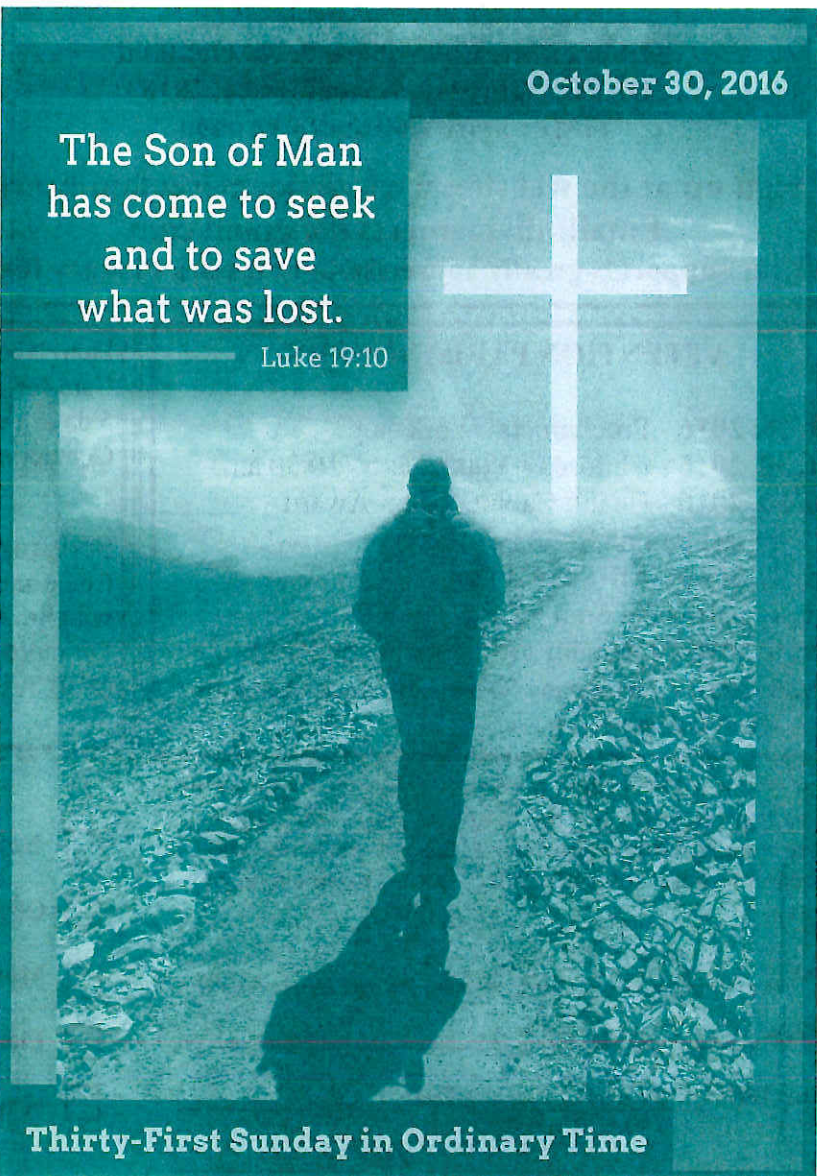
**WE KNOW WHO & WHOSE WE ARE!**

# “WE SEE YOU”

October 30, 2016

The Son of Man  
has come to seek  
and to save  
what was lost.

Luke 19:10



**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Please **turn off** Cell Phones before entering Church. Thank you!



**GOD IS WITH US**

The book of Wisdom tells us that the spirit of God is in all things. What a wonderful thought, and what a wonderful image to keep in front of us as we travel down life's road. For if the path is revealed in the treading, it's good to know that God is with us--and all around us--every step of the way.

But Paul knows that this divine presence is not timid. Instead, God calls out to us, and Paul prays that we, along with the Thessalonians, might be made worthy of that call. And who knows more about God's call than Zacchaeus, the tax collector? Jesus called him out of a tree, for goodness' sake. Or perhaps more correctly, as we reflect upon the end of today's Gospel reading, for heaven's sake.

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**Divine Mercy Family Foundation**

~Anwuli 5K~

Run...Walk... Bike

~Because We Care~

**Why we run/walk/bike and have fun**

To provide tuition for underserved children's education

Medical care · Food · Shelter · Medical supplies · Senior care

**LOCATION: Lake Shore Park, Oakland**

**DATE: Saturday, November 26, 2016**

**TIME: Start 9:00 am to 12 noon**

**Sign up at the website: [www.divinemeracyfamily.org](http://www.divinemeracyfamily.org)**

**Email: [divinemeracyff@gmail.com](mailto:divinemeracyff@gmail.com)**

**Your support is greatly appreciated, Francisca Pinkney RN**

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time;

Priesthood Sunday

**Monday:** Halloween

**Tuesday:** All Saints

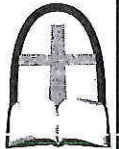
**Wednesday:** The Commemoration of All the Faithful

Departed (All Souls' Day)

**Thursday:** St. Martin de Porres

**Friday:** St. Charles Borromeo; First Friday

**Saturday:** First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary



**ATTENTION PARISHIONERS**

**Oct. 29, 2016** - Proclaimers' Workshop

**Oct. 30, 2016** - Children / Youth Mass (10:30 am)

**Oct. 30, 2016** - Health Cabinet Grant Award Presentation (10:30 am Mass)

**Nov. 1, 2016** - All Saint's Day

**Nov. 2, 2016** - All Soul's Day

**Nov. 6, 2016** - Jambalaya (St. Vincent de Paul)

**Nov. 6, 2016** - Emergency Response - Mock Scenarios (Health Cabinet)

**Help Needed**

Care for a 91 year old woman

5 days a week, 6 hours a day at \$12./50 per hour

Contact: Louise Gallon at (510) 384-4792

**Scripture Study**

Come and join Scripture Study every Thursday evening with Sr. Amora at 7:00 pm in Mother Lydia's Chapel.

For more information call Gillian Small at (510) 501-9726 or [ggms@att.net](mailto:ggms@att.net)

We welcome all who come to celebrate with us. If you would like to register or if you need to update your information, please complete this registration form and place it in the collection basket, return to office or send us an email. Be Blessed!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Day \_\_\_\_\_ Eve \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

- New Parishioner
- Change of Information
- Moving: Remove from list
- Please Call me - best time \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to serve as \_\_\_\_\_