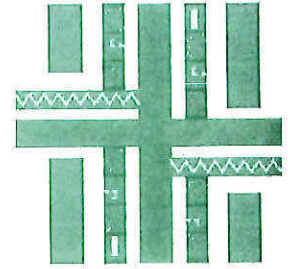


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Michelle Batista / Joan Morris

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Maria Creer

Parish Financial Officer

Mary Ellen Morgan

Liturgy

Weekdays - 8:00 AM (Rosary 7:30 AM)

Saturday - 4:00 PM

Sunday - 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

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

Sacraments

Reconciliation

3:30 PM - 4:00 Saturday

Baptism - Contact Margaret Roncalli

Marriage - Contact pastor 6 months in advance

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE

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

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510-652-2220

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Principal: Dara Northcroft

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

Mission & Vision

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

WE KNOW WHO & WHOSE WE ARE!

“WE SEE YOU”

June
26
2016

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus
said, “Foxes have dens
and birds of the
sky have nests,
but the Son of Man
has nowhere
to rest his head.”

Luke 9:58

FOCUS ON THE MISSION

"There are so many things to do." "We have so little time." How many variations of these statements have you heard or even said yourself? Actually neither statement is completely true. There are many things to do in this life, but really few things that are vitally important. Working, searching, conniving, and worrying our way to "gratify[ing] the desires of the flesh," as Paul relates in today's second reading, are really non-productive. So little time? When we take on the freedom that Christ offers us, we have all the time we need in this world, and even more in the next. Elisha, the prophet Elijah's chosen servant, was slightly befuddled about what he should do. When Elijah called, he returned to bid farewell to his parents and provide food for his people. Only then did he follow. Jesus demands something different, something more of his disciples. He calls us to a single-minded determination to drop everything and follow him. Now, not later.
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MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR: **Church in the Park, July 31st!**
NO MASS IN CHURCH...MASS AT PARK



Volunteers are needed for a variety of things including bin monitors. Yes, you read it right!

We need you to help our community recycle and compost accurately while at the event.

Training provided. Youth are welcomed.

Interested??? Awesome!!! Please contact Laureteen Brazil at lbrazil@stcolumba-oak.com

Thank you!!!

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Cyril of Alexandria
Tuesday: St. Irenaeus
Wednesday: Ss. Peter and Paul
Thursday: The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
Friday: Blessed Junípero Serra; Canada Day; First Friday
Saturday: First Saturday



ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

June 26, 2016 - Fr. Kwame Assenyoh's Going Away Party

July 4, 2016 - Independence Day (Office Closed)

July 5 - 29, 2016 - Kung Fu Summer Camp

July 16, 2016 - Detention Ministry Training

July 30, 2016 - Kung Fu Belt Promotion

July 31, 2016 - Church BBQ in the Park - Mass

Celebrated at the Park (**NO MASS** at the Church today)

SAVE THE DATE

Hope for Haiti

WHITE PARTY

Saturday, August 27, 2016

4pm - 7pm

Garden at St. Columba Parish House

\$30.00 donation

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 _____