



Saint Rita Church

St. Rita Mission Statement

We, the community of St. Rita's, welcome all to share in the richness of our Catholic Heritage.

We worship God and celebrate the gift of Jesus Christ in Word and Sacrament, and commit ourselves to outreach & service to all in our community.

We invite you to join us.

Parish Staff

Rev. Sebastine Bula, VC Pastor

Rev. Martin Njoalu, VC Parochial Vicar

Ms. Yvette Armendariz, Office Manager

Ms. Gwyneth Varn, Bookkeeper

Mr. Stephen Iverson, Music Director

Parish Volunteers

Mrs. Anya Artigiani, Spiritual Director
Minister of Liturgical Environment

Mrs. Kathleen Silverthorne, Minister of Liturgical Environment

Mrs. Ann Avanzino, Minister of Liturgical Environment

Ms. Candace Brown, Choir Director

Ms. Lynnette Shaw, Choir Pianist

Ms. Jan Brown, Mandolin Player

Ms. Marge Bean, Choir Member

Ms. Barbara Czelusta, Choir Member

Mrs. Marcie Leach, Choir Member

Ms. Anne Mulvaney, Choir Member

Ms. Madeleine Sloane, Choir Member

Ms. Martha Laignelet, Choir Member

Mr. Andrew "Shane" Barreras, Organist

Parish Office & Rectory

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Monday through Friday: Office Hours 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Religious Education

Please contact the Rectory.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Monday through Friday

415-454-6420

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 7:30 AM

Saturday: 7:30 AM, 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4-4:30 PM or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

New or expectant parents should contact the rectory to schedule a pre-Baptismal preparation class for parents and godparents, and to select a date and time.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples should contact the rectory at least six months before the desired date of their marriage.

Sacrament of the Sick or Communion Visit

Please call the rectory for an appointment.

Christian Burial

Please call the rectory before or during your meeting with the funeral director.

St. Rita Parish Hall

The parish hall is available for rent to parishioners and non-profit organizations. Please call rectory for information.

Sunday, 18 May 2025
Fifth Sunday of Easter



Today
St. Vincent de Paul Society
St. Rita Conference



Food Drop-off

**May 18th
9AM - 12PM**

Thanks so much for your consistent
generosity and support.

Quote of the Week

“Love is patient, love is kind.

It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking,

it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of
wrongs.”

– 1 Corinthians 13:4-5

FEAST OF ST. RITA



THURSDAY, 22 MAY

7:30 AM MASS

Dear Parishioners:
You are invited to visit our
St. Rita Church webpage.

www.SaintRitaChurch.org

On the webpage you will find links to the weekly
Sunday bulletin, Pope Francis’
Encyclical, flyers for upcoming events, and much
more information.

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday 5:00 PM M. Isetta (L)
J. Boitano (EM)

Sunday 9:00 AM S. Lafranchi (L)
K. Baumsteiger (EM)

11:00 AM D. Stoll (L) (EM)

The Sanctuary Lamp

*Beginning May 18th the visual
reminder of the Real Presence of our
Lord in the
Eucharist burns in memory of*

Carol Bennetts

Week of 18 May- 24 May 2025

The Sanctuary Lamp is available for your
special intention. Call the rectory:
415-456-4815

Sunday, 18 May 2025

Fifth Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 17 May 7:30 AM Mother's Day Novena
 5:00 PM † Mark Smith

Sun. 18 May 9:00 AM † Violet Witkowski

Sun. 18 May 11:00 AM † Adriana Conde Silvestre

Mon. 19 May 7:30 AM

Tue. 20 May 7:30 AM

Wed. 21 May 7:30 AM

Thur. 22 May 7:30 AM Saint Rita Parishioners

Fri. 23 May 7:30 AM

Sat. 24 May 7:30 AM
 5:00 PM † Andy & Winnie Isetta

Sun. 25 May 9:00 AM Saint Rita Parishioners

Sun. 25 May 11:00 AM † Brian Douglas

Pray for... Erin Saunders, Wayne Lamb, Robin Marci,
 Marie Gabel, Ron Tamm, Rob Nelson, Cabot Maloney, Pete Doyle,
 Iris Rivera, Claudine Woeber, Susan Maynard, Irene DeVita,
 Peggy Aronoff, Robert Wagner, Vanessa Ortiz, Frank Doyle,
 Leila Rodrigues, Darren Crofe, Anne Bersaglieri,
 Matthias & Rendi Keller, J. Burke, Don Douglas, Lauren Jenkins,
 Yolanda Chapman, Norine Maloney, Sienna Giddings,
 Ryder Morford, Eric Estigoy, Ron Douglas, Greg Herbert,
 Dolores Barringer, Louis Felipe Miranda, Joan Barker,
 Marla Mulligan, Pat Morrison, Howard Schwartz, Linda Schwartz,
 Asher Norvell, Marisa Giannini, Cathy Giannini, Diane Giannini,
 Marisina Giannini, Sally Norton, Vince Kehrlein, Stace Narbutas,
 Javier M. Angel, David Martin, Scott Costello, Jane Ritchie,
 Jeff Barnaby, Edwin Ahrens, Deborah Young,
 Veronica Hernandez, Diane Hain, Peter Dunselman, Josie Sanchez,
 Mike Abbalo, Alice Bauer, Cynthia Ann Thompson Smith,
 Ramona Hodges, Isabel Armendariz, Duffy McDermott, L. Colin,
 Gabrielle Trevino, Blake D., Marilyn S., Shirley B.,
 Brian Bailey-Gates, Serena Greer, Elizabeth Calloway,
 David Cabral and those preferring anonymity.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

11 May 2025

For the Parish ... \$1641.00

Catholic Charities CYO ... \$340.00

AAA 2025

Collected as of 13 May 2025...\$8195.00

(30.03% of goal)

20 Households Participating

(650 Registered Households)

Goal ...\$27,284.00

Food Items Needed for the St. Rita Parish St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry:

Cereals
 Canned Fruits
 Canned Vegetables
 Coffee
 Peanut Butter
 Jams / Jellies
 Tortillas
 Rice
 Flour
 Ketchup
 Mustard
 Mayonnaise
 Salad Dressings
 Pasta

Pasta Sauce
 Instant Meals
 Spam
 Mac & Cheese
 Soups
 Beans
 Maseca (Corn Masa
 Flour)
 Sugar
 Flour
 Snacks

Cleaning Supplies
 Simply Green
 Dish Soap
 Sponges / Cloths
 Glass Cleaner
 Laundry Soap

Toiletries
 Hand Soap
 Toothpaste
 Toothbrushes
 Bath Tissue
 Paper Towels
 Paper Grocery Bags



** Please refrain from donating expired foods or fast food condiment packets**