

1 [Commendation]

2 COMMENDING FATHER CHARLES A. DONOVAN UPON THE OCCASION OF THE 60<sup>TH</sup>  
3 ANNIVERSARY OF HIS ORDINATION AND DECLARING MARCH 18, 2000 TO BE  
4 "FATHER CHARLES A. DONOVAN DAY" IN SAN FRANCISCO.

5 WHEREAS, Father Charles A. Donovan was ordained February 2, 1940  
6 by Cardinal Francis Spellman in New York City, New York; and,

7 WHEREAS, Father Donovan has served the San Francisco community  
8 for forty-three years as Director and Pastor of St. Mary's Chinese  
9 Mission and Holy Family Parish; and,

10 WHEREAS, Under the leadership of Father Donovan, the St. Mary's  
11 Chinese Foundation was established in 1971 to provide additional  
12 financial support for various programs at the school and parish; and,

13 WHEREAS, Father Donovan's tireless efforts have helped to create  
14 a large number of outreach programs for the Chinese community; and,

15 WHEREAS, Even after his official retirement in 1981 Father  
16 Donovan has continued to serve the St. Mary's Chinese Mission and  
17 Chinese community by visiting the sick, presiding over various life  
18 cycle events, and filling in as pastor when needed; now, therefore be  
19 it,

20 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County  
21 of San Francisco hereby commends Father Charles A. Donovan upon the  
22 occasion of the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination; and be it,

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
24 County of San Francisco declares March 18, 2000 to be "Father Charles  
25 A. Donovan Day" in San Francisco.

SUPERVISOR, TENG, BECERRIL, NEWSOM  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution commending Father Charles A. Donovan upon the occasion of the 60th anniversary of his ordination and declaring March 18, 2000 to be "Father Charles A. Donovan Day" in San Francisco.

March 27, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Teng, Yaki  
Absent: 3 - Bierman, Newsom, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 27, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.