

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH



APRIL 15, 2018

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Mass Schedules and other Services

Sundays	7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. en español <i>Children's and Youth Choirs</i> <i>sing first Sunday of the month.</i>
Saturday	4 p.m. [vigil] & 8 a.m. First Saturday
Weekdays	[Mon—Fri]— 8 a.m. in the Chapel
Holy Hour	First Friday 7—8 p.m.
Holy Days of Obligation	8 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Perpetual Help Novena	Wednesdays following 8 a.m. Mass
Morning Prayer	Mon. -Fri. 7:40a.m.
Confessions [bilingual]	Saturdays 2:45—3:45 pm

Faith Formation Ministries and Groups

Catholic Faith Formation D.R.E.	Sr. Ma. Elizabeth U. Siguenza RVM	916.381.5200
Catholic Faith Formation	Aracely Narvaez	916.383.6719
Spanish Coordinators	Maria Consuelo Gutierrez	
RCIA for Adults	Angie Lovett	916.803.6463
RCIA for Children	Emilia Caoagas	916.849.5617
RCIA for Teens	Imelda Nanca	916.402-1904
Catholics Returning Home	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Baptism Preparation	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Couples for Christ	Billy/Virgie Monteagudo	916.682.6397
Young Adults Ministry		916.381.5200
Legion of Mary	Norma Bolante	916.688.8769
Vocation Committee		
Families in Christ Jesus	Angie Lovett	916.803.6463

Social Ministries and Groups

Christmas Fair	Call the office	916.381.5200
Fall Festival	Call the office	916.381.5200
Cultural Dinner	Guily & Naty Fontillas	916.362.7541
Parish Breakfasts	Knights of Columbus	916.381.5200
Religious Goods Store	Irene Ingham	916.689.2865
Yard Sale	Call the office	916.381.5200
Wedding Coordinator	Le Pham stpaulwedcoordinator@gmail.com	

WELCOME!

You are encouraged to participate in our many functions, events, and activities. We offer opportunities for parishioners to use the time, talent, and treasure that God has given them in praise and glory of His name through our liturgical, care-giving, philanthropic, faith-formation and social ministries.

Thank you for worshipping with us!

Councils

Pastoral Council	Dale Yamamoto	916.257.3323
Finance Council	Jerry Fong	916.689-9418

Liturgical Ministries

Youth Altar Servers Ministry	Alex Plam	916.381.5200
Adult Altar Servers Ministry		
Martha's Daughters	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Art & Environment Ministry		
Eucharistic Ministry		
Hospitality Ministry	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Ministry of the Word	Shirley Brown	916.612.7023
Ministry Sick and Homebound	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916.895.1441
Music Ministry		
Liturgy Committee	Bob Benton	916 425.7037

Caregiving Ministries and Groups

Bereavement Ministry	Ja'net Blea	916-284.2008
Health Ministry	Clara Heimericks	916.689.3932
Loaves and Fishes Ministry	Diane Welsh	916.682.7810
Social Justice Ministry	Diane Welsh	916.682.7810
Pro Life 4 Life	Charlene Valine	916.682-0557

Philanthropic Ministries and Groups

Catholic Daughters of the Americas	Nellie Basquez	916.381.1365
Knights of Columbus	Enrique Loret de Mola	916.730.8780

MISSION STATEMENT

We, God's people of St. Paul Catholic Parish In Sacramento, California, a multicultural, inclusive and welcoming community, inspired by the love of Jesus Christ are called: to bring all people of God together in worship, to declare our belief in God's love, based on the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to celebrate and grow in our relationship with God.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- MON: 4/16** **MASS OF THANKSGIVING**
Requested by CHRISTINA RYA LUU
- TUES: 4/17** **MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR
RANDY LAFORTEZA**
Requested by Lucy Laforteza
- WED: 4/18** **MASS OF SPECIAL INTENTION FOR
FR. FRANCISCO TRUONG BUU DIEP**
Requested by Lisa
- THURS: 4/19** **ROBERTA KEH †**
Requested by Keh family
- FRI: 4/20** **BOB BROWN †**
Requested by Shirley & family
ED DUMANCAS †
Requested by Priscilla Ito & family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The God of our fathers has glorified his servant Jesus (Acts 3:13-15, 17-19).
Psalms — Lord, let your face shine on us (Psalm 4).
Second Reading — The way we may be sure that we know Jesus is to keep his commandments (1 John 2:1-5a).
Gospel — Jesus stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you" (Luke 24:35-48).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter
Tuesday: Income Tax Day
Saturday: St. Anselm

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

"When we die we will come face to face with God, the Author of Life. Who will give an account to God for the millions of babies who were not allowed a chance to live, to experience loving and being loved?"

Third Sunday of Easter
April 13, 2018
You alone, O LORD,
bring security to my dwelling.— Psalm 4:9

BELIEVING IN JESUS CHRIST

Throughout the Easter season, all three of the Sunday readings are taken from the New Testament—the Christian scriptures. Together they explore what it means to believe in Jesus as the Christ, the One who fulfilled the prophecies of the Jewish scriptures.

Today's selections refer to our human weakness, yet they emphasize the forgiveness and peace that are available to those who put their faith in "Jesus Christ the righteous one" (1 John 2:2). In the Acts of the Apostles Peter invites everyone to "repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away" (Acts 3:19). The First Letter of John calls Jesus Christ "expiation for our sins" (1 John 2:2). Finally, in the Gospel Jesus greets the disciples with "Peace" and urges them to preach "repentance, for the forgiveness of sins" (Luke 24:47).

TREASURES OF OUR TRADITIONS

There are many ways in which religious communities are organized. Some have a central authority in a congregation, and others have a "rule" that is shared by all the members, but are a kind of federation of independent houses.

Sometimes, congregations with distinct histories and ministries decide to merge. Several years ago, one of the largest mergers on record took place. Seven independent congregations of Dominican women religious, most in the Midwest, are now one new congregation enfolding more than seven hundred members spanning thirty-six states. The oldest of the founding groups, the so-called "Kentucky Dominicans," began as a frontier community in 1822. Other communities have European roots.

To get to this historic moment, the sisters spent many years in conversation, and approved the new structure by a two-thirds majority vote. This was then ratified by the Holy See. The merger allows the sisters to pool their resources in order to be more effective in ministry. They are living the Paschal Mystery, experiencing Christ's dying and rising in an inspiring way.

ST. PAUL FESTIVAL

It's time again! Its time to start planning for our annual Fall Festival. We will kick off this year's festival meetings on April 16 at 6:30pm in classroom #1 Religious Education Center. It is beneficial to attend these planning meetings so we are all on the same page. If you know of anyone who might be interested in joining us bring them along. We will review and discuss last year's final report. Bring it along if you have one!

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

FEBRUARY 2018 PROFIT & LOSS

Recent Bereavement

Please keep the families and friends in your prayers for St. Paul Parishioners whose funerals, or Memorial Masses were celebrated during the past few weeks,

Mary Mendoza Rose De Herrera, Theodore Gallardo. Gabriel Carretero, Saul Flores Rodriguez, James Arocan. Theresa Schaub, Helen Pizarro, Maria delaLuz Gutierrez, Adoracion Balmediano, Monte Chavez Jr. Filomena Ganal, Filomena Delano, Benita Ramos Andres Keh Angelina Martinez, Jenny Basquez

SECOND COLLECTION

April 28/29 Catholic Home Missions

Because of the shortage of Priests and Religious many places in the United States struggle to keep parishes open and to educate children in the faith. This appeal helps work for the common good of Catholics in the United States. A portion of the collection supports the efforts by the Church for Blacks and Native American Indians.

May 5/6

.St. Paul Building Fund & Capital Campaign

This collection will help provide funds to repay the funds borrowed from the Diocese to build the Religious Education Center. Parishioners who have pledged to the Capital Campaign may use the pink envelopes to make their pledge payments..

DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

The Diocese of Sacramento provides pastoral care to persons who have suffered abuse by members of the Catholic clergy and other Church workers. Please call toll free at 866-777-9133 if you are seeking assistance in coping with this tragic situation.

Assistance is available in both English and Spanish

COLLECTION

	4:00pm	7:30am	9:00am	11:00am	1:00pm	TOTAL
March						
4	\$1048.00	\$1301.00	\$1565.00	\$1744.00	\$858.20	\$6516.20
11	\$1088.00	\$800.00	\$1282.00	\$1303.00	\$926.30	\$5399.30
18	\$987.00	\$1051.00	\$1359.00	\$1116.00	\$839.78	\$5357.78
25	\$918.00	\$1052.00	\$1377.00	\$1681.00	\$1386.16	\$6414.16

<u>INCOME</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Offertory	\$ 29,863	\$ 28,256	\$ 1,607
Other Income	\$ 6,512	\$ 5,094	\$ 1,418
Religious Articles & Books	\$ 965	\$ 735	\$ 230
Religious Education	\$ 4,470	\$ 5,539	\$ (789)
Total Income	\$ 42,090	\$ 39,625	\$ 2,465

<u>EXPENSES</u>			
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 20,040	\$ 19,302	\$,,737 ,
Buildings & Grounds	\$ 10,872	\$ 12,310	\$ (1,438)
Religious Articles & Books	\$ 649	\$ 197	\$ 452
Property Tax & Insurance	\$ 2,699	\$ 2,323	\$ 376
Parish Programs	\$ 4,177	\$, 416	\$ 3,761
Religious Education	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,200,	\$ (200)

Diocesan Assessment	\$ 5,004	\$ 4,652	\$ 352
Total Ordinary Expenses	\$ 44,440	\$ 40,400	\$ 4,040

Net Operating Income \$ (2,351) \$ (775) \$ (1,575)

OTHER INCOME

Interest	\$ 1	\$.1	\$ -
Capitol Campaign & Blding Fund	\$ 14,230	\$ 15,344	\$ (1.114)
Diocesan & sp. Coll.	\$	\$	\$
Total Other Income	\$ 14,231	\$ 15,345	\$ (1,114)

OTHER EXPENSES

Interest	\$ 0	0	\$ 0
Diocesan & Special Collections	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Capital Fund Drive One Camp	\$ 11,000	\$ 18,036	\$ (7.036)
Youth Group	\$ -	\$	
Total Other Expenses	\$ 11,000	\$ 18,036	\$ (7,036)

Net Other Income \$ 3,231 \$ (2.691) \$ 5,921

NET INCOME \$ 880 \$ (3,466) \$ 4,346

SOCIAL JUSTICE

The Social Justice Ministry will sponsor the "Mother Mary's Baby Shower." We are collecting sizes 5 & 6 diapers, baby food, pull-ups for toddlers, baby bottles, new baby blankets, pacifiers, baby wipes and cereal. We are also requesting gently used maternity clothes. Boxes for your donations are in the vestibule of the Church.

All donated items will be delivered to Maryhouse, located close to Loaves and Fishes, in early May, close to Mothers' Day. Your generosity is appreciated. If you would prefer to make a monetary donation please mark it "Social Justice." Thank you!

PARISH COUNCIL

March

St. Paul Parish Council met on March 20, 2018.

Life touch update

First draft is complete and has been submitted for approval to Lifetouch.

Our Heritage: There are 36 available tables, tickets are being sold, videos are being sold. Volunteers are needed to help sell tickets. Fr. Duggan is unable to attend due to health reasons. Bishop Weigand has a prior engagement.

Ministry Recognition Rite: Recommendations and revisions are to be addressed.

Holy Week schedule of Masses has been printed in the bulletin, and rehearsal dates were arranged.

Safety Report: Ministry is to be called St. Michael the Archangel. Meetings and training are to be scheduled.

Fall Festival: Dale presented a plan to solicit a sponsor to off-set the cost of the super Raffle tickets. We need to start soon with festival planning and super raffle planning, scheduled after Easter.

Hall rentals must be related and connected to the Sacraments.

No CFF classes on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday, classes resuming on April 8.

SPYM Talent show is April 7th

Mother Mary Baby shower collection begins after Easter.

L.A. Congress: Father Joyle shared some highlighted points.

APRIL—CHILD ABUSE MONTH

April is Child Abuse Month. Every April, child and youth serving organizations participate in Child Abuse Prevention Month. It is an opportunity to highlight the ongoing importance of protecting minors.

Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts, heal your people's wounds and transform brokenness into wholeness. Grant us the courage and wisdom, humility and grace, to act with justice.

Breathe wisdom into our prayers and labors.

Grant that all harmed by abuse may find peace and justice.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

BUS TRIP

Help contribute to St. Paul's Building Fund as we plan another Bus trip to Feather Falls Casino:

Date: April 19, 2018

Boarding time: 8:45am

Departure time: 9:00am

Fare: \$25.00

Refund: \$12.00 cash \$3.00 food coupons
Continental breakfast

For information and reservations contact: Rose 381-3845: Paz at 897-9480, Emilia at 949-5617 or Naty 362-1541

SICK PARISHIONERS & FRIENDS

Pray for sick family members, friends and parishioners.

Priscilla Wong	Ricardo Campos	Barbara Sules
Shirley Robinson	James Solari	Bethany Lewis
Lorraine Schaefer	Elizabeth Solari	Richard Onia
Jessica Lintag	Maria Lopez	Judy Niedzwiedz
Sandy Burgoon	Raymond Gutierrez	Epifania Paez
Mauricio Vargas	Nilda Medina	Janelle Flores
Jack Steele	Doreathea Viltz	Lori Martenia
Rodulfo Reyes	Virginia Thomas	Msgr.
Monica Cordero	Bernadette Carrasca	Ronald Broussard
Rodrigo Reyes	Ashley Brackin	Eva Rollins
Virginia Collier	Noah de los Reyes	Chuck Eickhoff
Jean Hesse	Broderick Steele	Robert Cordero
Ed Brooks	Juan San Miguel	Richard Miller
Gregory Judd	Peggy Meier-Beyers	Robert Aki Ito
Michael Delgado	John Rideaux	Filomena Howell
Jackie Martin	Elnora Williams	
Martha Montanez	Dorothy Butler	

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please pray for the following members of our families serving in the Armed Forces

Gary B. Foster II	Don Carlo Gerocho	Taylor Sommerfield
Jay Candaso	John Marc James	Justin Broussard
Daniel Roy Ryan	Ruben N. Libed	Emanuel Cepeda
Gregorio Rodriguez	Nilo Uy Villaluna Jr.	Maxton Perez
Roel C.. Dones	Don Jamoles	Landon Perez
Ricardo Cervantes	Ryan Gandy	Dannon Perez
Stephen Rich	Cody Machado	Charles Q. Wincey
Janae Santos	Mark A. Ramos Jr.	Peter A. Tsueda
Brian Vergith	Cameron Lindsay	Jovon Chiguina
Martin Sinlao	Armando Asahan	
Sergio Pineda	Conner Sommerfield	
Ariel Rollins	Arianna Brown	

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be observed on Sunday, April 22nd, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest." (Mt. 9:38: Lk 10.2) Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes.

You can find many resources to promote a culture of vocations on the USCB Vocations webpage www.usccb.org/vocations.

DIOCESAN NEWS

SAVE THE DATE! God is calling

May 4-6 Trinity Pines Retreat Catholic Center
The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations invites young women 13-17 to a weekend that will help them grow closer to Christ and reflect on God's call for their life. Religious, Married, consecrated Life or Single Life. Cost \$50 (weekend includes meals). For more information call (916) 733-0258 or msmith@scd.org.

SAVE THE DATE! Sacramento Classic

Annual basketball game/Priests vs Seminarians
Tuesday, May 30 at 6:30pm at Christian Brothers High School. Tickets \$5 K-college students, \$15 adult
For more information call (916) 733-0258 or msmith@scd.org.

SAVE THE DATE! Collar Cup: Soccer Match

Collar Cup: Soccer Match: Priests vs. Seminarians at Papa Murphy's Field in Sacramento. The office of Priestly & Religious Vocations invites you to this family event for all ages on **June 23, Saturday at 4:00pm**. Entrance will include Mass, followed by Collar Cup game, Vocational Fair on Cal Expo grounds and SRFC match. Tickets \$20 General, \$15 ages 3-10 (2 and under free). For more information call (916) 733-0258 or msmith@scd.org.

SAVE THE DATE! QUO VADIS?

Where are you going?

August 2-5, 2018
at Trinity Pines Catholic Center, Colfax
The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations invites young men ages 13-17 to a fun summer weekend that will help them grow closer to Christ and reflect on God's call for their life: Religious Life, Married, Consecrated Life or Single Life. Cost \$60 (weekend includes meals) For more information call (916) 733-0258 or msmith@scd.org

Camp Pendola

Camp Pendola is hiring! What are you doing this summer? How about making a difference in the lives of children? We are looking for energetic young people 18 plus to work this summer as counselors with children and youth between the ages of 6-17 in the great outdoors, and within the Catholic spirit. Paid positions begin June 10 and finish August 10. Online applications are available at www.pendola.org/employment.

Camp Pendola Registration

Registration is now open for Summer 2018 at Camp Pendola. This is the official summer camp of the Diocese of Sacramento. The camp offers a fun filled experience for children and youth under the supervision of trained college age counselors. For more information and to register check the website www.pendola.org or call (916)733-0123. The early bird discount ends April 15th.

MINISTERS NEEDED

Lectors are needed for our weekend Masses.

If you are interested in joining the ministers in this special ministry we ask you to contact the office (916) 381-5200.

"OUR HERITAGE—OUR LEGACY-OUR DREAM"

April 21st, 2018 we will be celebrating the 25th Anniversary of the dedication of St. Paul Church. The celebration will include Mass, the opening of the "Time Capsule" followed by dinner in the parish hall.

Many religious, dignitaries, parishioners and friends from our past heritage, as well as you, our current parishioners, are welcome to come and help us celebrate this milestone with us!

Dinner tickets are \$30.00 each. They will be limited to the capacity of the parish hall, including accommodations for guest religious and dignitaries. Tickets will be sold after Masses, or available at the parish office, or call Dale Yamamoto (916) 257-3323.

You will have the opportunity to win a pair of tickets to the Dinner! Take a copy of "*Did You Know, Now Is The Time To Tell Our Story*" question and answer form

If you answer 100% of the questions you win! Turn your answer form into the offertory basket or office before March 18th.

100% answer winners will be announced April 1 for a pair of dinner tickets to the April 21 25th Anniversary Dinner.

FOCUS OF THE CELEBRATION

The primary focus of the 25th Dedication Celebration is to honor and respect our heritage from all whose selfless stewardship built and formed our church and parish culture. We will be showing videos and slideshows that documented some of them:

- ◆ Ground breaking and blessing in 1992
- ◆ Construction of our church 1992-April 1993
- ◆ Dedication ceremony, Mass & Dinner April 24, 1993
- ◆ Slideshows of Dedication Mass and Program
- ◆ All St. Paul Directories from 1995
- ◆ Historical documents, 1993 bulletins, etc.

Come to the Hall each Sunday between 10:00am to noon to watch our Heritage & Legacy. (There will be some Sundays when the hall or projection operator is not available.)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Join the Knights of Columbus

If you would like to find out more about becoming a Knight please ask any Knight, they should all be wearing their name badges, or call Roger Tafoya at (916) 936-3810

CREER EN JESUCRISTO

Durante todo el Tiempo Pascual, las tres lecturas del domingo son tomadas del Nuevo Testamento, la parte cristiana de la Sagrada Escritura. Juntas exploran qué significa creer que Jesús es el Cristo, aquél que cumplió las profecías de la Sagrada Escritura judía.

Las selecciones de hoy aluden a nuestra debilidad humana; sin embargo, hacen hincapié en el perdón y la paz que son posibles para quienes tienen fe en “Jesucristo, el Justo” (1 Juan 2:2). En los Hechos de los Apóstoles, Pedro nos dice a todos “arrepíentanse y conviértanse, para que se borren sus pecados” (Hechos 3:19). La primera carta del apóstol san Juan dice que Jesucristo es “víctima de expiación por nuestros pecados” (1 Juan 2:2). Por último, en el Evangelio, Jesús saluda a los discípulos diciéndoles: “Paz” y los insta a predicar “la necesidad de volverse a Dios y el perdón de los pecados” (Lucas 24:47).

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Pedro da testimonio a la gente de que Jesús ha sido glorificado y deberán reformar sus vidas (Hechos 3:13-15, 17-19).

Salmo — Haz brillar sobre nosotros el resplandor de tu rostro (Salmo 4).

Segunda lectura — Jesucristo intercede ante el Padre por nuestros pecados (1 Juan 2:1-5a).

Evangelio — Jesús se aparece a los discípulos y los envía a predicar la penitencia para el perdón de los pecados (Lucas 24:35-48).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 6:8-15; Sal 119 (118):23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29
Martes: Hch 7:51 — 8:1a; Sal 31 (30):3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Miércoles: Hch 8:1b-8; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Jueves: Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Viernes: Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Sábado: Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Domingo: Hch 4:8-12; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

EL GRAN DOMINGO

Los cincuenta días desde el Domingo de Pascua hasta Pentecostés se celebran con jubilosa exultación como un día de fiesta, o mejor aún, como un “gran domingo”.

Estos por encima de todos los otros, son los días para cantar *Aleluya*.

—Normas generales para el año litúrgico y el calendario, No. 27

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En 1563 el Concilio de Trento estableció que todos los católicos debían recibir la comunión por lo menos una vez al año, de preferencia, durante el Tiempo de Pascua, los 50 días desde la Pascua Florida a la Pascua de Pentecostés. En Chile los sacerdotes en siglos pasados llevaban la Eucaristía a todos aquellos que no pudieron asistir a Misa en la Pascua Florida. Comenzando con el Segundo Domingo de Pascua y acompañados de huasos (vaqueros) quienes los protegían de bandidos llevando el Sacramento en cálices de plata por toda la región. Esto llegó a llamarse Cuasimodo, en base a la frase inicial de la Misa del Segundo Domingo de Pascua: Quasi modo géniti infantes (Casi como recién nacidos).

Hoy día la fiesta también es conocida como “correr a Cristo,” por el hecho de llevar a Cristo en carretas decoradas por las calles de los pueblitos mientras los niños corren por delante gritando “¡Viva Cristo Rey!” De esta manera los niños anuncian la venida de Cristo, algo que todo cristiano debería hacer con hechos y palabras todos los días de año.

MEDITACION

RABI, ¿CUANDO HAS LLEGADO AQUI?

Cristo no da testimonio de sí mismo, ni dice quien es ni de dónde viene. Él está entre sus contemporáneos como el que sirve. Solo después de la Resurrección, y sobre todo después de su ascensión, cuando el Espíritu ya había venido, los Apóstoles comprendieron quién era aquel que había estado con ellos. Aquí vemos la manifestación de un principio general que se presenta ante nosotros a menudo, tanto en la Escritura como en la vida del mundo: no reconocemos la presencia de Dios mientras está con nosotros, sino después, cuando volvemos la mirada sobre los acontecimientos pasados.

Acontecimientos agradables o dolorosos: No sabemos en el momento su significado. No vemos en ellos la mano de Dios. Si tenemos fe, confesamos lo que no vemos y acogemos todo lo que nos acontece como venido de su mano. Con todo, tanto si aceptamos con espíritu de fe como si no, no hay otro medio de aceptarlo que la fe. No vemos nada. No comprendemos como puede suceder tal cosa o a que sirve tal otra. Mirad a José, vendido por sus hermanos: una vez pasada la calamidad, comprendió lo que en su momento resultaba incompresible y dijo a sus hermanos: *Dios me envió delante de vosotros para salvar vuestras vidas. No fuisteis vosotros quienes me enviasteis a este lugar, sino Dios.*

Dios mueve vuestras vidas para nuestro bien y de otros. Tengamos Fe

Beato John Henry Newman
Nace en Londres; convertido del anglicanismo, fue presbítero, cardenal y fundador de una comunidad religiosa.

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La venida del Espíritu Santo 50 días después de la Resurrección de Jesús



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Antonio Morales 916-230.9591

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Aracely Narváez 916.681.2924
Ministerio de Comunión: Mary Weather 916.718.6387
Ministerio de la Palabra: María C. Gutiérrez 916.395.7219
Ministerios Servidores del Altar: Jóvenes
Rosa M. Delgadillo 916.598.4697
Liliana. Ramírez 916.687-1712
Ministros de Hospitalidad: José Luis Sánchez 916.457.4713
Miguel Méndez 916.715.5413
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Quiere unirse a nuestros diferentes ministerios, por que "Nuestro bautismo nos llama a compartir la misión de Cristo". Si esta interesada favor de llamar a cualquier persona de los teléfonos de arriba de esta pagina.

MATRIMONIOS Y QUINCEAÑERAS

Para mas información sobre estos eventos por favor comuníquese con el Diacono Antonio Ramírez al 381-5200.

ORACION POR LAS VOCACIONES

La Jornada Mundial de Oración por las Vocaciones se celebrará el domingo 22 de abril, también conocido como "Domingo del Buen Pastor". El propósito de este día es cumplir públicamente con las instrucciones del Señor de "Orar al Señor de la mies para que envíe obreros a su cosecha". . "(Mt. 9:38: Lc 10.2) Por favor, oren para que los jóvenes escuchen y respondan generosamente al llamado del Señor al sacerdocio, el diaconado, la vida religiosa, las sociedades de vida apostólica o los institutos seculares.

Puede encontrar muchos recursos para promover una cultura de vocaciones en la página web de USCB Vocaciones Www.usccb.org/vocaciones.

MINISTERIO DE JUSTICIA SOCIAL

El Ministerio de Justicia Social patrocinará la "Baby Shower Baby Mother Mary". necesitamos pañales de tamaños de colección de 5 y 6, alimentos para bebés, pantalones (pull-ups) para bebés, biberones, mantas nuevas para bebés, chupetes, toallitas húmedas para bebés y cereales. También estamos solicitando ropa de maternidad medio usada. Las cajas para sus donaciones están en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia.

Todos los artículos donados serán entregados a Maryhouse, ubicado cerca de pan y pescados, al principio de mayo, cerca al Día de la Madre. Su generosidad es apreciada. Si prefiere hacer una donación monetaria, marque "Justicia social". Y ponerla en la canasta de colecta ¡Gracias!

"NUESTRA HERENCIA-NUESTROSUENO"

El 21 de abril de 2018 celebraremos el 25° Aniversario de la dedicación de la Iglesia de San Pablo. La celebración incluirá Misa, la apertura de la "Cápsula del Tiempo" seguida de una cena en el salón parroquial.

¡Muchos religiosos, dignatarios, feligreses y amigos de nuestra herencia pasada, así como usted, nuestros feligreses actuales, son bienvenidos y nos invitan a celebrar este hito con nosotros!

Los boletos para la cena cuestan \$ 30.00 cada uno. Se limitarán a la capacidad del salón parroquial, incluidos los alojamientos para invitados religiosos y dignatarios. Los boletos se venderán después de Misas, o estarán disponibles en la oficina de la parroquia, o pueden llamar a Dale Yamamoto al (916) 257-3323.

¡Tendrás la oportunidad de ganar un par de entradas para la cena! Tome una copia del formulario de preguntas y respuestas "¿Sabía que ...? Ahora es el momento de contar nuestra historia"

¡Si respondes el 100% de las preguntas que ganas! Convierta su formulario de respuesta en la canasta del ofertorio u oficina antes del 18 de marzo.

Los ganadores del 100% de las respuestas serán anunciados el 1 de abril por un par de entradas para la cena de la Cena del 25 aniversario del 21 de abril.

El enfoque principal de la Celebración de la 25th aniversario de la Dedicación de San Pablo es:

Para honrar y respetar nuestra herencia de todos cuyos administradores desinteresadamente construyeron y formaron nuestra iglesia y nuestra cultura parroquial. Mostraremos videos y presentaciones de diapositivas que documentaran algunos de ellos:

- ◆ Inauguración y bendición en 1992
 - ◆ Construcción de nuestra iglesia 1992-abril de 1993
 - ◆ Ceremonia de dedicación, misa y cena 24 de abril de 1993
 - ◆ Presentaciones de la misa de dedicación y programa
 - ◆ Todos los directorios de St. Paul de 1995
 - ◆ Documentos históricos, boletines de 1993, etc.
- Vinieron al Hall algunos domingos de 10:00 a.m. a medio día para ver nuestro Patrimonio y Legado.

MES DEL-ABUSO INFANTIL

Abril es el Mes del Abuso Infantil. Cada abril, las organizaciones que brindan servicios a niños y jóvenes participan en el Mes de Prevención del Maltrato Infantil. Es una oportunidad para resaltar la importancia actual de proteger a los menores.

*Espíritu Santo, consolador de corazones,
sana las heridas de tu pueblo y transforma
el quebranto en plenitud.*

*Concédenos el coraje y la sabiduría,
la humildad y la gracia para actuar con justicia.*

*Respire sabiduría en nuestras
oraciones y trabajos.*

*Conceda que todos los perjudicados
por el abuso puedan encontrar
paz y justicia*

*Te lo pedimos por Cristo nuestro Señor
Amen.*