



CHURCH OF THE

# Good Shepherd

One Flock, One Family, Living and  
Sharing the Love of Christ



Copyright © J.S. Pachuck Co., Inc. • Photos © 2001, 1998, 1997, 1996, 1995, 1990, 1986, 1985, 1980, 1970, CCD.  
Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass © 2001, 1998, 1997, 1996, 1995, 1990, 1986, 1985, 1980, 1970, CCD.

Go, sell what you have,  
and give to the poor  
and you will have  
treasure in heaven;

***then come,  
follow me.***

Mark 10:21

Twenty-Eighth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
October 10, 2021

3200 Harbor Street ~ Pittsburg, CA 94565  
Phone: 925-432-6404  
Email: [office@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:office@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)  
[www.goodshepherdpittsburg.org](http://www.goodshepherdpittsburg.org)  
[www.facebook.com/goodshepherdpittsburg](http://www.facebook.com/goodshepherdpittsburg)

**Parish Office Hours:**  
**Monday—Thursday**  
**9 am—12 pm & 1 pm-4pm**

**MASS SCHEDULE**  
*We livestream all daily Masses and  
the 10 am  
Sunday Mass on your YouTube  
Channel*

**Sundays:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 am, 12 noon & 3pm Spanish  
**Monday through Friday:** 7:30 a.m.  
**1st Fridays:** 7:00 pm  
**Saturdays:** 8:00 am & 5:30 pm (Vigil)  
**Holy Days:** 7:30 am & 7:00 pm

**Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours)/ Rosary** 7:00 am

**Confessions:** Fridays: 8 am-9 am  
Saturdays: 4-5 pm or by appointment

**Adoration:** Fridays: 8 am-9 am; 1st Fridays: 8 am-7pm  
**Adoration in the Chapel** (door code required—call parish office).

**Devotions:** Divine Mercy Monday-Friday after 7:30 am Mass  
Our Lady of Fatima/Perpetual Help~1st Saturday  
Santo Niño~2nd Saturday  
Divine Mercy~3rd Saturday  
Saint Padre Pio~4th Saturday  
Healing Mass~5th Saturday

(All devotions take place following 8:00 am Mass)

**Baptisms:** In order to make baptismal arrangements contact  
[carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

**Marriages:** In order to make marriage arrangements contact  
[carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org) 6 months prior to marriage date.

**Funeral Arrangements:** Should be arranged by family, church and mortuary.  
Normal Christian burial consists of Vigil Service, Holy Mass and Burial in a  
Catholic Cemetery. Any other arrangements should be discussed with parish  
priest.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK HOTLINE: 510-259-8706**



**THANK YOU!  
GRACIAS! SALAMAT! MALO! GRAZIE! E SE/O SE! CÂM ON**

We begin the Month of October with the Feast of St. Therese of the Child Jesus (Oct. 1st) who said: "Even a little thing you do like sweeping the house or washing the dishes. If you do it with great love, it becomes an extraordinary thing." That is true. As I read this statement, I think of those who prepared and served at the flock party this year. The thing they did might seem to be small, but the love they put in was big which made our Flock Party this year beyond successful!

I saw people carrying heavy water and soda cases to the parish office to donate for the festival. I saw so many people from different ministries giving their time and talents to prepare for the party: selling the raffle tickets, setting up, cooking, entertaining, taking down, cleaning up and so on. Wow! What a labor of love! What a sense of community—unity in diversity. I could see through this event the sense of family when all ministries have come together and worked for the good of the parish and for the glory of God. The festival ended up as a great success. We thank God for blessing us with nice weather. Lots of people came and were fed with delicious food of different kinds. Dancing, singing and all performances were excellent, except my dance; the more I dance, the more I realize why God has chosen me to be a priest. LOL! Everybody had a great time. What a blessed Sunday when we came together to share our meal and foster our fellowship.

Behind the success of this event, was a big commitment of many people who put the party together. We would like to take this opportunity to thank first of all David De Luna, the chairman of this event, Anna Sorci, Tammy Vo, Cora Clavel, Grace Mabunga, Shirley Quejado, the Flock Party Committee and our parish staff for their hard work preparing for the festival. We are deeply thankful to our LifeTeen Youth Ministry, Hispanic ministries, Filipino ministries, Vietnamese friends, Italian community, Nigerian community and the Tongan community (thank you for giving us a happy ending of the story of the Three Little Pigs. Lol!). Thank you all for serving us with your labor of love and your delicious food.

A Huge Thank You to David Viart, Josie and Louie Esposito for providing the music and being our excellent DJs and MCs. Thank you Grace Mabunga and Shirley Quejado for putting together and running the entertainment program. It was awesome. We also thank our choirs, the singers and dancers for their excellent performances. We are grateful to those who donated gift baskets for the consolation prizes, especially those who donated the three raffle prizes, Elizabeth Pitman, Otto Tangitau, Dina Russell and Betty and Ely Viloria. Thank you for your good and gracious hearts. Last but not least, we thank all those who came to the Flock Party. We had a good turn out this year. Your support and loving care mean a million to our parish. Thank you so very much.

The more I attend the festival, the more I am very impressed with how we come together as the Flock of the Good Shepherd. We are truly a family, united in diversity. We have overcome the differences of skin colors, languages and cultures to gather together as one flock, living and sharing the love of Christ, for it is Jesus himself who prayed for this unity: "That they all may be one as You and I are one" (John 17:21). Thank you all for your gift of faith, love and unity. I cant wait for our Flock Party next year 2022.

With My Deep Gratitude and Blessings,  
Fr. Thi Hoang

**CURRENT FLOCK PARTY RECAP**  
(Numbers are subject to change slightly if more income or expenses are brought in)

**Current Flock Party Income Over Expenses**      **\$18,698.84**

**Current Raffle Income Over Expenses**      **\$27,764.43**

**Current Flock Party Net Income**      **\$46,463.27**

**Raffle Drawing Winners~Congratulations!**

**1st Prize~Herigstad Family**

**2nd Prize-Kristin de Flores**

**3rd-Prize Brandon Semien**

If you were the winner of any prize and have not picked it up, please contact the parish office.

## FLOCK PARTY WORSHIP



## ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF THE 2022 MASS BOOK!

We will be opening the 2022 Mass Book Thursday, October 21st. In order to insure your health and safety as well as the staff's, we will take mass intention requests again this year via email or in written form beginning Thursday, October 21 and prioritize them in the order we receive them. No phone calls please so that we can maintain a written, prioritized list as the requests come in. We ask that you make sure your email address (preferred) or telephone number are included in your request so that we may contact you if there are conflicts with the date requests.

Donation request remains \$10 per mass intention. In accordance with Diocesan policy, only the Saturday morning 8 am mass may be double-booked for intentions. Initially we are limiting the number of requests per family to 12 maximum so that everyone has a fair opportunity for one mass intention per month.

Mass intentions are available for Monday through Friday masses at 7:30 am, Saturday morning masses at 8 am, our weekend schedule of Saturday at 5:30 pm, Sunday at 8 am, 10 am , 12 noon and 3 pm in Spanish.

We also have mass intentions available on the 1st Friday of the month at 7 pm and the 3rd Friday of each month at 7 pm in Spanish if you'd like to request any of those.

Please feel free to use the form provided. You can email this form, mail this form, put it in any collection basket or place it in the mail slot in the parish office door.

**Please print legibly!**

### 2022 Mass Intention Request Form

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

Email/Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Date	Time	Intention (Living or Deceased)
_____	_____	_____

Amount owed \$                          Amount paid \$

THANK YOU! GRACIAS! SALAMAT! ¡MALO! GRAZIE! E SE/O SE! CÂM ON

Comenzamos el Mes de October con la fiesta de Santa Teresa del Niño Jesús (1ro de October) quien dijo: "Incluso una pequeña cosa si te gusta como el que hacer de barrer la casa o lavar los platos. Si lo haces con mucho amor, se convierte en algo extraordinario ". Eso es verdad. Al leer esta declaración, pienso en aquellos que se prepararon y sirvieron en la fiesta del rebaño este año. Lo que hicieron puede parecer pequeño, pero el amor que pusieron fue grande, lo que hizo que nuestra Fiesta del Rebaño de este año fuera más allá del éxito.

Vi gente llevando cajas de agua pesada y refrescos a la oficina parroquial para donar para el festival. Vi a tanta gente de diferentes ministerios dando su tiempo y talento para preparar la fiesta: vendiendo los boletos de la rifa, montando, cocinando, entreteniendo, desmontando, limpiando, etc. ¡Guau! Lo que es un trabajo de amor! Qué sentido de comunidad, unidad en la diversidad. Pude ver a través de este evento el sentido de familia cuando todos los ministerios se unieron y trabajaron por el bien de la parroquia y para la gloria de Dios. El festival terminó con un gran éxito. Agradecemos a Dios por bendecirnos con un clima agradable. Mucha gente vino y fue alimentada con comida deliciosa de diferentes tipos. El baile, el canto y todas las actuaciones fueron excelentes, excepto mi baile; cuanto más bailo, más me doy cuenta de por qué Dios me ha elegido para ser sacerdote. ¡JAJAJA! Todos lo pasaron muy bien. Qué bendecido Domingo fue cuando nos reunimos para compartir nuestra comida y fomentar nuestra comunión.

Detrás del éxito de este evento, hubo un gran compromiso de muchas personas que armaron la fiesta. Nos gustaría aprovechar esta oportunidad para agradecer en primer lugar a David De Luna, el presidente de este evento, Anna Soccì, Tammy Vo, Cora Clavel, Grace Mabunga, Shirley Quejado, el comité de la fiesta del Rebaño y nuestro personal parroquial por su arduo trabajo preparando para el festival. Estamos profundamente agradecidos con nuestro ministerio juvenil Lifeteen, los Ministerios Hispano, Filipino, los amigos Vienamitas, la comunidad Italiana, la comunidad Nigeriana y la comunidad Tongana (gracias por darnos un final feliz de la historia de los Tres Cerditos. ¡Divertido!). Gracias a todos por servirnos con su labor de amor y su deliciosa comida.

Un enorme agradecimiento a David Viart, Josie y Loui Esposito por proporcionar la música y ser nuestros excelentes DJ y MC. Gracias a Grace Mabunga y Shirley Quejado por armar y ejecutar el programa de entretenimiento. Fue asombroso. También agradecemos a nuestros coros, cantantes y bailarines por sus excelentes actuaciones. Agradecemos a quienes donaron canastas de regalo para los premios de consolación, especialmente a quienes donaron los tres premios de la rifa, Elizabeth Pitman, Otto Tangitau, Dina Russel y Betty y Ely Viloria. Gracias por su buen y amable corazón. Por último, pero no menos importante, agradecemos a todos los que vinieron a la Fiesta Del Rebaño. Tuvimos una buena participación este año. Su apoyo y cuidado amoroso significan un millón de cosas para nuestra parroquia. Muchas gracias.

Cuanto más asisto al festival, más me impresiona la forma en que nos unimos como el Rebaño del Buen Pastor. Somos verdaderamente una familia, unidad en la diversidad. Hemos superado las diferencias de colores de piel, idiomas y culturas para reunirnos como un solo rebaño, viviendo y compartiendo el amor de Cristo, porque es el mismo Jesús quien oró por esta unidad: "Que todos sean uno como tú y yo. uno "(Juan 17:21). Gracias a todos por su don de fe, amor y unidad. No puedo esperar a nuestra Fiesta del Rebaño el próximo año 2022.

Con mi profunda gratitud y bendiciones, Padre Thi Hoang

**PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA & LOURDES  
Plus Madrid & Barcelona**

**11 DAYS: JULY 12-22, 2022**



Lisbon \* Fatima \* Salamanca \* Avila \* Madrid  
Lourdes \* Montserrat \* Barcelona

Hosted by  
**Rev. Thi Hoang**



**\$3799 from  
San Francisco**  
(Air/land tour price is \$3279 plus  
\$520 gov't taxes/airline surcharges)



Featuring: Roundtrip airfare from San Francisco, first class/select hotels, most meals, comprehensive sightseeing with a professional tour guide, entrance fees, portage.

**FOR A BROCHURE WITH COMPLETE DETAILS, PLEASE DETACH & MAIL TO CONTACT:**

Mrs. Tammy Vo / Fr. Thi Hoang  
4673 Clayton Road #F  
Concord, CA 94521  
Tel: (925) 698-4559  
Email: tammyhairtrends@gmail.com

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIPCODE: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL, INC.



### Multilingual Rosary Prayer & Procession Honoring our Lady of Fatima –October 13th

Dear Friends in Christ,

When our Blessed Mother first appeared to three children, Francisco, Lucia and Jacinta on May 13, 1917, she told them to come to meet her every month on the 13th from May to October. So they did. Like the three children, we also want to come to meet our Lady each month on the 13th. So this month of October, we will have a **Multilingual Rosary Prayer & Procession around the church at 6:30pm followed by the Mass honoring our Mother at 7pm**

The family that prays together, stays together. Come and join us in this special holy event. This is a good opportunity to come together as a Good Shepherd family to pray for one another and for the world.

Fr. Thi



## FLOCK PARTY FOOD



## BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS, OCTOBER 4, 2021



## Mass Intentions

Oct 11-17

# Mass Intentions For The Week



Mon	7:30 am	Joseph Tran †
Tue	7:30 am	Marivic Santos †
Wed	7:30 am	Our Lady of Fatima Capupus Family
Thu	7:30 am	Trinidad Macalisang †
Fri	7:30 am	Teresa Masturzo †
Sat	8:00 am	4th Death Anniversary of Querubin E. Fernandez Victor Gutierrez †
Sat	5:30 pm	Sancho Alesna Sr. †
Sun	8:00 am	Capupus Family
	10 am	Richard Zocchi †
	12 pm	Federico S. Bartolo Sr Maria U & Jaime Bartolo †
	3 pm	For the People

Parish Staff

**Fr. Thi Van Hoang,  
Parochial Administrator**  
925-432-6404 Ext. 11  
frthihoang@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

**Fr. Arn Cabrias, Priest in Residence**  
arnuscab@gmail.com

**Deacon Gustavo Escruceria**  
925-432-6404 Ext. 23  
Deacon.gustavo@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

**Grace Yvette Ripoli, Business Manager**  
925-432-6404 Ext. 12  
yvette@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

**Carmen Esquivel, Parish Secretary**  
925-432-6404 Ext. 19  
carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

**Dina Russell, Religious Education Coordinator**  
432-6404 Ext 21  
dina@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

**Lorena Reyes, Office Assistant**  
lorena@goodshepherdpittsburg.org  
432-6404 Ext 20

**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

- ◆ October 26—7 pm Usher Meeting
- ◆ November 8—7 pm Lector Meeting
- ◆ November 15—7 pm Eucharistic Minister Meeting
- ◆ November 20—10 am Altar Server Training
- ◆ November 20—Healing Mass

More details to follow soon on all of these events.  
**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**SAVE THE DATE**

## WEEKLY COLLECTION RECAP

### Weekend of October 3

<b>1st Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT)</b>	<b>\$11,809</b>
<b>2nd Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT)</b> (Catholic Voice)	<b>\$ 2,168</b>

*We appreciate your generous hearts!*

### WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE PADRE PIO MINISTRY?

All brothers and sisters are welcome regardless of race and ethnicity. Prospective members are encouraged to learn the life, teachings and examples of St. Padre Pio. This ministry also has a food distribution program every 2nd Saturday of the month and participates in fund raising activities for their ministry and the parish. For information, contact Mila Benitez at 925-726-7526 or mgbenitez@comcast.net

## NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

**Isaiah 53:10-11, Hebrews 4:14-16,  
Mark 10:35-45**

## NEXT SUNDAY'S 2ND COLLECTION

**NO 2ND COLLECTION SCHEDULED**

## FLOCK PARTY FUN & ENTERTAINMENT

