



CHURCH OF THE

Good Shepherd

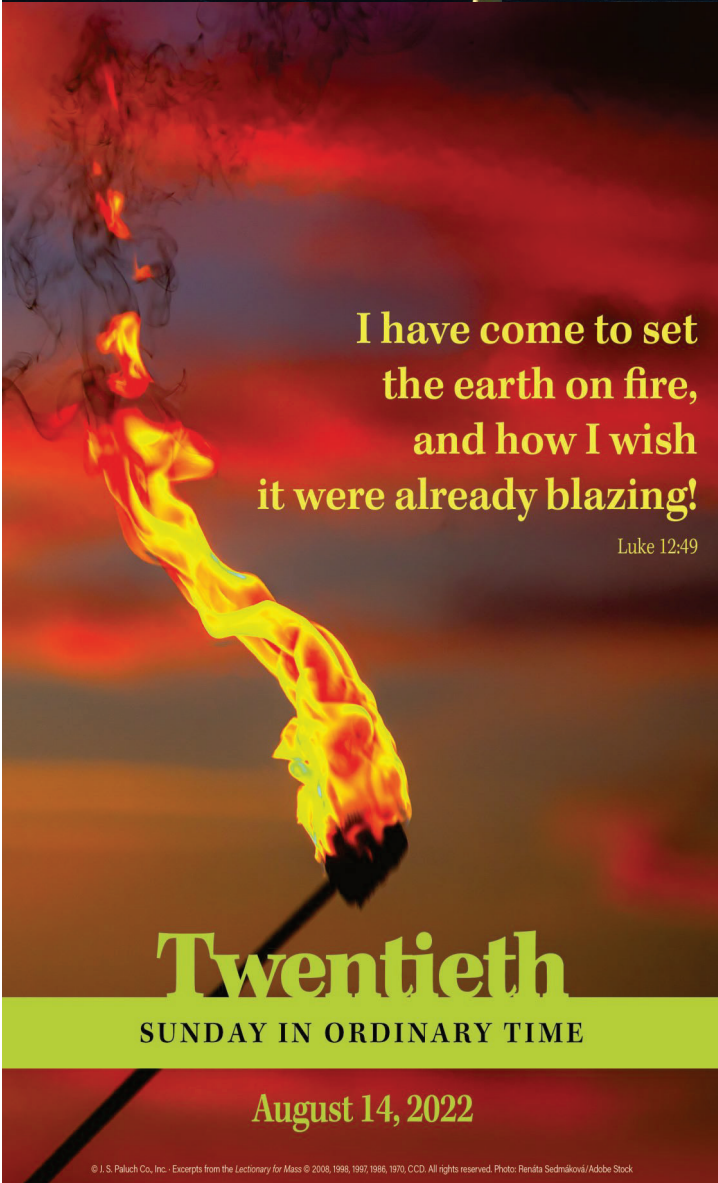
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the Love of Christ*

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**I have come to set
the earth on fire,
and how I wish
it were already blazing!**

Luke 12:49

Twentieth

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 14, 2022

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 8am—12 pm & 1 pm-4pm

Fridays: 9am– 12:pm & 1pm- 3pm

(covered by volunteers with limited service)

MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays: 8am, 10am (livestreamed)

12noon & 3pm Spanish

Monday-Friday: 7:30 am (livestreamed)

1st Fridays: 7:00 pm (livestreamed)

Saturdays: 8 am (livestreamed) & 5:30 pm (Vigil)

Holy Days: 7:30am (Ls) and 7pm (livestreamed)

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

Confessions: Fridays: 8 am-9 am

Saturdays: 4pm-5 pm or by appointment

Adoration: Fridays: 8 am-9 am;

1st Fridays: 8am-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

Marriages: In order to make marriage arrangements contact 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



Dear Flock of the Good Shepherd,
Grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

We would like to invite you and your family and friends to our 2022 Annual Flock Party on Sunday, October 2 in the Spiritual Garden between the hours of 9am and 5pm. The day will include Masses: 8am, 10am, 12pm and 2pm in Spanish; enjoying multicultural food such as Mexican, Italian, Nigerian, American, Filipino, Tongan, Vietnamese, Pakistani; drinks, live music, dancing, games and all sorts of entertainment and best of all: Family fun!

Admission is free. Games and food will be provided for a nominal cost. The highlight of our day will include a raffle at 4:00pm with **1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes valued at \$2,000 each.** (These are vacation packages for 2 nights stay anywhere in the United States for 2 persons. Airfare included. Taxes and fees are not included), **4th prize \$500 cash, and many other consolation prizes.** Raffle tickets will be mailed to your house for your purchase. Tickets are \$5 each or 6 tickets for \$25. You are welcome to place your ticket money and stubs in any collection basket at Masses on Sunday or drop them off to the parish office or mail them in.

This event is our biggest yearly parish fundraiser and we hope to have everyone participate! All the proceeds we make from this festival will be used for the upcoming project of repainting of the church buildings, which is estimated to cost about \$120,000. Your purchase of these raffle tickets and your participation in the flock party will help substantially support our project. I appeal to your generosity and kindness in this effort.

We would love to have you join us for a few hours or for the entire day. This once a year event is an opportunity for all of our parishioners to get to know one another better and to celebrate as a faith family. We all have so much to celebrate and to be thankful for!

Fr. Thi Hoang



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ANNUAL FLOCK PARTY
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You also have a chance to win a big raffle prize at 4:00pm. These are the prizes:
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*All the proceeds we make from this festival will be used for the repainting of the church buildings.
Bring your family and friends and stay with us for the whole day.*



Estimados Rebaño del Buen Pastor,

La Gracia y paz de nuestro Señor Jesucristo esté con todos ustedes.

Nos gustaría invitarlo a usted y a su familia y amigos a nuestra Fiesta Anual del Rebaño 2022 el Domingo 2 de Octubre en el Jardín Espiritual entre las 9am y 5pm. El día incluirá comida multicultural como Mexicana, Italiana, Nigeriana, Estadounidense, Filipina, Tongana, Vietnamita, Pakistaní; bebidas, música en vivo, baile, juegos y todo tipo de entretenimiento y lo mejor de todo: ¡Diversión en familia!

La admisión es gratis. Se proporcionarán juegos y comida por un costo nominal. Lo más destacado de nuestro día incluirá una rifa a las 4pm con **1st, 2nd y 3rd premios por un valor de \$2,000 cada uno (Son paquetes de vacaciones para 2 noches para 2 personas en cualquier lugar en los Estados Unidos incluyendo vuelo; sin incluir impuestos ni cargos), un cuarto (4th) premio de \$500 y premios de consolación adicionales.** Los boletos de la rifa para su compra van a ser enviados a sus casas. Los boletos cuestan \$5 cada uno o 6 boletos por \$25. Puede colocar el dinero de su boleto y los talones en cualquier canasta de recolección en las Misas del Domingo o dejarlos en la oficina parroquial o enviarlos por correo.

¡Este evento es nuestra recaudación de fondos parroquial anual más grande y esperamos que todos participen! Todos los ingresos que obtengamos del festival este año se utilizarán para el próximo proyecto de pintura de los edificios de la iglesia, que se estima en unos \$120,000. Su compra de boletos para la rifa y su participación en la fiesta del rebaño ayudarán sustancialmente a apoyar nuestra parroquia. Apelo a su generosidad y amabilidad en este esfuerzo.

Nos encantaría que nos acompañe durante unas horas o durante todo el día. Este evento anual es una oportunidad para que todos nuestros feligreses se conozcan mejor y celebren como una familia de fe. ¡Todos tenemos mucho que celebrar y agradecer!

Padre Thi Hoang

Welcome to Church of the Good Shepherd Daniel Vazquez Garcia, Sebastian Heredia, Jaeden Mendoza Aguilar and Jimmy Mendoza Velarde

DANIEL GUIZAR and LOURDES MADERA with Deacon Jorge Aragon



Faith Formation Registration for 2022-2023. Here are the details:

Registration 2022 NOW Happening

A Baptism and Birth Certificate are required before your child will be registered.

Classes:

RCIC—Class for children 7 years or older to receive Baptism and First Communion. It is one year, no matter what grade they start.

(Starting Date: Sunday, September 11, 2022 from 11:15-12:15pm)

First Communion Class is 2 years no matter what grade they start.

(Starting Date: Sunday, September 11, 2022. 9:00-9:50am, 1:10-2:00pm, 2:00-2:50pm)

EDGE—Our junior high program to either receive a sacrament or for continuing education.

(Starting Date: Wednesday, September 14, 2022 from 4:30-5:30pm)

Youth Confirmation Class is 2 years starting in 9th, 10th, or 11th grade. 12th grade is a case-by-case situation.

(Starting Date: Sunday, September 11, 2022 from 11:15-12:30pm)

Adult Confirmation—Class for adults that are interested in receiving the sacrament of Confirmation.

(Starting Date: Monday, September 26, 2022 at 7:00pm)

To register, you can do it at the parish office or go to our website at goodshepherdpittsburg.org. Click—Religious Education and then Click—Registration Information You will find links to forms and payments.

Then fill our your forms; you can email them to me at klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

El Registro 2022 Comienza el 13 de junio

Si aún no lo ha hecho, necesito una copia del certificado de nacimiento y el certificado de bautismo de su hijo.

Classes:

RCIC— Clase para niños de 7 años o más para recibir Bautismo y Primera Comunión. Es un año, sin importar qué grado van.

(Fecha de inicio: domingo, 11 de septiembre de 2022 de 11:15-12:15pm)

La clase de **Primera Comunión** es de 2 años sin importar en que grado comiencen.

(Fecha de inicio: domingo 11 de septiembre de 2022. 9-9:50am, 1:10-2:00pm, 2:00-2:50pm)

EDGE—Nuestro programa de secundaria para recibir un sacramento o para educación continua.

(Fecha de inicio: miércoles 14 de septiembre de 2022 de 4:30-5:30pm)

La clase de **confirmación** para jóvenes es de 2 años a partir de 9. 10, y 11 grado. El grado 12

Clases empiezan: domingo 11 de septiembre de 2022 de 11:15-12:30pm

Confirmación de Adultos—Clase para adultos que están interesados en recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación.

(Fecha de inicio: lunes 26 de septiembre de 2022 a las 7:00pm)

Vaya a nuestro sitio web en goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Educación Religiosa

Información de registro Encontrará enlaces para formularios y pagos.

Después de completar sus formularios, puede enviarme un correo electrónico a Lorena@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Si es la primera vez que se registra, no se inscribirá si no tiene todos los documentos solicitados.

Catechists Needed: We are looking for people who want to share their faith with our youth in fulfilling ministry, making friends and becoming more involved in the church. You will be trained and all curriculum will be provided for you. If you are interested in teaching or just have questions, please contact Klarisse at (925) 432-6406x5 or by email at

klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Se Necesita Catequistas Buscamos personas que quieran compartir su fe con nuestra juventud. En un ministerio satisfactorio, para hacer amigos y participar más en la iglesia. Se le proporcionará todo el plan de estudios. Si está interesado en enseñar o simplemente tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Lorena al (925) 432-6404x4 o por correo electrónico a

lorena@goodshepherdpittsburg.org



Happy 15th Birthday (Quincenera) (Triplets) Clarixa, Marixa, Melissa Gomez blessings with Deacon Mariano, and Bulmaro, August 6, 2022 .



Spanish Community working together to raise money for the Guadalupe Feast Day.



UPCOMING EVENTS



- August 15th – the Assumption, Masses at 7:30am and 7pm (with Marian Procession at 6:30pm)
- September 11th– Confirmation/RCIC/FHC Kick Off
- September 13th-L Fatima: Marian Procession - 7pm
- September 26th- RCIA Kick Off
- October 2nd– Flock Party
- October 13th– O.L. Fatima, Procession and Mass at 6:30pm
- November 1 st - All Saints: 7:30am, 12pm, 7pm (Bilingual)
- November 2 nd - All Souls: 7:30am, 12pm, 7pm (Spanish)
- November 12th– Appreciation Dinner at 7pm
- November 24– Thanksgiving 10am Mass
- November 19- Healing Mass at 11am
- November 27th—Advent
- December 8- Immaculate Conception of Mary: 7:30am, 12pm, 7pm
- December 9- Taize Prayer at 7pm
- December 11/12 - Our Lady of Guadalupe
- December 15– Parish Reconciliation at 7pm
- December 16—Kick off of Simbang Gabi 5:30am & Posadas 7pm
- Dec 24– Christmas Eve 4pm, 6pm, 12am
- December 25 Christmas, 8am, 10am, 12pm, 2pm Sp
- Dec 31st -New Year Eve 5:30pm
- Jan 1st—New Year 2023, 8am, 10am,12pm, 3pm Sp

Letters from Heaven

Start with the letter in the shaded square. Draw a path from letter to letter to complete the Biblical statement. Move one square at a time, up, down, right, left and diagonally until all letters are used once. Ignore any black squares.

Jesus said to his disciples, "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were ...

	Y	B	L
D	A	A	Z
L	A	E	I
	R	N	G

A _____ !"

Answer: *buting already burning*

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Mass Intentions

August 15 – Aug 21

Mass Intentions For The Week



Mon	7:30 am	Maria Bustillos †
	7:00 pm	Barbara Franger † (Birthday)
Tue	7:30 am	Mary Aiello †
Wed	7:30 am	Amado B Calma
Thu	7:30 am	Jennie Vitalie †
Fri	7:30 am	Mary L. Narez †
Sat	8:00 am	Ben Laups †
	5:30 pm	Ruben Gutierrez (Birthday) Sancho Alesna Sr. †
Sun	8:00 am	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	10 am	For the Soul of Truong Thi Tu
	12 pm	Federico Bartolo Jr. † Angel Bartolo Smith †
	3 pm	Mateo Rangel †

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Do you feel calling to come back to the Catholic Church?

Join our RCIA program which will begin in September of this year. For more information, please contact our faith formation office at 925-432-6404.

**2022 Bishop's Ministries
Appeal. Our goal this year is:
\$35,600.00.**

**We have raised \$14,291.13
(40.14%) so far. Please give to
support our Diocese.**

Thank you!



"Feed my lambs,
feed my sheep"

2022 BISHOP'S
MINISTRIES
APPEAL

WEEKLY COLLECTION RECAP

Weekend of August 7, 2022

1st Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$ 7,511.55

2nd Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$ 3,205.52

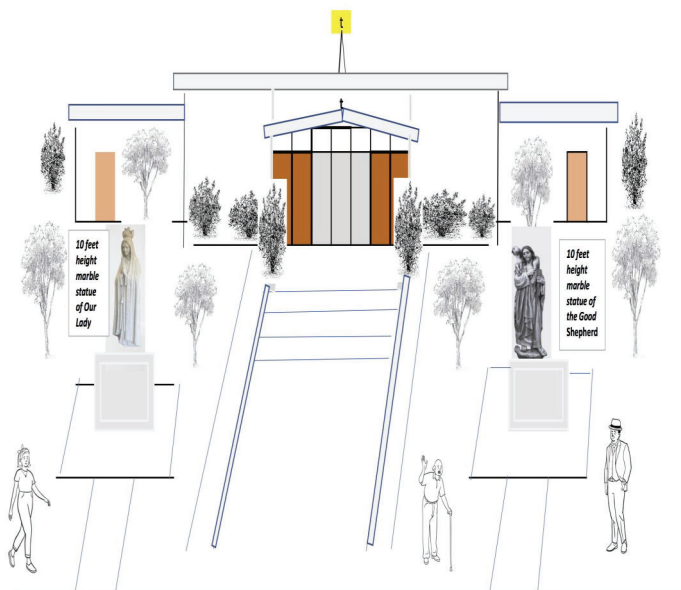
Please help contribute for the smooth operation and good services of our parish. We appreciate your generosity and for making Good Shepherd a part of your family. Also, please remember Good Shepherd when planning your last will and testament. *Thank you!*

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 66:18-21
Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
Luke 13:22-30

NEXT SUNDAY'S 2ND COLLECTION

MUSIC LICENSES & MATERIALS



Dearest Flock of the Good Shepherd,
 I pray that the Lord may shower his grace and protection to all of you and your families. God is creating us every day to make us alive. He founded his Church and entrusted her to our care. We are grateful that we have a church with beautiful premises. We are committed to keep the church vibrant, nice and neat. So we are going to build two statues in front of the church: The Good Shepherd and Our Mother Mary (see the picture). They are 10 feet in height and are made of marble. The total cost for this project is estimated about \$50,000. I appeal to your kindness and generosity in this effort to achieve our goal. If you or your ministries donate \$500 for each statue or more, your names will be engraved on the donation plaques. Thank you so very much for your loving support for such an important project.

God is Good! All the time!
 Fr. Thi Hoang

We want to thank the following people for their generous donation of \$500 or more towards the Good Shepherd and Mother Mary Statues. So far we have received \$67,669.00 of the \$50,000 we need. We've done a great job! Here is the list of donors:

Rocco Enea, Elizabeth Pittman / Morales, Knights of Columbus, Angelina Elias, Aurea Andres, Betty and Ely Vioria, Becky & June Naca, Helen Cuya, Sonny & Maribel Miguel, Kyle Scudder, Santo Nino Ministry, Adoracion T Gatus, Joseph Stewart Jr., St. Padre Pio Prayer Group, Francine Cruz Family, Crispin S. De Dios, Sylvia & Gabriel Solis, Robert and Sharon Calone, Iluminada R Gaerlan, Alberto & Elizabeth Sojuaco, San Nicolas De Tolentino Family Group, Mary & Latrell Carradine, Van Duc & Tinh Thi Nguyen, Su Dong, Severino & Mila Benitez and Arthur & Marianne Solis, Cora, Rod Clavel and Nerio & Dalisay Torres, Suzara & Francisco Gecanac Francisco, Shirley A. Schroth, Ma. Cecilia P. Sojuaco, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Benny & Alma Bautista Espiritu, Jubene Lararejos, Lafayette Ines,... And Jesusa Reyna-Arcilla & Arseno V. Arcilla, Angela Vicente, Alma Espiritu, Soledad B. Mendoza, Edward Grigg, and Joseph S, Alamay D. Siino, Rebecca Ariate, Gris Gorospe and Leonardo Matabang, MFC Ministry, Khañh & Chi Luu, Ken & Feli Buettner, Augustine E. Andres, Nelia Beaman, Divine Mercy Ministry, Jessica Los Banos, Anapeta Tangitau Parisi, Pat Lesaca and Rico & Hermie Perez.

Your names.....



Our next Multi-lingual Rosary Prayer Procession and Mass to honor our Lady of Fatima will take place on Monday, August 15, the Feast of the Assumption at 6:30pm.

All are welcome!

Jóvenes de edades entre 13 y 25 años están cordialmente invitados a participar de las reuniones que tenemos todos los Miércoles de 6:00 pm a 8:00pm. En el salón parroquial, animate tenemos muchas actividades divertidas y al mismo tiempo aprenderás a reforzar más tu fe.

GOOD SHEPHERD CYO BASKETBALL NEWS

Sign-ups for grades 2nd-8th
 Deadline September 16th 2022

Website to sign-up:

www.goodshepherdcyo.com

Coaches and sponsorships also needed.

Contact Athletic Director
 Suzette Crayon 925-437-8044

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