



CHURCH OF THE

Good Shepherd

3200 HARBOR STREET, PITTSBURG, CA 94565

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

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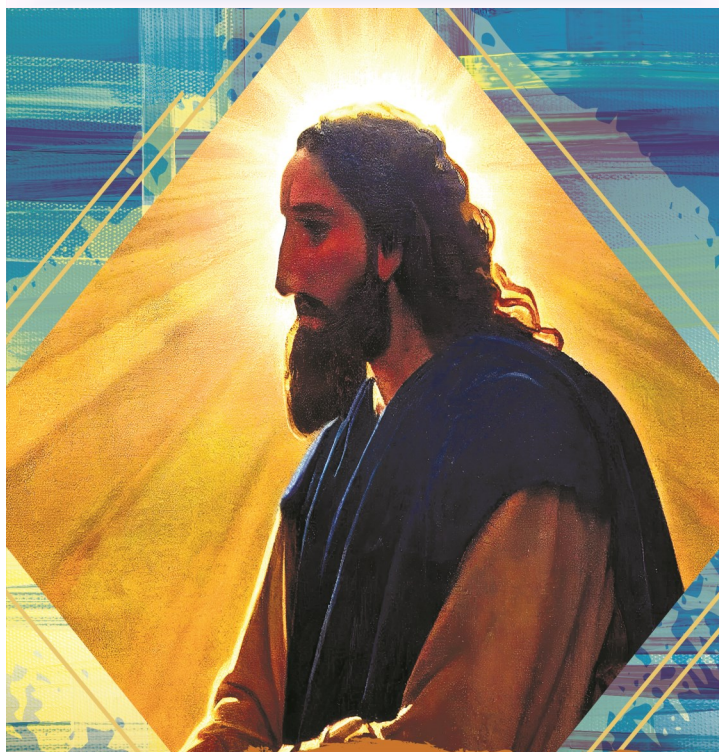
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JUNE 25, 2023



12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father.” - Mt 10:31-33

12° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

“A quien me reconozca delante de los hombres, yo también lo reconoceré ante mi Padre, que está en los cielos.” - Mt 10, 31-33

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)

12 noon & 3pm Spanish

Mon-Fri: 7:30 am (livestreamed)

1st Fridays: 7:00 pm (livestreamed)

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

Holy Days: 7:30am (Ls), 6:30pm (Ls) & 7:30pm (Sp)

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 or

Lorena@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.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

When I was in middle school, there were times I didn't want my fellow students to see my parents drop me off or pick me up in the school parking lot. I was embarrassed of my parents. Why? I have no idea. Maybe it was our station wagon. Or I didn't want to look like a little kid. But in retrospect that was a silly thing to do. I was a kid. And I had two parents who loved me and had built a wonderful family. I was afraid of the other kids' judgment. How silly! I should have been afraid of forgetting or downplaying my family, which is where my identity had its deep roots.

This is a way to understand Jesus' words to his disciples this Sunday, when he says, "Don't be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna." Fear, in this sense, refers to where we find our deepest identity and our highest love. That's why Jesus says next that when we acknowledge him before others, he will acknowledge us before the Father. It doesn't mean we're brash or boastful. But rather we unhesitatingly and humbly embrace our identity as followers of Jesus and children of God the Father. After all, if we love who we are and where we come from, who cares what the other kids think about us?

Father John Muir ©LPi

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

25 de junio de 2023

12º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

En algún momento de nuestra vida nos llegan problemas y dificultades. Porque la vida no es fácil; y ser cristiano mucho menos. Aceptar el compromiso como bautizados, ser fieles y leales a Jesús no es tarea fácil. Ser padres comprometidos con los hijos cuesta, ser buen trabajador y un estudiante que dé al cien implica darlo todo. La nueva cultura de la tecnología tan avanzada a veces hace sentir que estamos solos, que vamos contracorriente, si no tenemos lo último de la moda. Sin embargo, el Evangelio nos invita a tener confianza en Jesús, a ser fieles a él. Solo en él tendremos la verdadera felicidad. ¿Crees esto? ¿Lo has experimentado de alguna forma?

Jesús advierte a sus apóstoles que no tengan miedo. Les dice que la tarea a realizar es complicada, con muchas trabas. "Nada hay oculto que no llegue a ser descubierto, ni nada secreto que no llegue a saberse" (Mateo 10,26). Con estas palabras son animados a seguir su misión, sabiendo que Jesús los acompaña y está a su lado siempre. Solo hay una cosita importante a seguir y es reconocer a Jesús en todo lo que se hace, es decir, no avergonzarnos de ser católico, de rezar y mostrar amor al prójimo. Que no nos dé miedo defender la justicia y hablar por los sin voz. De defender a los que arriesgan la vida para decirle al mundo que tú nos amas. "Al que se ponga de mi parte ante los hombres, yo me pondré de su parte ante mi Padre de los cielos" (Mateo 10,32-33). ¡Gracias Señor Jesús, por ser nuestro abogado!

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Multilingual Rosary Prayer & Procession

Our Lady appeared in Fatima, Portugal in 1917 on the 13th of every month from May to October asking us to pray the rosary daily. In response to her love, our family of the Good Shepherd will have a multilingual Rosary Prayer procession to honor our Blessed Mother and to pray for respect life and peace in the world.

The Rosary procession will be held on Thursday, July 13th at 7pm. Come and join us for this special holy event. Blessings, Fr. Thi Hoang





I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS
 BISHOP'S MINISTRIES APPEAL 2023

2023 Bishop's Ministries Appeal. Our goal this year is: \$35,600.00, We have reached 75.77% of our goal Thank you!

Please visit our website to learn more about our Bishop's Appeal.

SAVE THE DATE

ST. PETER MARTYR SCHOOL HOSTS

COMMUNITY RUMMAGE & USED UNIFORM SALE

SATURDAY, JULY 15
 9 AM TO 1 PM
 425 W. FOURTH STREET

CONTACT THE OFFICE TO BOOK A BOOTH:
 (925) 439-1014
 KWILSON@CSDO.ORG



OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

Everyone is invited to attend the Feast Day of Our Mother of Perpetual Help on July 1, 2023 at 8 am mass. A simple reception to follow in front of the church. There will be 9 days novena prayer from June 22 to June 30 after the 7:30 am mass in the church. Below is the Mass Sponsorship form. If you would like to be a mass sponsor, please fill in the form below and send the form and payment to : Feli Buettner (925) 207-3501, Alma Espiritu (925) 597-2515.

Thank you.

Mass Sponsorship

DATE	July 1, 2023 (Saturday) at 8 am
MASS (indicate feast name)	Our Mother of Perpetual Help Feast Day Mass
DONATION AMOUNT: If in check, please use "Church of the Good Shepherd" as payee	
NAME/s of SPONSORS/ (Please write the name legibly and as you want it read at mass or shown in program)	
INTENTIONS/s	
Signature of Sponsors	
Sponsor's Telephone no.	

Please return completed form with your payment to: **Alma Espiritu or Feli Buettner.**
 For inquiries, please "TEXT": Alma Espiritu (925) 597-2515; Feli Buettner: (925) 207-3501

Mass Intentions June 26 – July 2

Mass Intentions For The Week



Mon	7:30 am	Benjamin Narez †
Tue	7:30 am	Arturo† & Jacinta Cabrera (52nd Ann.)
Wed	7:30 am	Sandra Navarro (Birthday)
Thu	7:30 am	Adaora Bianca Muonekwu (Birthday)
Fri	7:30 am	Maria A. Crespo † (4th Death Ann.)
Sat	8:00 am	Michael Belleci †
	5:30 pm	Rose & Louie Risetto †
Sun	8:00 am	Josie Mercurio † (Birthday)
	10:00am	Robert DePasquale † (Birthday)
	12 pm	Nacho Orozco & Joel Miller †
	3:00 pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH

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**Music Concert with Jesse Manibusan
June 17**

Do you feel calling to come back to the Catholic Church or to complete the Sacraments of Initiations?

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

Weekend of JUNE 18, 2023

1st Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$ 11,116.39

2nd Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$ 2,427.35

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

**2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16
Romans 6:3-4, 8-11
Matthew 10:37-42**

NEXT SUNDAY'S 2nd COLLECTION

PETER'S PENCE

As a reminder Adoration is on the first Friday of every month followed by a Mass for the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. **The next adoration is on July 7th.**

Adoration - 8:30 AM to 6:30 PM

Mass – 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease.

We need at least one person per hour to sit with the Blessed Sacrament, the signup book is in the vestibule as you enter the church on the right-hand side.

If you have any questions please call Bill or Ann (432-3995)



3200 Harbor St.
Pittsburg, CA 94565

Dinner & Dance Fundraiser

**Saturday, July 15
6:30pm- 11pm**

**An Evening filled with Food, Drinks and Lots of Fun for
Only \$50 per Adult. \$15 for Children of 12 & Under.**



Dinner Menu

*Fields Greens, Bread & Butter, Teriyaki Chicken, Fish Fillet, Fresh Seasonal Veg's, Rice Pilaf, Carving Station, Roast Pork Loin, Roast Beef
Fresh Fruit, Coffee and Water.*

There will be lots of raffle prizes at the event!

You can purchase tickets after Sunday Masses or order them at our parish office (925-432-6404) or via Tammy Vo at 925-698-4559.

Come One! Come All! & Have Fun!

Revive & Rekindle the fire of the Eucharist in our hearts!

"I Am With You Always"
Diocesan Eucharistic Revival Congress:

September 15, 2023 (Youth)
5:00pm - 11:00pm
September 16, 2023 (Adults)
7:00am - 3:00pm



**8-9 DE SEPTIEMBRE,
2023 (ESPAÑOL)
SEPTEMBER 15-16,
2023 (ENGLISH)**



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- July 3- Faith Formation registration kick off
- July 13- Fatima Procession 7pm
- July 15- Parish Dinner Fundraising at 7pm
- August 8- Staff Retreat – all day
- August 12- Group Convalidation at 12pm
- August 15- Feast of the Assumption: 7:30am Mass and 6:30pm Procession and Bilingual Mass
- August 19- Parish Crawfish Dinner at 7pm
- Sept 13- Fatima Procession 7pm
- Sept 10-Faith Formation and youth confirmation kick off
- Sept. 23- Spanish Group Convalidation 11am
- Sep 25- RCIA & Adult confirmation kick off
- Oct 1- Flock Party
- Oct 13- Fatima Mass and Procession 6:30pm
- Nov 18- Appreciation dinner for volunteers at 7pm
- Nov 23 – Thanksgiving at 10am
- Nov 26- Advent
- Dec 3- Christmas Concert 5pm
- Dec 8- Feasts of the Immaculate Conception: 7:30am Mass & 7pm Bilingual
- Dec 10-O.L Guadalupe 3pm Mass
- Dec 11- Advent Reconciliation 7pm
- Dec 16- Simbang Gabi 5:30am
- Dec, 24 Christmas Eve, 4pm, 6pm, 12Midnight
- Dec 25- Christmas Day: 8am, 10am, 12pm, 1:30pm
- Dec 31- New Year’s Eve: 5:30pm Mass and Party at 7pm
- New Year 2024, 10am

CONSECRATION TO JESUS THROUGH

Mary, Mother of the Eucharist

JULY 20

Start date for the Consecration to Jesus through Mary

33 days of preparation and prayer for the Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary

AUGUST 22

Consecration Day at the Cathedral of Christ the Light, with Bishop Michael Barber, SJ presiding

Are you ready to respond to the call for missionary discipleship, with Mary as the perfect model? Consider consecrating yourself to the Lord through our Blessed Mother with this 33-day consecration!

DIOCESAN CONSECRATION TO JESUS THROUGH MARY
a part of the
2023 DIOCESE OF OAKLAND EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

THE SEVEN SATURDAYS

"I Am With You Always"

Diocese of Oakland
Eucharistic Revival Congress

Visit a parish near you to hear a specially commissioned Revival Preacher share the beautiful message about the Holy Eucharist and the necessity of praying for a Revival!

Here are the dates and locations of the Saturday Vigil Masses where the Revival Outreach will simultaneously happen at multiple parishes, with preaching, registration drives, volunteer options, and more - don't miss out!

WWW.OAKDIOCESE.ORG/
EUCHARISTICREVIVAL2023

PARISH MISSIONARY REVIVAL WEEKENDS

JUNE 10
Our Lady of Grace, Castro Valley - 5:00pm
St. Anne, Walnut Creek - 5:00pm
St. Anthony, Oakley - 5:00pm
St. John Vianney, Walnut Creek - 4:30pm
St. Michael, Livermore - 5:00pm
St. Michael, Livermore - 7:00pm (SP)

JUNE 24
Church of the Assumption, San Leandro - 4:30pm
Corpus Christi, Fremont - 5:00pm
St. Agnes, Concord - 5:00pm
St. Augustine, Pleasanton - 5:00pm
St. Clement, Hayward - 5:00pm
St. Margaret Mary, Oakland - 5:00pm
St. Raymond, Dublin - 5:00pm
St. Rose, Crockett - 4:30pm

JULY 08
Good Shepherd, Pittsburg - 5:30pm
St. Jarlath, Oakland - 5:00pm
St. Joseph, Fremont - 5:30pm

JULY 22
St. Anne, Union City - 5:00pm
St. Felicitas, San Leandro - 4:00pm
St. Joseph the Worker, Berkeley - 7:00pm (SP)
St. Peter Martyr, Pittsburg - 7:00pm (SP)

AUGUST 05
Holy Spirit, Fremont - 5:00pm
St. Bede, Hayward - 6:30pm (SP)
St. Joachim, Hayward - 4:30pm
St. Mark, Richmond - 7:00pm (SP)

AUGUST 19
St. Bonaventure, Concord - 5:00pm
St. Joseph, Pinole - 6:00pm (SP)
St. Perpetua, Lafayette - 5:00pm

SEPTEMBER 02
All Saints, Hayward - 7:00pm
Our Lady Queen of the World, Bay Point - 5:00pm
Our Lady Queen of the World, Bay Point - 7:00pm (SP)
St. Anthony, Oakland - 7:30pm (VIET)
St. Callistus, El Sobrante - 5:30pm
St. Catherine, Martinez - 4:30pm
St. Francis, Concord - 5:30pm
St. Leo the Great, Oakland - 5:00pm

Faith Formation Registration for 2023-2024. Here are the details:

Registration 2023 begins July 3rd

A Baptism and Birth Certificate are required with your child's registration form.

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 10 2023 from 11:15-12:15pm)

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

(Starting Date: Sunday, September 10, 2023. 9:00-9:50am, 1:10-2:00pm, 2:00-2:50pm)

EDGE—Our junior high program to receive a sacrament.

(Starting Date: Wednesday, September 13, 2023 from 4:30-5:30pm)

Youth Confirmation Class is 2 years starting in 9th, 10th, or 11th grade.

(Starting Date: Sunday, September 10, 2023 from 11:15-12:45pm)

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

(Starting Date: Monday, September 25, 2023 at 7:00pm)

Parents Classes—Mandatory Parent Sessions once a month. Session dates TBA.

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 out your forms; you can email them to me at klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

If you're feeling called to be a catechist, please contact Klarisse at the email above. No experience is required, we will have a training day for anyone interested. Training date TBA.

El Registro 2023 Comienza el 3 de julio

Necesito una copia del certificado de nacimiento y el certificado de bautismo de su hijo, junto con la registracion.

Clases:

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

(Fecha de inicio: domingo, 10 de Septiembre de 2023 de 11:15-12:15pm)

La preparacion para la **primera comunión** es de 2 años.

(Fecha de inicio: domingo 10 de Septiembre de 2023. 9-9:50am, 1:10-2:00pm, 2:00-2:50pm)

EDGE—Nuestro programa de secundaria para recibir un sacramento.

(Fecha de inicio: miércoles 13 de septiembre de 2023 de 4:30-5:30pm)

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

Clases empiezan: domingo 10 de Septiembre de 2023 de 11:15-12:45pm

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

(Fecha de inicio: lunes 25 de Septiembre de 2023 a las 7:00pm)

Mandatorio sesion para padres una vez al mes. Se daran a conocer cuando empiezen las clases de catecismo.

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 sienten el llamado para ser catequistas les invitamos a participar en esta bella jornada de catecismo. No necesita experiencia. Tendremos un entrenamiento. Despues se les dara la fecha. Por favor comuniquese con Lorena al correo electronic mencionado arriba.