



CHURCH OF THE

Good Shepherd

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JANUARY 14, 2024



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. - Jn 1:35-36

2º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

En aquel tiempo, estaba Juan el Bautista con dos de sus discípulos, y fijando los ojos en Jesús, que pasaba, dijo: "Este es el Cordero de Dios". - Jn 1, 35-36

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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)

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 & OL of Manoaog ~5th Saturday

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

Baptisms: In order to make baptismal arrangements contact

Carmen goodshepherdpittsburg.org or

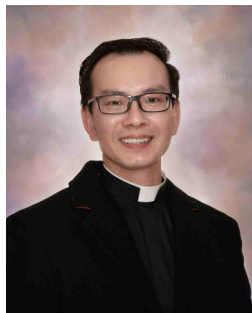
Lorena@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

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

ANOINTING OF THE SICK HOTLINE: 510-259-8706



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

As a priest, I'm amazed how happily married couples remember the tiniest details of their earliest encounters. They effortlessly report things like: "he wore a blue shirt," "we ordered brussels sprouts," "her hair was up in a bun," and "he spilled shrimp cocktail sauce at my family's open front door when it was ten degrees below zero," (that one's courtesy of my mom). We delight in remembering and speaking of when our new life of love began. The little details are glorious reminders that it's all *real*.

It's similar for John the Apostle. He tells us of the two disciples who followed Jesus into his house, **"...they stayed with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon."** Why does that tiny detail matter? Because *that's the time of day when they encountered the love of Jesus the Messiah in their lives*. Our religion is not primarily about abstract truths about God, no matter how true or sublime. It is about God meeting and saving us in our human nature. It's about a *human* relationship.

What was the time of day when you first recall encountering Christ and his Church? Who was there? What did you feel? How did things look and smell? What happened? Take some time to recall it in detail. For me, it was inside an old, rickety church on a hillside in Jerome, Arizona. It was about 9 p. m. on a Saturday evening. I was with my friends Jenny, Brad, and Laura. We were praying, singing, and laughing. When was it for you? Remembering the details isn't empty nostalgia. It reminds us now that God's love for us in our humanity is real.

Father John Muir ©LPi

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

2º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

La Liturgia de hoy nos coloca inmediatamente en un sentido de alerta al llamado de Dios, al encuentro y a la respuesta. Samuel, aun siendo niño, fue llamado en el silencio de la noche. A la tercera vez responde y da comienzo su preparación para su misión profética: "¿Samuel, Samuel! Samuel respondió. Habla, que tu servidor escucha" (1 Samuel 3,10). Los primeros discípulos, a la voz de Juan que les indica: "Ese es el Cordero de Dios", lo siguen y se quedan con él aquel día. Los cristianos, por el bautismo, se encuentran con Cristo. Desde aquel momento, por la fe, da comienzo la preparación para dar respuesta a la misión y al compromiso de seguir a Jesús en el servicio de los más necesitados.

¿Cómo ha sido nuestro encuentro, respuesta y seguimiento a la misión encomendada por Dios en nuestra vida? Las respuestas varían de acuerdo a nuestra vocación, a nuestros ideales y metas trazadas en la vida. ¿Quiénes son nuestros modelos a seguir en la actualidad? ¿Qué miran los hijos en sus padres que puedan seguir como ejemplo? Preguntémosnos que busquemos, a quien seguimos, como cultivamos nuestra relación con Dios, con la familia, con la naturaleza y el cosmos. Si Jesús en esta Eucaristía me pregunta ¿Qué buscas? ¿Cuál será mi respuesta? Cabe también preguntarle ¿Dónde vives? Nos diría, vivo en los pobres, los enfermos, los desamparados, y los tristes. ¿Tú, dónde crees que vive Jesús?

Parish Crab Feed Dinner

**Saturday,
February 24
5:30 pm**



\$65/Person

\$15 per child 8 and under

To make reservations call the parish office or stop by the table after mass. TO GO Meals available. When you make your reservation, let them know you want it to go. You can also have steak in place of crab.

Good Shepherd Parish Crab Feed RAFFLE TICKETS AVAILABLE

From Knights of Columbus Members or
Church Office

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*3 Days & 2 Nights at Peppermill Hotel Casino
2 Spa Gift Cards and other gift Value of \$125 each
2 \$150 Winco Gift Cards Value of \$150 each*



Raffle Tickets \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00

Our Lady of Lourdes

The World Day
of the Sick
Healing Mass at
10am,
February 10.
Come and Be Healed!



YOUNG AT HEART
STRENGTH TRAINING
A FALL PREVENTION PROGRAM



Good Shepherd Church

Meet in the Parish Hall - 11am start time

Tuesday, January 9th, 2024

Please arrive 15 minutes early on first day

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Improve Balance • Reduce Falls



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A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT FOR FAMILIES (AGES 13+)

**GENDER & THE THEOLOGY
OF YOUR BODY (AGES 13+)**

SATURDAY
February 3, 2024

12:00 - 1:30 PM

The innocence of the family is under attack like never before. Come and discover how to protect and heal yours. This chastity presentation is for teens, parents and adults.

SATURDAY
February 3, 2024

2:00 - 3:00 PM

What's the meaning of sex, gender, and the human body? The truth of masculinity and femininity are being questioned like never before. Discover how your body as a man or woman reveals your identity and calling.

Lunch/Check In 11:00-12:00 PM | Break 1:30-2:00 PM
Sacrament of Reconciliation & Eucharistic Adoration 3:00-3:30 PM

Purchase Tickets with QR Code



Tickets: chastity.com/purified
Info: srcdublin.chastityproject@gmail.com

Spaghetti Dinner

Saturday, January 27, 2024
Doors Open at 6:00 pm/Dinner 6:30 pm
Church of the Good Shepherd Parish Hall
(3200 Harbor St. Pittsburg)



The Young Ladies' Institute (YLI) and Young Men's Counsel (YMI) of Good Shepherd Parish would like invite you to our Fundraising Dinner.

We will be having a RAFFLE immediately following dinner with lots of great prizes!!!

Tickets: Adults \$20.00
Children 10 years and under \$10.00

Menu: Spaghetti and meat balls in a meat sauce, green salad, garlic bread and dessert

Tickets will be sold after Saturday & Sunday Mass or make reservations by calling Gerri Buccellato (925) 757-4198 or Rob Laxner (925) 628-7486. Email: robflash1961@aol.com

Take Out Available
with pre-purchase tickets.



New Year's Eve Party
Income Report

We want to thank everyone involved in putting on this successful party. Without your generosity we couldn't be as successful as we are.

Income- \$11,207

Expenses- \$3,300

Total income- \$6,807



Come and experience St. Peter Martyr School! We are a community of lifelong learners and believers. We prepare children to be God-centered, socially aware citizens who can effectively communicate. We're committed to their spiritual, intellectual, physical, emotional, social, and cultural development.

JANUARY 28, 2024
10 AM - 12 PM

- ✔ Experience the close community
- ✔ Learn about academics and activities
- ✔ Take a tour around the campus
- ✔ Meet students, staff, and teachers



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ST. PETER MARTYR SCHOOL



**2024 - 2025
ADMISSION OPEN**

St. Peter Martyr School prepares children to be God-centered, socially aware citizens and lifelong learners who can effectively communicate. We're committed to their spiritual, intellectual, physical, emotional, social, and cultural development.

School Facilities:

Small class sizes, individualized learning, diverse community, library, garden, and fresh made meals.

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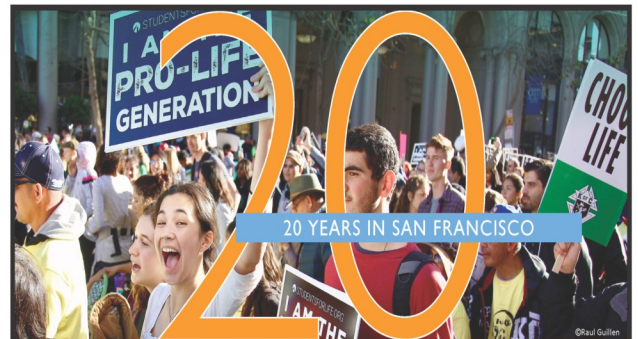
(925) 439-1014



Santo Nino Feast Day
Sunday, January 14, 2024
at 12 pm Mass and reception to follow.

If you would like to make a Mass offering for your special intentions. Please contact our ministries coordinators: Ofelia 925-427-1197.

The Santo Niño de Cebú is a Roman Catholic title of the Child Jesus associated with a religious image of the Christ Child widely venerated as miraculous by Filipino Catholics. It is the oldest Christian artifact in the Philippines, originally a gift from explorer Ferdinand Magellan to Rajah Humabon and his chief consort on account of their Christian baptism in 1521.



Because Women Deserve Better than Abortion.®

WALK FOR LIFE WEST COAST

20TH ANNUAL

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2024 • CIVIC CENTER PLAZA • SAN FRANCISCO

Rally: 12:30 PM
CIVIC CENTER PLAZA
Info Faire: 11:00 AM
Saturday, January 20, 2024



Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street (2 miles). Walk ends at Embarcadero Plaza.

BART stations at both locations. Ample parking.

Register and info:
(415) 658-1793 | email: info@WalkforLifeWC.com

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Mass Intentions Jan 15- Jan 21, 2024

Mass Intentions For The Week



Mon	10:00am	Michael Gonzales †
Tue	7:30 am	Lupe Bustillos †
Wed	7:30 am	Ramon Constantino†
Thu	7:30 am	Marc D'Angelus † (1st Year Death Ann.)
Fri	7:30 am	Wilma Jean Holland † (Birthday Ann.)
	7:00 pm	Daniel Cortez Acuña †
Sat	8:00 am	Cesar V. Lucero † Margot Ryder †
	5:30 pm	Neno & Mamie Russo †
Sun	8:00 am	Abraham Ezeh †
	10:00 am	Consuelo Segovia † (Birthday Ann.)
	12:00pm	Wilma Jean Holland (Death Ann.)
	3:00 pm	For the people of the parish.

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1- Santo Nino Feast Day
Sunday, January 14th, 2024 at
12pm Mass and reception
to follow



2- Parish Crab Feed, Saturday,
February 24th, 2024 at 5pm.

3- Parish Good Shepherd Feast Day
Sunday, April 21st, 2024 at 11am.

More details will be announced on these
important dates

Weekend of JANUARY 7, 2024

1st Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$7,786.22

2nd Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$3,911.73

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

1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19
1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20
John 1:35-42

NEXT SUNDAY'S 2nd COLLECTION

CHURCH FLOWERS



Baptism Juliana with Fr Thi January 7, 2024



Quincenera blessing (LESLY) January 7, 2024

NEW OAKLAND DIOCESE POLICY

Kneel after the Holy, Holy until after the Amen



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In the Dioceses of the United States of America, they should kneel beginning after the singing or recitation of the Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) until after the Amen of the Eucharistic Prayer, except when prevented on occasion by ill health, or for reasons of lack of space, of the large number of people present, or for another reasonable cause. However, those who do not kneel ought to make a profound bow when the Priest genuflects after the Consecration. The faithful kneel after the Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) unless the Diocesan Bishop determines otherwise.[Sacrosanctum Concilium 40; Varietates legitimæ 41]

Decreed by Michael C Barber, S.J., Bishop of Oakland on January 5, 2024.
Normative and must be observed by Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024



We will officially apply this new policy in our church at the beginning of Lent, Feb 14.