

# Church of the Good Shepherd

## Good Shepherd Catholic Parish: One Flock, One Family, Living and Sharing the Love of Christ!

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CATHOLIC SCHOOL-St. Peter Martyr 439-1014

### PARISH MINISTRY

Altar Guild – Namie Fontecha

Altar Servers – Dina Russell 439-1092

Bingo Office (1st Tuesday of month only) 439-3100

Buildings & Grounds 432-6404

### Music Ministry

Parish Music Dir.–Rocco Enea 432-6404

8:00 a.m. Choir – Evelyn Arms 439-5351

10:00 a.m. Choir – Sal Bruno 432-0736

### Couples for Christ – FFL

Napoleon & Theresa Umadhay 427-5457

CYO – Diane George 432-3043

Divine Mercy Ministry-Tammy Vo 698-4559

### Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Ann & Bill Abitz 432-3995

Extra Ordinary Ministers to the Sick – Confetti's 439-8958

Filipino Ministry-Feli Buettner 427-5265

Finance – Sergio Palaganas 206-7416

Grief Ministry – Judy Dudziak

Italian Catholic Federation – Patty Jarrett 228-0810

Knights of Columbus – Ted Franger 252-0421

Lectors – David De Luna 698-8585

Liturgy Committee - Rocco Enea 439-1014

### Pastoral Council –

### Religious Education/Sacramental Preparation

Faith Formation – [dina@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:dina@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

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RCIA –Deacon Ken Wedge 432-6404

Baptismal Prep – Robert & Sheena Beck 427-5926

Returning Catholics-Fr. Carl Arcosa 432-6404

### Santo Nino Family Prayer Ministry

Romeo & Sery Razo 439-7706

Social Justice – Deacon Ken Wedge 432-6404

Spanish Ministry-Graciela Corona 510-912-1102

St. Vincent DePaul Assistance Line 470-5222

Stewardship – Darla Kilgannon 432-0243

Ushers – Frank DiMaggio 776-5107

Vocations-Fr. Carl Arcosa 432-6404

### Wedding Liturgy Coordinators-

Danette Shipe 427-9561 or Bee Francisco 473-9247

Young Ladies Institute-Feli Buettner 432-7382

### Parish Staff

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[yvette@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:yvette@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

### Schedule of Masses

Sundays 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.  
& 12 noon

Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m.

1st Tuesdays & Fridays 7:00 p.m.

Liturgy of the Hours/Morning Prayer  
6:30 a.m.

Saturdays 8:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.  
(Vigil)

Holy Days 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

*Confessions:* Saturday, 4:00 p.m., Tuesdays  
at 7 p.m., or by appointment.

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

*Marriages:* Couples are required to make  
arrangements at least six months in  
advance at:  
[weddings@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:weddings@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

*Quinceaneras:* In order to schedule a 15th  
Birthday Mass, contact:  
[quince@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:quince@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

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

**Father Carl's Corner June 7-8**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

A Blessed Pentecost Sunday to all!

I would like to thank all our families, all parishioners, all volunteers and all the ministries that joined and served during our Parish Flock Party 2014!

It was a good turnout for a simple festival we have. Seeing the generosity of the volunteers and all the sacrifices many made, I give praise to God.

Truly, I am touched by the people who came, those who did the presentations, the bands (Automatics & 4 Hits and a Miss), those who prepared their booths, the sponsors and generous donors we had, the ministries and organizations that sold food, provided games for our children and who helped us in the set-up and clean up.

I commend the La Pieta Prayer Group for their month-long praying of the Rosary and for the crowning of our Blessed Mother, Queen of Peace with the intention for the success of our Parish Flock Party.

I really want to have this Flock Party because this is the best way for me to know, to gauge and to measure our ability to work together as a parish and as a family. We passed the test! Now I believe that we could do more and greater things if we could only work together and bring all our resources and gifts together with the main intention and purpose to serve others and God.

Now that the festival is over, let us rest a bit and prepare for another feast that will come: The Feast of Corpus Christi (Body of Christ). Before the Feast, there will be a 9 day Holy Hour Novena sponsored by our Parish Youth Ministry starting June 13 and on the Day of the Feast on June 22, there will be a solemn procession after the 12PM Mass around the parish property.

I would like to invite all ministries to sign up for the the Holy Hour and also to join in the procession.

Thank you once again! Let us ask on this Day of Pentecost for the Holy Spirit to guide, sanctify us and to help us to remember always our motto and mission: **Good Shepherd Catholic Parish - One Flock... One Family... Living and Sharing the Love of Christ."**

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND  
OPPORTUNITES**

**June 20-22 and September 5-7**  
go to [www.oaklandwwme.org](http://www.oaklandwwme.org) or  
call 925-672-2016 or 925-680-7767

**LOST AND FOUND**

**We have recently found a set of keys and a cell phone in the church after weekend Mass. If these items might be yours, please contact the parish office at 432-6404 to claim them!**

**SCHOOL OF APPLIED THEOLOGY (SAT)  
SUMMER SPIRITUALITY SERIES  
JUNE, 2014**

This summer program is open to laity, priests, deacons and religious sisters to serve as a spiritual enrichment opportunity.

Topics include: *Mercy in the World,*  
*Living Contemplatively in a Busy World &*  
*Radical Gratitude*

For details go to [www.satgtu.org/summer2014](http://www.satgtu.org/summer2014)  
Or call 510-652-1651

**CANDLE MINISTRY NEWS!**

**We are happy to inform you that if you wish to purchase candles for use at home, you can do so at the parish office any time during business hours, Monday through Thursday from 9 am until 4 pm. The requested donation is \$3 per candle. Please remember to return the empty glass to the church since we get a rebate for all glass returned to the candle company. If you do purchase candles directly from the church to take home, please make sure you have exact change and DO NOT remove any candles from the stands. Make your candle request to the Sacristan.**

**STEWARDSHIP HOUSEKEEPING MINISTRY  
NEEDS YOUR HELP!**

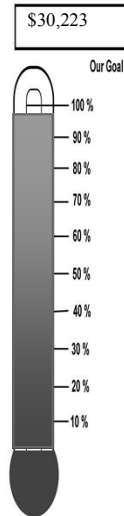
**The Housekeeping Ministry is in need of more volunteers to help clean the church on Mondays after the 7:00 a.m. mass. Volunteers sweep and mop the restroom floors, empty the trash in the church, and dust and vacuum the lobby and main areas of the church as needed. To help with this important ministry, just show up any Monday, except holidays, around 8:00 a.m. and ask for Sonja or Namie.**

**Set the World on Fire: Bishop's Appeal 2014**

*Every family is asked to make a proportionate sacrificial gift or pledge to the Bishop's Appeal. We realize that not everyone can make the same size gift, but we can all make the same size sacrifice!*

*Please place your clearly marked donations in any collection basket today or in the coming weeks.*

*Your generosity in helping our parish meet our goal is very much appreciated! We are currently at **99%** of goal!*

**INFORM YOUR FAITH!**Television:

EWTN on channel 261 on DISH Network or channel 370 on DIRECTV or channel 229 on Comcast

Radio:

KSFB AM 1260 San Francisco

**CONGRATULATIONS CONFIRMANDI!**

**Fr. George Mockel, Vicar General, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to the following young people of our parish at the 12 noon Mass today. We ask you to keep them in your prayers as they continue to journey in faith!**

**Nikolas Abenoja**  
**Brianna Alas**  
**Audrey Annison**  
**Christian Bilbay**  
**Devin Brown**  
**Emily Cabral**  
**Alaia Cahayag**  
**Gina Camacho**  
**Christine Carpio**  
**Nicholas Ceballos**  
**Luis Cortes**  
**Sabryna Cruz**  
**Ma. Cathrina Fatima Dador**  
**Jesse Dominguez**  
**Benwill Garcia**  
**Joshua Garcia**  
**Anne Hardeway**  
**Jasper Lomod**  
**Juliana Martinez**  
**Michael Mc Clelland**  
**Colin Monasterial**  
**Vincent Thomas Nicolosi**



**Savannah O'Neal**  
**Isaac Pacheco**  
**Natalie Pacheco**  
**Nathaniel Panis**  
**Anthony Perez**  
**Miranda Ramos**  
**Roelyne Reyes**  
**Faith Nicole Ripoli**  
**Justin James Riso**  
**Macey Robles**  
**Brandon Romero**  
**Leanne Sagun**  
**Karla Sahagun**  
**Christine Saint Germain**  
**Elijah Salazar**  
**Mark Anthony Sanchez**  
**Jared Tamondong**  
**Vanessa Tejada**  
**Ciana Torres**  
**Jordan Windham**  
**Chantal Ysip**  
**Wendy Zelaya**

**PARISH LITURGY & EVENTS CALENDAR Year 2014**

June 1	Parish Festival & Ministry Fair
June 8	Pentecost Sunday Confirmation @12:00 Mass (w/the Vicar)
June 13 – 21	Novena for the Feast of Corpus Christi
June 22	Corpus Christi Sunday
June 24-26	Triduum - Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
June 27	Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (2 Masses)
July 4-29	Fr. Brendan Carmody, SJ Visiting Priest
July 17	Monthly Parish Dinner
July 28-29	Jesuit Missionary Coop Appeal
August 15	Solemnity of the Assumption of the BVM (Holy Day of Obligation)
August 16-20	Parish Mission w/Redemptorist Priest
August 30-31	Food for the Poor Campaign w/Visiting Priest
September 6	Deacon Ken's Flea Market
September 27	Feast of St. Vincent de Paul-Filipino Fiesta
September 28	Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz 12 Noon Mass With Reception
October 1-31	Month of the Holy Rosary/Month for Life
October 4	Feast of St. Francis of Assisi
October 4/5	Respect Life Sunday
October 7	Feast of our Lady of the Holy Rosary
October 13	Feast of Our Lady of Fatima
October 18/19	World Mission Sunday w/Maryknoll Priest
October 24	Prayer Park Committee Pasta Dinner
October 31	International Rosary Trunk-or-Treat
November 1	All Saints Day
November 2	All Souls Day (2 Masses)
November 8-9	Fr. Dan McKinnon (Redemptorist Priest) Onbound Ministry -Vocation Awareness &Stewardship Sunday /Min Heads Speaking
November 16	Parish Craft Fair
November 23	Feast of Christ the King-Commitment Sunday
November 27	Parish Thanksgiving Mass 9AM
December 1	Advent Parish Reflection
December 2	Parish Advent Reconciliation
December 8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
December 12	Feast Our Lady of Guadalupe/Spanish Mass
December 16-24	Simbang Gabi – 9 Novena (5am) Masses
December 25	Christmas Day with Children's Mass
December 31	Evening Mass for Peace (Vigil of the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

**" Bad Girls of the Bible?"**

About six years ago 10 ladies and three men came together and started studying a series of books by Liz Curtis-Higgs on "The Bad Girls of the Bible". We studied one bad girl at a time from Eve, the first bad lady, to Rehab, and Sarah who were only bad for a moment. Our last book was about Mary Magdalene who became a devoted disciple of Jesus almost from the start of his ministry to his passion and death on the cross and the first person he appeared to after his resurrection.

Some ladies– like Potiphar's wife, Lot's wife, or the Lady at the Well; we never learned their first names, but after 4 to 8 sessions per Gal we got to know all 27 of them personally. Mostly, we learned that God loves us so much he will forgive us, all we have to do is ask him to help, then turn our lives around and **become a better version of ourselves**, if not, there could be tragic endings like Jezebel or Delilah who were bad to the bone!

Other study books, "The Disciple as Steward" by Sharon Huekel and "Blueprint of the Bible" by Joe Poprocki continues to enflame our faith. Our next book will be "**Rediscovering Catholicism**", by **Mathew Kelly** (Christmas gift to all families in this parish). The Bad Girls group thought it would be a great opportunity to study this book in depth together.

With the encouragement of Fr. Carl we would like to invite everyone to join us:

**Tuesdays starting September 9th at 7 PM in our ministry building.**

**Bring:**

- 1- Rediscovering Catholicism Book
- 2 - Open mind and heart.
- 3 - Writing supplies.
- 4 - Favorite study Bible.

There is no charge for the sessions.

We know that work and school schedules can be hectic, come as often as you can, but the more you come the more you will rediscover your faith.

Yours in the Service of Christ,

Patricia Cadena and the Bad Girls of the Bible Group

## **LIFELINE SCREENING IS RETURNING TO GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH ON THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 2014!!!!**

**Pre-register for Stroke/Carotid Artery Screening (\$70), Heart Rhythm Screening (\$70), Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening (\$70), Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening (\$60), or Osteoporosis Risk Screening (\$60) or a combination of 4 screenings for \$139 by calling 1-800-324-9458 or going to [www.helpinghandsforhealth.com](http://www.helpinghandsforhealth.com)  
YOUR HEALTH IS IMPORTANT TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY!**

## Mass Intentions

June 9-15

Mon	7 am	Maria Huyen Tran † *
Tue	7 am	Nicholla Viloría 20th Birthday *
Wed	7 am	Elido Gundayao † #
Thu	7 am	In thanksgiving Ellen Viloría #
Fri	7 am	Patricia Vito Fernandez 14th Death Anniversary † *
Sat	8 am	Rogelio Auzat #
	5:30 <sub>pm</sub>	Jose Mari Vargas † *
Sun	8am	Stephen & Nita Esposito † #
	10am	Rudolph J. Vera † *
	12pm	FOR THE PEOPLE #
	5:30 <sub>pm</sub>	Walter Mosca † *

\* = Fr. Carl Arcosa

# = Fr. Conrad Bayor

## YEAR TO DATE SACRAMENT TOTALS

Baptisms	33
First Holy Communions	74
Confirmations	5
Deaths	12
Weddings	2
Sick Calls	15

## ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE FOR JUN 14/15

## Saturday

5:30 Gabby Barrett, David Ferris, Chris Barrett,  
Brianna & Nick Ferris

## Sunday

8:00 Giovanni Ferrante, Don Phan

10:00 Kyle Dozier, Klarissa Tan, Gillian &amp; Giles Carlos

12:00 Justin, Joshua, Juliana Carrillo, Michael Llaguno

5:30 Jasper Lomod, Gabriel Aguilera, Josue Coronoa,  
Carlos Mendoza

## LECTORS SCHEDULE FOR JUN 14/15

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>
Saturday	Sally Bellando	May Plata
5:30		
Sunday		
8:00	Ina Kinadeter	Darla Kilgannon
10:00	Linda Ilas	Jane Russo
12:00	Letha Payne	Naomi Sarao
5:30	Leticia Hernandez	Irma Montejano

## EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR JUN 14/15

## Saturday

5:30: Carol & Ben Davi, Maya Duran, Lucilla Mangante,  
Josephine Saca, Josi Sobel

## Sunday

8:00 Lynn Hoggatt, Cynthia Auza, Bob & Sheena Beck,  
Cynthia Greely, Ed Woodrow10:00 John & Jan Rinaudo, Florida Castillo, Bernadette  
Cawaring, Jessica & Antonio Los Banos12:00 Romeo & Sery Razo, Marc Cahayag, Mercy Cruz,  
Roy & Ronnie Lagarejos

5:30 Sonja Shephard, Rosa Granados, Alicia Leon

**!ATTENTION!****2ND COLLECTION CHANGE FOR  
NEXT WEEKEND JUNE 14/15**

The regularly scheduled 2nd collection for next weekend (Father's Day) is being changed from *Debt Reduction* to a Special Collection for Fr. Conrad, one of our priestly fathers, to help him in his efforts to continue his education and continue his priestly service to us and others. Please keep him and Fr. Carl in your prayers on Father's Day and always!

## NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9, 2 Corinthians 13:11-13,  
John 3:16-18

## NEXT WEEK'S 2ND COLLECTION

FATHER'S DAY FOR FR. CONRAD