

Church of the Good Shepherd

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

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PARISH MINISTRY

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

Music Ministry

Parish Music Dir. Rocco Enea 432-6404
 8:00am Choir Evelyn Arms 439-5351
 10:00am Choir Sal Bruno 432-0736
 12 Noon Choir Cynthia Auza 427-0778
 5:30 Spanish

Catholic Daughters Cynthia Greely 437-7846

Couples for Christ FFL
 Nap & Theresa Umadhay 427-5457

CYO Diane George 432-3043

Divine Mercy Ministry Becky Naca 858-9217

Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy
 Communion Ann & Bill Abitz 432-3995

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Parish Staff

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Schedule of Masses

Sundays 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
 12 noon & 5:30 pm Spanish

Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m.

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

Morning Prayer 7:00 a.m.

Saturdays 8:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

(Vigil)

Holy Days 7:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Confessions: Daily after mass, Tuesdays at
 7 p.m., Saturdays at 8:45 am, Sundays
 at 4:30 pm in Spanish or by appointment.

Baptisms: In order to make baptismal
 arrangements, contact:
 carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Marriages: Couples are required to make
 arrangements at least six months in
 advance at:
 carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Quinceaneras: In order to schedule a 15th
 Birthday Mass, contact:
 carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Funeral Arrangements: Should be ar-
 ranged by family, church and mortuary.
 Normal Christian burial consists of Vigil
 Service, Holy Mass and Burial in a
 Catholic Cemetery. Any other arrange-
 ments should first be discussed with
 parish priest.

Good Shepherd Celebrating 2017 – Year of Stewardship

July Intention: (Month for Prisoners)

- 16 Feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel with Blessing and Investiture of the Scapular after all masses
- 19 Fr. Carl's Birthday Celebration 7PM Mass with Simple Refreshments

August Intention: (Month for the Homeless)

- 5-6 Cross Catholic Outreach
- 13 Mass in Honor of Venerable Michael McGiveny 8AM Mass with Knights of Columbus
- 12-13 K of C Recruitment Weekend with Testimony
- 15 Assumption 730AM, 830AM Spanish & 7PM Masses (Day of Obligation)
- 17 Parish Dinner with Spanish Ministry and Divine Mercy Spanish Group
- 26- 28 Parish Preaching Mission on Stewardship

September: Intention: (Month for the Poor)

- 8 Birth of Mary 730AM followed by a Rosary and Floral Offering with MOPH Group
- 21 Parish Benefit Dinner with SVDP Conference in Honor of St. Vincent de Paul Ministry
- 24 Parish Festival - Stewardship Sunday, Ministry Faire and Testimonials and Parish Kermes and Raffle

**PLEASE NOTE THE NEW PARISH OFFICE HOURS:
Monday-Thursday from 9 am to 11:30 am & 2 pm-4 pm
Fridays from 9 am to 12 pm & 1 pm—3 pm**

Feeling lucky? Stop by and see one of the YLI members after the 5:30, 8 & 10 am masses and the Spanish 5:30 mass to purchase your 2017 Flock Party raffle tickets for a pilgrimage for two to Italy plus other great prizes!



YEAR OF STEWARDSHIP

Our financial campaign continues for our Year of Stewardship, so we encourage all those who give regularly, to switch to giving through EFT. We are not asking you to increase your giving, but only to change the way you give. 5 new enrollment forms have been turned in!

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED!

We are in need of additional Altar Servers for our daily masses, if you attend the morning masses during the week and you would like to become more involved in the Liturgy, then you might want to become an Altar Server. We could sure use your help. If interested, please contact Bill Abitz 925 432-3995.

SUMMER MISSION: Our Call from Fatima & Faustina***June 26 at 7 pm ~Church of the Good Shepherd***

Riveting Talks ~ Praise & Worship ~ Adoration ~ Prayer for Conversions and Consecrations to Our Lady & of the Family to Divine Mercy Presented by Dave & Joan Maroney with Spirit Power Music by Marty Rotella

For more information you can contact:**Becky @ 925-858-9217 or Ellen @ 925-642-3339****LIFELINE SCREENING RETURNS TO GS ON JUNE 29, 2017!**

Life Line Screening is a leading provider of community-based preventative health screenings. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to blocked arteries, aneurysms, heart disease and bone density. All of the screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Screenings are \$149 and there are three ways to register and receive a \$10 discount. Call 1-888-653-6441, visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle> or text the word circle to 797979.

COUNSELING OPPORTUNITY AVAILABLE AT GOOD SHEPHERD

Diocese of Oakland Counselor, Sandy Heinish, is available for counseling here at Good Shepherd on Tuesdays. She is English speaking only.

If you wish to set up an appointment to speak with Sandy, please contact her at 925-628-1503 or sandyna@sbcglobal.net to set up an appointment.

KELLY MOORE PAINT COMPANY WANTS TO HELP YOU & THE DIOCESE OF OAKLAND!

Kelly Moore is excited to offer you a special discount on your paint purchases and award a percentage of those sales dollars back to the Diocese of Oakland. Visit any Kelly Moore Paint Store and us the Diocese of Oakland Parishioner KM Club Account **605-DI4711**. Last year Kelly Moore donated back \$1,000. Why not take advantage of this very special offer?

THE USHERS WOULD LIKE YOU TO KNOW... If you wish to bring up the offertory gifts at a particular mass, you may sign up to do so on the Usher clipboard located in the vestibule of the church. There is opportunity to sign up for Sunday masses from now until January 2018!

ANNOUNCING THIS YEAR'S FLOCK PARTY!!!**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
IN THE SPIRITUAL GARDEN**

Cultural Foods! Games! Ministry Fair! Entertainment! Drawing for the Italy Pilgrimage! COME AND SPEND THE DAY WITH YOUR PARISH FAMILY!

Water and soft drink donations being accepted at the parish office now!



Sacristan Wanted

The Church has relied on special people to help prepare the way of the Lord. Today, these people are called sacristans. They usually work quietly, behind the scenes, but their work is invaluable to the gathered community. Sacristans at Good Shepherd prepare the church before each celebration of the Eucharist.

If you love the Lord, and are looking for a way to serve your parish community, then maybe your talents can be used at one of the masses on Saturday or Sunday.

If you're interested or need more information please contact Bill Abitz:

925-432-3995

wmabitz@sbcglobal.net.

From the Chapel

If you're leaving the chapel and you are the only one there, please close the drapes on the Monstrance, and turn off all the lights. If it's after hours, please make sure the entry door is locked.

If you would like to use the chapel after hours or weekends and holidays you may do so if you're a parishioner at Good Shepherd Church and you obtain an entry code from Bill Abitz 925 872-5852 or babitz.ba@gmail.com.

**FUN TRIP TO
CACHE CREEK CASINO**

Saturday, July 22, 2017

Leave Good Shepherd at 8:30 am

Return to Good Shepherd at 5:30 pm

Cost is \$35

**Return is \$10 Play or \$20 Match Play &
\$5 Food**

Call Gerri @ 757-4198 or

Jennie at 432-3921

**Sponsored by the YLI
American Stage Tour Bus**

ST. PETER MARTYR FALL ENROLLMENT

St. Peter Martyr School is accepting applications for 3 year old Preschool, 4 year old Prekindergarten, Kindergarten and grades 1-8. In addition to their strong academic program, students receive spiritual knowledge of our Catholic faith, morals and values. Extended care and extra curricular programs are also available. Applications are available at the school and at www.stpetermartyrschool.org. St. Peter Martyr School is located at 425 West Fourth St. in Pittsburgh. We are fully accredited and invite you to become part of our Catholic school family. For further information about our affordable rates, call the school at 925-439-1014 or visit www.stpetermartyrschool.org

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS AVAILABLE
IN THE DIOCESE OF OAKLAND**

**If you want to rediscover the joy, intimacy and romance in your marital relationship, contact
Joe & Sue Talarico at 925-680-7767 or
two-hearts-on-fire@hotmail.com**

**To sign up for one of the many weekends available
this year.**

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
Sirius/XM Channels:**

The Catholic Channel 129

EWTN 130

The Message 63

**Save the Date: Sunday, November 19,
2017 9 am-3 pm**

**2017 Church of the Good Shepherd Craft
Fair and Fashion Show**

**Vendor Signups Now Being Accepted -
Contact Awilda Graff at (925) 642-0876
or via email at sewasuno@gmail.com for
signup sheet and details;**

**Any Church Ministry Interested in Work-
ing the Kitchen as a Fundraiser, please
also email Mrs. Graff for info.**

Mass Intentions		June 26-July 2
Mon	7:30 am	Jerry Ursua † Thanksgiving—Cynthia Auza #
Tue	7:30 am	Eva Mc Dowell † *
Wed	7:30 am	Frank Vitalie Birthday # #
	10 am	Panfilio Manuera Death Anniversary†
Thu	7:30 am	Stephen & Nita Esposito † #
Fri	7:30 am	Al Zbacnik & Beatrice Affinito Madenes † *
Sat	8 am	Cassandra Ysip Birthday
	5:30pm	Keith Holster †
Sun	8 am	Virginia Marie Medrano †
	10am	Anthony Giambalvo †
	12pm	Pepito Tamondong Sr. †
	5:30pm	FOR THE PEOPLE
*= Fr. Carl ^=Fr. Chavez #=Fr. Conrad THE 2017 MASS BOOK IS OPEN!		

YEAR TO DATE SACRAMENT TOTALS	
Baptisms	35
First Holy Communions	170
Confirmations	66
Deaths	12
Weddings	2
Sick Calls	

PARISH POLO	
<p>Due to the popularity of the blue polo with the Good Shepherd logo that the parish staff is wearing these days, we decided to offer this stylish shirt for purchase to our ministers and parishioners. Ministries can wear their shirts when they are working or meeting on behalf of the parish and parishioners can wear it to parish events as a symbol of their belonging to the parish family.</p>	
<p>The polos are 100% polyester and come in Adult S, M and L, XL, XXL. To order yours fill out the form, attach your check and put it in any collection basket or mail it to the parish office. Cost is \$20 each.</p>	
Name _____	
Size S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____ (Indicate number of each size desired)	
Best phone # to call for pick up: _____	
Amount enclosed:\$ _____ Deadline is August 13	

MINISTERS	FOR NEXT	WEEKEND'S	LITURGIES
Date	Time	Lectors	EM's
July 1	5:30 pm	D Lawson Y Ripoli	B Abitz, A Abitz, C & B Davi, L Cellan, L Mangante, J Sobel
July 2	8 am	C Ghiselli I Kinadeter	M Marin, I Kinadeter, P Lorenzo, G Shipe, E Vilorio, S Shephard, E Woodrow
July 2	10 am	M Bond M Hill	J Rinaudo, M Benitez, L Canciamilla, A & J Los Banos, B & J Naca, R Pascual, M Reynoso
July 2	12 noon	F Bartolo S Bellando	N Umadhay, T Umadhay, L Briones, R & J Lagarejos, J Lomod, L Madrigal, R Razo, S Quejado
July 2	5:30 pm	A Alvarez N Baltazar	A Alvarez, M Alvarez, M Escruceria, R Gra- nados, O Javrequi, A Diaz, L Mata

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS	NEXT WEEK'S 2ND COLLECTION
2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a, Romans 6:3-4, 8-11, Matthew 10:37-42	Peter's Pence