

Church of the Good Shepherd



November 19, 2017

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

***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
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12 Noon Choir Cynthia Auza 427-0778
5:30 Spanish

Catholic Daughters Cynthia Greely 437-7846
Couples for Christ FFL

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

Devotions 432-6404

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Bee Francisco 473-9247

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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, Mondays at
6:30 p.m., Saturdays at 8:45 am, Sun-
days at 4:30 pm in Spanish or by ap-
pointment.

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.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK HOT-
LINE: 510-552-6596~Call between the
Hours of 9am and 4 pm and text after
business hours.

Good Shepherd Celebrating 2017 – Year of Stewardship

- November** (Month for All Souls in Purgatory)
 18 St. Vincent De Paul Thanksgiving Baskets
 23 Thanksgiving Day at 7:30AM & 10:00AM Bilingual
- December** **Intention: (Month for Abused Children and Suffering Children)**
 5, 19 Advent Community Penance Service and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7PM Church
 7 Parish Christmas Dinner – All Ministries
 8 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception 730AM, 830AM Spanish & 7PM Masses (Day of Obligation)
 10 Anticipated Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe
 5AM Mananitas & 2:30PM Mass (In Spanish)
 12 Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe 730AM and 700 PM Mass in Spanish
 16 Parish Christmas Giving Tree
 17 Posadas with Hispanic Ministry
 16-24 Simbang Gabi with Filipino Ministry
 24 5:30 pm Family Mass, 1130pm Carols & Midnight Mass
 25 Christmas Day Mass 8AM, 10AM, 12N and 2:30PM (Spanish with Children's Liturgy)
 30-31 Feast of the Holy Family with FFL Ministry



MONTH OF ALL SOULS

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

WORKING ON THE MARGINS

Respond to Pope Francis' call for the 1st World Day of the Poor by generously giving to this week's 2nd collection for the Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, 1 in 6 people live in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those who are struggling across the county. In addition, 25% of funds collection remains in our Diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org.cchd/collection.

CALLING ALL WOMEN!

Magnificat SOTI, a Ministry for Catholic Women invite you to join them at their Advent Prayer Breakfast on December 9 from 9:30 to 12:30

Crown Plaza—45 John Glenn Dr., Concord

This is a morning of praise, prayer and inspiration by speaker Fr. Gary Thomas. Fr. Thomas is the mandated exorcist for the Diocese of San Jose.

Tickets are \$33/\$40 after Dec @ go to www.magnificat-ministry.net

For more information about our guest speaker and tickets or call Kim Sullivan at 925-683-8820 magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com for reservations.

GRIEF MINISTRY REMEMBRANCE TREE



The Grief Ministry will place a Remembrance Tree in the Sanctuary during the month of November. Anyone can put the names of their family and friends on a card and place it on the tree. Several names can be placed on one card. Cards for this purpose will be available near the tree. We will remember all of the people whose names are placed on the tree throughout the month of November.

CYO NEWS

Today we welcome the coaches and players in our Good Shepherd CYO Basketball Program to the 8 am mass.

Let us pray for the safety and well-being of all involved in this very worthwhile program.

We will also be hearing more about the mission and ministry of our CYO Program.

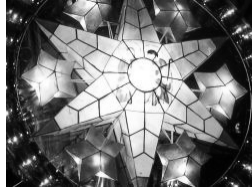
Attention Eucharistic Ministers: Those of you who have not picked up the inserts for their Eucharistic Minister Resource Manual as of November 12, 2017. Please do so as soon as possible. Your packet is on the counter in the Sacristy; please only take the packet with your name on it.

PARISH MISSION TALKS & CONCERT WITH MARTY ROTELLA NOVEMBER 27, 28 & 29

- ♦ Monday, November 27, 7-9 pm in the Church for RCIA, Confirmation, Lifeteen & All Parishioners
 - ♦ Tuesday, November 28, 7-9 pm in the Church for All Ministries & Parishioners
 - ♦ Wednesday, November 29, 7-9 pm in the Parish Hall for Edge Students
- PLEASE PLAN ON JOINING US ON ONE OR MORE OF THESE EVENINGS**

SIMBANG GABI NEWS

You are invited to join us for "SIMBANG GABI". This wonderful tradition in the Philippines meaning mass at dawn for nine days before Christmas. Our celebration of Simbang Gabi will begin with a 5am mass starting on December 16 through December 24. Traditionally each mass is followed with breakfast which will be served at the parish hall immediately after mass. This is also a spiritual preparation for Christmas and commemorating the birth of Jesus Christ. The celebration is also a way of requesting the blessing from the Lord. Most people believe that if one completes the whole series of 9 dawn masses wishes will be granted.

**PARISH MONTHLY DINNER NEWS**

There will be no parish monthly dinner scheduled for November BUT.....

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for a special Parish Christmas Dinner on
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7TH AT 6 PM IN THE PARISH HALL

The December parish monthly dinner will be a way for all of our parish families to come together to pray, celebrate and share a meal before the hubbub of the Christmas Holidays go into full swing.

Pasta and tri tip will be served ` bring your own wine and spirits

The cost is \$20 per person—Kids 12 and under are \$15.

ANNOUNCING:
EVENING CONFESSION DAY AND TIME CHANGE

Beginning this month we will

NO LONGER

have confessions on

Tuesday evenings at 7 pm.

The **NEW** weekly evening confession day and time is

**MONDAY EVENINGS
AT 6:30 PM**

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS WINTER DANCE PARTY!

Bring your Christmas spirit and just dance!
Fun for all ages!

Saturday, December 2nd at the
Good Shepherd Parish Hall from 5:30 to 8 pm.
Doors open at 5 pm.

Advanced tickets are \$10 or \$12 at the door~

Children 6 and under are free!

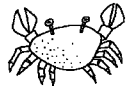
Raffles and refreshments for sale.

For more information call Josie at
925-216-7766 or 432-2265.



**THE ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CRAB FEED IS COMING
UP ON**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2018!



Tickets are on sale through the parish office for \$45 per person or \$40 a person for a table of 8 or more purchased at the same time!

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
REMINDER!**

Please remember to keep making the payments to your Campaign pledge! It is those generous contributions that are allowing us to make much needed improvements to our buildings and grounds!

THANK YOU!



TODAY

2017 Craft Fair and Cultural Fashion Show In the Parish Hall After All Masses!

SHEPHERD'S CLOSET CHRISTMAS GIVE AWAY

As we begin to prepare for the holiday season, with Thanksgiving and Christmas are just around the corner, it's time to prepare for the coming of the infant child into our minds and hearts. As we prepare our Christmas shopping lists, let's not forget those families with young children who are to as blessed as we are. Shepherd's Closet will do this by giving new clothes and toys to families in need at our Shepherd's Closet on December 12th. Once again we ask you to help us provide **NEW** *Holiday* clothes that children can wear for Christmas, for church and for school. We are looking for children sizes 6 months-24 months, as well as sizes 2T-5T, 4 - 6x and 7-8. We are also looking for toys for babies, toddlers, school age and up to 10 years old.

You will find Christmas boxes located in the vestibule of the church in which to place your donations. They will be there for your convenience until December 10th. If you are unable to shop, we will accept financial donations and do the shopping for you. May God bless you for your continued support for work of Shepherd's Closet in our community. If you have any questions, call Ann Abitz at 432-3995.

PARISH GENERAL CALENDAR

Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday
9 am—11:30 am & 2 pm to 4 pm M-Thu &
9 am to 12 pm Fri

CHAPEL HOURS: Monday-Sunday 8 am-4 pm
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday
from 8 am—7 pm

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| Mondays | Prayer Group for the Sick -11 am to 12 noon in the Ministry Building
Confirmation Class -7 pm-Parish Hall-Mondays (Sept-May)
Grief Ministry -1st & 3rd Mondays at 7 pm in the Ministry Building
Novena to Holy Infant Jesus (Santo Nino) - 7 pm in church (Mass on 1st Monday of the month). Blessing of the statues takes place before mass. |
| Tuesdays | Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help (Mass on each first Tuesday) ~Church~7 pm
Bad Girls of the Bible ~7 pm~432-3181 |
| Wednesdays | 8 & 10 Choir Rehearsals ~7 pm
Stewardship ~Office~7pm~ 2nd & 4th
Youth Formation ~Parish Hall 3-4, 4:30-5:30, 6-7, 7:30-8:30 Sept-May |
| Thursdays | Bible Study ~Office~7pm
Senior Brown Bag Program ~Hall 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month 10 am~12 noon |
| Fridays | Adoration begins after 7:30 am mass until 7 pm
Chaplet of Divine Mercy -3 pm
Teresita #123, YLI Pray & Chat with Divine Mercy Group |
| Saturdays | La Pieta International Prayer Group Every Saturday after the 8 am mass
Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Prayer Group 1st Saturday of the Month From 9-10:30 am in the Ministry Bldg |
| Sundays | Life Teen -Parish Hall-11:30-1 pm (After 10 am mass) September-May
12 Noon Choir Practice -1 pm
Spanish Choir Practice -4 pm (4:30 on 3rd Sundays of the month) |



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

HORARIO DE OFICINA

Español

Lunes a Jueves: 9am-11:30am y

2pm-4pm ~Viernes: 9am-11:30am solo con cita previa

Misa en Español

Domingo 5:30pm

Confesiones en Español

Domingo 4:30pm-5:15pm o llame a la Oficina
para una cita con el Padre Carl Arcosa

Bautismos en Español

1st & 3rd sábado del mes

Quinceañeras Comunitarias:
7 de julio, 2018.

Retiro: 24 de febrero, 2018
Inscríbase ahora en la oficina.

Matrimonios Comunitarios:
25 de agosto, 2018
Retiro: 17 de febrero, 2018
Inscríbase ahora en la oficina.



NUEVO Horario de la Misa!
Comenzando el Domingo,
3rd de Diciembre a las 3:00 pm

VI Congreso Eucarístico Mariano de La Divina Misericordia, Sábado Nov. 25 y Domingo Nov. 26, desde las 8:00AM - 7:00PM, en el Salón Parroquial de la Iglesia del Buen Pastor Donación: \$10 por un día o \$15 por los dos. Habrá comida a bajo costo y cuidado de niños; los esperamos!

La asociación Guadalupeana está buscando cantantes o grupos que le quieran donar su talento a la Virgen de Guadalupe en su gran fiesta de Diciembre. Favor comunicarse con Milton Perez 925-250-5497.

**Un Rebaño, Una Familia, Viviendo y
Compartiendo el Amor de Cristo!**

LECTURAS DEL MES DE NOVIEMBRE

Malaquias 1, 14-2, 2. 8-10, Tesalonicenses 2, 7-9.

13, Mateo 23, 1-12

Sabiduría 6, 12-16, Tesalonicenses 4, 13-18, Mateo 25, 1-13

Proverbios 31, 10-13. 19-20. 30-31, Tesalonicenses 5, 1-6, Mateo 25, 14-30

Día De Acción De Gracias: Eclesiástico

(Siracide) 50, 24-26, Corintios 1, 3-9, Lucas 17, 11-19

(Misas a las 7:30am y 10am (Bilingüe)

Ezequiel 34, 11-12. 15-17, Corintios 15, 20-26. 28, Mateo 25, 31-46

**LINEA DIRECTA DE ASISTENCIA
SACRAMENTO - UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS:
510-552-6596**

**llame entre las 9:00am y 4:00pm
y por medio de texto antes y después de estas
horas**

La Virgen Viajera

Las Familias que desean inscribirse después de la Misa para llevarse a la Virgen Viajera a sus casas, por favor pónganse en contacto con Ruben Gutierrez 925-285-9890

Eres devoto(a) de la Virgen De Guadalupe? Entonces..

Esta Invitación es especialmente para Ti..

La Asociación Guadalupeana de la parroquia del Buen Pastor te invita a formar parte de este importante grupo, para más información, llama a la oficina parroquial 925-432-6404.

El Ministerio de Pérame y Aflicción (Grief Ministry) pondrá un árbol de recuerdo en el Santuario durante el mes de Noviembre. Cualquiera puede poner los nombres de su familia y amigos ya fallecidos en una tarjeta y colocarlo en el árbol. Se pueden colocar varios nombres en una sola tarjeta. Las tarjetas para este propósito estarán disponibles cerca del árbol. Recordaremos a todas las personas cuyos nombres se colocan en el árbol a lo largo del mes de Noviembre. Esperamos que todos ustedes consideren participar.

MINISTERIO HISPANO
Arturo Alvarez 415-748-1771

CONTACTOS DE MINISTERIOS

Bautizos (Niños Pequeños)

Para hacer arreglos iniciales, póngase en contacto con: Carmen Esquivel, en la Oficina 925-432-6404, ext. 10 o carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Monaguillos

Marcelina Diaz 925-705-0479

Ministros Extra Ordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión

Alicia Leon 925-427-4934

Proclamadores

Anahy Hernandez 925-698-3863

Coro

Isabel Aguilera 925-470-7980

Grupos de Oración/Intercesión

Rosa Granados 925-727-7732

Catecismo (Español)

Oficina 925-432-6404

Quinceañeras y Bodas

Para hacer arreglos iniciales, póngase en contacto con: Carmen Esquivel, en la Oficina 925-432-6404, ext. 10 o carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org
 Coordinadora: Emma Ramos 925-818-1315

El Consejo de Finanzas, necesita de tu ayuda; tenemos que reducir nuestra factura mensual de PG&E para la Iglesia. Si estás usando la Iglesia o Capilla y no hay Sacristán presente, por favor asegúrate de que todo está apagado y asegurado al salir. Para información en Ingles, comunícate con Bill Abitz (925 432-3995) o Robert Calone (925 432-3300), llama a la Oficina, 925-432-6404. Gracias por tu ayuda en la reducción de costos.

Nuestro Coro Santa Cecilia esta buscando nuevos miembros. Si te gusta cantar y alabar a Dios a través de la canción ven únete a nuestro Ministerio de Música. Pónte en contacto con cualquier miembro del coro después de la Misa o llama a la oficina de la iglesia y deja un mensaje.

**Guarda esta fecha -
 Celebraciones del Mes de Diciembre**

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| 12/08/17 | (Día de Obligación) - Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción 7:30am & 7pm en Inglés, 8:30am en Español |
| 12/10/17 | 5:30am - Mañanitas con Mariachi - Fiesta anticipada de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe (en Español), 7am recepción en Salón Parroquial 5:30pm - Misa, después nos reuniremos en el Salón Parroquial |
| 12/17/17 | Posada - Después de la Misa (Ministerio Hispano) |
| Diciembre 16-24 | Simbang Gabi con el Ministerio Filipino 5:30pm Misa Familiar, 11:30pm Villancicos y Misa de medianoche (en Inglés) |
| Diciembre 25 | Día de Navidad - Misas en Inglés, 8am, 10am, 12pm y 3 pm (en Español con el Coro De los Niños) |

Noticias de la cena mensual de la Parroquia no habrá cena mensual de la Parroquia programada para Noviembre pero Marque sus calendarios para una cena especial de Navidad de la Parroquia el Jueves, 7 de Diciembre a las 6 pm en el Salón Parroquial la cena mensual de la Parroquia de Diciembre será una manera para que todas nuestras familias de la Parroquia se junten para orar, celebrar y compartir una comida antes de la Fiestas Pascuas comiencen. En la cena se servirá Pasta y Tri Tip, traiga su propio vino y bebidas, el costo es de \$20 por persona-los niños de 12 y menores son \$15.

Mass Intentions

Nov 20-26

Mon	7:30 am	Philip Culcasi & Carlos Peniche Dominguez †
Tue	7:30 am	Lawrence Natividad †
Wed	7:30 am	Paige Jan Natividad †
	10am	Stoneman Village
Thu	7:30 am	Wilfredo Garlit †
	10 am	Dex & Joe Sunga Family
Fri	7:30 am	Renee Plata † & Anniversary of Fran & Dom Confetti
Sat	8 am	Thomas Huber †
	5:30pm	Teresa Masturzo †
Sun	8 am	Phil Culasi †
	10am	Bergholtz Family†
	12pm	FOR THE PEOPLE
	5:30 pm	Jose Antonio Ponce †

*= Fr. Carl #=Fr. Conrad ^=MP

THE 2018 MASS BOOK IS NOW OPEN!
COME TO THE PARISH OFFICE TO SCHEDULE
THOSE SPECIAL DATES FOR YOUR LOVED ONES.

YEAR TO DATE SACRAMENT TOTALS

Baptisms	125
First Holy Communions	170
Confirmations	66
Deaths	34
Weddings	9
Sick Calls	

THE USHERS WOULD LIKE YOU TO
KNOW...If you wish to bring up the offer-
tory 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 oppor-
tunity to sign up for Sunday masses from
now until January 2018!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD REQUEST
ROTATION

1. Rice & Beans
2. Pasta & Pasta Sauce
3. Peanut Butter & Jelly
4. Soups
5. Canned Fruits and Vegetables
6. Ground Coffee
7. Canned Meats & Fish

MINISTERS	FOR NEXT	WEEKEND'S	LITURGIES	
Date	Time	Lectors	EM's	Altar Servers
Nov 25	5:30 pm	S Bellando C Gonzalez	A Abitz, A Abitz, N Ceballos, J Hurtado, L Mangante, R Sorci, D Lawson	
Nov 26	8 am	C Ghiselli I Kinadeter	G Shipe, L Hoggat, C Mendoza, P Lorenzo, M Marin, D Phan, P Wilson	
Nov 26	10 am	J Florido L Madrigal	J Rinaduo, M Baber, L Canciamilla, B & J Naca, R Pascual, E Pittman, M Reynoso, K King	
Nov 26	12 noon	J Russo M Bond	N Umadhay, T Umadhay, C Auzo, J Bellando T Freel, J Lagarejos, S Quejado, E & M Ramirez	
Nov 26	5:30 pm	G Corona A Hernandez	M Alvarez, V Escruceria, M & A Diaz, A Leon	

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17,
1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
Matthew 25:31-46

NEXT WEEK'S 2ND COLLECTION

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL