

# Church of the Good Shepherd



September 30, 2018 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-12 pm  
& 1-4 pm



#### *Schedule of Masses*

|                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Sundays                               | 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12 noon & 3 p.m. Spanish |
| Monday through Friday                 | 7:30 a.m.  |
| 3rd Tuesdays (Spanish)                | 7:00 p.m.  |
| 1st Fridays                           | 7:00 p.m.  |
| Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours) | 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:* Fridays after 7:30 a.m. Mass,  
Saturdays from 4-5 p.m. or by appointment.

*Adoration:* Fridays after 7:30 am mass until 9 am or 24 Hour  
Adoration in the Chapel (door code required-call parish office)

*Devotions:* Divine Mercy Monday-Friday after morning mass  
Our Lady of Fatima/Our Lady of Perpetual Help~  
1st Saturday of each month  
Santo Nino~2nd Sat  
Divine Mercy~3rd Saturday of each month  
Saint Padre Pio~4th Saturday of each month  
Healing Mass~5th Saturday of each month  
*Devotions take place following morning mass*

**ANNOINTING OF THE SICK HOTLINE:**  
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*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 first be discussed with parish priest.



*Life is short. Death is sure.  
Sin the cause. Christ the cure.*

My dear friends in Christ,  
The readings of the 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday stand out with the theme of sin. In the first reading, Joshua committed the sin of jealousy when he envied the success of other prophets. St. James in the second

criticized unjust rich people with their sins of luxury and pleasure, stealing from the poor, and murdering of righteous ones. Jesus in the Gospel strongly opposed sin when he said: *"If your hand, your foot or your eye causes you to sin, cut it off or pluck it out, for it is better for you to enter life handicapped than with all of these to be thrown into Gehenna."* (Mk 9:45-48).

So what is Jesus saying in this passage? Is he truly saying that we have to remove these parts of the body if they cause us to sin? Of course not. But, Jesus would say, if your iphone, ipad, your computer, or your wine/alcohol bottle causes you to sin, throw it away. Jesus shows his strong attitude against sin, because sin is bad. Sin leads us to death, sin cuts off our relationship with our Savior; and sin causes the loss of our eternal life.

Jesus mentions three parts of our body that cause us to sin: the hand, the foot and the eye. In the sinning process, the eyes usually take first action. For instance, when we want to steal a diamond. The eyes stare at it first. They command the feet to go. The feet tell the hands to take it. However, the cause of all sins is not the hand, the foot, or the eye, but the evil thought which is directed by our dangerous enemy, Satan whose goal is to deceive us and steal our souls. But can the devil force us to sin? No. St. Augustine once said, *"For as a chained dog cannot bite you unless you go near to him, so the devil cannot harm with his temptations those who do not consent to them. Like the dog he can bark at you, but cannot bite you against your will."* For us, we should never consent to conversation with the devil. We may feel the heat of Satan's breath on the back of our neck sometimes, but he cannot touch a hair on our head if we don't allow him.

So if sin takes us away from God, then the uprooting of sin is to turn to God. The more we are close to God, the farther we are away from the temptations of sins. God will fight for us. He will protect us. Let's take refuge under God's loving arms through the sacrament of reconciliation once a month and receive the Eucharist every week so that we might be strengthened to fight the good fight for the salvation of our souls. Which one do you choose, a moment of pleasure, but eternal damnation, or a moment of pain, but the eternal life - your choice!

*Life is short. Death is sure. Sin the cause. Christ the cure. Amen!*

Blessings,  
Fr. Thi Hoang

**TODAY!!!!**

**JOIN US AT OUR**

**ANNUAL PARISH FLOCK  
PARTY**

**SEPTEMBER 30**

**9 AM TO 5 PM**

**RAFFLE DRAWING AT 4 PM**

**1ST PRIZE IS A DISNEYLAND PACKAGE FOR 4!  
SPANISH MASS AT 2 PM ON THIS DAY**



**FUN**

**GAMES**

**RAFFLE**

**MINISTRY FAIR**

**FOOD**

**Lumpia  
Tamales  
Ribs &  
Chicken  
Tostadas &  
Tacos  
Rice & Beans  
Papas  
Teriyaki  
Bowls  
BBQ Sticks  
Fruit Cups  
Ice Cream  
Nachos  
Cotton  
Candy  
Popcorn  
Available for  
purchase**

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS  
IN CELEBRATION OF THE FEAST  
OF ST. FRANCIS OF  
ASSISI~OCTOBER 3, 2018  
4:30 PM & 7 PM ~ PARISH HALL**



**THANK YOU ST. PADRE PIO MINISTRY!**

*Fr. Thi wishes to thank the Padre Pio Ministry for their beautiful parish celebration last Sunday. Their celebration at the 12 noon Mass and their parish reception were a beautiful blessing to our parish. We also thank them for their generous donation of \$3,000.00 to the parish to help with our unexpected plumbing repairs. We pray for their ministry and dedication to the life and charism of St. Padre Pio. They truly embody the PRAY, HOPE AND DON'T WORRY Spirit of this special saint!*

**SHEPHERD'S CLOSET NEWS**

We need your donations for the next Shepherd's Closet. We are looking for gently used clothes for boy's and girl's in sizes for toddlers or young children. Sizes 2T, 3T, 4T, 5T and 4, 5, 6, 6x, 7 and 8. If you haven't cleaned out your children's closet, now is a good time to do so. We do not need infants outfits sizes NB, 3 or 6 months at this time. As always, we thank you for your continued support.

**OUR NEXT SHEPHERD'S CLOSET:  
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9**

**2018 CRAFT FAIR NEWS!**

**The 2018 Craft Fair and Cultural Fashion Show is scheduled for December 2 from 9 am to 3 pm in the Parish Hall.**

**Sign ups for vendors and anyone who would like to model a cultural outfit or share their ethnic background at this event should contact Awilda Graff at 925-642-0876 or sewansuno@gmail.com.**

**THE MASS BOOK FOR 2019 WILL  
OPEN ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18  
AT 9:30 AM IN THE MINISTRY  
(OFFICE) BUILDING**

**GOOD SHEPHERD SPIRITUAL PARK  
FUND RAISER DINNER**

**Organized by George Harris & Friends  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2018 @ 5 PM IN THE  
GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH HALL**

**\$25 per person**

**Menu: Chicken, Italian Sausage, Pasta, Salad,  
Bread, Veggies & Dessert**

**This event will also include a raffle!**

**Bring your family and friends.**

**Call 925-432-6977 for tickets or to donate raffle items.**

**BROWN BAG, part of the CCC Food Bank which distributes food to low income seniors and the disabled at Good Shepherd, IS SEEKING DONATIONS OF CLOTHING TO BE GIVEN AWAY IN OCTOBER TO THEIR CLIENTS. DONATION BINS CAN BE FOUND IN THE FRONT LOBBY OF THE CHURCH. PLEASE PLACE YOUR DONATIONS THERE WHEN THE CHURCH IS OPEN.  
THANKS!**

**THANK YOU!**

Thank you to Fr. Jim Sullivan, Fr. James Blount and Mark Mallet for two incredible evenings of **HOPE & HEALING** enjoyed by our parish as well as members of our greater faith community.

Thank you also to Fran Adami and her group for organizing this very spiritual and special event for us.

It was wonderful to experience the power of God's healing right here in our sanctuary!



**EMMAUS**

When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight. They asked each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?"

The Emmaus Ministry at Immaculate Heart of Mary in Brentwood is sponsoring weekend experiences based on the scripture passage in the Gospel of Luke 24:13-25 English for Women (October 26, 27, 28).

Journey starts on Friday evening and ends Sunday evening. Transportation is provided to and from Immaculate Heart of Mary. Register online at [Emmauspath.com](http://Emmauspath.com).

**Multilingual Rosary Procession~Saturday , Oct.13 @ 6:30pm**

Dear friends in Christ,

Traditionally, the Church dedicates the Month of October to honor the Blessed Lady of Rosary whose Feast Day is on October 7, and to commemorate her apparition in Fatima, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 1917. The Church in the United States has also chosen October, the month of Respect Life.

In response to these traditions, our family of the Good Shepherd will have a multilingual Rosary Procession around the Prayer Garden to honor our Blessed Mother and to pray for respect life and peace in the world.

The Rosary Procession will be held **on Saturday, October 13 at 6:30pm** (after 5:30am) Mass. The family prays together, stays together. Come and join us in this special event. This is a good opportunity to come together as a Good Shepherd family to pray for one another and for the world.

Blessings,

Fr. Thi



JOIN US FOR THE MASS OF THANKSGIVING  
TO HONOR THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COMMUNITY  
- BLUE MASS 2018 -



MASS OF THANKSGIVING  
HONORING THOSE WHO  
SERVE OUR COMMUNITY  
DIOCESE OF OAKLAND

Sunday, October 7, 2018 10:00am

The Cathedral of Christ the Light  
2121 Harrison Street  
Oakland, CA 94612

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:  
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Fr. Jayson Lantjesa 510-917-0125 OPDChaplain@aol.com



**HONORING THOSE IN SERVICE TO OUR  
COMMUNITY AND THEIR FAMILIES**

This is an opportunity for the Catholic Community of the East Bay to join together in prayerful thanksgiving and support of those who work to keep our communities safe.

- All are welcome to join us for the Mass
- First Responders are invited to attend in uniform with their families
- The service will include memorial prayers for those who have lost their lives in the line of duty in the past year
- Hospitality to follow the Mass
- Parking at the Cathedral will be limited. Please carpool or make use of public transportation



For details, please visit us at [oakdiocese.org/BlueMass2018](http://oakdiocese.org/BlueMass2018)

**In order for staff to recover  
from working on the  
Flock Party  
THE PARISH OFFICE WILL  
BE CLOSED ON MONDAY,  
OCTOBER 1ST.**

**Thank you for your patience and  
understanding!**



**COUNSELING  
OPPORTUNITY  
AVAILABLE AT  
GOOD SHEPHERD**

Diocese of Oakland Counselor,  
Sandy Heinisch,  
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  
[sandynca@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sandynca@sbcglobal.net)  
to set up an  
appointment.

**SUPPORT GROUP NEWS**

**There is a widow/widowers grief support  
group that meets on Thursdays at 5 pm at Im-  
maculate Heart of Mary, Brentwood. If you  
have lost a child, we have a support group here  
at Good Shepherd that meets monthly on Sat-  
urdays. For more information on either one of  
these groups, call Sandy Heinisch at 925-628-  
1503.**

**THE CATHOLIC VOICE COLLECTION**

**TODAY** is the annual second collection for **The  
Catholic Voice**. Your donation helps our parish off-  
set its payments for this important communications  
ministry. **The Voice** and its other operations-**El  
Heraldo Catolico**, websites and social media-are the  
only regular source of Catholic news and information  
for all parishioners in the Diocese. Please be gener-  
ous in your support. Checks should be made payable  
to the parish. **Thank you!**

**\*\*\*MISA EN ESPAÑOL 2PM EN LA IGLESIA\*\*\*****HOY FIESTA ANUAL DEL FESTIVAL-FLOCK,  
SEPTIEMBRE 30, 9AM - 5PM**

SORTEO DE RIFA A LAS 4PM – 1ER PREMIO ES UN PAQUETE DE DISNEYLAND PARA 4! TODOS ESTAN INVITADOS A COMPARTIR UN DIA BENDECIDO Y DE MUCHA DIVERSIÓN, COMIDA Y BEBIDA! JUEGOS! RIFAS Y PREMIOS!

**PADRE GARY WIESMAN Y LA DIÓCESIS DE MANDEVILLE JAMAICA DICEN ¡GRACIAS!**

*En una carta al Padre Thi, el Padre Gary escribe: "No se puede imaginar lo mucho que agradecemos su apoyo y cuidado. Este regalo nos ayudará a evangelizar a aquellos que aún no han llegado a conocer al Señor, proveyerá algunas de las necesidades básicas de los pobres, educar a los jóvenes, albergar a los ancianos indigentes de una manera digna y poner un techo sobre las cabezas de las familias sin hogar. .... Confío en que el buen Señor los bendiga a ustedes y a sus feligreses por este sacrificio tan generoso para nuestros pobres. En verdad, "... el Señor escucha el grito de los pobres" ha tocado los corazones de su parroquia como han respondido tan generosamente en el nombre del Señor. ¡ Estamos muy agradecidos! A través de su generosidad, pudimos reunir más de \$10.000 para el pueblo de Jamaica!*

**I. Un Iglesia que va hacia adelante**

**20.** La palabra de Dios constantemente nos muestra cómo Dios desafía a aquellos que creen en Él "para ir hacia adelante". Abraham recibió la llamada para establecer una nueva tierra (cf. Gen 12:1-3). Moisés escuchó el llamado de Dios: "Ve, Yo Te Envío" (Ex 3:10) y guió al pueblo hacia la tierra prometida (cf. Ex 3:17). A Jeremías Dios le dice: "A todos los que os envío, os habréis de ir" (Jer 1:7). En nuestros días, el mandamiento de Jesús de "ir y hacer discípulos" se hace eco en los escenarios cambiantes y en los nuevos desafíos para la misión de evangelización de la Iglesia, y todos nosotros estamos llamados a participar en esta nueva misión "ir hacia adelante". Cada Cristiano y cada comunidad debe discernir el camino que el Señor señala, pero a todos nosotros se nos pide que obedezcamos su llamado a salir de nuestra propia zona de confort para llegar a todas las "periferias" que necesitan la luz del Evangelio. **La Alegría del Evangelio por el Papa Francisco**

## MINISTERIO HISPANO

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email: [carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org)

**LOS INVITAMOS A FORMAR PARTE DEL NUEVO GRUPO DE ORACIÓN.**

Las reuniones son los Sábados de 11am a 12pm en la Capilla con el Santísimo y Viernes 7-9 pm. Para mas información favor contactar a Laura y Alvino Alvarez.

**EL GRUPO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA** te invita a participar de sus reuniones y oraciones los Jueves de 6:30pm a 8:30pm, en el salón de la oficina y Miercoles de 6pm a 8 pm en la Capilla. Para más Información favor comuníquese con Anita Garcia.

**¡SAN VICENTE DE PAUL TE NECESITA!**

Si usted desea hacer algo que valga la pena para su comunidad, por favor considere el voluntariado para ministrar a los menos afortunados. Necesitamos voluntarios los Lunes-1:00pm a 3:00pm en la despensa detrás de la rectoría. ¡Gracias! Si usted está interesado(a) en ser voluntario, por favor llame 925-432-6404 y deje un mensaje en la extensión 25.

*En el Fuego* fue un evento celebrado en Six Flags y fue una experiencia increíble! Este es el segundo año que nuestra Iglesia ha ido a este evento y la experiencia nunca ha dejado de tocar mi corazón. En este evento, hubieron hermosas actividades que se llevaron a cabo e inspiraron a mucha gente.

La Misa fue celebrada por el Obispo de Oakland, el Reverendo Michael Barber. La Misa fue muy espiritual y emotiva al hablar de muchos problemas y situaciones que están ocurriendo en la Iglesia de hoy. Nos aseguró la bondad de Dios y toda su misericordia. La Adoración se llevó a cabo tan bien y fue simplemente impresionante como Jesús vino a nuestra presencia. El amor de Dios por todos nosotros se sintió y mientras miraba alrededor después de hablar con Dios, vi que muchos de nuestros feligreses fueron tocados también como las lágrimas rodaban por sus rostros. Las canciones que fueron cantadas encajaron en gran medida con todos los eventos del día.

Muchas sesiones tuvieron lugar durante el día, una de las cuales fue la charla de los hombres. Esta charla tenía muchas cosas que los hombres Católicos en la Iglesia necesitan oír y decirse. La charla fue interactiva para que todos los hombres pudieran hablar con otros varones Católicos, que es tan grande la necesidad en la Iglesia. La confesión estuvo disponible durante todo el evento me fuí a confesar y me sentí muy bien después! Al final todos pudimos disfrutar de los paseos en Six Flags que estuvieron buenisimo, pero no hay algo aun más bueno como sentir a Dios y ser limpiado por la confesión previa.

*Escrito por Isaac Pacheco uno de nuestros actuales Líderes del Ministerio Juvenil que fue educado y confirmado a través de nuestro programa de Formación de Fe Parroquial. On Fire es sólo uno de los muchos eventos que sus donaciones apoyan como a los muchos Ministerios Juve-*

**NECESITAMOS SU AYUDA!** Estamos buscando entre toda nuestra comunidad como ayudar a promover la vida dinámica de nuestra parroquia! Si usted tiene fotos de eventos parroquiales tales como de Primera Comunión o Confirmación, actividades ministeriales, liturgias, etc. nos encantaría si pudiera compartirlas con nosotros para que puedan ser parte de nuestro sitio web y/o página de Facebook que actualmente tiene alrededor de 2,000 seguidores! Envíe sus fotografías a: [sharephotos@goodshepherdpittsburg.org](mailto:sharephotos@goodshepherdpittsburg.org) y puede verlas aparecer en una de nuestras plataformas de medios sociales.

Atención Feligreses se ha observado que alguien está colocando comida en varios lugares alrededor de los terrenos de la Iglesia para los animales callejeros. Mientras esto es un gesto generoso, también atrae a los roedores y otros animales salvajes. Hoy uno de los perros callejeros se puso agresivo con uno de los miembros del personal y el jardinero. No podemos dejar que esto pase, estamos pidiendo que no alimenten a estos animales callejeros.

- ◆ **Misa en Español:**  
Domingo 3pm
- ◆ **Confesiones en Español:**  
Llamar a la oficina para una cita
- ◆ **Bautismos en Español:**  
1er & 3er Sábado del mes a las 11am

**¡EL PADRE CHRISTOPHER NECESITA UN COCHE! SI USTED O ALGUIEN QUE USTED CONOCE TIENE UN AUTO QUE EL PADRE CHRISTOPHER PUEDE USAR PARA SU ESCUELA Y SU MINISTERIO, POR FAVOR COMUNÍQUESE CON LA OFICINA DE LA PARROQUIA.**

EL BOLSO MARRÓN (BROWN BAG), parte del Banco del Alimento del CCC (Condado de Contra Costa) que distribuye la comida a las personas de la tercera edad de los ingresos bajos y a los lisiados en el Buen Pastor, ESTÁ BUSCANDO DONACIONES DE ROPA QUE SE ENTREGARÁ EN OCTUBRE A SUS CLIENTES. LOS RECIPIENTES DE DONACIÓN SE PUEDEN ENCONTRAR EN EL VESTÍBULO DELANTERO DE LA IGLESIA. POR FAVOR, COLOQUE SUS DONACIONES ALLÍ CUANDO LA IGLESIA ESTÁ ABIERTA. ¡GRACIAS!

**Octubre 7, 2018,** Genesis, 2, 18-24, Hebreos 2, 8-11, San Marcos 10, 2-16 o bien: 10, 2-12

**Octubre 14, 2018,** Sabiduría, 7, 7-11, Hebreos 4, 12-13, San Marcos 10, 17-30 o bien: 10,17-27

**Octubre 21, 2018,** Isaias 53, 10-11, Hebreos 4, 14-16, San Marcos 10, 35-45 o bien: 10, 42-45

**Octubre 28, 2018,** Jeremias, 31, 7-9, Hebreos 5, 1-6, San Marcos 10, 46-52

Mass Intentions

October 1-7

|     |         |   |
|-----|---------|---|
| Mon | 7:30 am | Gerard Geron Ramirez † *  |
| Tue | 7:30 am | Primrose Capupus Family #   |
| Wed | 7:30 am | Wedding Anniversary of James & Roma Roberts<br>Birthday of Flavio Martinez Jr # |
| Thu | 7:30 am | Terry Mercurio † *  |
| Fri | 7:30 am | Birthday of Rosalia Batoon Caputolan *  |
| Sat | 8 am    | Mike Giambona †<br>Antonio & Carmen Esquivel #                                  |
|     | 5:30    | Sancho Alesna Sr. † #   |
| Sun | 8am     | Deceased Members of the Amador & Trini Ledesma Family † #                       |
|     | 10am    | Frances Ferrante Thomas † *   |
|     | 12 pm   | FOR THE People *  |
|     | 3 pm    | Salvador Huerta † ^   |

\*=Fr. Thi, #+Fr. Christopher, ^=Fr. Oscar

Dear Parishioners: This year every week we will post a collection watch to monitor our Sunday plate offering and EFT contributions. To break even for our parish expenditures, we need to reach our goal every week.

Weekly Goal. \$15,000

September 23, 2018 \$ 6,129.39

Under \$ 8,870.61

2nd Collection:

Please help contribute for the smooth operation and good services of our parish. We appreciate your generosity and making Good Shepherd as part of your family. Also, please remember Good Shepherd when planning your last will and testament. Thank you! Fr. Thi

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD REQUEST ROTATION

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



| MDATE | TIME    | LECTORS | EM'S   | ALTAR SERVERS                                    |
|-------|---------|---------|--|--|
| Oct 6 | 5:30 pm |         | B Abitz, A Abitz, B & C Davi<br>M Duran, L Mangante, A Roldan<br>R Sorci                 | R Almarinez<br>M & E Hart                        |
| Oct 7 | 8:00 am |         | D Shipe, L Hoggatt, I Kinadeter<br>G Shipe, D Phan, E Viloría<br>P Wilson, E Woodrow     | D Phan<br>X & Y Phan                             |
| Oct 7 | 10 am   |         | M Benitez, N Ceballos, A & J<br>Los Banos, B & J Naca, R Pascual<br>E Pittman, M Reynoso | N Ceballos<br>S Escajeda<br>J Ortiz<br>C Camarao |
| Oct 7 | 12 noon |         | R Lagarejos, T Freel, C Greely<br>R Lagarejos, A & E Pacheco<br>S Quejado, M & S Runes   | R Lagarejos<br>J Del Carmen                      |
| Oct 7 | 3:00 pm |         | M Diaz, A Garcia, A Diaz<br>L Hernandez, L Castaneda<br>A & L Alvarez                    | J Diaz<br>A & J Toribio                          |

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

NEXT SUNDAY'S 2ND COLLECTION

Genesis 2:18-24, Hebrews 2:9-11, Mark 10:2-16

DEBT REDUCTION