

ST. BASIL THE GREAT CATHOLIC CHURCH

1200 TUOLUMNE STREET, VALLEJO, CA 94590

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the clergy of St. Basil the Great, guided by the Holy Scripture, Tradition and Magisterium inspired by the Holy Spirit are called by Christ to evangelize, to educate and to motivate the lay faithful to become active witnesses to the spirituality of the Second Vatican Council (Vatican II) through sacraments, liturgy, praise and worship.

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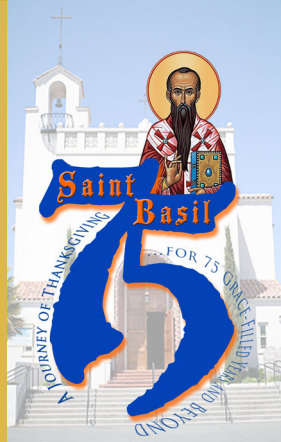
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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday:

5:30pm (Vigil Mass)

8:30am - 1st Saturday

Sunday:

7:30am, 9:30am,

11:30am & 5:30pm

Daily:

7:15am in the Mary Chapel

7:00pm - Wednesday

Holy Days:

7:15am, 9:30am & 7:30pm

Reconciliation:

Saturday

4:00 - 5:00pm

Wednesday

6:00 - 7:00pm

PLEASE
PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER
YOUR GIFT
TO ST. BASIL PARISH.
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SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4:00 to 5:00pm

Sacrament of Baptism: Pre-Baptism preparation class required. Please call the Parish Office for more information.

Sacrament of Marriage: Minimum 6 months advance notice required. Please contact the Parish Office to make an appointment with the Marriage/Wedding Coordinator.

Pastoral Care for the Sick/Homebound: Please call the Parish Office to arrange for home and hospital visits

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Collection for 5/015/16: \$10,190.20
Cath. Communication Campaign: \$993.12
Misc.: \$497.00

Thank you.

Your ongoing support is essential in helping us meet the many needs of the parish and community.

The first reading tells us the wisdom of God being beside God as his craftsman at the dawn of creation. The second reading reminds us that we have peace with God through our faith in Jesus Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus teaches the disciples that the Holy Spirit will guide them in the way of all truth.

May 22, 2016 - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



The Most Holy Trinity May 22, 2016

[T]he love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.

— Romans 5:5b



JOURNEY OF FAITH

We are on a long and eventful journey. Today's readings for Trinity Sunday succinctly cover the depth and breadth of our human travels.

The very beginnings of our journey are revealed in the reading from Proverbs. God's plan filled with divine wisdom was born before the earth was made. In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of his own personal journey. He has come from the Father and will return to the Father. Only then will the Advocate—the Spirit of Truth—take us onward.

This does not diminish the fact that the journey will be hard. The very setting of the Gospel is the night before Jesus died. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, "[W]e even boast of our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance, proven character, and proven character, hope" (Romans 5:3-4).

Ultimately, our human journey is modeled by the Holy Trinity—a family of love among Father, Son, and Spirit that we are all called to emulate.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Around the turn of the fourth century, Augustine, still fairly fresh from the baptismal waters in Milan, was elected bishop of a tiny city in North Africa, Hippo. He told his people, "While I am frightened by what I am for you, then I am consoled by what I am with you. For you I am a bishop, with you I am a Christian." He had his priorities right, and also knew that everyone coming from the water arises with a ministry, a specific role, in bringing about God's kingdom.

If we were asked to purge English of Greek vocabulary, we would gain an insight into key ministries in our church. Bishop, from the Greek *episkopos*, would become simply "overseer;" priest, from the Greek *presbyter*, would become "elder;" and deacon, from the Greek *diakonos*, would be "servant." Each title stands in relationship to all the baptized, serving the community, helping it to be the Body of Christ. In our deepest tradition, each of these ordained ministries is attuned to help us become our best selves, to hunger and thirst for the coming of God's kingdom. The goal for each one of us is to be able to recognize the presence of Christ in worship and in service. Although only some of us are ordained to ministry, each of us is called to ministry.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Before anything was created, the wisdom of God was brought forth (Proverbs 8:22-31).

Psalm — O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).

Second Reading — God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us (Romans 5:1-5).

Gospel — Everything that the Father has is mine; the Spirit will take from what is mine and declare it to you (John 16:12-15).

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PATIENCE

Patience and the passage of time do more than strength and fury.

—Jean de la Fontaine

Being in a band is always a compromise. Provided that the balance is good, what you lose in compromise, you gain by collaboration.

- Mike Rutherford

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity
Monday: Eighth Week in Ordinary Time; Victoria Day (Canada)
Wednesday: St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi
Thursday: St. Philip Neri
Friday: St. Augustine of Canterbury
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9; Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9-10c; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16; Ps 98:1-4; Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 10:32-45
Thursday: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12; Ps 100:2-5; Mk 10:46-52
Friday: 1 Pt 4:7-13; Ps 96:10-13; Mk 11:11-26
Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2-6; Mk 11:27-33
Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Our church is called to be a sign of the presence of Christ in the world. As men, is this true of us? What are the possibilities? What are the challenges?

Fr. Vincent O'Reilly, retired priest in the Sacramento Diocese, will help to explore what it means for men to be imitators of Christ in contemporary culture.

LIVING WITH CHRIST
A Morning Retreat for Men
Saturday, June 18, 2016
9am – Noon Retreat
St. Basil the Great Parish GYM

For registration please call Parish Office or George Reynoso:
 707-319-4459 email: greynoso@aol.com

Youth on a Mission: Do you know a teen in your parish that has what it takes to be a great leader? Challenge them to take their Catholic Faith to the next level with Youth On A Mission. Our 4 day program offers discipleship training – meaningful prayer experiences, inspiring talks, practical skills, and an opportunity to connect with on fire Catholic youth from all over Northern California. We want youth to have a profound encounter with Jesus and equip them with the skills to share that experience as a leader in your parish. This is the youth training you've been waiting for. Challenge your future leaders with **Youth on A Mission** this summer **July 14-17, 2016** at **Cal Maritime Academy in Vallejo, CA**. Registration information and more information available online at www.norcalcatholicityouth.com or contact Jennifer Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org. Event Title: Virtual World Youth

Lay Mission Project

The Diocese is pleased to announce a new advanced lay formation program that will begin in August 2016. The "Lay Mission Project" is designed for individuals who wish to deepen their faith and grow as a disciple. The Lay Mission Project is a three-year formation process for parishioners designed to help them understand the vocation of the laity and deepen their spiritual life. Applications for the Lay Mission Project will be accepted through May 31, 2016. Download your application and get more information at <http://www.scddec.org/advanced>. Contact Rosina Hendrickson at 916-733-0153 or rhendrickson@scd.org with any questions.

From Mourning to Hope Ministry seeking Prayer Team

Prayer is Powerful! Our Grief Support Group is seeking to establish a prayer group to pray for all those in mourning. No need to attend meetings or group sessions. The Prayer Team will simply be asked to add those in our group and all who are grieving to your daily/weekly prayers. If you are interested please contact the parish center at 644-5251 and ask to be placed on the "From Mourning to Hope Prayer Registry". All that is required is your name, phone number and/or email address. We will give you a prayer intention card with a list of those to pray for by name. Please pray for all those in our parish that are in need of Grief support. That they will find comfort and hope. As we embark on answering God's call to assist those in mourning, May God relieve any anxiety and bless us all with wisdom, understanding, love and mercy. Amen.



Lord Jesus, we ask you to bring your peace and healing touch to those who are ill, or afraid or worried. AMEN.

- Katie Abeyta*
- Nomie Almendra*
- Debra Ann Anderson*
- Shannon Antonio*
- Maria Aranda*
- Cora Arozal*
- Charlie Arruejo*
- Esmenia Arruejo*
- Percy Belantes*
- Yolande Bekhit*
- Ursula Charifa*
- Florita Cruz*
- Andre Davis*
- Danilo Dipiramo*
- Dorothy Egidio*
- Judy de Fiesta*
- Mary (Mimi) Fife*
- Mariano Furtado*
- Prescy Hernandez*
- Joycelyn Anderson Herrera*
- Cris and Severina Ilagan****
- Aly Rose Jacobsen*
- Rodolfo Lomibao*
- Vic Mararac*
- Yolanda Mararac*
- Dolly Marquez*
- Winnie Meadows*
- Jim Murphy****
- Dolores Owens*
- Cecilia Perez*
- Ida Pleasant*
- Nicholas Policar*
- Ed Sablan*
- Sally Stone*
- Nel Sapinoso*
- Anna Silva*
- Baltazar Victoria*
- Lolita Velasco*
- Nathaniel Williams*
- Matilda Wilson****



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Mass Intentions For The Week



Saturday, May 21 - 5:30pm

- Maria Holgado (BD)
- Frank Azavedo, Sr. (+)
- Butch Molano (+), Don Folsom (+)
- Jaime & Benita Belen (+)
- Zosimo Sequerra (+BD)

Sunday, May 22

- 7:30am**
- Edna Ledesma (SI/Healing)
- Sandy Morgado (+), Charlie Meyer (+BD)
- Agapita Olario Galia (+)
- Julie LaDow (+BD)

9:30am

- Violeta Dumaop (+)
- Abigail Zamblan ((+)
- Cresencia Viason (+)
- Osita Pulido (+), Lucille Fowler (+)

11:30am

- Bobby Ramilo Amagan (Safety)
- Elese Custodio (75th BD)
- Osita Pulido (+DA), Dionisia Remo (+)

5:30pm

- Cecilia Madeira (SI)
- Lewis & Josephine Hubbard (SI)
- Lee Ka Hing (+)
- Ross Don Alvarez (+)
- Elisa Alvendia & Silvestra Apuntar (+)

Monday, May 23 - 7:15am

- Rosemarie Sagay (BD)
- Catalina Mendoza (SI/Healing)
- Jesus Garcia (+), Cresencia Viason (+)
- Lucille Fowler (+)

Tuesday, May 24 - 7:15am

- Rose Knight (SI)
- Carmen C. Cancino (SI/Healing)
- Susana Urbungen (+BD)
- Cresencia Viason (+)
- Lucille Fowler (+)

Wednesday, May 25 - 7:15am

- Alex Cancino, Jr. (BD)
- Maribel Martinez (BD)
- Harini Muchamarry (SI)
- Carmen C. Cancino (SI/Healing)
- Lucille Fowler (+)

Thursday, May 26 - 7:15am

- Carmen C. Cancino (SI/Healing)
- Catalina Mendoza (SI/Healing)
- Roseadel Ocbina (+DA)
- Lucille Fowler (+), Dionisia Remo (+)

Friday, May 27 - 7:15am

- Carmen C. Cancino (SI/Healing)
- Catalina Mendoza (SI/Healing)
- Lucille Fowler (+) Dionisia Remo (+)
- Juliana Perez (+DA)



Please pray for all who have recently departed, especially:

Benjamin Reg
Proserfina Esturco