

ST. BASIL THE GREAT CATHOLIC CHURCH
 1200 TUOLUMNE STREET, VALLEJO, CA 94590
 WEBSITE: www.StBasilVallejo.org

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the St. Basil the Great Catholic faith community, guided by the Holy Spirit and nurtured by the Eucharist, are called to share the gospel values of love, justice, forgiveness and service through the celebration of the sacraments, prayer, stewardship and fellowship with respect and dignity to all.

Rev. Ambrose O. Ugwuegbu
Parochial Administrator

Rev. Jeremy A. Santos
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Parish Center - (707) 644-5251
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Parish Office Hours
Monday - Friday
9:00am to Noon & 1:00pm to 5:00pm

Music Ministry
Cherry Lopez ~ Director
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(707) 644-8309
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Food Assistance ~ (707) 644-0376

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

Confession: 4 - 5pm - Saturday
6 - 7 pm - Wednesday

Baptism: 3rd Saturday of the month
Weddings: Please call Parish Office

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday, 4:00 to 5:00pm
Wednesday, 6:00 to 7:00pm

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.

Stewardship at St. Basil Parish
Grow our Gifts...
Share Our Blessings

Stewardship of Treasure

July 27, 2019 Weekly Collection

Average Weekly Expense.....	\$12,250.00
Last Week's Collection.....	\$ 8,073.53
Faith Direct.....	\$ 2,500.00
Others.....	\$ 1,931.18
Weekly Surplus/Deficit.....	\$ 254.71

PLEASE
PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER
YOUR GIFT
TO ST. BASIL PARISH

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



JULY 28, 2019 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 28, 2019**

You were buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead.

— *Colossians 2:12*

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Monday: St. Martha
 Tuesday: St. Peter Chrysologus
 Wednesday: St. Ignatius of Loyola
 Thursday: St. Alphonsus Liguori
 Friday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli;
 St. Peter Julian Eymard; First Friday
 Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23 or Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
 Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-11; Mt 13:36-43
 Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
 Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8, 11; Mt 13:47-53
 Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
 Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
 Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Abraham bargains with God to spare the city (Genesis 18:20-32).

Psalms — Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me (Psalm 138).

Second Reading — You were buried with Christ in baptism, in which you were also raised with Christ (Colossians 2:12-14).

Gospel — Everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds (Luke 11:1-13).

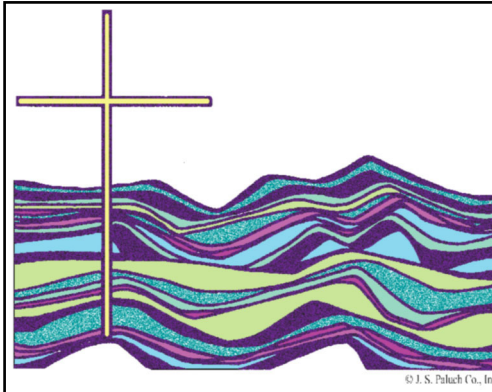
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ASKING FOR HELP

The Beatitudes praise the poor in spirit. One characteristic of those who are poor in spirit is their ability to ask for help; they know when others can provide what they lack. Today's readings encourage us to practice poverty in spirit by asking God for what we need. What could be more natural than to ask God for good things? God is, after all, the inventor of goodness and the giver of all good things.

Asking God for help puts us in conversation with God. These conversations take many forms. The reading from Genesis shows Abraham bantering with God like a skilled negotiator, while Saint Paul's letter to the Colossians praises God for answering us even when we don't deserve it. In Saint Luke's Gospel, Jesus not only gives us words to use in our conversations with God (the Our Father), but also promises that God always listens to our prayers.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The pilgrim experience of going by foot to Santiago de Compostella, the shrine of St. James, reached its high point this week at the feast of the Apostle, with tens of thousands of pilgrims on the road. Typically, they cover twelve to twenty miles a day through rough territory. The difficult journey and the often primitive lodging facilities are made bearable by the joy of the pilgrims, their songs and prayers. When their journey is documented properly, they receive the scallop shell, a reminder not only of James the fisherman, but also his call to fish for human beings and to baptize the nations. In the Middle Ages, those who wore this badge on their hats were granted lodging and hospitality wherever they went. Next to the palm, the sign of a Jerusalem pilgrim, the scallop shell was most highly prized.

In the Middle Ages, some people so enjoyed the pilgrim road, although it was filled with discomfort and danger, that they spent most of their lives on the road. Today, some people take up the route for exercise, but are drawn gradually into the spirituality of the journey. As you make your summer travels, always fold in an element of pilgrimage: a long walk through beautiful countryside, a visit to a church, a prayer of gratitude for your journey through life's hills and valleys.

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PARISH REGISTRATION.....

If you are not yet registered as parishioners of St. Basil, it's never too late. Please complete the short form below and drop in collection basket or stop by the Parish Center Office. Don't miss out on the benefits of being registered parishioners, such as planning your baptism, wedding, religious education or preparing to receive sacraments. Your registration helps us to serve you better.

WE WELCOME THE NEW MEMBERS OF OUR ST. BASIL'S FAITH COMMUNITY

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with us!

If you are not yet registered, please fill out the form below and place it in the offering basket or mail it to

**Saint Basil Parish Center
1225 Tuolumne Street, Vallejo, CA 94590**

Upon receipt of this form we will mail you the parish registration form to complete and return. Thank you!

NAME: _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

(New Registrant/Change Address/Remove from list_____)

Please pray for the sick

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

- Katie Abeyta
- Jackie Rose Anderson
- Jane Archer
- Mary Arnold
- Yolande Bekhit
- Ursula Charifa
- Simon Dauz
- Nardo Dimasangal
- Trisha Dumlaol
- Amanda Egan
- Benigna Fernandez
- Mariano Furtado
- Katrina Anderson Gomez
- Joycelyn R. Herrera
- Severina Ilagan
- Timothy LaBarr
- Teresa Herrera Lucas
- Joaquin Manibusan
- Paul B. Manibusan
- Vic Mararac
- Marcial Marcos
- Dolly Marquez
- Proceso Marquez, Jr.
- Zeny Morato
- Cleo Ordonez
- Dolores Owens
- Sr. Julieta Perez
- Bianca Portillo
- Pen Quilatan
- Rosita Quintanilla
- Lilia Romero
- Melinda Roaque
- Ed Sablan
- Eli Samonte
- Augusto Serrano
- Lucy Sheridan
- Adriana Silva
- Aleli Tan Soliman
- Lorene Soto
- Jose Tabora
- Tom Thompson
- Sara Rose Teding-Weiss
- Mona Lisa White-Cooksey
- Matilda Wilson

Please pray with our Lazarus Ministry for the recently deceased:



- +Eddie Manio
- +Mark Mc Adams
- +Patricia Emilie Rillera
- +Daniel Gerona
- +Jovencio R. Macaraeg

Vocation Cross Sign-up -

Each week a member of our parish family is given our Vocation Cross to take home and pray for the blessing of Vocation to the priesthood and religious life. Please consider signing up as a family to pray for more Vocations. Volunteers from St. Basil Vocation Ministry will be in the Msgr. Byrne room for sign up this weekend.

**Beloved: Youth Ministers & Core Team Retreat
Friday, August 9 (social)
August 10-11 (Retreat)**

Trinity Pines Catholic Center, Colfax
All youth ministers and core team members are invited to join us for a retreat from August 9 to 11, 2019 at Trinity Pines Catholic Center in Colfax. We will have an opportunity to network and socialize on Friday, August 9 and will be led in our retreat by Chris Mueller of *Everyday Catholic* as we explore the qualities of a disciple: listening, trusting, believing, discerning and following. To register, please visit www.scd.org/beloved.

**NEW RCIA Workshops Series
July 27, 2019: RCIA Overview I
September 14, 2019: RCIA Overview II -
Accompaniment & Conversion
November 16, 2019: RCIA Overview III -
Celebrating the Rites**

RCIA Overview I, RCIA Overview II- Accompaniment & Conversion, RCIA Overview III- Celebrating the rites St. Catherine of Siena Parish Hall 3450 Tennessee St, Vallejo CA 94591. The RCIA Workshop Series is designed for RCIA Coordinators, Team Members, Catechists and those working with the process of the Rite itself. Learn about the preparation needed to implement the process in a parish. The cost is \$35 per session which includes morning hospitality, lunch and materials. You can register at <http://rcia2019vallejo.eventbrite.com/>. For more information contact Martha Haig at mhaig@scd.org or 916-733-0131.

**Rachel's Vineyard Healing Retreat
August 2-4, 2019**

Those who choose abortion are our daughters, sons, husbands, wives, sisters, brothers, relatives, friends & members of our parish communities. The impact and pain of abortion hurts - even years after the experience. If you, or a loved one have been hurt by abortion, this weekend is for you! Come and experience God's healing love and forgiveness in a safe, non-judgmental environment. Open to men and women. The cost is \$225 per person and financial assistance is available to anyone who needs it. Call Paula Segno or send an email for more information at (916) 733-0161 or projectrachel@scd.org. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

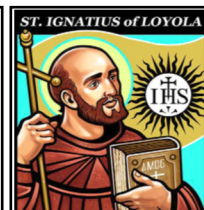


Saint Martha

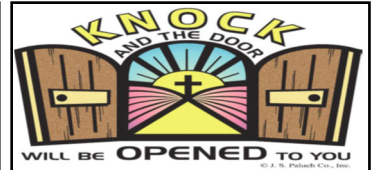
ADVERSITY

Adversity has the effect of eliciting talents which, in prosperous circumstances, would have lain dormant.

— Horace



ST. IGNATIUS of LOYOLA



Saturday ~ July 27 ~ 5:30pm

- Maria Domilyn Alvarez (TG)
- Jaime & Benita Belen (+)
- Lilia Tongco (+BD)
- Chi-Keung Cheng (+)
- Mr. Tristram (+)
- Salvador Senen Gomez(+)
- Daniel Irawan(+)

Sunday ~ July 28 7:30am

Mass for St. Basil Parishioners

9:30am

- Jun Martin (BD)
- Gloria Lazaga (BD)
- Megan Lacorte (TG)
- Maria Domilyn Alvarez (TG)
- Domingo Alvarez Family (TG)
- Agapita Olario Galia (+)

11:30am

- Bill & Paula Tschida (SI)
- Jim Cea (SI)
- Benigna Fernandez (Healing)
- Leticia Andrino (+)
- Edgar Kwan (+)

5:30pm

- Michelle Snider (+DA)
- Leonel Tavares (+)
- Carlos Tavares (+)
- Benito Rosada (+)
- Teodorico Canones (+)

Monday ~ July 29 ~ 7:15am

- Wilson Aguillon (+DA)
- Reynaldo Portacio (+)
- Felino Rabaino, Jr. (+BD)

Tuesday ~ July 30 ~ 7:15am

- Celestino Sacramento (+40th Day)
- Victoriana Silverio (+DA)

Wednesday ~ July 31 ~ 7:15am

- Judith Defiesta (+DA)

Thursday ~ August 1 ~ 7:15am

- Mary Cheng (SI)
- Ursula Charifa (Healing)
- Joe P. Ramos (+DA)
- Rosalia Almazan (+DA)

Friday ~ August 2 ~ 7:15am

- Fu Chu Cheng (SI)
- Ursula Charifa (Healing)
- Loreto Rillera (+DA)