

Sunday, May 5, 2019

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Mass Intentions

5/4 @ 5:00 +John Zwier
5/5 @ 8:00 +David Gough
5/5 @10:00 +A. Lee & +Carmella Gilmore
5/5 @12:00 People of the Parish
5/8 @ 8:00 +George Durbala
5/9 @ 8:00 +Cesing Nolasco
5/10 @ 8:00 Maria Fe Grotz (Happy Birthday!)

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 4: Tamale Fundraiser
May 4-5: Second collection is for the Building Fund.
May 5: Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast after all three Masses.
May 6: Charismatic Prayer @ 2:00PM in the Parish Hall; all are welcome.
May 7: Communal Service @ 8:00AM Women's Spiritual Gifts Workshop @ 9:00AM
May 8: Communal Service @ 8:00AM FAITH FORMATION RCIA @ 6:30
May 8: First Holy Communion practice @ 7:00PM in the Church.
May 9: Spanish Bible Study @ 7:00PM
May 11: First Holy Communion @ 10.00AM.

May 11-12: Catholic Home Missions; special envelopes are in the pews.

May 12: HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

May 13: Charismatic Prayer @ 2:00PM

May 15: FAITH FORMATION RCIA @ 6:30PM.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Sunday Collection	\$ 4,013.00
2019 Missionary Appeal	\$ 1451.00
Easter Sunday (new total)	\$ 9,902.00

AMAZON LINK

Our charity link is:

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/45-3851348>

PRIESTS APPRECIATION DINNER

The Knights of Columbus are selling tickets to the Priest Appreciation Dinner after the 5:00 Mass on Saturday and at the Pancake Breakfast in the Parish Hall on Sunday. The tickets cost \$35.00, the dinner is at the Point Restaurant on Wednesday, May 22, 2019.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please keep in your prayers: **Emelie Andersson, Braulio Chavolla, Estefania Cobian, Jeanpieer Guerra Porta, Petter Gutierrez, Emily Mahoney, Alexander Ramirez, and Azul Ramirez**, as they receive Communion for the very first time.

ESTUDIO BÍBLICO EN ESPAÑOL

“*Un Paseo Bíblico a Través de LA MISA*” un estudio bíblico en español, sigue los JUEVES, de 7 a 8 de la noche, en la sala principal del salón parroquial. Acompáñenos este jueves, 9 de mayo.

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Fr. Mervin Concepcion,
Pastor

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Deacon Bill Bolduc

Fr. William K. Walsh, Pastor Emeritus

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00PM

Sunday: 8:00AM & 10:00AM
12:00PM (en Español/in Spanish)

Weekdays: Tues. – Fri. @ 8:00AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat. 4:00PM – 4:45PM or by appointment

Sacrament to the Sick/Homebound

Please call the Office

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Janet Campbell, Secretary

(707) 374-2155

Mon. - Fri. 9:30AM-3:00PM
(CLOSED for lunch 12:30PM-1:30PM)

stjosephoffice@comcast.net

PARISH HALL

Please contact the office (707) 374-2155 for keys/information concerning the Hall.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

3rd Tuesday of the Month,

Linda Correia, Chair

FINANCE COUNCIL

2nd Tuesday of the Month

Mike Pine, Chair

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

Mike Quihuiz: mmmq1@aol.com

Sarah Durbala: ghdsed@aol.com

BAPTISMS

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month at 11:00am. Preparation class for parents & Godparents on the 1st Thursday in the Parish Hall at 5:30PM. Must be scheduled first. Call the office to schedule.

FAITH FORMATION

Suzette Sutton, CRE

Classes – Wednesdays 2:00-4:00
stjosephcatechism@comcast.net

(707) 374-2607

Office Hours: Wed. 9-4, Thurs. 9-12

YOUTH GROUP

Dan Mahoney, Leader

Sunday at 7:00PM in Parish Hall
High School Students

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

FOR ADULTS

Please contact the office for information

“FIRST FRIDAYS”

Mass @ 8:00 AM, Exposition & Adoration of the Eucharist 8:30 – 3:00; Benediction @ 3:00PM

CHOIR PRACTICE

Every Thursday, Lee Muller, Director

BIBLE STUDY

To Be Announced

ST. VINCENT dePAUL – For assistance:

(707) 374-3426 Monday – Friday

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

1st Tuesday of the Month

YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE

3rd Wednesday of the Month

CINCO DE MAYO TAMALES

Thank you to everyone who supported this fundraiser. The final figures are in:

\$2,960.00 in sales (148 dozens)

- 385.00 in total expenses

\$2,575.00 in net earnings for the parish

Expenses were low because some of the committee members donated the food and supplies, as well as their time and talent. Thank you to the co-chairs, **Martina Ruiz** and **Carlos Zepeda**, to the planning committee, **Elvia Barragan, Martin & Teresa Magana, Araceli Mendoza, Adiola Albor** and **Nora Villalpando**, and to all who helped prepare the tamales. This is the second successful fundraiser the Spanish Community has done this financial year. The dinner honoring Our Lady of Guadalupe and this event earned a net of \$6,043. “Muchas Gracias” to all who worked so hard in honor of our Blessed Mother and for our parish. God bless you.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Vincent de Paul is pleased to sponsor its “Back to School Back Pack” program for children of our parish. Our goal is to provide a free back pack for every student entering school this fall. Families wishing to receive free back packs for their children must fill out a form, available this weekend and next weekend in the Church vestibule, and in the church office. Return the completed forms to the box in the Church vestibule, or to the Parish Office, by May 10th. St. Vincent de Paul will protect the confidentiality of their families and students.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

Next week, we will have envelopes ready for the Catholic Home Missions. Right now, over 40% of dioceses in the United States are considered mission territory because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work in their communities. Your support of this appeal eases the struggle of these dioceses. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. Find more information at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

FELLOWSHIP OF CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN WOMEN

Women’s Spiritual Gifts Workshop

As we approach Pentecost, join us to discover how God has joyfully gifted you. Join us Tuesday, May 7th from 9:00AM to 1:00PM, Pot luck lunch. Registration is required: \$8.00 covers the cost of the book “*Uniquely His*”. (Scholarships are available.) Contact Kathy Perry (805) 432-8819 or Barbara Cheddar (707) 410-8780 or e-mail fccwministrypresident@outlook.com.

A MESSAGE FROM THE BISHOP

Bishop Soto published on our diocesan website (www.scd.org) the list of priests and deacons who have been credibly accused of sexual abuse. The link to get this information is <https://www.scd.org/clergyabuse>. When you click on the diocesan link and enter “clergy abuse”, it brings up all the information related to clergy abuse, including the bishop’s letter.

TAMALES CINCO DE MAYO

Gracias a todos quienes apoyaron esta recaudación de fondos. Las cifras finales:

\$2,960.00 en ventas (148 docenas)

- 385.00 en gastos totales

\$2,575.00 en fondos para la parroquia

Los gastos fueron bajos porque algunos de los miembros del comité donaron alimentos y suministros, así como su tiempo y talento. Gracias a los copresidentes del comité, **Martina Ruiz y Carlos Zepeda**, al comité de planificación, **Elvia Barragán, Martin y Teresa Magana, Araceli Mendoza, Adiola Albor** y **Nora Villalpando**, y a todos quienes ayudaron a preparar los tamales. Este es el segundo evento exitoso en recaudar fondos que la comunidad hispana ha realizado en este año financiero. La cena en honor a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y este evento recaudo una ganancia de \$6,043. ¡Muchas Gracias a todos los que trabajaron tan duro en honor a nuestra Santísima Madre y por nuestra parroquia! Que Dios los bendiga.

SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL

La sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl se complace en patrocinar su Programa de Mochilas de Escuela. El objetivo es de proporcionar una mochila para cada estudiante de nuestra parroquia que ingresa a la escuela este otoño. Las familias que deseen recibir mochilas gratis para sus hijos deben completar un formulario, disponible este fin de semana y el próximo fin de semana en el vestíbulo de la iglesia y en la oficina parroquial. Devuelva los formularios completos antes del 10 de mayo. La sociedad protegerá la confidencialidad de sus familias y estudiantes.

MISIONES CATÓLICAS

La próxima semana, tendremos sobres para las Misiones Católicas. Más del 40% de las diócesis en los Estados Unidos se consideran territorio de misión porque no pueden financiar el trabajo pastoral esencial en sus comunidades. Su apoyo a este llamado facilita la lucha de estas diócesis. Por favor, considere en oración cómo puede apoyar esta apelación. Encuentre más información en el sitio de internet www.usccb.org/home-missions.

UN MENSAJE DEL OBISPO

El Obispo Soto publicó en el sitio de internet diocesano (www.scd.org) la lista de sacerdotes y diáconos que han sido acusados creíblemente de abuso sexual. El enlace para obtener esta información es <https://www.scd.org/clergyabuse>. Cuando hace clic en el enlace diocesano e ingresa “clergy abuse” (abuso del clero, aparece toda la información relacionada al abuso del clero, incluida la carta del obispo.

CENA DE AGRADECIMIENTO

Los Caballeros de Colón están vendiendo boletos para la Cena de Agradecimiento a los Sacerdotes después de la Misa de las 5 de la tarde el sábado y durante el Desayuno de Panqueques en el Salón Parroquial el domingo. Los boletos cuestan \$35 y la cena es en el restaurante The Point el miércoles, 22 de mayo 2019.

PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Por favor, mantenga en sus oraciones a **Emelie Andersson, Braulio Chavolla, Estefania Cobian, Jeanpierre Guerra Porta, Petter Gutiérrez, Emily Mahoney, Alexander Ramírez y Azul Ramírez**, ya que reciben su Primera Comunión.