Infant Baptism
Expectant or new parents should contact the rectory at least two months before the desired date of baptism to complete a session of baptismal instruction.

Matrimony
Engaged couples should contact the rectory at least six months before the desired wedding date. Requests for weddings or baptisms at Most Holy Rosary Chapel must be arranged by contacting St. Isabella’s Parish.

Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.)
Formation provided for adults and children, non-baptized, baptized in another tradition, and baptized Catholics seeking to complete the sacraments of Confirmation and the Eucharist. To Register for RCIA, call Judy: 415-897-8241 or Sue: 415-472-1286

Welcome to all who celebrate with us, both long-time residents or those newly arrived in the parish. You may register through our website: www.stisabellasparish.org, or fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You! Name: _____________________________________________
New parishioner
New address or phone __________ Address: __________________________________________
Moving, remove from list _______ Phone: ____________________________
Please send Sunday envelopes _______
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

TIME

The holidays are well behind us; the year stretches out ahead. And what sort of year will it be? To judge by the words of Jesus in today’s Gospel, it will be “a year acceptable to the Lord.” And Jesus surely didn’t mean only the next three hundred sixty-five days facing his listeners at that time.

When Jesus announced the “arrival” of God’s favor, it was a message for all time, for every year. Similarly, we read today in Nehemiah how the people gathered with solemnity to hear God’s word as though for the first time. They listened, and then fell to the ground and wept. But the prophet said, “Today is holy . . . do not be sad, and do not weep.”

The “year acceptable to the Lord” is this year. The day that is “holy” is this day. The time to listen is now. What sort of year will you have? What sort of day? God’s help is always here. What you do with each day can be holy and acceptable to the Lord if you but listen to and act on God’s word.

United in Prayer Always,
/s/ Fr. Mark Reburiano

This Week (January 27-February 3, 2019)

This Weekend:

Second Collection: No Second Collection

Sunday 1/27:
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK
School Open House: School and Parish Center, 10 am-12 pm
No PSR Classes (except 8th grade in Cougar’s Den)

Monday 1/28:
Blessed Mother Rosary Group: 5:00 pm, Church

Tuesday 1/29:
Confirmation Meeting for Parents: 7:00-8:00 pm, Church

Wednesday 1/30:
PYC Meeting: 7:00-8:00 pm, Cougar’s Den

Thursday 1/31:
Adult Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 pm, Church

Friday 2/1:
No events scheduled

Saturday 2/2:
Hispanic Ministry: 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Cougar’s Den
Blessing of the Throats: after the 5:00 pm Mass Church
Crab Feed Fundraiser: 6:00 pm, Parish Center (see announcement below):

Next Weekend:

Sunday 2/3:
PSR Classes
PSR Walk-through: 10:30-11:15 am, Church
Blessing of the Throats after all Masses
Hispanic Ministry: 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Cougar’s Den

2nd Collection (February 3, 2019): Parish Maintenance

CRAB FEED FUNDRAISER

Hosted by St. Isabella’s Men’s Club

NEXT Saturday, February 2, 2019 at the Parish Center

6:00 pm: Cocktails * 7:00 pm: Dinner

Ticket prices:
Adults: $65 * 4 or more Adults: $60 each * Kids under 18: $30
Menu: All-You-Can-Eat local crab, appetizers, salad, sourdough bread, desserts
Wine, Beer and Cocktails available for purchase

RSVP NOW: St. Isabella Parish Crab Feed Fundraiser

Please Reserve my Seats: Adults: _____ @ $65 (or $60 for four or more adults) Kids _____ @ $30
TOTAL ENCLOSED: $________ (make checks payable to; “St. Isabella Men’s Club”)

Cut out this form, and Mail with Payment to: St. Isabella Men’s Club—Crab Feed
Mail to: Scott Sanford, 39 Elda Court, San Rafael, CA 94903, or drop off at School Office.

For Questions, please contact: scottsanford@gmail.com
**Weekly Offering & Stewardship**

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Monthly Credit Card Donations (charged on 12/28/2018): $3,750.00

To make your offertory donations by credit card, call the rectory: 479-1560.

**Weekly Operating Expenses:**

$12,618.58

*Thank you for your generous Offertory gifts. May God reward your generosity!*  

**Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2018**

- **Our AAA 2018 Assessment:** $95,748.00
- **Funds Collected to Date:** $97,304.00

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**Blessing of Throats on the Feast of Saint Blaise**

Saturday, Feb. 2, after 5:00 pm Mass and Sunday, February 3, after the 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:30 am, 2:00 pm and 5:00 pm Masses Come and have your throat blessed as we celebrate the feast of St. Blaise.

St. Blaise was a physician and bishop who is best known for healing a child who was choking on a fish bone. Because of the cure of the child’s throat, St. Blaise is patron against troubles of the throat.

“May God at the intercession of St. Blaise preserve you from throat troubles and every other evil.”

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**Saturday**

**February 23, 2019**

5:30-8:30 pm

**Help Support**

**St. Mary’s School of Uganda**

Fundraising event at St. Isabella’s Parish Center

RSVP: Joe Tassone: 415-215-8571

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**Mass Intentions This Week: January 27-February 2, 2019**

**Sunday 1/27:**
- 7:30 am: Gratitude for the Walk for Life Participants
- 9:00 am: Intentions of the People of St. Isabella
- 11:30 am: Intentions of Jean Perez
- 5:00 pm: For the rebuilding efforts in our disaster areas

**Monday 1/28:**
- 8:30: †

**Tuesday 1/29:**
- 8:30: †

**Wed. 1/30:**
- 8:30: Intentions of the Nick Dennis Family

**Thurs. 1/31:**
- 8:30: Angelo Devincenzi †

**Friday 2/1:**
- 8:30: †

**Saturday 2/2:**
- 8:30 am: Intentions of Pam Lockwood Norm Silva †
- 5:00 pm: Trish Hurt †

**LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS...**

**A Time for Healing, for those who are sick, that they experience strength in the Lord’s compassion:** Diane Baetz, Lois Bishop, Margo Boje, Susan Britton, Bill Butner, Susan Cane Ares, Michael Cane-Ares, Elaine Chan, Helen Cifuentas, Lena Cretti, Manuel Demengo, Kendrick Diaz, Dorothy Dixon, Charlotte Dooley, Velda Draper, Gerry Eling, Tom Everhart, Richard Feliciano, Frances Flynn, Linda Ford, Chuck Gagliano, Jose Garcia, Rosemary Grayson, Mary Grimes, Jim Haase, Dorothy Hermon, Edna Herrera, Richard Hunter, Wally Jennings, Joe Kelly, Prudence Mary Kerr, Lucy LaForest, Ralph Gong Lee, Gene Lindquist, Rodger Lippa, Lilia Martinez, John Maurer, Nancy McGovern, Jane Walsh McGowan, Jailun McIsaac, Nick Michael, Claire Denise Miller, Greg Motto, Deacon Jim Myers, Jovanna Nerrera, Jose Nunez, John P., John Pardini, Mary Parnell, Philip Pecoraro, Jean Perez, Lisa Pieper, Gail Pierce, Carol Pierpont, Sarah Purcell, Bernie Romano, Mary Rosa, Dorothy Russon, Pat Sanders, Stephanie Sinkular, Joseph Smith, Fr. Wilt Smith, Joe Stallone, Tom Stapleton, Jerry Streeter, Febronia Tabahita, Jacqueline Tarantino, Frank Williams, Peggy Wittman, Deborah Wunderlich, Deacon Rich Younkin

**Newly added to our prayers for the sick:** Neil Graham, Marilyn Monardo, Adaline Herbert, Annivie Farley, Emly Luchessa

**A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ:** Mary Phillips, Sheila Maguire, Aldo Niccolai, Jacqueline Zambrellin, Joyce Comach

**Remember in your Prayers:** For the newly baptized of St. Isabella’s Church

(To have your loved one added to (or removed from) the weekly Mass Intentions or our Parish Bulletin prayer list, please call the rectory at 415-479-1560, or email: office@stisabellasparish.org)
St. Isabella Catholic School Admissions
Come explore your Parish Catholic School and discover the difference a Catholic education can make for your child and your family. We provide a complete educational program built on strong core academics with faith formation and prayer woven into the students’ daily school experience. Our kindergarten through eighth grade faculty includes specialists in science, Spanish, music, physical education, and technology. Our Extended Day program is nurturing, reasonably priced, and available on a drop-in basis.

Admission tours are held Monday and Friday mornings at 8:45 by appointment. Arrangements can be made if these times cannot fit your schedule. We’re anxious to answer your questions about the application process for all grades.

You are encouraged to call the office, 415-479-3727 and set an appointment or contact Principal, Rob Pheatt: rpheattstisabellaschool.org

St. Isabella School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, scholarship and financial aid, and athletic and other school administered programs.

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Upcoming Cursillo weekends:
Women’s Cursillo: May 2-9, 2019
Men’s Cursillo: May 16, 2019
Applications on line at: marincursillo.com

Spirit Choir & Handbells Mass:
Please contact Erin Hurley, Spirit Choir Director, for information about joining and the next practice: erinhurleymusic@gmail.com

Por la Misa En Español :
LECTURAS DE HOY
Primera lectura — Esdras leyó el libro de la ley de Dios ante la asamblea reunida (Nehemías 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10).
Salmo — Tú tienes, Señor, palabras de vida eterna (Salmo 19 [18]).
Segunda lectura — Del mismo modo que el cuerpo con sus muchas partes forma un solo cuerpo, así también Cristo (1 Corintios 12:12-30).
Evangelio — Jesús leyó del profeta Isaías y declara que en su propia persona se cumple la profecía

The St. Vincent de Paul Society says: Think about it… Beware of half truths; you may have gotten hold of the wrong half … Think about it.