



Saint Isabella Church & School

One Trinity Way, P.O. Box 6166, San Rafael California, 94903
 and our Pastoral Mission at Most Holy Rosary Chapel:
 One Saint Vincent's Drive, Marinwood, CA



Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2019

Strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed. — *Hebrews 12:12-13*

Pastoral Staff

- Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, *Pastor*
- Rev. Tony Vallecillo, *Shared Parochial Vicar*
- Rev. Neil Healy, *Priest-in-Residence*
- Rev. Mr. Graham Cumming, *Deacon*
- Mr. Rob Pheatt, *School Principal*
- Ms. Elissa Kuhr, *Vice Principal*
- Mrs. Lyn Gatti, *PSR Director (Parish School of Religion)*
- Mr. Shane Graham, *PYC Director (Parish Youth Council)*
- Mrs. Lynn Pieri Young, *Director of Music*
- Mr. Clarence Mamaril, *Office Manager*
- Mr. Mike Mangini, *Pastoral Minister*
- Mr. Steven Pilc, *Staff Accountant*

Schedule of Services

Eucharist at St. Isabella's Church

Daily Mass (Monday – Saturday): 8:30 am
 Saturday evenings: 5:00 pm
 Sundays: 7:30, 9:00 (Family Mass), 11:30 am, 5:00 pm
 2:00 pm Spanish Mass/Misa en Español

Reconciliation at St. Isabella's Church

Tuesdays, 5:00-7:00 pm
 Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 pm (or by appointment)

Services at Most Holy Rosary Chapel

(located at One Saint Vincent's Drive, Marinwood)

Sunday Mass: 9:45 am
 Gregorian (Latin) Mass: Website: www.tlmsf.org.org
 Traditional Form of Confession: 11:30 am
 Mass at 12:15 pm with Schola Cantorum

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

Rectory / Parish Office	415-479-1560
St. Isabella's Parochial School	415-479-3727
Parish School of Religion (PSR)	415-479-1560
Parish Youth Council (PYC)	415-479-1560
Music (Lynn Pieri Young)	707-763-3965
Liturgy (call Rectory)	415-479-1560
Staff Accountant, Steven Pilc	208-770-9243
Pastoral Council (Joe Gatti)	415-499-4650
St. Vincent de Paul Help Line	415-454-0366
St. Vincent de Paul Car donations	800-322-8284
FAX: (Parish)	415-479-8303
(School)	415-479-9961
Email: Parish	office@stisabellasparish.org
Email: School	rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org
Website:	www.stisabellasparish.org

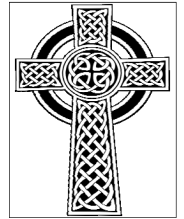


Welcome to all who celebrate with us, both long-time residents or those newly arrived in the parish. You may register through our website: www.stisabellasparish.org, or fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You! **Name:** _____

New parishioner _____
 New address or phone _____ **Address:** _____
 Moving, remove from list _____
 Please send Sunday envelopes _____ **Phone:** _____

From the Pastor

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
WELCOME THE STRANGER




We have become accustomed to seeing pictures in the media and stories on the news about immigrants from Latin America and refugees from Syria fleeing violence and destruction in their own countries, trying to make their way to a safe place. We have also seen the reactions of people who want to keep them out of safer countries, who fail to welcome the stranger and the helpless children. Have we forgotten Jesus' call to comfort the homeless and the stranger? "They shall bring all your brothers and sisters from all the nations . . . to Jerusalem, my holy mountain, says the LORD."

In the three readings for this day, we are told that we are to welcome these strangers, to welcome the discipline of the Lord, which leads to peace, and to "strive to enter through the narrow gate" into the glory of God's own homeland, the reign of God.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan

This Week (August 25-September 1, 2019)

This Weekend:	Second Collection: No Second Collection
Sunday 8/25:	No events scheduled
Monday 8/26:	Blessed Mother Rosary Group: 5:00 pm, Church 
Tuesday 8/27:	Confessions (in Spanish/English): 5:00-7:00 pm, Church
Wednesday 8/28:	No events scheduled
Thursday 8/29:	St. Isabella's Back to School Night
Friday 8/30:	School and Rectory closed in observance of Holiday
Saturday 8/31:	No events scheduled
Next Weekend: Sunday 9/1:	No events scheduled
Next Week's 2nd Collection: Parish Maintenance	

Blessed Mother Rosary Group

The Blessed Mother Rosary group meets on Mondays at 5:00 pm, in the church. All are welcome to pray the rosary with us.



"Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe."

Saint Augustine

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Parishioners are encouraged to spend time in the Church with the Blessed Sacrament on the First Friday of each month.

Can you spare time to be with Jesus in the Eucharist?

Next Date for Adoration & Benediction:

Friday, Sept. 6, 2019 following the 8:30 am Mass Adoration & Benediction

**Beginning on October 5, 2019,
 Saturday Confessions will be from 3:45—4:30 pm
 AND
 on Tuesday Afternoon from 5:00-7:00 pm,
 in either English or Spanish**



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

AUGUST 17-18 Offertory Collection: \$ 6,574.50
2nd Coll.-Parish Maintenance: \$ 1,797.00
Assumption Masses (8/14 & 15): \$ 397.00
Ministerio Sagrado Corazon de Jesus: \$ 89.00

Weekly Operating Expenses: \$ 12,618.58

Thank you for your generous Offertory gifts.

May God reward your generosity!

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2019

Our AAA 2019 Assessment: \$ 91,000.00

Funds Collected to Date: \$ 11,850.00

St. Vincent de Paul Raffle

Thank You!

Thank you very much to all our parishioners who supported the St. Vincent de Paul Raffle ticket sales last weekend.

Your contribution will directly benefit neighbors in need in our parish.

Good luck to all who participated!

The raffle will be held September 7th.



2019-2020 Parish School of Religion Registration is Open!

If you have elementary school children in grades 1-8 and would like them to be enrolled in weekly religious education classes, our Parish School of Religion is now accepting registrations.

All information and online registration can be found on our church website at:

www.stisabellasparish.org.

Paper registration is also available.

Contact PSR Director Lyn Gatti at: lyn@stisabellasparish.org with any questions.



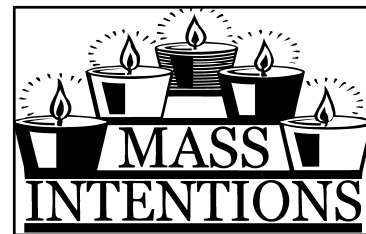
Dia de la Hispanidad

On September 14, the Archdiocese of San Francisco will hold its Annual Hispanic Day celebration at Saint Mary's Cathedral, beginning with a procession from St. Anthony of Padua Church in San Francisco at 7:30 am, and arrival at St. Mary's Cathedral prior to Mass at 9:00 am. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone. After Mass, there are conferences until 4:00 pm in the Cathedral conference halls. For more information, call: 415-282-1652

El 14 de septiembre, la Arquidiócesis de San Francisco celebrará su celebración anual del Día Hispanidad en la Catedral de Santa María, a las 9:00 am, presidida por el Arzobispo Salvatore Cordileone. Mas informacion: 415-282-1652

Mass Intentions This Week: August 25-August 31, 2019

Sunday 8/25: 7:30 am: †
9:00 am: Intentions of the People of St. Isabella
11:30 am: Elizabeth Martland †
2:00 pm: †
5:00 pm: †
Monday 8/26: 8:30: †
Tuesday 8/27: 8:30: †
Wed. 8/28: 8:30: Enriqueta Villodres †
Thurs. 8/29: 8:30: †
Friday 8/30: 8:30: †
Saturday 8/31: 8:30 am: Harold Sinclair †
5:00 pm: †



LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS...

A Time for Healing, for those who are sick, that they experience strength in the Lord's compassion: Lois Bishop, Margo Boje, Kristin Brewer, Susan Britton, Bill Buttner, Susan Cane Ares, Michael Cane-Ares, Elaine Chan, Helen Cifuentes, Judy Collins, Lena Cretti, Manuel Demengo, Dorothy Dixon, Carl Duda, Richard Edelman, Tom Everhart, Annavie Farley, Richard Feliciano, Frances Flynn, Linda Ford, Jose Garcia, Neil Graham, Jim Haase, Agnes Henderson, Adaline Herbert, Dorothy Hernon, Edna Herrera, Richard Hunter, Josephina Iniguez, Millie Jones, Joe Kelly, Prudence Mary Kerr, Ingrid Lee, Ralph Gong Lee, Gene Lindquist, Margaret Lindsay, Mark Lindsay, Rodger Lippa, Emy Luchessa, Joe MacKenzie, Nancy McGovern, Jane Walsh McGowan, Jailun McIsaac, Nick Michael, Greg Motto, Deacon Jim Myers, Jovanna Nerrera, Jose Nunez, John P., John Pardini, Mary Parnell, Jean Perez, Lisa Pieper, Gail Pierce, Carol Pierpont, Sarah Purcell, Allan Rosenbloom, Pat Vicky Rufins, Pat Sanders, Molly Shepard, Joseph Smith, Fr. Wilt Smith, Joe Stallone, Tom Stapleton, Jerry Streeter, Febronia Tabahita, Peggy Wittman, Deborah Wunderlich, Deacon Rich Younkin

Newly added to our prayers for the sick: Shannon Sinclair-Kloss, Vanessa Kakinuki, Tashihiro Kosins

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Richard Kain, Sr., Jean Pierre Ardohain, Edith Sruff

Remember in your Prayers: For the safety and well-being of our students, faculty and staff throughout the 2019-2020 school year.

(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.

Back to School **Safety Reminders**



The St. Isabella's school year has started! It is especially important during this time to be aware of the rules-of-the-road and drive safely around school zones.

Drivers must slow down and pay attention to children crossing streets and playgrounds, and to those dropping off and picking up passengers.

Our school has specific drop-off locations. Be aware of these procedures and follow them. Respect school staff directing traffic and follow their directions to avoid accidents. Instruct your children to use crosswalks, and always make eye contact with approaching drivers before stepping out onto the crosswalk.

Remember to yield to pedestrians, obey the school zone speed limits, and be mindful of blind spots, especially around buses.

Give yourself extra time for travel by leaving early to avoid the traffic rush. This avoids speeding, which leads to accidents—please plan ahead!

Let's all have a safe and productive school year!

Por la Misa En Español:

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Hermanos y hermanas de todas las razas e idiomas acudirán a Jerusalén (Isaías 66:18-21).

Salmo — Vayan por todo el mundo y prediquen el Evangelio (Salmo 117 [116]).

Segunda lectura — Sé fuerte y soporta las pruebas como la "disciplina" de un Dios amoroso (Hebreos 12:5-7, 11-13).

Evangelio — Gente del este y el oeste, del norte y del sur se sentarán a la mesa del Reino de Dios (Lucas 13:22-30).



The St. Vincent de Paul Society says: *Think about it...* **Good friends are like angels, You don't have to see them to know they are there...** *Think about it*