

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



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 25, 2021

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs. Ps 145

Pastoral Team

Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, Pastor

Rev. Ephrem Tillya, Parochial Vicar (Hospital Chaplain)

Rev. Neil Healy, Priest-in-Residence Rev. Mr. Graham Cumming, Deacon

Mr. Rob Pheatt, School Principal Ms. Elissa Kuhr, Vice Principal

Mrs. Ginny Pheatt, Office

Mrs. Nahed Naser, Finance

Mrs. Lynn Pieri Young, Music

Ms. Therese Bruton, P.S.R.

Ms. Judy Rosenbloom, R.C.I.A.

Mr. Frank Lavin, Baptismal Preparation

Mr. Christopher Major, Marriage Preparation

Mr. Shane Graham, P.Y.C.

Mrs. Maria Renderos, Cook & Housekeeper

** Check parish website for latest updates. ** www.stisabellasparish.org

Schedule of Services

Eucharist at St. Isabella's Church

Saturday evenings: 5:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m. Sundays:

Daily Mass: 9:00 a.m. (Monday – Friday)

Reconciliation at St. Isabella's Church

Saturdays, 4:00 - 4:45 pm

or by appointment, call 415-479-1560

Services at Most Holy Rosary Chapel

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

Website: www.tlmsf.org

| Infant Baptism | Expectant or new parents should contact the rectory a least two months before the desired date of baptism to complete a session of baptismal instruction. |
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| 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. |
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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 |
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| St. Isabella | 's Parochial | School | 415-479-3727 |
| PSR (Therese Bruton) | | | 415-479-1560 |
| RCIA (Judy Rosenbloom) | | | 415-897-8241 |
| Parish You | 415-479-1560 | | |
| Music (Lynn Pieri Young) 707-763-396. | | | |
| Parish Council/Liturgy Committee 415-479-156 | | | |
| St. Vincent de Paul Help Line 415-454-036 | | | |
| St. Vincent de Paul Car donations | | | 800-322-8284 |
| Fax: | Parish | | 415-479-8303 |
| | School | | 415-479-9961 |
| Email: | Parish | office@stisal | bellasparish.org |
| | School | | bellaschool.org |
| Website: | Parish | | bellasparish.org |
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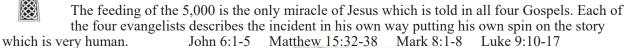
| Welcome to all who celebrate with us, both long-time residents or those newly arrived in the parish. You | ou may |
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| register through our website: www.stisabellasparish.org, or fill out this form and put it into the collection | on bas- |
| ket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You! | |
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| New parishioner |
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| New address or phone |
| Moving, remove from list |
| Please send Sunday envelopes |

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| | Name: | |
| | Address: | |
| | e-Mail: | |
| - | Phone: | |

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

John 6:1-15







<u>Pope Francis Reflections on Prayer</u> (Part 3 of 3)

- 7. Be able to pray when times are difficult. The beautiful prayer 'Canticle of the Sun' written by Saint Francis of Assis, was not written in the glory of his life but at a time of great pain when he was blind and close to death.
- 8. Prayer is a light. It helps us to see the truth and hear the beauty of life surrounding us. Prayer is the longing in our souls to worship God and to give thanks to God that only he can bless us with. It is an act of love keeping us in dialogue with God's love.

Vatican Trivia

How many people live in Vatican City?

1,100 people. 95% are male. Only Cardinals are Vatican citizens. Swiss Guards have their own apartments. Lay workers live in Rome. No one is born a citizen of the Vatican.

Sport

The 800 meter running race, two laps, a bell is rung end of first lap, why? Surely two laps is not hard to remember to have a bell to remind you. (I wouldn't pay 1 cent for this information, but I would still like to know.)

Theology of Work (Part 2 of 3)

Poll numbers show that many Americans today believe hard work does not always pay off. After long years of studies, good jobs not always found. Some jobs are hated because they are repetitive and boring. The Catholic once called work the curse of Adam, the curse of the original sin. But good work also creates community and solidarity. You want people united, get them to work together.

Did you know?

8,339 deaths in the U.S. from gun violence 2020.

Parish Story

I got a call to the hospital. A man wanted to see a priest. I sat down to talk. Next his cell phone rings. 12 minutes later he was still on his cell phone. I told him politely I have other things to do. He looked amazed that I was actually leaving him—not waiting for him to finish his cell phone conversation.

"I would rather have a mule that I can depend on than a race horse that I can't depend on."



Yours in Fraternity, Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

 Parish

 Offertory
 \$ 3,178.00

 Maintenance
 \$ 1,996.00

 Total for Parish
 \$ 5,174.00

Others: Latin Mass

\$ 320.00

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

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

 2021 St. Isabella's Goal:
 \$ 82,827

 Donations Received to Date:
 \$ 13,888

 Need:
 \$ 68,939

AAA pledge envelopes and letters are in the vestibules and the Rectory. To donate online, visit the Archdiocese's online giving page; https://www.sfarchdiocese.org/aaa.

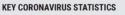
Select PARISH: "St. Isabella Parish 2021 AAA"



to our Faith Family, baptized into the Catholic Faith at St. Isabella last week.

Parish is looking for Ushers for weekend Masses & Eucharistic Ministers for homebound.

Interested? Contact Fr. O' or call the parish office, 415-479-1560.



Cases Deaths Vaccinated 222,777,190 | 4,063,539 | 3,573,846,537



Fr. Ephrem is now returned to America.

parish in August.

Should be back in the

Source: Johns Hopkins University, WHO, Our World in Data, health authorities Last updated: 15 Jul. 2:40PM

Remember those who have died. Funerals last week:

Eileen Kerr + Margorie Manko + Barbara Walsh +

Pray for the Repose of the Soul. Rest in Peace.



Mass Intentions This Week: July 24, 2021 - July 30, 2021

Saturday 7/24 Mike Mangini + 5 p.m. **Sunday** 7/25 9 a.m. Nancy Delfin + Monday 7/26 9 a.m. Nelson Jenosa + Tuesday 7/27 9 a.m. Wednesday 7/28 9 a.m. Thursday 7/29 9 a.m. Enriqueta Villodres + Friday 7/30 9 a.m.



LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS...

A Time for Healing, for those who are sick, that they experience strength in the Lord's compassion: Dianna Baetz, Lois Bishop, Lauren Bohm, Margo Boje, Kristin Brewer, Susan Britton, Bill Buttner, Susan Cane Ares, Michael Cane-Ares, Elaine Chan, Helen Cifuentas, Carl Clement, Emelia Colin, Judy Collins, Lena Cretti, Maradee Davis, Manuel Demengo, Dorothy Dixon, Richard Edelman, Annavie Farley, Richard Feliciano, Gayle Fenci, Frances Flynn, Neil Graham, Jim Haase, Agnes Henderson, Edna Herrera, Richard Hunter, Millie Jones, Prudence Mary Kerr, Shannon Sinclair-Kloss, Ingga Lee, Ralph Gong Lee, Gene Lindquist, Margaret Lindsay, Mark Lindsay, Emy Luchessa, Joe MacKenzie, Jailun McIsaac, Nick Michael, Greg Motto, Kevin Moore, Deacon Jim Myers, Jovanna Nerrera, Jose Nunez, John Pardini. Mary Parnell, Lisa Pieper, Leonora Pilar, Gail Pierce, Carol Pierpont, Allan Rosenbloom, Pat Vicky Rufins, Molly Shepard, Joe Stallone, Frank Stankis, Jerry Streeter, Febronia Tabahita, Rob Wells, Deborah Wunderlich, Felix Conte, Fr. Neil Healy, Tiffany Martinson, Cathie Inglis, Beth Flaherty, Tara Garcia, Jordan Roggenbuck, Louise & Phil Rapoport, Brendan Moylan, Sue Egisti, John Walters, Elsie & Michael Peregrin, Mary Polizza, Lucille Bailey, Maria Renderos, Pat Buttner, Baby Charlotte Merino, Dr. Mark Higgins, Tom Stoddard, Ally Glass, Jane White.

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Steve Callagy, Jackson Walsh, Barbara Reeves, Lloyd Peterson, Neal Graham Sr, Sr. Colleen Kern, Fr. Ken Westray, Fr. Brian Costello, Dan White, Connie Govi, Dcn. Rich Younkin, Doug Lathrop, Francine Strain, Michael &Norma Giannini, Fr. Wilton Smith, Alice Bogan, Nola Joy Slingsby, Alfred Petrofsky, Virginia Page, Rich Martino, Gilberte Godfrey, Robert Gash, Ivano Santi, Oliver Mackley, Mike Mangini, Mark Momboisse, Jimmy Lucero, Istvan Kadar, Robert Burkhard, Eileen Kerr, Margorie Manko, Barbara Walsh.



Remember in your Prayers: For the safety and well-being of all those affected by the Covid-19 epidemic

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



Together in Holiness Marriage Conference Saturday, September 18, 2021, 8:45 am — 4 pm Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Belmont. Presented by St. John Paul II Foundation & the Archdiocese SF Marriage & Family.

| Presentations | Mass | Childcare | Eucharistic Adoration | Reconciliation | For registration/info, visit togetherinholiness.org

The Bridge - News from the Archdiocese

Bioethics from a Catholic Perspective, by Dr. Joe Zalot. 7 consecutive classes (ZOOM) starting August 10, 7 p.m. Class schedule and registration at www.sfarch.org/bioethics

Book "Priest and Beggar and the heroic life of Venerable Aloysius Schwartz", by Kevin Wells. July 28, 6:30 pm. Star of the Sea, SF. Free event. Info at www.starparish.com.

Liturgy Resource: July 2021 Word of Life. Archive link for previous issues: respectlife.org/word-of-life-archive

New Report from USCCB/MRS and The Catholic University of America's Immigrant and Refugee Advocacy Clinic: A Vision Forward: Policies Needed to Protect the Best Interests of "Category 4" Unaccompanied Immigrant Children. July 21, noon (PDT) ZOOM: https://bit.ly/2Ug1oEH

3-Week Digital Institute Seeing Initiation Ministry with 20/20 Vision. Aug. 16, 23, 30. Focus on a reflective view of the vision presented in the RCIA. Prayer, discussion, sharing best practices and common struggles. Contact training@ltp.org

Ignatian Companions 2021-2022 Program accepting applications for those who desire to deepen their love of God through accompanying the poor and marginalized and engaging with others in dialogue, prayer, and reflection. The spirituality of St. Ignatius Loyola is the basis for the program. www.ignatiancompanions.org

Sunday 4pm "*Musical Meditations*", St. Mary Cathedral YouTube livestreamed youtube.com/channel/UCy-mr3hbtmS85aebzGvGX5g

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 scheduled. 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. e-mail: rpheatt@stisabellaschool.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.

St. Isabella enjoys free weekly bulletin printing no cost to the parish, thanks to the businesses who put their ads in our bulletin. If you wish, please patronize their business to thank their support, especially during this difficult time of the pandemic when businesses, restaurants and shops are hurting.