

# 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, California



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 15, 2023

The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us.

#### **Pastoral Team**

Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, Pastor Rev. Ephrem Tillya, Parochial Vicar. Hospital Chaplain Rev. Neil Healy, *Priest-in-Residence* Rev. Mr. Christopher Major, Deacon. P.S.R., Marriage Preparation Rev. Mr. Graham Cumming, Deacon Mr. Rob Pheatt, *School Principal* Mrs. Lynn Pieri Young, Music Mrs. Ginny Pheatt, Office Mrs. Nahed Naser, Finance Ms. Judy Rosenbloom, R.C.I.A. Mr. Frank Lavin, Baptismal Preparation

Please send Sunday envelopes

## **Schedule of Services**

#### Eucharist at St. Isabella's Church

Saturday evenings:	5:00 p.m.
Sundays:	9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass:	8:30 a.m.

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**Reconciliation at St. Isabella's Church** 

Saturdays, 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment, call 415-479-1560

**Rosary/Prayer Group at St. Isabella's** Mondays: 5:15 p.m. (All are welcome)

Services at Most Holy Rosary Chapel (located at One Saint Vincent's Drive, Marinwood) Website: www.tlmsf.org

	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. 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. tion (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. RCIA, call Judy: 415-897-8241 or Sue: 415-472-1286	St. Isabella's Parochial School415-479-3727PSR (Deacon Chris Major)PSR@stisabellasparish.orgRCIA (Judy Rosenbloom)415-897-8241Parish Youth Council (PYC)415-479-1560Music (Lynn Pieri Young)707-763-3965Parish Council/Liturgy Committee415-479-1560St. Vincent de Paul Help Line415-454-0366St. Vincent de Paul Car donations800-322-8284St. Isabella CYO Basketballwww.sicyo.comFax:Parish415-479-8303School415-479-9961
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## Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

John 1:29-34



John came baptizing and the thousands came out to be baptized by him. Jesus did no baptisms, why is that? Roman Catholics have the Sacrament of Reconciliation where our sins are forgiven, that is where we reconcile ourselves to God and our neighbors.



Catechesis

What is a Minor Basilica?

The popes designate minor basilicas. These churches celebrate large liturgical occasions or diocesan gatherings. Once named a basilica, the church always remain a basilica. In San Francisco diocese, Mission Dolores was named a minor basilica in 1952.

## The Nation and Church differ on migrants

The Church's mission is to reach out to those on the margins. This includes refugees, migrants, displaced persons. God abandons no one because of their circumstances. The Church in Christ's names is not allowed to ignore suffering or human traumas. The Catholic Church has historically been a pioneer in the U.S. in supporting immigrants; Europeans, Central Americans, South Americans, lately Haitians and Afghans. At the same time, the Church recognizes laws have to be respected and urges immigration reforms. In the meanwhile, many refugees flee to the U.S. for a better life and die in their efforts to reach this land of hope and prosperity.

## Did You Know?

20% of Americans experience mental health issues.

## Book

"*Counterfeit Spirituality*". Helps Catholics to spot false teachings that has infiltrated into our society. \$17.00.

## Annual Archdiocesan Appeal

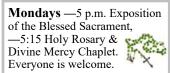
The year 2022 ended and St. Isabella still owed to the appeal \$28,040. This is so unfair to those parishioners who made a contribution. We are all in this together, the joys and the pains of parish financial responsibilities. We need to get over our personal hang ups with the AAA. The parish still have to pay our share. This is our third year in a row not meeting our Annual Archdiocesan Appeal.

"You live and you die. I'd rather die for what I live by."



Yours in Fraternity, Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan

Offering States	Weekly Offering & Steward Week Ending January 7 - 8, 2023 Offertory Parish Maintenance (restricted) Parish Kitchen Fund (restricted) Masses and Religious Ceremonies: Votive Candles-Church Total for parish Holy Rosary/Latin Mass:	\$ 1 \$ \$ \$ \$	1,065.75 1,633.50
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## **MASS INTENTIONS: January 14 – January 21**

Saturday	1/14	5 p.m.	Robert Doyle +
Sunday	1/15	9 a.m.	Marilyn Ann Woodcock +
Monday	1/16	8:30 a.m.	Jim McKinley +
Tuesday	1/17	8:30 a.m.	Robert Doyle +
Wednesday	1/18	8:30 a.m.	†
Thursday	1/19	8:30 a.m.	Jim Cadden +
Friday	1/20	8:30 a.m.	Matthew Millsap
Saturday	1/21	8:30 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: Fr. Neil Healy, Cathie Peters, Tommy Watson & family, Baby Jimmy Bogden, Hugo Phillips, Anthony Lindquist, Peter Maren, Judith Walsh Cassidy, Claudia Reimer, George Kerbs, Mary Sullivan, Ruby Wilson, Rich McGrath, Dolores Cuerva, William Thomas Reilly, Marilyn Swieconek, Ann Sykes, Richard Hunter, Kevin Swanson, Anne Boeri, Shirley McGrath, Lacey Graham, Jordyn Powell, Bill Bixby, Matthew Millsap, Shirley Dimitratos, Jake Williams, Richard Levy, Therese Bruton, Gary Altamirano

#### A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ.

Tom White, Jack Cooper, Pat Vincent, Kara Roell, Ann Gregory, Elizabeth (Betty) Sheehy, Bonnie Papreso, Audrey Rouldes, Francesca Cantarutti, Louis Lovato, Elaine Chan, Theodore Lamantia, Bob Carrasco, Lori Ahern, Walter Kelly, Nancy Ghilotti, Colleen McGuinn, Mary Gail Mibach, James McKinley, James Juarez, Janet Dunn, Aileen Moriarty Kelly, John Swieconek, Nancy Zaharin, Peter Tritz. Patricia Calhoun, Elizabeth Molarin, David Dunn, Anita Verena Bollinger, Paul Mueller, Violet Swanson, Katherine Pokas, Terese Moriarty, Alice Flaherty, Ryan Dallara, Honey Cabalza, Diana Santi, Doris Galli, Fran Gazdik, Hannah Daly, Ralph Tischbern, Alan Rosenbloom, Elizabeth Paganini, Betty Cronin, Reno Cantarutti, Jacqueline Tarantino, Robert Thomas, Robert "Bob" Doyle, Helmut Wendler, Christa Wendler

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



GIVING TREE — Happy New Year to all the kind and caring members of St. Isabella parish. Once again, you have responded to the Giving Tree Project with the generosity that Jesus would expect of you. Our parish was able to provide Target gift cards for more than 40 children served by our own St. Vincent de Paul Conference as well as Safeway

food vouchers for their families to brighten their Christmas. We were also able to provide assistance with rent and utilities to several of these families during this very harsh weather we are experiencing. We know your generous nature is appreciated by the recipients, and the Good Sams thank you for making this project a huge success. God bless you!



#### SUPERBOWL PARTY — Annual fundraiser

proceeds benefit St. Isabella Parish & School. Saturday, 1/28/2023, 6PM - 9PM in the Parish Center. Enjoy food, refreshments and football fun hosted by the St. Isabella's School Alumni! Donations received by 1/7 qualify for a chance to win \$ prizes. All proceeds go to many needed upgrades at St. Isabella. For more information, see the flyers at the church vestibules or call Tom or Kirk Hunter at 415-453-4916.

The Bridge/Catholic SF - News from the Archdiocese

Archbishop Cordileone's statement on the passing of Pope Benedict XVI, visit

https://sfarch.org/pope-emeritus-benedict-xvi/

Walk for Life Mass, 1/21 9:30 a.m. St. Mary Cathedral SF. https://sfarch.org/event/walk-for-life-mass-2/

St. Patrick's Seminary Discernment Retreat, 1/27-1/29. Contact: Fr. Cameron Faller | faller.cameron@sfarch.org

Celebrate the Lunar New Year, 1/28, 2:30 p.m. St. Mary Cathedral SF. 5 p.m. Banquet RSVP contact: Fr. Peter Zhai, SVD | 415-614-5575 | zhaip@sfarch.org

The Mystery of the Liturgy: A Retreat for Artists and Art Lovers, 1/29, 4 p.m. (Zoom) Reflections by Archbishop, Dr. Anthy Lilles, ... Contact, mgallagher@bxvi.org.

"The Arch and the Spire: Romanesque and Gothic https://sfarchdiocese.org/arch-and-spire-course/

#### St. Isabella Catholic School Admissions



SAINT ISABELLA SCHOOL

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 praver 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