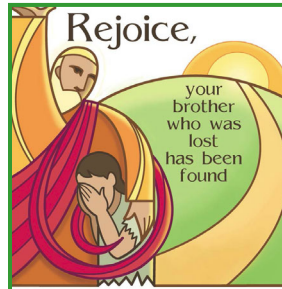




Saint Isabella Church & School

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-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 15, 2019

A clean heart create for me, O God,
 and a steadfast spirit
 renew within me.

— Psalm 51:12

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 Pile, *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 Pile	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

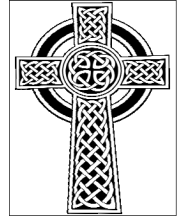


Welcome to all who celebrate with us, both long-time residents or those newly arrived in the parish. You may register through our website: www.stisabellasparish.org, or fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You! **Name:** _____

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

From the Pastor

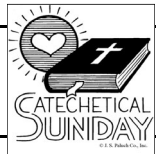


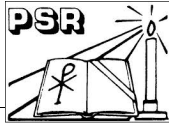
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
LOST AND FOUND



Welcome to “Lost and Found Sunday”! Just in case being in church makes us proudly consider ourselves especially religious, today’s Gospel suggests that we’d be wiser to admit that we’re sometimes lost. Then we’ll eventually be happily counted among Jesus’ “found,” because today Jesus focuses on a lost sheep, lost coin, lost son. Jesus does so because the Pharisees and scribes, proudly considering themselves especially religious, “began to complain” that Jesus “welcomes sinners and eats with them.” So Jesus warns them—and us—to stop judging others. Marvel instead that God’s amazing grace has found us! Indeed, we should become Jesus’ friends lovingly trying to find others. So Exodus asks, if God “relented in punishment” and pardoned us, shouldn’t we forgive fellow sinners graciously? Even Paul admits his “arrogance” as “foremost among sinners.” We too, happy at being “mercifully treated,” should share with everyone else Jesus’ unflinching patience.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Cyril O’Sullivan

This Week (September 15-22, 2019)

This Weekend:	Second Collection: Parish Maintenance	
Sunday 9/15:	Catechetical Sunday No events scheduled	
Monday 9/16:	Blessed Mother Rosary Group: 5:00 pm, Church PYC Info Night: 7:00-9:00 pm, Parish Center	 
Tuesday 9/17:	Confessions (in Spanish/English): 5:00-7:00 pm, Church	
Wednesday 9/18:	No events scheduled	
Thursday 9/19:	No events scheduled	
Friday 9/20:	No events scheduled	
Saturday 9/21:	PSR: Incoming 8th Graders Orientation: 10:00-11:00 am, Cougars Den PSR: Incoming 6th Graders & NEW 7th Graders Orientation: 11:30 am-12:30 pm, Cougars Den	
Next Weekend: Sunday 9/22:	PSR Classes begin: 10:15-11:25 am	
Next Week’s 2nd Collection: 2019 Priests Retirement Fund		

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.



Red Mass—Thurs., Oct. 17, 2019

The annual Red Mass sponsored by the St. Thomas More Society of San Francisco will be on Thursday, October 17, 2019, at 5:30 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul Church, 666 Filbert Street, San Francisco.

The Red Mass is a 700+ year tradition seeking guidance of the Holy Spirit for the legal profession and all those who seek justice. All interested lawyers, judges, and other interested parties are invited to attend. A dinner and reception will follow the Mass to hone the 2019 St. Thomas More recipient for his works of service to the Church. See the Society’s website for more information: www.stthomasmore-sf.org

**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

September 7-8 Offertory: \$ 6,708.50
 2nd Collection - none last weekend: \$ n/a
 Sagrado Corazon de Jesus (8/27 & 9/3): \$ 180.00
 Weekly Operating Expenses: \$ 12,618.58
Thank you for your generous Offertory gifts.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2019

Our AAA 2019 Assessment: \$ 91,000.00
 Funds Collected to Date: \$ 11,850.00

PYC INFO NIGHT

PYC has nearly begun!
 PYC holds its annual Info Night on Monday, Sept. 16th, 7:30 pm at the Parish Center. This is a chance for new members & parents to meet PYC leaders. Interested adult volunteers can also sign up to be PYC faculty, which PYC is still in need of. No RSVP necessary. Hope to see you there!



Novena at the Carmelite Monastery

Address: 530 Blackstone Drive, San Rafael, CA 94903

The Discalced Carmelite Nuns cordially invite you to attend their annual Novena to St. Therese of the Child Jesus & of the Holy Face, from Monday, September 23rd through Tuesday, October 1st, at 6:00 pm, in the Monastery Chapel.

This year's Novena is conducted by Rev. Christopher La Rocca, OCD, of the Discalced Carmelite Order of Friars, from the Carmelite House of Prayer in Napa Valley.

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 questions.

Important Dates: Incoming 6th & New 7th graders Orientation:

Saturday, Sept. 21, 11:30-12:30pm in the Cougar's Den

Incoming 8th graders Orientation:

Sunday, Sept. 29, 10:00 -11:00 am, in the Cougar's Den

PSR Classes begin on Sunday, September 22nd

Next Weekend's 2nd Collection

September 21-22, 2019

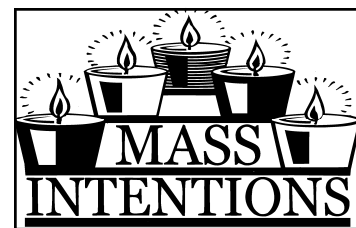
Priest's Retirement Fund

Priesthood is a call from Christ that lasts a lifetime. It involves love of Church, commitment, sacrifice and service.

Please give generously to next weekend's 2nd Collection, which helps provide financial stability for our retired priests and assure financial security for our active priests. Envelopes are in the vestibules.

Mass Intentions This Week: September 15-21, 2019

Sunday 9/15: 7:30 am: James Flynn †
 9:00 am: Intentions of the People of St. Isabella
 11:30 am: Fortunato Estacio †
 2:00 pm: †
 5:00 pm: Mark O'Connor †
Monday 9/16: 8:30: †
Tuesday 9/17: 8:30: †
Wed. 9/18: 8:30: †
Thurs. 9/19: 8:30: Joseph Crivello †
Friday 9/20: 8:30: Edith Struss †
Saturday 9/21: 8:30 am: †
 5:00 pm: Cezar Villodres †



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, Maradee Davis, Natalie A.

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Jean Pierre Ardohain, Edith Struss, Dave O'Connor

Remember in your Prayers: The safety and well-being of Fr. Cyril and Fr. Neal as they visit in Ireland.

(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.

40 Days for Life Information Session

The 40 Days for Life program of peaceful and prayerful presence in front of the Planned Parenthood facility (4th and H in San Rafael, Sept. 25-Nov. 3, 2019) will have a kick-off and information session on Sunday, September 22, 2019 from 3-5 pm, at Marin Covenant Church, 195 N. Redwood Drive, in San Rafael. Keynote speakers include Wynette Sills (Californians for Life) and Rev. Walter Hoye (Issues 4Life).

Further information and participant sign-up calendar are available at:

<https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/san-rafael/>
or contact Ruth Ann Cawley: racawley60@gmail.com

“Ask a Priest” Your Questions

If you had the opportunity to sit one-on-one with a priest, what questions might you have for him? Questions about life, faith, vocations, and your own spiritual condition?

If you have questions, join us for “Ask a Priest.” Send your questions to: comms@sfarch.org with “Ask a Priest” in the subject line. The most common, interesting and urgent questions will be answered on air in the S.F. Archdiocese's *Mosaic TV* show on November 3rd. All questions are anonymous, no asker's identity is revealed.

The deadline for questions is Sept. 27th.

Por la Misa En Español:

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Porque Moisés intercedió, el Señor se ablandó y no castigó al pueblo por su maldad (Éxodo 32:7-11, 13-14).

Salmo — Me levantaré y volveré a mi padre (Salmo 51 [50]).

Segunda lectura — Pablo expresa su gratitud por haber sido nombrado al ministerio de Cristo (1 Timoteo 1:12-17).

Evangelio — Hay gran regocijo en el cielo cuando un pecador se arrepiente (Lucas 15:1-32) [1-10].



The St. Vincent de Paul Society says:
Think about it... GRACE AND STRUGGLE
The gift of grace increases as the struggles increase. —St. Rose of Lima
Think about it...