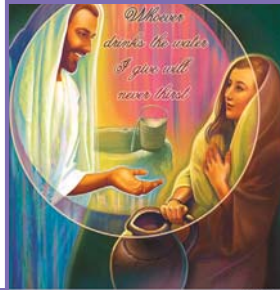




Saint Isabella Church & School

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



Third Sunday of Lent
March 15, 2020

While we were still sinners
 Christ died for us.

— Romans 5:8

Pastoral Staff

- Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, *Pastor*
- Rev. Tony Vallecillo, *Shared Parochial Vicar*
- Rev. Ephrem Tillya, *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 (English or Spanish)
 Saturdays, 3:45-4:45 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
RCIA (Judy Rosenbloom)	415-897-8241
Music (Lynn Pieri Young)	707-763-3965
Liturgy Committee (call Rectory)	415-479-1560
Parish Council (Courtney E. Therien)	415-676-9253
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:** _____



The 13th Century Church (Part 3 of 3)






Pope Innocent III

The most effective Pope, his papacy ruled governments and monarchs. Prior to his pontificate, Popes were called "Vicar of Peter". Pope Innocent III changed this title to "Vicar of Christ," which stands to this day. He claimed that all power derives from God, and therefore no monarch could become king without the consent of the Pope, God's representative on earth. He regularly used excommunication to control monarchs. By 1200 A.D., all of Europe became a vessel of the papacy.

Fridays of Lent: Confessions from 6:00-7:00 pm
Stations of the Cross: 7:00 pm

This Week (March 15-22, 2020)

This Weekend:	Second Collection: No Second Collection	
Sunday 3/15:	Third Sunday of Lent PSR Classes: 10:15 –11:25 am RCIA Classes: 12:30-2:00pm March Madness (St. Isabella's School event): 6:00 pm, Parish Center	
Tuesday 3/16:	Blessed Mother Rosary Group: 5:00 pm, Church	
Tuesday 3/17:	Tuesday Confessions: 5:00-7:00 pm, Church	
Wednesday 3/18:		
Thursday 3/19:	Clergy Workshop: 10:00-11:00 am, Parish Center School Mass: 11:00 am, Church Scripture Class - Gospel of Matthew: 7:00 pm, Cougar's Den (bring a bible)	
Friday 3/20:	Spanish Youth Group: 7:00-9:00 pm, Cougar's Den Confessions: 6:00-7:00 pm; Stations of the Cross: 7:00 pm, Church	
Saturday 3/21:	Cursillo Meeting; 8:30 am-12:00 pm, Cougar's Den	
Next Weekend: Sunday 3/22:	Fourth Sunday of Lent PSR Classes: 10:15 –11:25 am RCIA Practice: 12:30-1:30pm, Church	
	Next Week's 2nd Collection: No Second Collection	

Marin Cursillo

Marin Cursillo offers 3-day spiritual retreats that enable men and women to renew their faith in Jesus, revitalize their desire to live a Christian life, and meet a larger community of fellow Christians in Marin. Retreats are conducted on the peaceful grounds of the San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo. Enjoy 3 days and 3 nights of Christian spirituality, good food, comfortable accommodations, live music, laughter and fun!

The "Lead Me Lord" Men's Cursillo Retreat still has openings. It begins on Thursday evening 4/23 and concludes on Sunday afternoon 4/26. Contact fellow St. Isabella's parishioners for more info: Peggy Pugh:

peggygpugh@yahoo.com
or visit: marincursillo.com

Blessed Mother Rosary Group

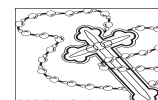
The Blessed Mother Rosary group meets on Mondays at 5:00 pm, in the church.
All are welcome to pray the rosary with us.



Rosaries and Religious Articles Wanted

RCIA will accept any religious articles, rosaries, prayer booklets, etc. Please leave articles at the entrances of the church: **"Attn: Judy Rosenbloom"**

You may also call Judy Rosenbloom at 415-897-8241 for any questions. Thank you!





Weekly Offering & Stewardship

March 7-8 Offertory: \$ TBR
 To be reported, due to early bulletin deadline
 2nd Collection: none
 Sagrado Corazon de Jesus : \$ TBR
 Weekly Operating Expenses: \$ 12,618.58
Thank you for your generous Offertory gifts.

May God reward your generosity!

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2020

Our AAA 2020 Assessment: \$ 98,729.00

You will find AAA Pledge Envelopes and Letters in the vestibules and the Rectory. Thank you for your generosity.

PRECAUTIONS DURING COLD AND FLU SEASON AND AGAINST COVID-19 DISEASE

Keeping safe during cold and flu season is important to our faith community. News of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) also creates anxiety and concern. All are urged to continue their normal routines, and take the same precautions taken during cold and flu season:

- 1) When ill, remain at home, and watch TV Mass on Sunday mornings, 6:00 am on Comcast channels 8, 20, 26 and 229.
- 2) **ALL** Ministers should excuse themselves if they feel any hint of a cold or flu.
- 3) We are suspending the Cup at Communion and the Holy Water at the doors until further notice.
- 4) Hand Washing is our #1 defense against illness. Wash your hands often with soap and water.

A Presentation on the Shroud of Turin St. Sebastian Church: March 21, 2020 @ 10:00 am

The most studied relic in existence, thought to be the burial cloth of Christ and once deemed a forgery, has been resurrected. Listen to Dr. J. Wayne Philips (recipient of the Vatican Diploma in Shroud Studies and graduate of the University of Notre Dame & University of Miami Medical School) speak on the renewal of scientific studies on the Shroud and the incredible results these studies have yielded!

For more information, please call the St. Sebastian Parish Office: 415-461-0704. All are welcome! No cost of admission—Free will donations accepted.

The Mass of Celebration for the life of Steve Callagy (scheduled for March 14th) Has been postponed until further notice

NOTES FROM OUR PASTOR:

St. Isabella's is looking for more liturgical ministers, especially ushers & altar servers. To volunteer, please see Fr. O.



The next major project at St. Isabella's is the Rectory Roof, which has many leaks and is badly in need of repair. Some creative fund raising activities will be needed for this. **Please share your ideas with Fr. O.**

Mass Intentions This Week: March 15—21, 2020

Sunday 3/15: 7:30 am: †
 9:00 am: Intentions of the People of St. Isabella
 11:30 am: Intentions of Rosemary Bruckner Florinda Faria †
 2:00 pm: †
 5:00 pm: Chuck Debattista †

Monday 3/16: 8:30: Jerry Randall †

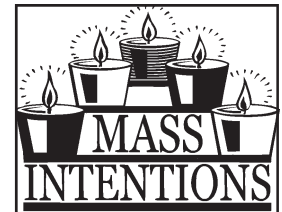
Tuesday 3/17: 8:30: Frank Silva † Katherine Sfeir †

Wed. 3/18: 8:30: †

Thurs. 3/19: 8:30: Margaret Healy † Josephine Slevin †

Friday 3/20: 8:30: †

Saturday 3/21: 8:30 am: †
 5:00 pm: Charles "Pat" Semple †



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 Cifuentes, Carl Clement, Emelia Colin, Judy Collins, Lena Cretti, Maradee Davis, Manuel Demengo, Dorothy Dixon, Richard Edelman, Annavie Farley, Richard Feliciano, Gayle Fenci, Frances Flynn, Gilberte Godfrey, Neil Graham, Jim Haase, Agnes Henderson, Edna Herrera, Richard Hunter, Josephina Iniguez, 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 P., John Pardini, Mary Parnell, Lisa Pieper, Leonora Pilar, Gail Pierce, Carol Pierpont, Allan Rosenbloom, Pat Vicky Rufins, Molly Shepard, Fr. Wilt Smith, Joe Stallone, Frank Stankis, Jerry Streeter, Febronia Tabahita, Rob Wells, Deborah Wunderlich, Deacon Rich Younkin*

Newly added to our prayers for the sick: Felix Conte, Fr. Brian Costello, Fr. Neil Healy

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Marina Cassimus, Timothy Cadigan, Michael La Femina, Sr. (father of Dr. Mike LaFemina, father-in-law of Anne Marie Guglielmo), Kathleen Toney, Steve Callagy

Remember in your Prayers: For all those struggling with illness, both physical and mental.

(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@stisabellaparish.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.

LENT SCHEDULE 2020

As we begin the Liturgical season of Lent to prepare ourselves for the great Easter event of Good Friday and Easter Sunday, we invite you to join in the various events offered for our spiritual growth and healing:

Communal Reconciliation with individual confession-

Wednesday, March 25th: 7:00 pm (in English)

Confessions: - Fridays of Lent: 6:00-7:00 pm

Stations of the Cross- Fridays of Lent: 7:00 pm

Holy Thursday-April 9, 2020: 7:00 pm

This is the only mass of the day

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Parish

Center until 10:00 pm

Good Friday-April 10, 2020.

12-12:30 pm: Private devotion

12:35-1:00 pm: Stations of the Cross,

1:00-1:45 pm Reflection

2-3 pm: Good Friday Liturgy: Proclamation of the Passion, Adoration of the Cross, Communion Rite

8:00 pm: PYC presents The Living Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday-April 11, 2020. Easter Vigil-7:30 pm

Easter Sunday-April 12, 2020.

Mass Times: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:30 am,

and 2 pm Spanish Mass

Easter Egg Hunt after 9:00 am Mass, hosted by PYC

WEBPAGE WITH LENTEN RESOURCES

New on the SF Archdiocese website is a page devoted to Lent, with a beautiful slide show illustrating Our Journey through Lent, and many resources for this season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving: sfarch.org/lent

Por la Misa En Español:

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Agua salió de la roca para apagar la sed del pueblo (Éxodo 17:3-7).

Salmo — Si hoy oyen su voz, no endurezcan su corazón (Salmo 95 [94]).

Segunda lectura — El amor de Dios se ha derramado en nuestro corazón por el don del Espíritu Santo (Romanos 5:1-2, 5-8).

Evangelio — El agua que yo les daré se convierte en el manantial de vida eterna (Juan 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39, 40-42]).



The St. Vincent de Paul Society says:
*Think about it... Of all the things you wear,
your expression is the most important.*