



# 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



## Fourth Sunday of Lent March 22, 2020

The LORD is my shepherd;  
 I shall not want....

— Psalm 23:1

### 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](http://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



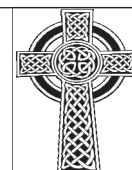
Welcome to all who celebrate with us, both long-time residents or those newly arrived in the parish. You may register through our website: [www.stisabellasparish.org](http://www.stisabellasparish.org), or fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You! **Name:**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

New parishioner \_\_\_\_\_  
 New address or phone \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Moving, remove from list \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please send Sunday envelopes \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_



# The 13th Century Church (Part 4)







Two great Orders were founded at this time: the Franciscans and the Dominicans.

The Franciscans witnessed to the Gospel by living lives of absolute poverty. They owned no property, had no place to call home, begged for food and anything else. St. Francis was not an ordinary priest. He remains one of the most esteemed individuals in church history. St. Francis died in 1226.

St. Dominic was an ordained priest, and the Order of Preachers was their charism. Legend has it that the Rosary was revealed to Dominic by Our Lady, to pray for heretics. The Dominicans also begged for food.

These two religious communities became known as the Mendicant Orders, a Latin word meaning “to beg.”

## This Week (March 22-29, 2020)

<b>This Weekend:</b>	<b>Second Collection: No Second Collection</b>	
<b>Sunday 3/22:</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Lent</b> PSR and RCIA are <u>cancelled</u>	
<b>Tuesday 3/23:</b>	Blessed Mother Rosary Group: cancelled (please continue to pray the Rosary at home)	 
<b>Tuesday 3/24:</b>	Tuesday Confessions: cancelled	
<b>Wednesday 3/25:</b>	No events scheduled	
<b>Thursday 3/26:</b>	Scripture Class: cancelled	
<b>Friday 3/27:</b>	Spanish Youth Group: cancelled Confessions and Stations of the Cross: cancelled	
<b>Saturday 3/28:</b>	No events scheduled	
<b>Next Weekend:</b>	<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent</b> PSR and RCIA are <u>cancelled</u>	
	<b>Next Week's 2nd Collection: St. Vincent de Paul 5th Sunday</b>	

### 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**

#### Fr. Tony Vallecillo’s Reading List for Parishioners:

“Jesus of Nazareth” by Pope Benedict XVI

“Life of Christ” by Fulton Sheen

“to Know Christ Jesus” by Frank Sheed



### **Prayer of Pope Francis,**

#### **For the Protection of the World**

#### **In this Moment of Crisis and Danger**

*O Mary, you shine continuously along our journey  
As a sign of salvation and hope.*

*We entrust ourselves to you, pain of Jesus,  
Keeping your faith firm.*

*You, Salvation of the Roman people, know what we need  
And we trust that you will provide for those needs so that,  
As at Cana of Galilee, joy and celebration may return  
After this moment of trial.*

*Help us, Mother of Divine Love,  
To conform ourselves to the will of the Father,  
And to do what Jesus tells us  
He who took our sufferings upon Himself  
And took up our sorrows to bring us,  
Through the Cross,  
To the joy of the Resurrection.  
Amen.*



### Weekly Offering & Stewardship

March 7-8 Offertory: \$ 8,146.50  
 March 14-15 Offertory: \$ TBR  
 To be reported, due to early bulletin deadline  
 2nd Collection: none  
 Sagrado Corazon de Jesus 3/3/2020: \$ 100.00  
 Weekly Operating Expenses: \$ 12,618.58

### Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2020

Our AAA 2020 Assessment: \$ 98,729.00  
 Donations Received to Date: \$ 5060.00

### PRECAUTIONS DURING COLD & FLU SEASON AND THE COVID-19 VIRUS

During this time of the Covid-19 virus and its rapidly changing situation, St. Isabella's asks parishioners to strictly observe the following precautions:

- 1) When ill, remain at home, and watch TV Mass on Sunday mornings, (see box in next column).
- 2) **ALL** Ministers should excuse themselves if they feel any hint of a cold or flu.
- 3) Suspension of the Cup at Communion and the Holy Water at the doors until further notice.
- 4) Wash your hands often and for at least 20 seconds with soap and water.
- 5) Keep a "social distance" of 6 feet between persons.

**NOTE:** All church events have been canceled **EXCEPT** our regular Monday through Sunday Mass Schedule and Saturday Confessions. This is a changing situation—When possible, updates of our current situation will be posted on our website.

### St. Vincent de Paul—5th Sunday Collection

## March 28-29

St. Vincent de Paul 5th Sunday second collection is next weekend.

Housing costs and rents are increasing in our area. This is especially hard for our neighbors who are living on the edge, can barely afford food and utilities, and are at risk of becoming homeless.

In the past 3 months, the St. Isabella St. Vincent de Paul Conference has received 21 requests for help with rent and utilities, and has provided \$4,430 in financial assistance. Please help us help our neighbors in need.



### Catholic Charities Volunteer Opportunities:

#### **St. Vincent's School for Boys' Equestrian Therapy Program Needs Volunteers**

This is a chance to work with horses, goats, chickens and guinea pigs in a beautiful setting for three hours a week. To volunteer, please contact Carol Laughlin: [CLaughlin@catholiccharitiessf.org](mailto:CLaughlin@catholiccharitiessf.org)

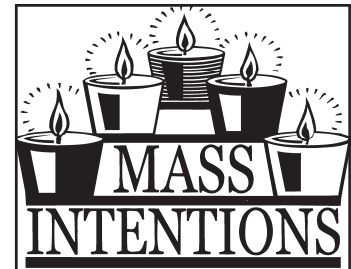
### *Local San Rafael Comcast*

### *Televised Sunday Catholic Mass Schedule:*

<u>Comcast Channel</u>	<u>Network</u>	<u>Times on Sunday</u>		
229	EWTN	5am	9am	9pm
13	KOFY		6am	
12	KRCW	6:30am	8am	
8	KTSF		6am	
33	WGNA		8am	

### Mass Intentions This Week: March 22—28, 2020

**Sunday 3/22:** 7:30 am: Doris and Bob Wilhelm †  
 9:00 am: Intentions of the People of St. Isabella  
 11:30 am: Intentions of Susan Egisti Onofre Cunha †  
 2:00 pm: †  
 5:00 pm: Chris Sigigie †  
**Monday 3/23:** 8:30: Patrick Deurette  
**Tuesday 3/24:** 8:30: Ray Pariani †  
**Wed. 3/25:** 8:30: †  
**Thurs. 3/26:** 8:30: †  
**Friday 3/27:** 8:30: †  
**Saturday 3/28:** 8:30 am: †  
 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:** 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, Annvie 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 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 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@stisabellaparish.org](mailto: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: [rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org](mailto: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.

## **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:*

**The Mass schedule below is subject to change**

### **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



## **Por la Misa En Español:**

### **LECTURAS DE HOY**

**Primera lectura** — Samuel ungió a David para ser rey

(1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a).

**Salmo** — El Señor es mi pastor; nada me falta

(Salmo 23 [22]).

**Segunda lectura** — Levántense de entre los muertos, hijos de la luz (Efesios 5:8-14).

**Evangelio** — De esto estoy seguro: Yo era ciego pero ahora puedo ver (Juan 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34- 38]).



The St. Vincent de Paul Society says:  
*Think about it... The real measure of a man's wealth is what he has invested in eternity.*