



# 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



November 22, 2020

## Christ the King

*Whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me.*

### 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, *Liturgy & 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*

**\*\* Due to COVID19, Mass Schedule restructured. Check parish website for latest updates. \*\***

### Schedule of Services

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

Daily Mass (Monday – Saturday): 8:30 am (private)  
 Saturday evenings: 5:00 pm  
 Sundays: 9:00 am, 11:00 am

#### **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)*

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
Parish Council/Liturgy Committee	415-479-1560
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	<a href="mailto:office@stisabellasparish.org">office@stisabellasparish.org</a>
School	<a href="mailto:rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org">rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org</a>
Website:	
Parish	<a href="http://www.stisabellasparish.org">www.stisabellasparish.org</a>
School	<a href="http://www.stisabellaschool.org">www.stisabellaschool.org</a>



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!

New parishioner \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 New address or phone \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Moving, remove from list \_\_\_\_\_ e-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please send Sunday envelopes \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



# Christ the King

Matthew 25 : 14 - 30



The world has seen many forms of kinds of leaderships. Pharaohs, Caesars, kings, queens, dictators, to western democracies, elections of politicians, presidents. It is a part of human history. Leaders will surface whether they are good for society or not. Christ's title as King is the only title which claims temporal and heavenly, divine and human. All other kingships only claim temporal.

## IN-DOOR MASS

St. Isabella's Mass Schedule:

Saturdays .... Confession 4 - 4:45 p.m. Mass 5 p.m.

Sundays .... Mass 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

St. Isabella's Church Protocol for Indoor Mass

1. Every person must always wear a mask.
2. To enter the church, all parishioners enter through the front of the church (no side entries).
3. Sanitation stations are at the entryway of the church. All parishioners need to sanitize their hands prior to entering the church.
4. Parishioners have a choice to go left or right down the side aisles. No one can walk down the center aisle.
5. When entering a pew, please slide all the way down to the end. The next person entering, will sit six feet away (there will be tape on each pew to show six feet separation).
6. At the end of Mass, communion will take place. Everyone in each pew must stand up and get in line six feet apart from each other. Please pick up all your belongings, whether you are receiving communion or not. If you are not receiving communion, please exit from the side doors. No one can return to their seat.
7. Please do not congregate at the exit areas.

## R.C.I.A.

The Catechists were brought into the Church, Saturday, November 21st, Baptisms, Holy Communion and Confirmation. Many thanks to Judy Rosenblum and Sue Egisti, who prepared 51 members for their Sacraments.

## Parish News

Any parishioner tell us your most memorable Christmas and I will print it in the bulletin in December.

## Catechesis

Can non-Catholics receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation?

A Catholic priest in general can only grant absolution to baptized Catholics. The reason is a Catholic priest has no juridical authority over a person belonging to another denomination. Also the whole deposit of faith in Catholic teachings is not accepted in other denominations. Therefore absolution is not possible because they disagree with our moral stands.

## Ecclesiology

Who governs the Church? (Part 1 of 2)

The simple answer is the Pope but its more complex than that. We have Ecumenical Councils which address legislative and judicial concern. They make laws and render judgements. We have Synods, a group of people including laity, convened to discuss doctrine or administration. We have the Roman Curia, administrative institutions of the Holy See through which the affairs of the Catholic Church are conducted. We have theologians safeguarding doctrine against modernism. All these in their own way have a great say in Church affairs.

## Updates

Fr. Ephrem will not be returning to St. Isabella until March 2021.

## Did you know?

92% of water is used for crop production.

## Pope Francis

We can either pursue the path to autonomy leading to greater misunderstanding, disagreement and conflict, or we can rediscover the path of fraternity. (Letter to European leaders)

*"As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words, but to live by them." ... JFK*



Yours in Fraternity,

Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



### Weekly Offering & Stewardship

<b>Parish:</b>	
Offertory	\$6,074.00
Maintenance	320.00
Roof Repair Fund	<u>3,250.00</u>
Total for Parish	<u>\$9,644.00</u>

<b>Others:</b>	
Holy Rosary Chapel	\$500.00
2nd collection —Retired Priests	\$554.00

\* This week, 2nd collection for St. Patrick Seminary.

#### Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA) - 2020

2020 Assessment:	\$ 98,729	
Donations Received to Date:	\$ 38,540	39%



**Thanksgiving Day,**  
Thursday, Nov. 26th,  
Mass 10 AM in  
St. Isabella



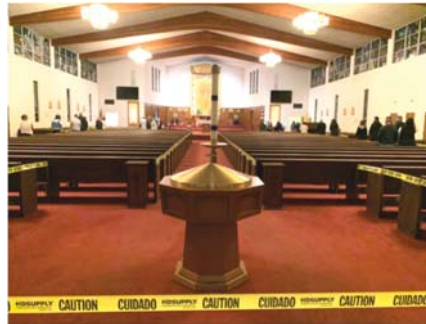
#### St. Isabella St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Helps families in the area with money for rent, food and utilities. Our 5th Sunday collection will be next weekend, Nov. 28 - 29. Your contributions allow us to provide needed assistance, and can help prevent homelessness. Help your neighbors in need.

*No further donations of clothing or food panty barrels in the church vestibules until further notice. Please do not drop off any clothing at the church entrances. Any clothes donations should be taken to Salvation Army or Good Will locations.*

Last Saturday,  
11/14/2020, 5 p.m.—  
1st INDOOR Mass  
since the pandemic  
lockdown.

Thank you to **Mike Schalich** and his dedicated **Ushers Team** for all the preparation works before and after each Mass.



Welcome **John Hamilton** to our Faith Family, he was baptized last week at St. Isabella's.

✠ Pray for the soul of **Laurence Deskin**, his funeral services last week.

### ✠ Mass Intentions This Week: November 21 - November 27, 2020

<b>Saturday</b> 11/21	5:00 p.m.	Gema Watson †
<b>Sunday</b> 11/22	9:00 a.m.	Michael Gallagher, RIP †
	11:00 a.m.	Dottie Mazzina †
<b>Monday</b> 11/23	—	†
<b>Tuesday</b> 11/24	—	†
<b>Wednesday</b> 11/25	—	Parishioners' Intentions †
<b>Thursday</b> 11/26	10:00 a.m.	Belen Valdez †
<b>Friday</b> 11/27	—	Antonio Vinco Sr. & Gertrudes Vinco †



### **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 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, Felix Conte, Fr. Neil Healy, Tiffany Martinson

**A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ:** Steve Callagy, Jackson Walsh, Barbara Reeves, Lloyd Peterson, Neal Graham Sr, Fr. Ken Westray, Fr. Brian Costello, Dan White, Connie Govi

**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@stisbellasparish.org](mailto:office@stisbellasparish.org)



**GIVING TREE ALERT:** During any other year but 2020, St. Isabella's Parish would be preparing for our Christmas Giving Tree. However, due to COVID-19 and so many uncertainties, the Good Sams have decided to scale down the project this year. We will only accommodate the children served by our own parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference, and only with gift cards. The other agencies we have worked with in the past have been notified of our decision and all have been very understanding of the situation. This weekend, November 21st/22nd, we have set up a table after the masses to collect cash, checks, or Target gift cards. Following are the guidelines:

- People may contribute gift cards, but they MUST be for Target and they MUST be for \$35.00.
- People may contribute cash or checks in any amount and we will buy the gift cards.
- Checks MUST be made out to St. Isabella's Giving Tree Project.
- If you were not prepared for this weekend but would like to participate, gift cards, cash or checks may be dropped off at the rectory, but only from this Monday, November 23rd through Wednesday, November 25th.

If you have any questions, please call Ellen Dederian at 415-479-0972 or Sue Boland at 415-472-3795. Thank you.



**St. Isabella's Parish School of Religion (PSR)** offers a weekly series of age-specific guided exercises throughout the school year facilitated by Catechists in our parish who help with the faith formation and spiritual growth of our children in grades 1-8. They interact virtually and in-person at the parish with the children but mostly guide the parents and guardians, the primary teachers, with resources, direction and activities that focus on Christ's message and our Catholic traditions.

Registration is open for the 2020-2021 school year. For online registration, visit parish website: <https://stisabellasparish.org/Religious-Education/Parish-School-of-Religion-PSR>. Contact Therese Bruton if you have any questions: [therese@stisabellasparish.org](mailto:therese@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.

You are encouraged to call the office, 415-479-3727 and set an appointment or contact Principal, Rob Pheatt, send email to: [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.*