



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 Easter

April 18, 2021

“Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us;
make our hearts burn
while you speak to us.”

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*

**** Check parish website for latest updates. ****

www.stisabellasparish.org

Schedule of Services

Eucharist at St. Isabella’s Church

Saturday evenings: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass (Monday – Saturday) (private during pandemic)

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)
Website: www.tlmsf.org

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	office@stisabellasparish.org
School	rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org
Website: Parish	www.stisabellasparish.org
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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!

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



Third Sunday of Easter

Luke 24 : 35 - 48



The capital of Christianity would be in Jerusalem today if not for the early Christians forced to leave Jerusalem. They then were scattered to other cities, Antioch, Damascus, Alexandra, Athens. Rome eventually will be the city they choose where the authority of the Church will reside. Many popes have resided there on Vatican Hill.

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses, Saturdays 5 p.m. and Sundays 9 a.m., indoor at St. Isabella Church. Confessions, Saturdays 4 p.m. During weekdays, Masses are celebrated in private, not open to public as yet.

Saint Isabella School is happy to report that the school has fully opened to all of our students 5 days a week. Both the students and teachers are delighted to be back with some sort of "normalcy". Our Second graders are preparing for their First Communion which will be held on May 8th. Our Eighth graders have been preparing for their Confirmation which will be held on May 22nd. Now that the student body is back, the school is planning our first all school Mass with Father Healy. Thank you Parishioners for your continued support of Saint Isabella Parish & School.

Matthew's Peter (Part 3 of 4)

Matthew's Gospel refers to his local community. We know the Church is universal today, far broader than Matthew's time. Matthew's community may only have been 5,000 people. The Church today is 1.2 billion. The mission of popes is to keep the Church from lapsing and strengthen the faithful in their Christian beliefs.

Pope Francis

"Without a sense of our inner life, we are not experiencing reality."

Did you know?

There are 978 golf courses in Japan.

Vatican Trivia

How many people visit St. Peter's Basilica in a year? 10 million people each year, the most visits of any Catholic Church. (St. Isabella - 0 visitor. Ouch!)

Parish Story

Visiting a Filipino lady at Kaiser, she said to me *"do you like food?"* I said *"yes."* She said *"I adopted an Irish girl."* *"You did? How did that happen?"* She said, *"Irish food is not that great."* *"But the girl, why pick an Irish girl?"* She said, *"Filipino food is better, far better and healthier."* *"Is the Irish girl living in Marin?"* She said *"the food stinks here."* *"Yes, yes, does the Irish girl like living in California?"* She said, *"they have no Filipino food in Kaiser."* *"Did the Irish girl visit Ireland since she left?"* She said, *"I could teach you to cook Filipino food."* *"Well, I hope your Irish daughter loves Filipino food."* She said, *"could you go to a Filipino restaurant and bring Filipino food to me?"* *"I can get into trouble for that."* She said, *"no, no, they'll all be in here eating my Filipino food."*

*"If you open the door to
free speech, you cannot shut it
down to others."*



Yours in Fraternity,
Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Parish	
Offertory	\$5,177.00
Easter Collection	\$2,210.00
Roof Project	\$1,100.00
Maintenance	\$885.00
Total for Parish	<u>\$ 9,372.00</u>
Other	
Holy Rosary Chapel	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

*Thank you for your generous Offertory gifts.
May God reward your generosity!*

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

2021 Assessment:	\$ 82,827.00
Donations Received to Date:	\$ 5,855.00

Next weekend, 2nd Collection:
April 25 ... **Catholic Home Mission (USCCB)**

Welcome **Caroline Fredkien** and **Benjamin Fredkien** to St. Isabella's Faith Family, they were baptized last week.



Please pray for **Mary Polizza** who is recovering from surgery

We continue to pray for **Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan**, speedy recovery from his foot surgery.

TOGETHER IN
Prayer

✠ Mass Intentions This Week: April 17, 2021 - April 23, 2021

Saturday 4/17	5 p.m.	†
Sunday 4/18	9 a.m.	†
Monday 4/19	—	†
Tuesday 4/20	—	†
Wednesday 4/21	—	†
Thursday 4/2	—	†
Friday 4/23	—	†



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 Butner, Susan Cane Ares, Michael Cane-Ares, Elaine Chan, Helen Cifuentas, 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, Joe Stallone, Frank Stankis, Jerry Streeter, Febronia Tabahita, Rob Wells, Deborah Wunderlich, Felix Conte, Fr. Neil Healy, Tiffany Martinson, Cathie Inglis, Beth Flaherty, Tara Garcia, Rich Martino, Jordan Roggenbuck, Louise & Phil Rapoport, Brendan Moylan, Sue Egisti, John Walters, Elsie & Michael Peregrin, Mary Polizza, Ivano Santi, Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Steve Callagy, Jackson Walsh, Barbara Reeves, Lloyd Peterson, Neal Graham Sr, Sr. Colleen Kern, Fr. Ken Westray, Fr. Brian Costello, Dan White, Connie Govi, Dcn. Rich Younkin, Doug Lathrop, Francine Strain, Michael & Norma Giannini, Fr. Wilton Smith, Alice Bogan, Nola Joy Slingsby, Alfred Petrofsky.

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

The Bridge - News from the Archdiocese

Holy Hours on World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Sunday, April 25, 3 p.m. pray for an increase and strengthening of vocations to the holy orders and consecrated life. Join at locations (Marin: Mission San Rafael) or at home. Info 415-614-5683.

Healing After Abortion Women's Retreat

April 17, 2021 Confidential location projectrachel@sfarch.org
415-614-5567 sfarch.org/rachel

Short Course on C.S. Lewis with Dr. Peter Kreeft Tuesdays, May 4 – June 8, 7:00-8:30 pm Deacon Fred Totah, Office of Pastoral Ministry 415-614-5504 totahf@sfarch.org sfarch.org/cslewis

“Music and Some Wider Implications: a Catholic Composer's Perspective.” Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone will host a live online lecture followed by a Q&A with world-renowned Scottish composer Sir James MacMillan. Saturday, May 29, 12 p.m., via Zoom sfarch.org/music

Mothers e-Luncheon benefits Epiphany Center, May 5, 12:30 online. Fund raiser for SF most vulnerable women, children & families. Info visit celebrating2021.givesmart.com

Vatican Observatory, established by the Holy See for astronomical research and scientific understanding of our universe. Launch new website at www.vaticanobservatory.org.

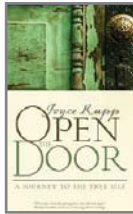
Vaccination Finder by Specific Vaccine

Visit the Archdiocesan website for current information on Covid-19 vaccinations. vaccinefinder.org/search/

Mental Health Resources for Youth and Young Adults

Archdiocesan Offices of Mental Health and Youth Ministry/Young Adult Ministry, to provide materials that can help in ministry to young people who are struggling in these challenging times and situations.

“Open the Door: a Journey to the True Self” by Joyce Rupp, 7-part book series, Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Center offers online spiritual guides: 7 Thursdays Easter to Pentecost, 4/8 thru 5/20. via ZOOM. Contact Sr. Ingrid Clemmensen, OP, (510)933-6360 for info. <https://ces-event.myshopify.com/products/open-the-door-a-journey-to-the-true-self>



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 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, send email to: rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org

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