



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, California



Fifth Sunday of Lent

April 3, 2022

Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more."

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, **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.**

Schedule of Services

Eucharist at St. Isabella's Church

Saturday evenings: 5:00 p.m.
Sundays: 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass: 8:30 a.m. (Monday – Friday)

Reconciliation at St. Isabella's Church

Saturdays, 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
or by appointment, call 415-479-1560

Rosary/Prayer Group at St. Isabella's

Mondays: 5:15 p.m. (All are welcome)

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
PSR (Therese Bruton)	415-479-1560
RCIA (Judy Rosenbloom)	415-897-8241
Parish Youth Council (PYC)	415-479-1560
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: _____



Fifth Sunday of Lent

John 8 : 1 – 11



The inhuman treatment of this woman is staggering. A dog receives better attention. She is given no name but “this woman” as if she is nothing, no right to a person. She is received by mob with no respect, no civility, no regard for her dignity whatsoever. No charity or kindness is offered to her. She is physically thrown into the center to be bullied, shamed and stripped of all her dignity. All she sees is anger, rage, hatred and evil. Called foul names, adulteress, as stones are gathered for her execution. Man’s inhumanity to man.



Pope Francis

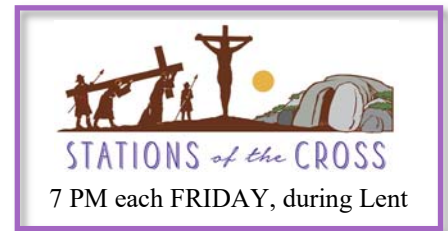
Stay away from media messages that break your spirit, break your sanity, build hatred, divisiveness and lies.

Vatican

The Vatican is offering to mediate negotiations between Russia and Ukraine as the only way to end this war constructively. The alternative to war is diplomacy and dialogue.

Ukraine

What is wonderful to see is how the free world has stood united in their support for the Ukrainian people. This is also true of other religions standing together and asking Russia to end the violence. Many faiths are sending up their prayers to God to end this war and restore peace.



Catechesis

Does the Bible declare that all war is immoral?

It certainly does not. War is a horrible evil, so much death, pain and destruction. But a just war is licit and moral. Certain conditions have to be met.

1. All peaceful methods have been tried
2. Your case to go to war is a just cause
3. There is a probability of success
4. Proportion between the damages inflicted

War is Hell!

Charisms

There are 23 charisms the Church recognizes as gifts of the Holy Spirit. An organization in our diocese does a six-hour workshop letting you perceive your personal charisms you may not know you have. Interested, call Fr. O’. Enough people they will come to the parish.



Congratulations to St. Isabella students, winners of the 2022 Respect Life Essay Contest

Niamh Gordon	2 nd Grade - First Prize
Eva Rodriguez	3 rd Grade - First Prize
Sam Rivero	7 th Grade - Grand Prize
Anna Culpert	7 th Grade - First Prize

Mass & Awards Ceremony will be Sunday, April 24, 11 a.m. at St. Mary Cathedral, Gough St. SF. Visit <https://sfarchdiocese.org/winners-announced-in-2022-respect-life-essay-contest/>

Easter

See Holy Week & Easter Schedule. Any parishioners who wants to add flowers to the liturgy, feel free to do so.

“April hath put a spirit of youth in everything.” William Shakespeare



Yours in Fraternity,
Fr. Cyril O’Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Week Ending March 26-27, 2022

Offertory	\$ 4,179.65
Parish Maintenance	\$ 6,800.00
Easter Flower Fund	\$ 254.00
Mass & Ceremonial Offerings	\$ 540.00
Parish Kitchen/Bathroom Project	\$ 145.00
Total for parish	\$11,918.65
Holy Rosary/Latin Mass	\$ 1,126.00

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



Last weekend 3/26-3/27
Special collection for Ukraine

Collected **\$9,138.80**

Pray for Peace



Lent



Lenten Calendar

✠ Every Friday 7 p.m. Stations of the Cross

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 9, Mass 5 p.m.
Sunday, April 10, Mass 9 a.m.

Holy Thursday

April 14, Mass 7 p.m.

Good Friday

April 15, 12-3 p.m. 7 p.m.

Easter Vigil

April 16, Mass 7:30 p.m.

EASTER

April 17, Mass 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

SCAMS ALERT Parishioners reported getting emails from someone impersonating Fr. O'. Do not respond or click on any links from these emails. US Government FTC offers helpful guidelines: <https://consumer.ftc.gov/articles/how-recognize-and-avoid-phishing-scams>

Mondays —5pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, —5:15 Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet. Everyone is welcome.



Congratulations to **Kirk & Georgia Lee Gonzaga**, married last week. May they have a long & happy life together.



This Week: April 2 - April 9

Saturday 4/2	5:00 p.m.	Echenique & Urrutia Families +
Sunday 4/3	9:00 a.m.	Elaine Chan +
Monday 4/4	8:30 a.m.	Colleen McGuinn +
Tuesday 4/5	8:30 a.m.	Parents of Elissa Kuhr +
Wednesday 4/6	8:30 a.m.	Colleen McGuinn +
Thursday 4/7	8:30 a.m.	†
Friday 4/8	8:30 a.m.	†
Saturday 4/9	8:30 a.m.	†



LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS...

A Time for Healing, for those who are sick, that they experience strength in the Lord's compassion: Dcn. Jim Myers, Fr. Neil Healy, Mary Polizza, Maria Renderos, Pat Buttner, Baby Charlotte Merino, Dr. Mark Higgins, Ally Glass, Una Sherman, Margaret Cervetto, Neal Graham, Jr., Claire Lee, Mary Gail Mibach, Cathie Peters, Tommy Watson & family, Baby Jimmy Bogden, Hugo Phillips, Anthony Lindquist, Peter Maren, Judith Walsh Cassidy, Claudia Reimer, George Kerbs, Guido Mori-Prange, Mary Sullivan, Peter Tritz, Ruby Wilson, Rich McGrath

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ:

Nola Joy Slingsby, Alfred Petrofsky, Virginia Page, Rich Martino, Gilberte Godfrey, Robert Gash, Ivano Santi, Oliver Mackley, Mike Mangini, Mark Momboisse, Jimmy Lucero, Istvan Kadar, Robert Burkhard, Eileen Kerr, Margorie Manko, Barbara Walsh, Lucille Bailey, Maria Ponce, Lorraine Duffy, Jonathan Edwards, Gary La Rocca, David Papke, Martha McNeil, Barbara Ingrassi, Marinetta Ferraro, Mario Waters, Tom White, Jack Cooper, Pat Vincent, Kara Roell, Ann Gregory, Elizabeth (Betty) Sheehy, Bonnie Papreso, Audrey Rouldes, Francesca Cantarutti, Louis Lovato, Elaine Chan, Theodore Lamantia, Bob Carrasco, Lori Ahern, Walter Kelly, Nancy Ghilotti, Colleen McGuinn



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

Service Opportunity at Chancery

April 13 (Wednesday) 9 a.m. – 9 p.m., 1 Peter Yorke Way, SF. Volunteers are needed to sort out 900 cards & prepare Easter treats & messages, for people in custody at the San Francisco County jails. Volunteers are welcome to come for part of the day, as your schedule permits. RSVP to Julio Escobar, escobarj@sfarch.org.

Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose presents

- **Forgive for Good**, by Dr. Fred Luskin, April 2, 1-3p.m. ZOOM \$20
 - **Lent Day of Prayer: What's So Special About Holy Week?** By Fr. Jim Clarke, Ph.D. April 12, 9:30a.m.-4p.m. ZOOM \$45
 - **Unlocking the Psalms: A Fresh Look at the Book of Psalms**, by Dr. Michael Galvan. 4 Tuesdays in Lent: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 7-8 pm. ZOOM. \$30
- Register at www.msjdominicans.org, info 510 933-3546

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. e-mail: rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org