



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



**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 30, 2023**

*The revelation of your words sheds light,
giving understanding to the simple.*

Pastoral Team

Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, *Pastor*
Rev. Ephrem Tillya, *Parochial Vicar,
Hospital Chaplain*
Rev. Mr. Christopher Major, *Deacon,
P.S.R., Marriage Preparation*
Rev. Mr. Graham Cumming, *Deacon*
Mr. Rob Pheatt, *School Principal*
Mrs. Lynn Pieri Young, *Music*
Mrs. Ginny Pheatt, *Office*
Mrs. Nahed Naser, *Finance*
Mr. Frank Lavin, *Baptismal Preparation*
St. Isabella's Parish Team, *R.C.I.A.*

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 – Saturday)

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. For more information about the RCIA program, please call the church office at 415-479-1560

Rectory / Parish Office	415-479-1560
St. Isabella's Parochial School	415-479-3727
PSR (Deacon Chris Major)	PSR@stisabellaparish.org
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
St. Isabella CYO Basketball	www.sicyo.com
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Website: Parish	www.stisabellaparish.org
School	www.stisabellaschool.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.stisabellaparish.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: _____

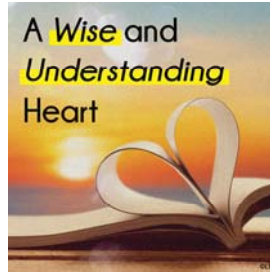


Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matthew 13 : 44 – 52



The purpose of parables is a teaching tool to enlighten faith using common experiences of the people as they go about their day as farmers, royal courts, household, travelers, etc. where one person sees a spiritual meaning or a moral from the parable, and another person sees nothing, it's insignificant, irrelevant. The purpose of the parable is to reveal Jesus will.



Pope Francis

One person's madness can destroy humanity.

Catechism

Is gossip okay? Gossip is idle talk or rumors usually of private affairs of others. If it is uncharitable conversation spreading errors about others not present and harming their good name, this is an abuse of speech.

Sacrament of the Sick (Part 4 of 4)

The Sacrament is for the seriously ill not just approaching death. It can be celebrated on Sunday Masses where any parishioners can avail of the Sacrament. With fewer priests today, it is advisable not to be waiting to the last moment to call a priest, he may not be available. Viaticum is a person's last communion before death, the grace to prepare for eternal life.

Ways to bring the Lord into your home

1. Everyday family time to thank God for blessings this day
2. Grace before meals
3. Pray for those who need your prayers
4. Talk about Sunday Scripture
5. Decorate seasons

Next weekend
August 5th & 6th
Sr. Veronica Kayawe from the
Congregation of the Daughters of
Mary-Tabora Tanzania will be
speaking at all the Masses.

Did you know?

The Dead Sea is ten times saltier than the oceans.

Tourist Perspective

A woman from Chicago visiting San Francisco said, people in Chicago are eager to express their views, and are comfortable in doing this. San Francisco, she noted, people are keenly aware of the dangers of letting their views be known in the workplace and elsewhere.

World Youth Day 2023

August 1—6, Lisbon, Portugal. World Youth Day goes back to 1985, every three years in different countries. San Francisco does not have a delegation attending 2023.

Parish News

Anybody interested being a part of the parish council, contact the Rectory.

Let me know of your vision of what a parish is.

*“Is it the truth?
Is it fair to all concerned?
Will it build goodwill and better friendship?”*



Yours in Fraternity,
Fr. Cyril O’Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Week Ending July 14 - 15, 2023

Offertory	\$ 3,342.00
Maintenance	\$ 215.00
Masses & Religious Ceremonies	\$ 285.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 3,842.00</u>
Holy Rosary Chapel/Latin Mass	\$ 1,177.05
2nd coll: Catholic Home Mission	\$ 748.00

Week Ending July 22 - 23, 2023

Offertory	\$ 5,582.00
Maintenance	\$ 100.00
Religious Icon for Church	\$ 500.00
Masses & Religious Ceremonies	\$ 10.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 6,192.00</u>

2023 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

St. Isabella's Goal:	\$ 61,512.00
Donations received to date:	\$ 34,330.00
To raise:	<u>\$ 27,182.00</u>

The second collection this weekend 7/29 and 30 is for our **St. Vincent de Paul Conference**. In the past 6 months, our St. Isabella St. Vincent de Paul Conference has helped 78 of our neighbors by providing over \$18,000 in assistance. We helped 24 neighbors with rent, 25 with utilities, 5 families with food and the remainder with other emergency needs. This assistance helps families in crisis to help avoid homelessness. Please help us help your neighbors in need.



Remember those who has died.

Patrick Buttner + Winnie Coleman +
Funerals this week.



We are NO longer a donation drop-off site for St. Vincent de Paul. Please do not leave bags of donated items at the entrances to the church.

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



News from the Archdiocese

"How should the Church engage with emerging artificial intelligence technologies?" Read <https://www.ncregister.com/interview/human-centered-ai-how-should-the-church-engage-with-emerging-artificial-intelligence-technologies>

St. Anthony Foundation invites you to an evening of contemplation and communion featuring guest Sr. Mary Elizabeth Imler. In a time of declining interest in the Eucharist, explore the meaning, myth, and mission of Eucharist. August 12 at St. Boniface, 133 Golden Gate Ave., San Francisco. Contact: Carlo Fiatarone | 415-592-2819 | cfiatarone@stanthonyssf.org

Next Online School of Pastoral Ministry Class: Missional Hospitality. <https://sfarchdiocese.org/missional-hospitality-course/>

Grandparents symbolize the transmission of faith from age to age. <https://www.vaticannews.va/en/church/news/2023-07/world-day-grandparents-elderly-pope-francis.html>

Student Corner: Reflecting on Laudato Si' by Sam Meraw, 2023 high school grand prize winner from Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep, <https://sfarch.org/student-corner-reflecting-on-laudato-si/>

MASS INTENTIONS: July 29—August 5

Saturday	7/29	5 p.m.	Matthew Millsap
Sunday	7/30	9 a.m.	Kevin Fisher-Paulson
Monday	7/31	8:30 a.m.	†
Tuesday	8/1	8:30 a.m.	†
Wednesday	8/2	8:30 a.m.	†
Thursday	8/3	8:30 a.m.	Matthew Millsap
		11 a.m.	Funeral Patrick Buttner
Friday	8/4	8:30 a.m.	Azucenia Montelibano +
		11 a.m.	Funeral Winnie Coleman
Saturday	8/5	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: Fr. Neil Healy, Cathie Peters, William Thomas Reilly, Marilyn Swieconeck, Ann Sykes, Richard Hunter, Kevin Swanson, Shirley McGrath, Lacey Graham, Bill Bixby, Matthew Millsap, Shirley Dimitratos, Jake Williams, Therese Bruton, BettyAnn Wright, Ginny Kerbs, George Kerbs, Les Mize, Barbara Landesman, Bruce Landesman, Ralph Pershing, Michael Piper, Mylo Peterson, Becky Tecson, Jim Sullivan, Judy Rosenbloom, James McCarthy

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

Nancy Ghilotti, Colleen McGuinn, Mary Gail Mibach, James McKinley, James Juarez, Janet Dunn, Aileen Moriarty Kelly, John Swieconeck, Nancy Zaharin, Peter Tritz, Patricia Calhoun, Elizabeth Molarin, David Dunn, Anita Verena Bollinger, Paul Mueller, Violet Swanson, Katherine Pokas, Terese Moriarty, Alice Flaherty, Ryan Dallara, Honey Cabalza, Diana Santi, Doris Galli, Fran Gazdik, Hannah Daly, Ralph Tischbern, Alan Rosenbloom, Elizabeth Paganini, Betty Cronin, Reno Cantarutti, Jacqueline Tarantino, Robert Thomas, Robert "Bob" Doyle, Helmut Wendler, Christa Wendler, Louis Reilly, Tom Aiello, Richard Levy, Garry Altamirano, Michael Peregrin, Jean Perez, Patrick Johnson, Jordyn Powell, Florence Williams, Robert Anello, Greg Carman, Tom Bong, Nicholas Kunst, Cathie Inglis, David Alexander Swerrie, Bill Boitano, Lila Martinez, Fabrizio Martinelli, Donald W. Torre, Alfred Garcia, Winnie Coleman, Astrid Janson, Kathy Drady, Janet Payne, Rosalie Barozzi, Michael Alaimo

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@stisabellaparis.org

St. Isabella Catholic School Admissions



SAINT ISABELLA SCHOOL
EDUCATING TOMORROW'S LEADERS

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