



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



Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 16, 2024

The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower. All who come to him will live forever.

Pastoral Team

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

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 R.C.I.A. program, please call the church office at 415-479-1560

Rectory / Parish Office	415-479-1560
St. Isabella's Parochial School	415-479-3727
Parish School of Religion	PSR@stisabellasp parish.org
Music (Lynn Pieri Young)	707-763-3965
Parish Council/Liturgy Committee	415-479-1560
RCIA (Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan)	415-479-1560
St. Vincent de Paul Help Line	415-454-0366
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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.stisabellasp arish.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: _____



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Mark 4 : 26 - 34



The seed of faith is unbreakable as the seed is itself. The seed is to bear fruit and abundantly. God's seed is the fruits of love from his divine spirit which gives life to all human beings which is never denied to us.



Pope Francis

“Every family needs a father — a father who shares in his family's joy and pain, hands down wisdom to his children, and offers them firm guidance and love.”

Angelus prayer

Pope Francis on June 9th, “I encourage the international community to act urgently, by all means, to come to the aid of the people of Gaza, exhausted by the war. Humanitarian aid must be able to reach those in need.”

Paganism

The use of the word for many is a derogatory, insulting use of language against others who differ from us. Yet it is the earliest vocabulary used by the earliest Christians to define themselves distinct from a Godless culture. Pagan means no spiritual, theological or transcendental intelligence to life. It is the worship of sex, power, wealth, self, immorality, soullessness as God's in themselves. It is what some theologians call today, “Sanctified-Secular demons.” The eerily semblance of choices we make for living today, that which gives life to humanity and community as to dying destruction and brokenness in the human person.

Social Justice

Is it ever justifiable to send juveniles to prison for life without parole? States believe so where under law, minors are treated as adults. In the US, 200,000 youth are sentenced each year as adults, 2,500 without parole. Youth are distinctively different from adult offenders. Their brains are not yet fully developed. They are more easily prone to peer pressure. They are more impulsive, and don't yet have the ability to assess actions as adults can. To cast them into jails for life as if they are worthless and beyond reform is morally reprehensible.

By the Percent

Q: What do you think is the ideal number of children in a family (Americans)

2 children	...	48%
3 children	...	25%
4 or more	...	13%
1 child	...	3%
No opinion	...	11%



Did you know?

Father's Day was founded in Spokane, Washington, at the YMCA in 1910 by Sonora Smart Dodd. Its first celebration was in the Spokane YMCA on June 19, 1910.

Parish & School News

St. Isabella's School new school year 2024-2025 will start August 19, 2024.

“We must overcome difficulties rather than being overcome by difficulties.” ... fortune cookie



Yours in Fraternity,
Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Week Ending June 8-9, 2024

Offertory	\$ 3,606.00
Parish Maintenance (restricted)	\$ 339.00
Masses and Religious Ceremonies	\$ 70.00
Votive Candles	\$ 44.25
Total for parish	\$ 4,059.25

2024 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

St. Isabella's Goal	\$ 72,891.00
Donations received to date	\$ 7,400.00
Balance needed	\$ 65,491.00

2nd Collections in June

6/23 - Peter's Pence (Holy Father) USCCB
 6/30 - St. Vincent de Paul Society (5th Sunday)



BAPTISM
 Welcome into our Faith Family
Mateo Montalbo
Bodhi Carre'
BAPTISM

Mondays —5PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by the Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet. Everyone is welcome.



Praying for peace in the Holy Land.



Community Bulletin Board

Vivalon helps Marin County's older adults and vulnerable residents thrive through the power of human connection with rides, meals, classes, care and advice. Whistlestop, Jackson Café, Resources for Seniors, Rides, Classes & Activities Calendar, Meals on Wheels. For info, 415-456-9062, <https://vivalon.org>

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Thousands participate in launch of **National Eucharistic Pilgrimage**. <https://sfarch.org/eucharistic-revival/#PILGRIMAGE>. Also check out EWTN coverage.



Month of June, dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus



MASS INTENTIONS:

June 15—June 22, 2024

Saturday	6/15 ... 5 p.m.	Thomas Erhard +
Sunday	6/16 ... 9 a.m.	Alfred Silveira +
Monday	6/17 ... 8:30 a.m.	James Egide +
Tuesday	6/18 ... 8:30 a.m.	†
Wednesday	6/19 ... 8:30 a.m.	Patrick Troya +
Thursday	6/20 ... 8:30 a.m.	James Egide +
Friday	6/21 ... 8:30 a.m.	Julie Isetta +
Saturday	6/22 ... 8:30 a.m.	James Egide +



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, Matthew Millsap, Therese Bruton, Betty Ann Wright, Ginny Kerbs, Barbara Landesman, Bruce Landesman, Ralph Pershing, Michael Piper, Mylo Peterson, Becky Tecson, Jim Sullivan, Judy Rosenbloom, James McCarthy, Gray Flory, Deacon Chris Major, Dolores Cuerva, Kennyetta Block, Sue Egisti, Bob Egisti, Hadley Ward, Pat Clark, Timothy Collins, Jeanne Althuizen

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: David Alexander Swerrie, Bill Boitano, Lila Martinez, Fabrizio Martinelli, Donald W. Torre, Alfred Garcia, Winnie Coleman, Astrid Janson, Kathy Drady, Janey Payne, Rosalie Barozzi, Michael Alaimo, Patrick Butner, Diana Nay, Alberto Gutierrez, Bill Bixby, James Egide, Bebe McDermott, James McGeehan, Alice Thompson, Patricia Semples, Richard McGrath, Richard Hunter, Jose Martinez, Judy Cassidy, Bonnie Kissell, Barbara Solve, Arthur Ferrero, Hilde Caruson, Gene Lindquist, Diane Sandquist, Matthew Brown, George Vaio, Tom Egan, Cliff Vattuone, Marjorie Alaimo, Maria Lorch, Cecelia Kudlick, Dennis Bohm, Les Mize, Ron Derenzo, Elsie Adamson, Marilyn McCarthy, George Kerbs, Johnny Devine

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

Events in the Archdiocese

St. Jude Relics at St. Anthony of Padua, Novato, Sat. June 15, Mass 1p. For info and other locations in the archdiocese: <https://sfarch.org/relics-of-st-jude-to-visit-archdiocese-of-san-francisco/>

Catholic Bioethics. SF Archdiocese partners with the National Catholic Bioethics Center (NCBC) on ethical issues on health care. More info & monthly updates at <https://sfarch.org/bioethics>.

Retrouvaille, Marriage (Catholic counseling retreat/program), July 19-21. <https://www.themarriagehelp.com>.

"The Harmony of Modern Science and the Catholic Faith" Online course 5/28-7/2. <https://sfarch.org/modern-science-and-catholic-faith-course/>

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