

# Church of Saint Isabella

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



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 18, 2015

Your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit  
within you.

— 1 Corinthians 6:19a

## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Mark Reburiano, *Pastor*  
Rev. Elias Salomon, *Parochial Vicar*  
Rev. Edward Phelan, *Priest-in-Residence*  
Rev. Mr. Jerry Friedman, *Deacon*  
Rev. Mr. Jim Myers, *Deacon*  
Rev. Mr. Rich Younkin, *Deacon*  
Rev. Mr. Graham Cumming, *Deacon*  
Mrs. Susan Naretto, *School Principal*  
Mrs. Linda Myers, *Director of Liturgy and Music*  
Mrs. Lyn Gatti, *Director of Religious Education*  
Mr. Clarence Mamaril, *Interim Parish Secretary;*  
*Parish Youth Council (PYC) Co-Director*  
Mr. Mike Mangini, *Pastoral Minister*  
Mr. Tom Stoddard, *Facilities Manager*  
Mr. Steven Pilc, *Ministry Coord. & Staff Accountant*  
Mr. Rory Stoddard, *Office and PSR Assistant*  
Mr. Shane Graham, *PYC Co-Director*

## Schedule of Services

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

Daily Mass (Monday – Saturday): 8:30 am

Saturday evenings: 5:00 pm

Sundays: 7:30, 9:00 (Family Mass), 11:30 am, 5:00 pm

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

Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 pm (or by appointment)

### **Services at Most Holy Rosary Chapel**

(located at One Saint Vincent's Drive, Marinwood)

Sunday Mass: 9:30 am

Gregorian (Latin) Mass: Website: [www.tlmsf.org.org](http://www.tlmsf.org.org)

Traditional Form of Confession: 11:30—Noon  
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 sacra

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| Rectory / Parish Office         | 479-1560                      |
| St. Isabella's Parochial School | 479-3727                      |
| Parish School of Religion       | 479-1560                      |
| Parish Youth Council (PYC)      | 479-1560                      |
| Liturgy & Music                 | 479-8428                      |
| Pastoral Council (Joe Gatti)    | 499-4650                      |
| St. Vincent de Paul Help Line   | 454-3303                      |
| SVdP Car Donation Program       | 747-7276                      |
| FAX (Parish)                    | 479-8303                      |
| (School)                        | 479-9961                      |
| Email: Parish                   | office@stisabellasparish.org  |
| Email: School                   | snaretto@stisabellaschool.org |
| Website:                        | www.stisabellasparish.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.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! **Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

New parishioner \_\_\_\_\_

New address or phone \_\_\_\_\_

Moving, remove from list \_\_\_\_\_

Please send Sunday envelopes \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

# From the Pastor

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today's Gospel story of John and his disciples following Jesus sounds so simple and casual, it's easy to miss the significant acts of faith that are made. John points to Jesus: "Look," he says, "there is the Lamb of God." John's faith in Jesus is evident—so evident that John's disciples immediately leave his side and follow Jesus."



The two disciples make their own act of faith. They follow Jesus, spend time with him, and are quick to spread the good news of their discovery: "We have found the Messiah."

It is easy to forget that the expectations of generations, the hopes of many ages of faithful people were being fulfilled in these simple acts of faith. The Lamb of God, the Messiah, foretold by the prophets, had finally come. Nearly everyone among the Jewish people was watching for the Messiah at this time. Who in our own society watches for signs of the presence of the Messiah today?.

Catholic Schools Week begins on January 25th. I encourage everyone to support our school at its Open House and Science Fair after next Sunday's morning masses.

- Yours in Christ,

/s/ *Fr. Mark Reburiano*

## This Week (Jan. 18-Jan. 25) at St. Isabella's

**This Weekend:** Second Collection: : No Second Collection

**Sunday 01/18:** No PSR Classes  
PYC Mass, 5:00 pm, Church

**Monday 01/19:** Martin Luther King Jr. Day (school and rectory will be closed for holiday)  
Blessed Mother Prayer Group: 7:30 pm, Church  
PYC Meetings: 7:30 pm, members' houses



**Tuesday 01/20:** School Talent Show Rehearsal, 3:15-6:15 pm, Parish Center

**Wednesday 01/21:** No events scheduled

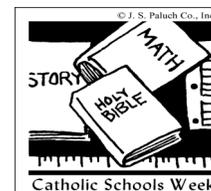
**Thursday 01/22:** School Talent Show—Mandatory Dress Rehearsal: 3:15—6:30 pm, Parish Center  
Adult Choir Rehearsal: 7:15 pm, Church



**Friday 01/23:** School Science Fair Set Up: Parish Center

**Saturday 01/24:** School Science Fair Judging: Parish Center

**Next Weekend:** Catholic Schools Week begins: School Mass, Open House  
**Sunday 01/25:** and Science Fair: 9:00 am—12:00 pm, Church, School and Parish Center  
No PSR Classes, except: 8th grade - 10:15-11:25 am, Cougar's Den  
2nd Grade PSR -:10:15-1:25 am, Church  
RCIA Rite of Acceptance: 11:30 am Mass, Church



Next Weekend's Second Collection (Jan.25, 2015 ): No Second Collection

### **St. Isabella's Men's Club Crab Feed Sat. January 31st @ 6:00 pm Make your Reservations Now!**

Please reserve space for \_\_\_\_\_ Adults @ \$45 each and \_\_\_\_\_ Kids @ \$20 each. Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Menu: Salad, French Bread, Pasta, *All You Can Eat Crab*, Dessert

Make checks payable to: "St. Isabella's Men's Club". For more info call: (415) 479-1560

To RSVP, cut out and mail this section with your payment to: St. Isabella's Crab Feed, 1 Trinity Way, San Rafael, CA 94903, or drop it off at the Rectory, with your payment. (adult tickets are \$40 each when purchasing 4 or more seats)





### Weekly Offering & Stewardship

January .10-11 Offertory: \$ 14,021.50  
St. Vincent De Paul 5th Sunday (add'l donations) \$ 382.00  
Credit Card Donations on 12/15/14: \$ 7,000.00

To make your offertory donations by credit card, call Steven Pile at the rectory: 479-1560.

Weekly Operating Expenses: \$ 12,618.58

Thank you St. Isabella parishioners of St. Isabella for your generous Offertory gifts. We are very grateful for your good stewardship!

### Archbishop's Annual Appeal (AAA)

Our AAA 2014 Assessment: \$ 99,700.00  
Pledges Collected as of 01/01/2015: \$ 95,285.00

Thank you—We have almost met our goal!

### St. Isabella's Mens Club Crab Feed Saturday January 31, 2015

Send in the cut-out section on the preceding page to purchase your tickets!



Proceeds from this fundraiser go towards the renovation of our Parish Center. Dinner includes: Salad, French Bread, all you can Crab and Dessert. Enjoy an evening with your fellow St. Isabella's parishioners, great food, live music and dancing!



The 11th Annual Walk for Life West Coast will be held on January 24, 2015, at the Civic Center Plaza, San Francisco. For more information go to: [www.walkforlifewc.com](http://www.walkforlifewc.com)

A chartered bus is available for convenient transportation to and from this event.

**From Southern Marin:** meet at Marin Catholic at 10:30 am in front of the gym. The bus will return at 4:00 pm. Free donations accepted on the bus. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Sign up online at: <http://www.123contactform.com/form-1234254/Walk-For-Life-2015-Registration>  
For more info, call Jane Liston: (415) 453-8653

**From Novato:** Meet at the Our Lady of Loretto church parking lot at 11:00 am. Requested Fare is \$15; any amount is appreciated. To RSVP, call Erin Troy at (415) 897-2171, or email: [ERIN@OLLNOVATO.ORG](mailto:ERIN@OLLNOVATO.ORG)

### Gather @ Grand—Dominican Sisters of San Rafael

All are invited to Gather@Grand with the Dominican Sisters who are hosting: "The Pastoral Theology of Pope Francis" - An evening with Bishop Robert McElroy.

S.F. Archbishop Auxiliary Bishop McElroy has authored two books and has written four articles for *America Magazine*. He is a vibrant, thought-provoking and highly sought after speaker.

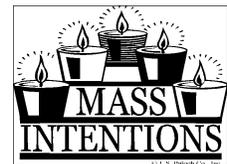
Date: **Thursday, January 22nd, 7:00 –8:30 pm.**

Place: 1520 Grant Avenue in San Rafael.

Questions? Email: [CommunityRelations@sanrafaelop.org](mailto:CommunityRelations@sanrafaelop.org)

### Mass Intentions This Week: January 18, 2015 –January 24, 2015

**Sunday 1/18:** 7:30 — Kathleen Butter † Marie Wiggins † Tony Accurso †  
9:00 — Caroline De Souza † Bryan McCarthy †  
11:30 — Anthony Accurso † Marie Gabriel †  
5:00 — †  
**Monday 1/19:** 8:30 — Richard Franklin † Special Intentions of Joseph P De Kroon  
**Tuesday 1/20:** 8:30 — Cynthia Vinco †  
**Wed. 1/21:** 8:30 — Nadia Pouey  
**Thurs. 1/22:** 8:30 — Antonio Vinco †  
De Kroon deceased family  
**Friday 1/23:** 8:30 — Claro Mamaril † Nila Hovey †  
**Saturday 1/24:** 8:30 — †  
5:00 — †



### Past Mass Intentions (requested after bulletin deadline)

1/11: Mike Hajian † Jose Rodriguez †  
1/17: Intentions for John Sames

**Please pray for the sick and those who are recovering from illness / surgery:** Richard Anderson, Katia Antonia, Lucy Atangan, Art Baca, Diana Baetz, MaryAnn Baldetta, Mike Cass, Dorothy Castellani, Ryker Christiansen, Jim Connaughton, Mark Connolly, Ben Cureton, Andrea Delsid, Arlene Driscoll, Diane Dyson, Tom Eberhart, Robert Ebbing, Jeanette Eckart, Mary Egan, Dave Elder, Earl Finn, William Finn, Patrick Freer, Judith French, Stacey Friscia, Jorge Furtado, Fr. Bruno Gibson O.P., Gloria Gill, Lucille Gingras, Laura Hamon, Betty Hardin, Mary Hempel, Elise Higgins, Laurie Hornstein, James Kelly, Joe Kelly, Jeff Kissell, Jeanne Laude, Jean-Claude Litte, Cheryl Lobermeier, Elizabeth Lorimier, Jim Maloney, Mary Martin, Nancy McGovern, Thomas McGrath, Jailun McIsaac, Margaret McLaughlin, Belva Metzler, Nick Michael, Claire Denise Miller, Shelly Millsap, Louise Mueller, Louise Nagy, Elizabeth O'Donnell, John "Giovanni" Pardini, Kristina Peterson, Peg Petrofsky, Forrest Phillips, Maria Pugh, Mae Redmond, Alyssa Richards, Mary Riley, Judy Rosenbloom, Kathleen F. Russo, Diane Sandquist, Sami Scheuring, Paul Skvaril, Gerald Studier, Patrick Sheehan, Margaret and Ray Smith, Marianne Sullivan, Rose Szabo, Msgr. James Tarantino, Jacqueline Tarantino, Madeline VanNote, Lisette Vazquez, Gina Von Esmarch, Linda Walters, Rita Whiteshield, Jane Ward.

**Newly added to our prayers for the sick:**

**Please pray for those who have died:** John Homan, Isidro Montano, Bryan McCarthy, Dolores Ceresa

**Please pray for all those who are serving in the Armed Forces:**

(If you have a loved one to add to the weekly Mass Intentions, or to our Parish Bulletin prayer list, please call the rectory at 479-1560; ext. 11)

## **Saint Isabella School News**

### **Come and Explore your Catholic School.**

Admission tours and enrollment information sharing for the 2015-2016 school year is currently underway.



We hope that you will come and explore the difference a Catholic education can make. 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.

Please call the school to arrange a tour. We're anxious to answer your questions about the application process for any K-8 grades.

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.

## **RCIA Adapted for Children**

On Sunday, Jan. 25, at the 11:30 am Mass, our parish will celebrate the Rite of Acceptance & Welcome for the 35 members of the RCIA, Adapted for Children Program. Practice will be held on Sunday, Jan. 18, in the church after the 11:30 am Mass. This will be considered our class time, so there will be no class that day in the parish hall. All are invited to share our joy as we prepare to receive Sacraments this coming Easter. Any questions, please call Judy Rosenbloom at 897-8241.

## **Annual Women's Retreat: February 13-15, 2015:**

### **Living the Joy of the Gospel**

Our retreat theme this year is taken from Pope Francis' challenge to the Universal Church for a renewed spirit of evangelization. Each person is charged by virtue of our Baptism to commit themselves to the proclamation of the Joy of the Gospel, based on our witness to one another and our service to the people of the world. Through prayer, study and reflection, our retreatants will discover for themselves this joy.



Our retreats feature inspiring conferences, Eucharist, Reconciliation and personal time for prayer, reading and rest. We begin on Friday at 5:30 pm and conclude with lunch on Sunday. No one is refused because of inability to pay. Requested fee: \$195 single/\$175 double. A \$40 non-refundable deposit is requested to confirm your reservation. Please call Sue at 472-1286 ASAP, or register on-line at: [ChristTheKingRetreatCenter.org](http://ChristTheKingRetreatCenter.org). Thank You.

## **Looking for Assistance...**

Senior citizen looking for an in-law unit or cottage with private bath. Energetic, educated Catholic woman will provide 20 hours per week in exchange for rent reduction. Capabilities include cooking and baking, gardening and light house work. Very animal oriented—loves dogs. Contact Mary at: 415-209-6886.



### ***Readings for next Sunday: January 25, 2015***

#### ***Second Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

Mark 1:14-20

