



# 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



## Second Sunday of Easter

April 24, 2022

*"Blessed are those who have not seen  
and have believed."*

### 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 – 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](http://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	<a href="mailto:office@stisabellasparish.org">office@stisabellasparish.org</a>
School	<a href="mailto:rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org">rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org</a>
Website: Parish	<a href="http://www.stisabellasparish.org">www.stisabellasparish.org</a>
School	<a href="http://www.stisabellaschool.org">www.stisabellaschool.org</a>



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!

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



## Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

John 20 : 1 – 19 - 31



Belief or faith is a subtle conviction. For Thomas, it was physical. He had to touch the Risen Lord. But for the majority of people, faith has deeper lairs to it. The sense of mystery; the transcendental experience; the connection to the divine presence; the rationality to creation; the depth of the Gospels. People of faith are profoundly deep people.



Pope Francis *Urbi et Orbi, Easter 2022*

“Faced with the continuing signs of war, as well as the many painful setbacks to life, Jesus Christ, the victor over sin, fear and death, exhorts us not to surrender to evil and violence. May we be won over by the peace of Christ!”

### Vatican Trivia

Which Pope was a convert?

Pope Symmachus (498-514). He introduced the Gloria into the Mass and built Papal lodgings for pilgrims.

### Basilica

The oldest Basilica in the United States, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Baltimore has reached its 200th year. Many celebrations are taking place.

### Catechesis

Can a Catholic be buried in a non-Catholic Cemetery?

Yes. You can. The grave is blessed by a priest where the remains are placed. Cremated remains should not be buried anywhere. This may violate civil laws.

### Ukraine

Ukrainian officials report over 2,500 citizens killed in the City of Mariupol alone. 15,000 Russian soldiers killed. The barbarism of Putin is nothing but evil. Pope Francis has pleaded to stop this massacre. Stop the bombings and attacks. Russia is attacking civilians and properties of civilians. If this is not a war crime—what is?



### Declining numbers of young people in parishes (part 1 of 3)

Young Catholics (18 years to 40 years) identify themselves as religious, but this does not mean you will see them at Mass or strong ties to churches. Young people today construct their faith beliefs from a variety of sources and other religions than from a single tradition. This was not the way when I was growing up. No competition, only Catholicism instructing my religious beliefs.

### Parish News

Fr. O' will be on Easter break next week.

*"The Guerillo Warrior must swim among the people as a fish swims through the sea."*



Yours in Fraternity,  
Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



## Weekly Offering & Stewardship

### Week Ending April 9-10, 2022

Offertory	\$ 4,536.71
Parish Maintenance	\$ 1,540.00
Easter Offerings	\$ 345.00
Bathroom/Kitchen Remodel Fund	\$ 36.00
Mass & Ceremonial Offerings	\$ 680.00
Parish Hall Rental	\$ 420.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 7,557.71</u>
CRS-Ukraine	\$ 158.00
Holy Rosary/Latin Mass	\$ 349.13

### Easter Week Ending April 16-17 2022

Easter Collection	\$ 15,506.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 771.00
Parish Maintenance	\$ 568.00
Bathroom/Kitchen Remodel Fund	\$ 490.00
Mass & Ceremonial Offerings	\$ 240.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 17,575.00</u>
Good Friday/Holy Land	\$ 642.40

### 2022 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

St. Isabella's Goal	\$ 55,865.00
Donations received to date	<u>\$ 3,135.00</u>
Balance to raise by year-end	<u>\$ 52,730.00</u>

**2nd collection today Catholic Home Mission..**



Catholic San Francisco Magazine featured St. Isabella's stained glass windows "A meditation: Palm Sunday to Ascension" in the April 2022 Easter Edition. Check out the article at <https://sfarchdiocese.org/the-windows-of-st-isabella/> or the digital version at [https://issuu.com/productioncsf/docs/web\\_csf\\_04.2022\\_magazine](https://issuu.com/productioncsf/docs/web_csf_04.2022_magazine)

## Upcoming Events

**Archbishop Cordileone** will administer the Sacrament of **Confirmation** on **May 20th**, 3 p.m. Mass at St. Isabella.

**Christopher Major**, will be ordained **Deacon on May 28th** at St. Mary's Cathedral.

*Congratulations*



### The Bridge - News from the Archdiocese

The Biblical Grounding of the Holy Father's Thinking — **Laudato Si'** and **Fratelli Tutti** Classes. Thur. nights 7 p.m. April 19-May 24.

**The Making of Missa Sancti Juniperi Serra**: Frank La Rocca & Archbishop Cordileone. Thur, April 28, 5:30 pm (Zoom). Sign up to get ZOOM link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/297412638207>

**Catholic Women's Retreat** for Hope and Healing After Abortion. May 20-22. The retreat is free. For info, call (415) 614 5567, email [projectrachel@sfarch.org](mailto:projectrachel@sfarch.org), or register online at <https://sfarchdiocese.org/rachel>.



## This Week: April 23 - April 30

<b>Saturday</b> 4/23	5:00 p.m.	William Osenton +
<b>Sunday</b> 4/24	9:00 a.m.	Elaine Chan +
<b>Monday</b> 4/25	8:30 a.m.	†
<b>Tuesday</b> 4/26	8:30 a.m.	Elaine Chan +
<b>Wednesday</b> 4/27	8:30 a.m.	Colin Bindi
<b>Thursday</b> 4/28	8:30 a.m.	†
<b>Friday</b> 4/29	8:30 a.m.	†
<b>Saturday</b> 4/30	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, Maria Rendros, 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, Honey Cabalza, Dolores Cuerva, Dave Dunn, Terry (Terese) Moriarty

**A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ:** 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, Mary Gail Mibach

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](mailto:office@stisabellaparish.org)

### 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>

**The Catholic Adult Singles** Association of Marin is a group of 50+ single or single again Catholics who are interested in making new friends, taking part in social activities, sharing opportunities for spiritual growth and becoming involved in volunteer projects that will benefit our parishes, our community and one another. For membership & event info, call Bob 415-897-0639.

### 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](mailto:rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org)