



# 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



**2nd Sunday of Easter**

**April 7, 2024**

*Blessed are those who have  
not seen me, but still believe!*

## Pastoral Team

**Rev. Cyril O'Sullivan, Pastor**

**Rev. Ephrem Tillya, Parochial Vicar,  
Hospital Chaplain**

**Rev. Mr. Christopher Major, Deacon,  
P.S.R., 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.**

## 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. 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
PSR (Deacon Chris Major)	PSR@stisabellaparish.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
St. Isabella CYO Basketball	<a href="http://www.sicyo.com">www.sicyo.com</a>
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School	415-479-9961
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School	<a href="mailto:rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org">rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org</a>
Website: Parish	<a href="http://www.stisabellaparish.org">www.stisabellaparish.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.stisabellaparish.org](http://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: \_\_\_\_\_



## Second Sunday of Easter

John 20 : 19 - 31



There will be five major appearances after Jesus resurrecting expanding the 40 days before Ascension. Mary Magdalene at the tomb, the Emmaus story two men breaking bread, the eleven apostles hiding in Jerusalem, doubting Thomas, Peter by the Sea of Galilee. More appearances will follow, end with the 500. Many of these will be martyred for what they witnessed.

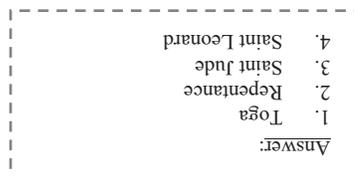


### Pope Francis

Let us counter the force of war with charity and the rhetoric of violence with prayer.

### Catholic Trivia

1. Garment of ancient Rome
2. Make up for sin
3. Hopeless situations
4. Patron Saint of Prisoners



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



### Church Councils

4th Lateran Council, 1215 A.D. 1,200 prelates attended including Saint Dominic and Saint Francis.

Its enactments:

1. To commit aid to the Christians in Holy Land which continues to this day.
2. To root out the heresies of Albigensian and Waldensians in Southern France. An army was sent to defeat them.
3. Forbidden to preach without approval of local bishop.
4. Go to confession at least once a year.
5. Seminarians to have a seminary to be educated.

### Death Penalty

Alabama carried out the first execution by nitrogen gas on Kenneth Smith. His death took 22 minutes to expire. This can hardly be called mercy killing. Cows are killed instantly.

### Israel, the Old City Jerusalem

From a notion that cries out for justice, it does not always meet its incidents, ranging from spitting daily at clerics to vandalism towards Christians, Muslims is unacceptable in any civilized country. Reports to authorities rarely is action taken against perpetrators and harassment against non-Jews is on the rise. Yet the Israeli Government has no problem in asking for billions of dollars from Christian countries. Extremism is tolerated in Israel under the politics of Jewish supremacy.

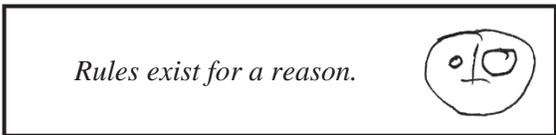
### Akshardham Mahamandir Temple

The largest Hindu temple built in the U.S. New Jersey recently completed at a cost of \$96 million, soaring spires 10,000 statues and intricately carved columns. It took 15 years to build. Beauty built for religious worship true to its spirit will always call the faithful to worship.



### Happy Easter

We wish all our parishioners a very Blessed and Happy Easter and my gratitude continuing to support St. Isabella Parish.



Yours in Fraternity,  
Fr. Cyril O’Sullivan



## Weekly Offering & Stewardship

### Week Ending March 23-34, 2024

Offertory	\$ 5,256.00
Parish Maintenance (restricted)	\$ 280.00
Easter Offering	\$ 415.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 105.00
Parish Facility Rentals	\$ 2,600.00
Masses and Religious Ceremonies	\$ 125.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 8,781.00</u>
Holy Rosary/Latin Mass	\$ 305.00

### Easter Weekend March 29-31, 2024

Easter Offertory	\$ 13,446.85
Easter Religious Icon/St Joseph:	\$ 1,370.00
Parish Maintenance (restricted)	\$ 6,411.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 100.00
Votive Candle	\$ 47.60
Parish Facility Rentals	\$ 100.00
Masses and Religious Ceremonies	\$ 70.00
Total for parish	<u>\$ 21,545.45</u>
Good Friday/Holy Land	\$ 643.00
Holy Rosary/Latin Mass	\$ 253.00

### 2024 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

St. Isabella's Goal	\$ 72,891.00
Donations received to date	\$ 1,930.00
Balance needed	<u>\$ 70,961.00</u>

#### April 2nd collections:

4/7/2024 - Maintenance

4/28/2024 - Catholic Home Missions (USCCB)



Thank you to all those who contributed toward the Easter flowers, including those who did so in memory of loved ones.

### Easter Flowers In Memory of

James G. Flynn, Wellington Family, Flynn Family, Dimitratos Family, Picollo Family, Richard Hunter, Eugene Malvino, Julia Malvino, John DeMartini, Rosina DeMartini, McCaffrey & Moriarty Families, Ray Johansson, Joe & Anna Falasee, Bob Brenza, Lorraine Zoog, Jim & Belva Metzler, Rich McGrath, Mike Peregrin, Steve Calagary, Ernie Zeiter, Robert Brahm, Gerald Kerby, Maureen Crabtree, Patricia Vincent, Diane Vincent, Pauline & Jack Simpson, Masumi Simpson, Maureen Cassidy, Barbara Allio, Maureen Anderson, Linda & Lorenzo Lo, Gilma & Roque Diaz, Lucille Phillips, Caroline Phillips, Leonard Phillips, Katherine Eck, Mary Ashe, Barbara Werner, Patricia Molatore, Virginia Bispo, Dan White, Josephine & Bud Leedham, Carmen Smith, Ray & Kathryn Farber, Joe & Shirley Murray, Joey & John Murray, Rocky & Toni Sibeto, Cliff Vattuone, Carolyn Magluilo, Agnew Family, Patsy & Lana Serreno, Bill Serreno, Lauren & Larry Beigel, Sr. Cathy Bennett, Gregg Carman, Frank & Constance Sabella, Ocolo Doro, Norman Silva, Harold Bender, Harold & Jackie McConnell, Howard Sanford, Tom McConnell, Brian McConnell, Harold Sinclair, Jr., Al & Ava Bole, Anna Dutcher, Harold & Ruth Sinclair, Richard Alves, Rosalie Scalise, Emilio Tallerico, Jack & Catherine Bastida, John & Sophie Mangone

It's time for dinner at **Johnathan's Place**, the San Rafael shelter our parish has been serving for many years. We will be back in the kitchen again on Monday, **April 8th**. If you would like to help cook, provide food, or donate money to buy the groceries we need, or would just like more information about the program, please call Ellen Dederian at 415-479-0972. Thank you.



## MASS INTENTIONS:

April 6—April 13, 2024

<b>Saturday</b>	4/6 ... 5 p.m.	Elsie Adamson+
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	4/7 ... 9 a.m.	Julie Isetta+
<b>Monday</b>	4/8 ... 8:30 a.m.	Rita O'Sullivan+
<b>Tuesday</b>	4/9 ... 8:30 a.m.	Vincencio Montelibano+
<b>Wednesday</b>	4/10 ... 8:30 a.m.	Mark Gavino+
<b>Thursday</b>	4/11 ... 8:30 a.m.	Parishioners of St. Isabella
<b>Friday</b>	4/12 ... 8:30 a.m.	Michael Piper
<b>Saturday</b>	4/13 ... 8:30 a.m.	Rose Caton+
	... 11 a.m.	Cliff Vattuone Funeral



### 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, George Kerbs, Les Mize, 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, Kenyetta Block, Sue Egisti, Bob Egisti, Hadley Ward, Pat Clark*

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

*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, Janey Payne, Rosalie Barozzi, Michael Alaimo, Patrick Buttner, Diana Nay, Alberto Gutierrez, Bill Bixby, James Egide, Bebe McDermott, James McGeehan, Alice Thompson, Patricia Semple, 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*

### Volunteer Opportunity to distribute food to Dominican University students who suffer from food insecurity.

Adopt a day as a Saint Isabella Parish volunteer day.

For more information, contact [studentlife@dominican.edu](mailto:studentlife@dominican.edu).



**Baptism:** Welcome  
**Colette James Curtin**  
into our Faith Family

St. Isabella Men's Club presents  
**Bracket Pool, Student Day & Party Monday, April 8**

**Praying for peace in the Holy Land.**



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