



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



3rd Sunday of Easter

April 23, 2023

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

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*
 Ms. Judy Rosenbloom, *R.C.I.A.*
 Mr. Frank Lavin, *Baptismal Preparation*

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.

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 (Deacon Chris Major)	PSR@stisabellaparish.org
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
St. Isabella CYO Basketball	www.sicyo.com
Fax: Parish	415-479-8303
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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: _____



Third Sunday of Easter

Luke 24 : 13 - 35

Emmaus is a village 7 miles northwest of Jerusalem. It is a fort town, surround a castle, Castellum Emmaus, named after a Roman General Emmaus, "Emmaus Castle". The Romans kept 800 soldiers at this post as reinforcements in case of rebellions in Jerusalem.



The Eucharist

The Church 2023 is focusing on the Eucharist for various reasons. Pope Benedict XVI understood the Eucharist as the most mystical heart of Christianity in which mysteriously God draws us into his embrace, word, and mission. The Eucharist is God's infinite love to every human being—no exceptions. We are reborn every time we attend Eucharist. Our faith is deepened, sustained and renewed. For serious Catholics, the option to abandon Eucharist is an anathema.

The Apostles

It is always a question of fleeing or remaining with Jesus. Easter has both sides. Fleeing, Judas, Apostles, Peter, scattered, hiding. But others remained. Jesus mother, Mary Magdalene, Clopas, John, women of Jerusalem, Veronica. The question always remains, who remains with Jesus and who flees.

Vatican Trivia

When did Saint Peter die? In 65 A.D. The Roman Emperor Nero condemned Peter to death by crucifixion. Peter requested to die upside down.

Book (Maybe worth reading)

"Spiritualizing Religion without Politicizing Religion" (200 pages \$45.00). Its theme—Politics needs Religion to do its work. The separation of Church and State is not the problem but the lack of respect due to each by both powers is the problem.

Did you know?

60% of insect life in the British Isles has vanished in the past 20 years.

Parish Story

At the Passion story Palm Sunday, Fr. O' was simulating a choking, grasping Christ as he spoke his last words, "My God, My God, Why Have You Forsaken Me ...". A woman thought Fr. O' was having a heart attack at the altar and was about to rush up and give him cardiac resuscitation.

Parish News

The remodeling of the kitchen has finally begun. All new kitchen appliances, cooker, cabinets, electrical and plumbing works will make this station state of the art for many decades to come. Long may healthy socials bring us together.

Parish Life

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

The St. Vincent de Paul Conferences of St. Raphael and St. Isabella are holding their **16th Annual Bocce Tournament and Picnic** Fundraiser on Sunday April 30th at the Marin Bocce Federation Courts on B Street in San Rafael. Entrance forms are available in the church vestibule. Thank you for your continued support. For more information please contact John or Marie Zeiter at 415-479-3286.

Thank you to those who contributed to the **Fr. Dingberg Scholarship Fund** last Sunday. If you missed the collection, you still have time to contribute by dropping off a donation at the Rectory office. All monies go towards a scholarship(s) to a Parish school or Parish School of Religion student entering Marin Catholic in the fall.

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

"It is not how you say, it is what is in your heart."



Yours in Fraternity,
Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan



Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Week Ending April 15 - 16, 2023

Offertory	\$ 6,345.00
Father Dingberg Scholarship Fund	\$ 673.00
Parish Maintenance (restricted)	\$ 460.00
Votive Candles Church	\$ 199.00
Parish Hall Rental	\$ 300.00
Masses and Religious Ceremonies	\$ 450.00
Total for parish	\$ 8,427.00
Holy Rosary Chapel/Latin Mass	\$ 1,429.00
Holy Land collection (additional)	\$ 50.00

2023 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

St. Isabella's Goal:	\$ 61,512.00
Donations received to date:	\$ 10,100.00
To raise:	\$ 51,412.00



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

Rosalie & Emilio Tallerico, Jack & Catherine Bastida, John & Sophie Mangone, John Bartley, Bettyann Wright, Menchu Gonzalez, Mary & Joseph Lavin, Helen & Frank Cassidy, Louis & Irene Bondanza, Marie & Francesco Cresci, Milagros Lavin, Alejandro Cubacub, Reynaldo Cubacub, Josephina Suh, Lawrence Lee, Luge Lee, Pauline Simpson, Jack Simpson, Susie Jones, Lucille Phillips, Katherine Eck, Jordyn "Azy" Powell, Mike Peregrin, Debbie Dennison, Tom Dennison, Pat Rozek, Patricia Molatore, Virginia Bispo, Dan White, Rev Michael Keane, Teddy Russell, Ray Johansson, Gilma & Roque Diz, Linda & Lorenzo Lo, Harold & Jackie McConnell, Tom McConnell, Brian McConnell, Howard Sanford, Nicolas Simard, Joseph Murray, Sr., Joseph Murray, Jr., John Murray, Joan Murray, Roy & Kathryn Farber, Patricia Vincent, Diane Vincent, Lisa Purvis, Eva & Oliver Mackley, Fr. Healy, Fr. Knapp, Fr. Keane, Fr. Sloan, Lolo Doro, Rocky & Toni Sibeto, Dimitrios Family, Picollo Family, Robert Brahm, Gerald Kerby, Elizabeth Marie, David Whitley, Harold Sinclair, Jr., Al & Alva Bole, Harold & Ruth Sinclair, Richard Alves, Anna Dutcher, Robert Doyle, Peter & Lucille Rulli, Tony & Jenney Silvestri, Nancy & Nick Rulli, Elisa Rulli, Ed Gallagher, Mark Montobbio, James Flynn, Wellington Family, Ernie Zeiter, Noel Family, Sykes family, Elizabeth & James Donlon, Jim & Belva Metzler, Chuck & Ginnie DeJonghe, Lionel & Bernice O'Connor, Hugh & Pat Dengler, Ray & Joan Dengler, Ralph & Scarlett Dengler, Marvin Dengler

Congratulations & Welcome to our Faith Family on Easter Vigil



- * Rodolfo Tabat, Baptism, Confirmation, 1st Holy Communion
- * Philip Rapoport, Confirmation

MASS INTENTIONS: April 22 – April 29

Saturday	4/22	5 p.m.	William Rivas Barroeta +
Sunday	4/23	9 a.m.	Michael Peregrin +
Monday	4/24	8:30 a.m.	†
Tuesday	4/25	8:30 a.m.	†
Wednesday	4/26	8:30 a.m.	†
Thursday	4/27	8:30 a.m.	†
Friday	4/28	8:30 a.m.	†
Saturday	4/29	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, Dolores Cuerva,

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, Astrid Janson, BettyAnn Wright, Ginny Kerbs, George Kerbs, Les Mize, Barbara Landesman, Bruce Landesman, Ralph Pershing, Kathy Drady

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

Lori Ahern, Walter Kelly, 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 Allen Swerrie

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



Our 6th/7th PSR students

knocked it out of the park and earned \$305 from their Bake Sale last weekend. Proceeds donated to St Vincent de Paul, an organization offers person-to-person service to those who are needy & suffering in our parish boundary. Fabulous work! Huge thank you to the students and parents who supported this effort.

News from the Archdiocese

4/30— Good Shepherd Sunday Holy Hours Prayers for Vocations at various parishes. Marin Catholic, 3 - 4 p.m.

Online School of Pastoral Ministry "Consecrated to the Immaculate: Becoming Marian Americans", 'til 5/23. <https://sfarch.org/marian-citizenship-course/>

4/30—Respect Life Essay Contest awards ceremony, <https://sfarch.org/event/2023-respect-life-mass-and-awards-ceremony/>

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 scheduled. 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