

# 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



# 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time **November 14, 2021**

"Be vigilant at all times and pray that you have the strength to stand before the Son of Man."

#### **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.

Mrs. Maria Renderos, Cook & Housekeeper

## **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 – Friday)

#### 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	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.		
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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 415-479-3727
	St. Isabella's Parochial School		
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	t de Paul H	elp Line	415-454-0366
St. Vincent de Paul Car donations			800-322-8284
Fax:	Parish		415-479-8303
	School		415-479-9961
Email:	Parish		pellasparish.org
	School	rpheatt@stisa	bellaschool.org
Website:	Parish		bellasparish.org
	School		bellaschool.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, or fill out this form and put it into the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Thank You!

New parishioner
New address or phone
Moving, remove from list
Please send Sunday envelopes

•	Name:	
	Address:	
	e-Mail:	
	Phone:	

# Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mark 13: 24 - 32



This will certainly be the end of the world for those who see it. The sun has no more light, the universe is collapsing onto itself. And what looks like an eternal planet 2 billions year old is shaken to its core. I just hope it isn't mankind, out of its own madness, isn't the causation for all the things that pass away. That would be the greatest evil in the history of mankind.



#### Pope Francis

The poor are always with us, so too are the sick. Everyday we should pray for them as it is our Faith, "We believe in miracles." The sick love to know we have them in our prayers.

#### (Part 1 of 3)

Jesuit superior, Adolfo Nicolás Pachón, S.J. died May 2020. He was known as a man of the Gospel. He has left us with radical concerns for depth. It is he who coined the phrase, 'We live in a world, the "Globalization of Superficiality." Today so much information, so quickly, so unthinkingly from blogs shaping our feelings, perceptions that in the end are we being brain washed, or do we anymore come to our own careful conclusions.

#### **Sport**

Which sport where the loser has to attend the winner's ceremony and accolades. (I wouldn't pay 1 cent for this information, but I would still like to know.)

#### Did you know?

Jasper O'Farrell, a native of Ireland 1850s, was the man who engineered and designed the streets of San Francisco including Market Street. O'Farrell Street is named to his achievements.

#### <u>Test your Catholic knowledge</u>: (St. Joseph)

- a. The largest church in the world dedicated to St. Joseph is (Paris, Rome, Madrid, Montreal)
- b. Which Gospel gives us the least information about St. Joseph? (Matthew, Mark, Luke, John)
- c. Which Pope named St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church? (St. Pius IX, St. Pius X, St. Pius XI, St. Pius XII)

#### National News

The House of Representatives on September 24th passed the Women's Health Protection Act by a vote of 218 - 211. The measure establishes the legal right to abortion on demand at any stage of pregnancy in all 50 States under Federal Law. Archbishop Cordileone stated this proposed legislation is nothing short of child sacrifices.

Reflection for the Week: Proverbs 10:21

#### Catechesis

Celiac Disease attacks the small intestine when one eats barley, wheat or rye. According to the Catholic Church, bread used on the Sacrament of Eucharist must contain wheat for it to become the body of Christ. (Low gluten hosts are valid.) There is no such thing as a gluten-free host. All hosts contain wheat to some degree. This as you can imagine is very difficult for people who suffer from Celiac Disease as they may not be able to receive communion at all. Count our blessings.

Happiness is a choice, it is worth choosing.



Yours in Fraternity, Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan

# Offering Weekly Offering & Stewardship

Collections to-be-reported next week.

#### Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA)

 2021 St. Isabella's Goal:
 \$ 82,827.00

 Donations received to date:
 \$ 29,353.00

 Need to raise by year-end:
 \$ 53,474.00

Campaign for Human Development (USCCB) - 2nd collection upcoming. For info, visit https://www.usccb.org/about/catholic-campaign-for-human-development/collection/index.cfm

Funeral Mass Ann Gregory Sat. 11/13, 11 a.m.

Remember those who have died. **Kara Roell** Rest in Peace Long-time parishioner of over 50 years and member of the MIAC club, **Pat Vincent**, funeral Mass last week. Please include Pat, Ken

& their family in your

prayers.

Prayer request for Cathie Peters, recovery from surgery

Prayers for **Tommy Watson & family**(Student at the school is very ill.)

Bookmark by Judy Rosenbloom



GIVING TREE —Just a reminder that it's time for our Christmas Giving Tree. Next weekend, November 20th/21st, we will set up a table after the Masses to collect cash, checks, or Target gift cards for the children served by our own parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference. Following are the guidelines:

- To donate gift cards: MUST be TARGET gift card, value \$35 each
- To donate cash or checks in any amount (we will buy the gift cards.)
   Please make check payable to St. Isabella's Giving Tree Project.

Any questions, please Ellen Dederian (415-479-0972,) Mary McCaffrey (415-479-1094), Sue Boland (415-308-7972) or Marie Zeiter (415-479-3286). Thank you.

Announcement You should have received your Christmas Offering envelope dated

12/5/21. Since
we will be ordering flowers in advance, feel free to submit your donation toward our
Christmas flowers at any time.







### This Week: November 13 - November 19

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A Time for Healing, for those who are sick, that they experience strength in the Lord's compassion: Dcn. Jim Myers, Fr. Neil Healy, Cathie Inglis, Beth Flaherty, Tara Garcia, Jordan Roggenbuck, Louise & Phil Rapoport, Brendan Moylan, Sue Egisti, John Walters, Elsie & Michael Peregrin, Mary Polizza, Maria Renderos, 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

A Time for Sorrow, for those who live forever with Christ: Dan White, Connie Govi, Dcn. Rich Younkin, Doug Lathrop, Francine Strain, Michael &Norma Giannini, Fr. Wilton Smith, Alice Bogan, Nola Joy Slingsby, 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

<u>Remember in your Prayers:</u> For the safety and well-being of all those affected by the Covid-19 epidemic

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@stisabellasparish.org



Catholic Moms Summit, Nov. 12-14, fantastic lineup of speakers. The event is free. \$49.99 if you want (lifetime) access to the presentations, and download to MP3. Contact Ed Hopfner, <a href="https://example.com/HopfnerE@sfarch.org">HopfnerE@sfarch.org</a>

November, Restorative Justice Month, pray together for the ministry & all involved in justice & peace. Contact Julio Escobar, EscobarJ@sfarch.org

Laudato Si Action Platform Kickoff . Nov. 14, Contact: Melissa Vlach | 415-614-5616 <u>ylachm@sfarch.org</u>

Online Theological Book Study. Tuesdays, Nov. 16, 7:30-9 PM (a 9-week study) <u>www.laymissionry.org</u>

National Prayer Event, Respect Life & Gabriel Project, Nov. 18, 5 PM. virtual, prolife@sfarch.org

Beyond: How humankind thinks about heaven, with author Catherine Wolff, Thur. Dec. 2, 7 PM-8:30

#### St. Isabella Catholic School Admissions

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: <a href="mailto:rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org">rpheatt@stisabellaschool.org</a>