

OUR LADY OF THE PILLAR CATHOLIC CHURCH

Iglesia Católica de Nuestra Señora del Pilar

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 24, 2016

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Confessions Schedule

Monday (Lunes) 6:00- 7:00 pm
8:45- 9:30 pm
Tuesday (Martes) 7:00- 7:45 am
Wednesday (Miercoles) 7:00– 7:50am
Thursday (Jueves) 7:00– 7:50 am
5:30- 6:30 pm
Friday (Viernes) 6:00- 7:00 pm
9:00- 10:00 pm
Saturday (Sábado) 4:00- 5:00 pm

Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday: 8:00 am

Saturday:

8:00 am - 5:00 pm - 8:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday:

8:00 am - 10:00 am - 12:00 pm (Spanish)
- 6:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Every Friday after 8:00 am Mass -
Benediction 12:00 pm
First Friday of the Month
after 8:00 am Mass - Benediction 6:30pm

St. Anthony's — Pescadero

696 North Street, Pescadero, CA 94060
Saturday: 6:00 pm (Spanish)
Sunday: 9:00 am

Our Lady of Refuge — La Honda

146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA
94020
Sunday: 10:30 am

Dear Parishioners:

Tomorrow the Church celebrates the feast of the first Apostle to suffer martyrdom, St. James, the brother of John, the son of Zebedee and Salome (St. Joseph's niece and St. Cleophas's daughter), nicknamed by Our Lord, along with his brother, Boanerges, the Sons of Thunder. St. James is called "the Greater" to distinguish him from the other Apostle of that name. James was one of the most beloved Apostles. It is Peter, James, and John who are privileged to be present at the healing of the daughter of Jairus, the Transfiguration, and the Agony in the Garden. These intimate experiences with Jesus prepared James to become the first Apostle to shed blood for Jesus. James lived only 11 years after Pentecost. He was probably only 40 years old when he died. In that short time in the Apostolate, the Son of Thunder went from Jerusalem to Spain and back again. The breadth and rapidity of his apostolic travel, together with his fiery personality revealed in the Gospels, allow us to glimpse the manly heart of this Soldier of Christ. James was wild with love for Jesus Christ and he wanted to proclaim to all the Good News of his Beloved. It is most fitting that James shed his blood for love of Him while still in the prime of his manhood. It is no accident that James would become the model for and patron of the military religious orders of the period of the Crusades. He is even venerated in Spain, where he was especially the patron of the "reconquista" against the Muslims, as "Santiago de Matamoros," which means, "St. James the Moor-Slayer."

St. James is a Soldier above all of spiritual arms, of course. In Spain, he received the first Marian apparition, as Our Lady appeared to him on the banks of the Ebro River in Saragoza in the year 39. She was standing on a pillar and told him that the faith of the Spanish people, who were not accepting the Gospel at that time, would become as strong as a pillar. He built a shrine to her on that spot, where the great basilica of Our Lady of the Pillar now stands. After Our Lady's apparition, James had more success in Spain. So fervent were his Spanish disciples that, after his martyrdom in 44 by Herod Agrippa in Jerusalem, they carried his body all the way back to Spain, where they buried him in Compostela, "the field of the stars." The body of St. James is one of the great pilgrimage sites in the Catholic world, as thousands of pilgrims for centuries have walked "El Camino de Santiago," imploring his intercession. James's feast is a huge celebration in Spain and in many Spanish-speaking countries. At my own parish, there is a vibrant festival kept the whole of next weekend by those who hail from the town of Santiago Apóstol in Oaxaca, Mexico.

St. James teaches us to love Our Lady of the Pillar and to work with her in conquering our own hearts and the hearts of others for the King of Kings. Let us all, at least in spirit, make our own pilgrimage today along the Way of St. James, begging his help that we may make Christ the King of our hearts and that Mary may reign there as Queen. Let us especially ask him to give us a share in his manly chastity, whereby he traversed the world in passionate love for his Beloved. St. James, pray for us as we celebrate your feast day!

**May God Bless you all,
Father Joseph Previtali**

Parish Announcements



ST. PATRICK'S SEMINARY & UNIVERSITY

Parishioners are invited to support St. Patrick's Seminary & University by attending the 2016 Gala on Saturday, September 10th or by purchasing a raffle ticket for a chance to win a 2016 Lexus 2500 or \$25,000. This automobile is made possible in conjunction with Putman Lexus of Redwood City. All proceeds go directly to St. Patrick's Seminary & University towards the ongoing formation of your future priests. Please make your check payable to St. Patrick's Seminary & University. A limited number of tickets will be sold. In you are interested in attending the gala, please call Leelamma Sebastian at (650)289-3320 or go online at stpsu.edu. Thank you for your support!!



Opportunity to learn more about our Catholic tradition!

GREGORIAN CHANT CLASS

With Fr. Joe Previtali

Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 7:00 pm at St. Anthony's in Pescadero
All are welcome!

Community Holy Hour after Gregorian Chant class on July 28,

Class at 7:00pm; Holy Hour at 8:00pm

Oportunidad para profundizar su conocimiento de nuestra tradición Católica!

CLASE BILINGUE DEL CANTO GREGORIANO (MUSICA CATOLICA)

Con Padre Joe Previtali

Jueves, el 28 de Julio, a las 7:00 pm en la Iglesia de San Antonio en Pescadero

Todos son bienvenidos!

Tendremos Hora Santa después de la Clases de Canto Gregoriano, Clase a las 7:00pm; Hora Santa - 8:00pm

Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick

Sick Relatives & Friends/ Parientes y Amigos Enfermos

Pray that God's, healing power will fill them with strength and hope.

Glenn Gonzales, Joe Ashe, Virginia Shea, Gram Sommers, Raul Batista, Manuel Arca, Terry R. Fenwick, Geraldine Medigan, Javier Ramos, Marina Williamson, Mickey Williamson, Laura Torre, Alteamor Espejo, Abby Franco, Mel Schwing, Rachel Thein, John Romero, Pedro Bautista, Donald Thierry, Shiela Santos, Shannon Perez, Don Wright, Harvey Koepf, Joe Rocha, Jena Losch, Sam Reynal, Duncan Harter, Loretta Duran, Tammy Endsley, Kathy Repetto, Raquel Corona, Rich Perez, Jim Wylie, Marie Caloca, Claire Simonich.



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NFP FRIENDS AND FAMILY PICNIC

Come celebrate the US Bishops' National NFP Awareness week by joining us for a bilingual Mass and picnic on July 30 at St. Raymond's parish in Menlo Park (1100

Santa Cruz Avenue). Mass is at 10:00am with Fr. Francis Goode, and will be followed by a potluck picnic. The Archdiocese, will provide hamburgers, hotdogs, buns, condiments, plates, utensils...please bring drinks and a side dish or dessert to share. Please RSVP to Ed Hopfner at HopfnerE@SFArch.org or (415)614-5587 so we know how much food to purchase.

MISA Y PICNIC PARA FAMILIAS Y AMIGOS DE LA PLANIFICACION FAMILIAR NATURAL (PFN)

Celebren la "Semana de Reconocimiento Nacional de la PFN por los Obispos de la EEUU. Están invitados a una Misa Bilingüe y picnic el 30 de Julio en la Parroquia de San Ramón en Menlo Park (1100 Santa Cruz Avenue). La misa empieza a las 10:00 am con el Padre Goode, con el picnic después. La Oficina de Vida Familiar ofrecerá hamburguesas, hot dogs, platos, condimentos, etc.- trae para compartir por favor algo de beber, postres, ensalada, vegetales etc. Avise por favor a Ed Hopfner o HopfnerE@SFArch.org o llame a (415)614-5547 para saber cuanto comida tenemos que preparar.



K-6 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for Religious Education for all children entering kindergarten through sixth grade will begin on Monday through Wednesday from 5:00pm - 8:00pm and will continue the same weekdays throughout August. We pray for all the parents of our parish, that they will fulfill their solemn duty in giving their children a Catholic education. For more call Claudia at (650) 726-5587 ext. 210.

EDUCACION RELIGIOSA

La inscripción para la educación religiosa para todos los niños que entran en kindergarten hasta sexto grado comenzará de Lunes a Miércoles de 5:00pm a 8:00pm y seguirá los mismos días de la semana durante todo el mes de Agosto. Oramos por todos los padres de nuestra parroquia, que van a cumplir con su deber solemne en dar a sus hijos una educación católica. Para mas información puede llamar a Claudia al (650) 726-5587 ext. 210.

Your Offerings | Supporting Our Parish

	1st Collection	2nd Collection
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 3,832	\$ 3,499
Our Lady of Refuge	\$ 247	\$ 152
St Anthony's	\$ 371	\$ 165

Second Collection this week: Religious Education

July	31:	St. Vincent de Paul
August	7:	Building Fund
August	14:	Annual Appeal
August	21:	Religious Education

Parish Organizations



ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

The Oaxacan community at Our Lady of the Pillar Church would like to invite all the parishioners to a special Bilingual Mass on Saturday July 30th at 10:00am for the celebration of St. James the Apostle. There will be a procession after Mass followed by refreshment, everyone one in welcome.

La comunidad de Oaxaqueña de Nuestra Señora del Pilar invita a todos los feligreses a una misa especial para la celebración de Santiago Apóstol el día Sábado 30 de Julio a las 10:00am. Después de la misa habrá una procesión y luego se les invita a todos a una comida. Todos son bienvenidos.



Please give to the St. Vincent de Paul second collection on July 31st.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Our Lady of the Pillar, Our Lady of Refuge and St. Anthony's helps families and individuals facing emergency situations. By feeding and clothing the homeless and the needy, keeping families housed, offering basic survival necessities, SVdP is the safety net for those in need in our community. St. Vincent de Paul provides monetary assistance to families and individuals in our community thanks to your support and commitment to our efforts. This money has kept families in their homes by paying rent, it has kept the lights on in their homes by paying for utility bills, it has kept people employed by paying for gas as well the repair of their vehicles used to get to their jobs, it has kept people warm by providing blankets, sleeping bags and tents, but most of all it has made them feel like they are loved and cared for. Each case we assist represents a family looking to SVdP as their source of hope.

**We ask for your continued support.
Help us make a difference today by contributing
to the SVdP second collection on July 31st.**

www.OurLadyofthePillar.org

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday EVENING July 23, 2016

5:00pm Anne Minoletti (Int.) and Family
Janet Susan Wittek +
8:00pm Luisa Acosta +

Sunday July 24, 2016

8:00am Jose & Olivia Silveira +
Frances Kinney +
10:00am John & Georgina Costa + and Parents
Manuel Viera Sarmiento & Alize Viera +
12:00pm Por la Parroquia
6:00pm Jose Lopes & Maria, Manuel Jose +
Lotte Kuehn (Int.)

Monday July 25, 2016

8:00 am Eduardo & Maria Silveira +

Tuesday July 26, 2016

8:00am Manuel Pacheco +

Wednesday July 27, 2016

8:00 am Idalina & Francisco Costa +
Jose & Luz Maria Mora + & Family

Thursday July 28, 2016

8:00 am Donal Lehane +

Friday July 29, 2016

8:00 am Jose & Maria Matos

Saturday July 30, 2016

8:00 am Manuel & Maria Ferreira + & Parents
5:00pm Frank Vaz Jr. + & Family

Anne Minoletti (Int.) and Family

8:00pm Luisa Acosta +

Sunday July 31, 2016

8:00am Jose Lopes, Isabel & Jose Gabriel +

Francisco Moniz De Rosa +

10:00am John "JD" Donovan +

Drene L. Arkwright +

12:00pm Por la Parroquia

6:00pm Michael Santiago +

St. Anthony's

6:00pm July 23

9:00am July 24

6:00pm July 30

9:00am July 31

Familia Garcia- Gutierrez (Int)

Tom Marks +

Bladimir Martinez (Int.)

Kellie Marcuson +

Our Lady of Refuge

10:30am July 17

10:30am July 24

Pierre Schreyer +

Jakob Groening +



St. Vincent de Paul Society Our Lady of the Pillar Conference FOOD PANTRY HOURS

Monday/ Lunes 5:00pm- 7:00pm
Thursday/ Jueves 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Saturday/ Sábado 10:00am- 12:00pm