**Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**October 6, 2013**

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**Mass Schedule**

- **Monday through Friday**: 8:00 am
  - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday; Adoration begins following the 8:00 am Mass until 12:00 Noon and ends with Benediction.
  - First Friday - Adoration begins following the 8:00 am Mass and ends at 6:30 pm with Benediction.

- **Saturday, October 5, 2013**
  - 8:00 am - Fr. Charles
  - 4:00 - 4:45 pm - Reconciliation / Confessions (bilingual)
  - 5:00 pm - Fr. Joe
  - 8:00 pm - Fr. Juan Manuel (Spanish)

- **Sunday, October 6, 2013**
  - 8:00 am - Fr. Joe
  - 10:00 am - Fr. Joe
  - 12:00 Noon (Spanish) - Fr. Juan Manuel
  - 6:00 pm - Fr. Charles

**St. Anthony's — Pescadero**
- 696 North Street, Pescadero, CA 94060
- Saturday: 6:00 pm (Spanish) - Fr. Juan Manuel
- Sunday: 9:00 am - Fr. Charles

**Our Lady of Refuge — La Honda**
- 146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA 94020
- Sunday: 10:30 am - Fr. Charles

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**Our Parish Clergy**

- **Rev. Juan Manuel Lopez**, Parish Administrator
  - email: jprevitali@gmail.com  Twitter: @FatherPrevitali
- **Rev. Charles Onubogu**, In Residence
- **Deacon John McGhee**
- **Deacon John Sequeira**, Parish Manager

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**Parish Coordinators and Staff**

- **RCIA | Adult Faith Formation**: Terry Ruppel
- **Religious Education K-6th Grade**: Eileen Arnold
- **Religious Education (Spanish)**: Claudia Miramontes
- **Spanish Weddings**: Juana Ruano
- **Youth Confirmation**: Elizabeth Neapolitan
- **Church Office**: Monday – Friday 9:30 am - 12:00 ; 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm 650-726-4674  FAX: 650-726-0980 Religious Ed 650-726-5587
  - Parish Secretary: Lucia Gouet, email: lucia@ourladyofthepillar.org
  - Management Advisor: Dr. James Spilker

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**GOD’S LOGIC IS NOT OURS**

Nobody will ever mistake the Bible for a logic textbook. We need to remember this when we approach today’s readings. How can a God who knows no favorites have a chosen people, or give us the disciplines of fasting and almsgiving and then instruct us not to talk about them? God, in love and tenderness, knows how quickly we can get “into a rut.” The Spirit inspires passages like the instruction from Sirach and the parable in Luke to help drag us out of the rut of thinking that God’s ways are our ways.

Sirach poetically uses contrast to answer the question, “Whose prayer will reach the lofty clouds of heaven?” The answer: those who are lowly on earth. Jesus amplifies this in His parable of the Pharisee and the publican. Today’s Holy Spirit inspired seemingly illogical message is: God hears the voices of those who are ignored by the rest of the world.

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**LA LÓGICA DE DIOS NO ES LA NUESTRA**

Nadie confundiría la Biblia con un libro de lógica. Recordemos cuando meditemos sobre las lecturas de hoy. ¿Cómo puede un Dios que no tiene favoritismo escoger a un pueblo, o darnos la disciplina del ayuno y la limosna y luego instruirnos a no hablar de ello? Dios, amoroso y tierno, sabe cuán pronto podemos caer “en la rutina”. El Espíritu inspira pasajes como la instrucción de Sirácides y la parábola de san Lucas para ayudarnos a salir de la rutina y comprender que los caminos de Dios no son los nuestros.

Sirácides poéticamente usa contrastes para contestar la pregunta: “¿Qué oración llegará hasta las nubes del cielo?” ¿La respuesta? La de los humildes de la tierra. Jesús amplifica esto en su parábola del fariseo y el publicano. Es ilógicamente inspirada por el Espíritu que comunica el mensaje de hoy: Dios escucha la voz de los ignorados por el resto del mundo.

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**May God Bless you all,**

Fr. Juan Manuel

As a Catholic community, we strive to grow in faith together through the Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**FOUNDED 1868**
Parish Organizations and Services

We have a wide array of committees, faith formation groups, and service organizations that serve our parish community. More information is available in the vestibule of the church. For a complete list of groups and meeting times, visit our parish website: www.ourladyofthepillar.org/groups

Do you wish to be Baptized in the Catholic Church?
“Go, therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and of the Holy Spirit.” (Matthew 28,19).

Our Lord’s command rings true today as it did in first century Palestine, namely all people to partake in the saving waters of Baptism. Everyone who drinks this water … will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him/her a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” (John 4:13-14).

The Rite of Christian Initiation as an Adult - meets Thursday at 4:00 p.m. in the Rectory Conference Room. Please email: terryrupple@earthlink.net to enroll.

Exploring Our Faith

Reflecting on God’s Word

We celebrate the feast of St. Francis of Assisi on the anniversary of his death, which occurred on October 4, 1226. Perhaps the most beloved of all saints, Francis is quoted as saying, “Preach the gospel at all times. When necessary, use words.” Signs of faith were evident throughout his life. Faith empowered him to give away his possessions, to embrace lepers, and to endure deep suffering. Faith gave him a joyful spirit and a love for all of creation. His faith drew others to Christ in the Franciscan order. And Francis received the ultimate sign of faith—the stigmata.

In today’s scriptures we see many signs of faith that preach louder than words. Habakkuk shows his faith by his urgent plea to God. God tells him that “the just one, because of his faith, shall live” (Habakkuk 2:4). In the second reading we hear that faith shows forth in love, self-control, and the strength to bear hardship. In the Gospel Jesus tells the disciples that faith can work miracles, but the most reliable sign of faith is a life lived in steadfast service to the Lord.

Wine Tasting Contact: Debbe Kennedy 650-728-0909 or email us at olpwinetasting@gmail.com

TICKETS for now ON SALE after MASSES & ONLINE

Join Us for the 2nd Annual Wine Tasting Fall Fundraiser, Saturday, NOV 23rd
A Benefit for the TABLE of PLENTY, our weekly supper for the hungry in HMB

Join us to taste wines around the world and help us celebrate TOP’s remarkable 1st year success. Parishioner, Clyde Beffa, Co-Owner and Wine Director, K&L Wine Merchants is hosting this special evening in partnership with Sister Jeanette Braun, Director, TABLE of PLENTY. Purchase tickets AFTER MASS or ONLINE http://ourladyofthepillar.org/wine

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Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick

Nancy Bakovic
Darioush Youseffi
Nancy Madeiros
Ana Maria Meissner
Alteamor Espejo
Marcella Rockenbach
Clay Shoemaker

Byron Geuy
Glen Gonzalez
Geri Kavarda
Maryanne Koepf
Harvey Koepf
Will Rayhir
John Medina

Paul Miller
Lois Mullins
Cesar Silvestri
Donald Therry
Marilyn Wright
Greg Cowan
Rosario Sales

September 21 - September 22, 2013 OFFERINGS

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*second collection for 9:00am mass only

This week’s second collection: Building Fund
Next week’s second collection: AAA 10/13

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday EVENING, October 5, 2013
5:00 pm Rosalina del Rosario+
8:00 pm Francisco and Idalina Costa

Sunday, October 6, 2013
8:00 am Joaquin Balbina and Maria Coelho+
10:00 am Doug Murphy+
12:00 noon Maria Bertao+
6:00 pm Deceased members of Furtado family+

Monday, October 7, 2013
8:00 am Aida Capitao+

Tuesday, October 8, 2013
8:00 am Francisco y Florinda Ferreira+

Wednesday, October 9, 2013
8:00 am Frank Sr. and Virginia Vaz+

Thursday, October 10, 2013
8:00 am Manuel Machado+

Friday, October 11, 2013
8:00 am Francisco and Idalina Costa+

Saturday, October 12, 2013
8:00 am Sophie Souza+

St. Anthony’s
6:00 pm October 5 Por la Parroquia
9:00 am October 6 Steve Bergren+

Our Lady of Refuge
10:30 am October 6 Maria Adelaide Ormonde+

Pray that God’s healing power will fill them with strength and hope. To add a name, please call the Parish Office at 726-4674.

TABLE of PLENTY
A Weekly Supper for the Hungry
Come for supper to see for yourself how we are all learning to love one another in new ways at the TABLE of PLENTY. Supper is served at 6:00 pm every Thursday evening.

Learn more on our OLP website:
http://ourladyofthepillar.org/tableofplenty
See more NEW photo in our Parish Photo Gallery:
http://ourladyofthepillar.org/TOP-sharing-together

Reserve Your Tickets! Saturday, NOV 23 from 4-7pm for our 2nd Annual Wine Tasting FUNDRAISER for the TABLE of PLENTY. http://ourladyofthepillar.org/wine or purchase them after mass.

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