



OUR LADY OF THE PILLAR CATHOLIC CHURCH

Iglesia Católica de Nuestra Señora del Pilar

400 Church Street, Half Moon Bay, CA 94019 • 650-726-4674

The Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2014

Mass Schedule

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

Saturday, February 1, 2014

8:00 am - Fr. Charles
4:00 - 4:45 pm - Reconciliation / Confessions (bilingual)
5:00 pm - Fr. Charles
8:00pm - Fr. Juan Manuel (Spanish)

Sunday, February 2, 2014

8:00 am - Fr. Charles
10:00 am - Fr. Charles
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 - Fr. Joe (Spanish)
Sunday: 9:00 am - Fr. Joe

Our Lady of Refuge — La Honda

146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA 94020
Sunday: 10:30 am - Fr. Joe

Our Parish Clergy

Rev. Juan Manuel Lopez, Parish Administrator
Rev. Joseph Previtali, Parochial Vicar
email: jprevitali@gmail.com Twitter : "@FatherPrevitali"
Rev. Charles Onubogu, In Residence
Deacon John McGhee
Deacon John Sequeira, Parish Manager

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 - 1:00 ; 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
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- Parish Secretary: Lucia Gouet, email: lucia@ourladyofthepillar.org
- Management Advisor: Dr. James Spilker

WELCOME *Bienvenidos*

A CHRISTMAS REPRISE

The Church's celebration three weeks ago of the Baptism of the Lord signaled the "official" end of the Christmas season. Today's feast of the Presentation of the Lord seems to extend the Incarnation celebration a bit longer. In fact, some have called this feast a "Second Epiphany." The first reading recalls the anticipation of Advent, as Malachi writes, "I am sending my messenger to prepare the way before me." The reading from Hebrews reminds us of the Incarnation, proclaiming that Jesus had a "share" in our own "blood and flesh." The Gospel finds the infant Jesus on his first visit to Jerusalem and his human parents once again surprised and in awe over the events surround his birth. In the simplicity of the manger, in the grandeur of the temple, in the domesticity of Nazareth, Jesus comes. May we come to know him and so be filled with "wisdom" and the "favor of God."

RETORNO A LA NAVIDAD

La celebración de hace tres semanas del Bautismo del Señor señaló el fin "oficial" del tiempo de Navidad para la Iglesia. La fiesta de hoy de la Presentación del Señor parece extender la celebración un poco más allá. En realidad, algunos han nombrado esta fiesta una "Segunda Epifanía". La primera lectura nos recuerda la anticipación del Adviento, como escribe Malaquías: "Envío a mi mensajero para que prepare el camino ante mí". La lectura de los Hebreos nos recuerda la Encarnación, proclamando que Jesús tuvo una "parte" de la misma "carne y sangre". El Evangelio encuentra al niño Jesús en su primera visita a Jerusalén, y a sus padres una vez más sorprendidos y asombrados por los acontecimientos de su nacimiento. En la sencillez del pesebre, en la grandeza del templo, en la domesticidad de Nazaret, Jesús viene. ¡Que lleguemos a conocerlo y por ello nos encontremos llenos de "sabiduría" y de la "gracia de Dios!"

**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.

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Parish Announcements

**Do you wish to be Baptized
in the Catholic Church?**

Our Lord's command rings as 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 - Please email: terryruppel@earthlink.net to enroll.

Need someone to talk to?

Catholic Charities CYO Counseling Services can help! Are you or a loved one feeling overwhelmed by stress at home or work? Grief? Job Loss? Family crisis? Addiction? Depression? Catholic Charities CYO's Counseling Services in San Francisco serve adults, children and couples who cannot afford to pay full fees charged by other providers. Our trained, professional therapists provide confidential services through an affordable sliding scale, according to each person's ability to pay. Services include individual counseling for adults and children, couples and families. Please call 650.295.2160 if you have questions or to schedule an appointment. For bilingual services call 295.2160 x 205. You can also visit www.cccyo.org/smcounseling



Wednesday Evenings | RCIA

Adults Religious Education. Join us every Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm in the Rectory Conference Room. Everyone is welcome! Sign-up now or just drop in. To register, call or email Terry Ruppel at 650.703.9495 or email: terryruppel@earthlink.net

Possibilities

All things are possible for one who believes, more to one who hopes, even more to one who loves. - St. Lawrence

Living Stewardship Now

Make room for a silent time and place in your life for God to speak to your heart. Start slowly--say fifteen minutes twice a week, then increase to fifteen minutes once a day. Let nothing else intrude on this special time.



Rina Pacini Celebrates 102 Years of Living!

Last week, Maria and Fatima Machado arranged for a visit with their dear friend of many years, Rina Pacini. In December, Rina celebrated her 102 years of living. She lives in the beautiful home that she and her husband purchased in 1941 for \$1,500. We asked her what her secret was to having such a vibrant spirit, *"I have always had faith!"* Visit our Parish Photo Gallery to see more photos from this special visit with Rina to learn more about her life. <http://ourladyofthepillar.org/rina>



Parish Announcements

Preparacion para Bautismo

Las clases de Bautismo en Español son todos los primeros Jueves de cada mes a las 7:00 pm en el Church Hall. Para mas informacion visite nuestra pagina de Web: <http://www.ourladyofthepillar.org/sacraments> o llame a la oficina de Iglesia 726-4674.



TABLE of PLENTY A Weekly Supper for the Hungry

Supper is served every Thursday evening in the New Hall at 6:00 PM. Following Jesus' example, we serve struggling families, seniors and the homeless following Jesus' example. Learn more on our OLP website:

<http://ourladyofthepillar.org/tableofplenty>



Supporting Our Parish | Your Offerings

February 1 - 2, 2014 OFFERINGS

	1st.	2nd Collection Saint Patrick's Seminary
Our Lady of the Pillar	\$ 4,011	\$ 1,906
Our Lady of Refuge	\$ 317	\$ 221
St Anthony's	\$ 302	\$ 101

This week second collection: Building Fund.

Next week second collection: Archbishop's Annual Appeal 2014.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday EVENING, February 1, 2014

5:00 pm John Sr.+ , Belmira+ john Jr.+ and Carlos Vas+
8:00 pm Cesar Acosta+

Sunday, February 2, 2014

8:00 am Idalina+ , Francisco+ Costa and family+
10:00 am Maria Bertao+
12:00 pm Nancy Bakovic+
6:00 pm Joe+ , Diane+ Lopes and Family+

Monday, February 3, 2014

8:00 am Manuel Machado+ and Family+

Tuesday, February 4, 2014

8:00 am John M Costa+

Wednesday, February 5, 2014

8:00 am Maria Silveira+

Thursday, February 6, 2014

8:00 am Candace Lilly+

Friday, February 7, 2014

8:00 am Ana Reid+

Saturday, February 8, 2014

8:00 am Michael Rodriguez+ and Grandparents +

St. Anthony's

6:00 pm February 1 Por la Parroquia
9:00 am February 2 For the Parrish

Our Lady of Refuge

10:30 am February 2 Ana Maria Meissner (sick)

Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick

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

Alteamor Espejo	John Medina	Marilyn Wright
Hector Gonzalez	Chana Cabezon	Rosario Sales
Marcella Rockenbach	Greg Cowan	Jena Losch
Lyndsey Dworkin	Philip Dworkin	Nancy Madieros
Micah Warner-Carey	Dominik Franco	Dave Brewer
Steve Attard	Abby Franco	Mary Ann Keoph
Dorothy Yettergren	Janis VanDuyn	Byron Geuy
Raymond Bondongo	Chuchi Ceja	Derek F. Bacon