Third Sunday of Lent
March 23, 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, March 22, 2014
8:00 am - Fr. Charles
4:00 - 4:45 pm - Reconciliation / Confessions (bilingual)
5:00 pm - Fr. Joe
8:00 pm - Fr. Joe (Spanish)

Sunday, March 23, 2014
8:00 am - Fr. Charles
10:00 am - Fr. Joe
12:00 Noon - Fr. Juan Manuel (Spanish)
6:00 pm - Fr. Joe

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

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

Our Parish Clergy
Rev. Juan Manuel Lopez, Parish Administrator
Rev. Joseph Previtali, Parochial Vicar
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Rev. Charles Onubogu, In Residence
Deacon John McGhee
Deacon John Sequeira, Parish Manager

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Celina and Carlos Rivera (Spanish)
Religious Education K-6th Grade: Eileen Arnold
Religious Education (Spanish): Claudia Miramontes
Weddings: Juana Ruano
Youth Confirmation: Elizabeth Neapolitan

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THIRSTING FOR UNITY

In today’s Gospel, Jesus is thirsty and goes to the well for a drink of water. He meets a Samaritan woman, who expects him to treat her like dirt. But surprise! He talks to her like a fellow human being, treats her with respect and interest. And what happens? Why, pretty soon the whole town turns out to hear him. Centuries earlier, the Israelites, wandering in the desert, were thirsty. They had no water. All they had was an attitude problem. They growled at Moses, “Why did you ever make us leave Egypt?” But surprise! God gave them water from the rock. No questions asked. All the peoples of Earth are travelers on this planet together, all thirsting, all harboring our own fearful expectations of each other. But God, as a loving parent, treats us all with generous care and compassion. We are one family. We could surprise each other. We could remember we are one.

SED DE UNIDAD

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús siente sed y va al pozo a buscar agua. Se encuentra con una samaritana que anticipaba ser tratada con desprecio mal por él. ¡Pero que sorpresa! Él le habla con respeto e interés como si fuera un ser humano. ¿Y qué sucede? Pues que muy pronto todo el pueblo salió a escucharle.

Muchos siglos antes, los israelitas, ambulando en el desierto, sintieron sed. No tenían agua. Sólo tenían una mala disposición. Se quejaron a Moisés: “¿Por qué nos has hecho salir de Egipto?” ¡Pero que sorpresa! Dios les dio agua de la roca; sin hacer preguntas. Todos los pueblos de la tierra viajamos juntos en este planeta; todos tenemos sed, todos con nuestros propios temores de los demás. Pero Dios —amoroso padre— nos trata con cuidado generoso y compasión. Somos una familia. Podríamos darnos una sorpresa mutua. Podríamos recordar que somos uno.
Parish Announcements

Becoming a Catholic | First Scrutiny

This Sunday, March 23 at 10:00 AM Mass, Carolyn Bettencourt, Elizabeth Baltadano, Lorenzo Ortiz, Cristian Ortiz, and Luz Ortiz will take another step in their final preparations before receiving the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 19th. Together, each of them will experience The First Scrutiny. Fr. Joe Previtali will lead prayers for them and offering blessings. Join our Parish Family as we share in these special rituals intended to purify their hearts, minds, and intentions for their continuing journey toward initiation and full communion with the Catholic Church.

40 Days for Life

Do you love God? Show Him! Make a serious sacrifice. This Lent (March 5-April 13) commit yourself to every week (or even every day!) to spend one or more hours at the 40 Days for Life peaceful sidewalk prayer vigil in front of the Plant Parenthood clinic at 35 Baywood Ave., San Mateo.

A group from Our Lady of the Pillar will be at the Clinic on Wednesday, April 9th, 2014. Please join us!

For more information visit Website: www.40daysforlife.com/sanmateo

God will surely bless you for it – and you may save a life!

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Art & Environment Easter Flower Offerings

Do You have a Special Person in Your Life that you would like to remember at Easter?
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For a $10 donation, you can name a loved one or a special person in your life to honor in our Easter Remembrance Book. Their names will be recorded in the book and remembered in prayer throughout the Easter Season. Proceeds will be used to buy flowers for the Sanctuary and to bring beauty to our liturgy throughout the year. See FLYER and ENVELOPE in this week’s bulletin for details (in English and Spanish)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP 2014

Our Lady of the Pillar high school seniors can apply for two Knights of Columbus $1000.00 Scholarships. The Knights of Columbus are also offering a one time $300.00 Ray Langer memorial scholarship dedicated to students who will be attending a Community College or technical school. The applications can be picked up at the Church office. If you have any questions send them to hmbgc15@comcast.net.

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

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Stations of the Cross—Via Crucis
Please join us to pray the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent:
♦ 7:00 pm at Our Lady of the Pillar in HMB - Bilingual
♦ 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Refuge in La Honda - English

Hospitality Sunday is every second Sunday of the month!
Join us for our monthly parish fellowship gathering in the Church Hall immediately following 8:00am, 10:00am and 12:00 Noon Masses. Come visit with parish friends, enjoy treats brought to share, and help us make it memorable for everyone! Our next Hospitality Sunday will be April 12th

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS-St. Patrick’s Day Dinner was an evening of Irish music and tales and great fun with a delicious corned beef and cabbage dinner prepared by Bob Fernandez and his amazing team! Visit our Parish Photo Gallery to see for yourself! http://ourladyofthepillar.org/KofC-SPDDinner

Supporting Our Parish | Your Offerings

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- Our Lady of the Pillar: $4,239 | $1,559
- Our Lady of Refuge: $280 | $128
- St Anthony’s: $235 | $271

This week’s second collection: Church in Latin America.
Next week’s second collection: St. Vincent de Paul

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday EVENING, March 22, 2014
5:00 pm Gerardo A. McDonald +
8:00 pm Jesus Villegas Sanchez +

Sunday, March 23, 2014
8:00 am Idalina+ and Francisco Costa +
10:00 am Tania Jijon +
12:00 pm Vanesa Castañeda (s)
6:00 pm Heilo Monteiro +

Monday, March 24, 2014
8:00 am Kandell White (L) and her twin sister +

Tuesday, March 25, 2014
8:00 am Candace Lilly +

Wednesday, March 26, 2014
8:00 am Maria Silveira +

Thursday, March 27 , 2014
8:00 am Antonio Sr. + and Virginia Coelho +

Friday, March 28, 2014
8:00 am Francisco + and Florinda Silveira +

Saturday, March 29, 2014
8:00 am Manuel Ferrera + and Family +

St. Anthony’s
6:00 pm March 22 Por la Parroquia
9:00 am March 23 John Costa +

Our Lady of Refuge
10:30 am March 23 Virginia Flores (s)

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.

- Lyndsey Dworkin
- Alteamor Espejo
- Hector Gonzalez
- Marcella Rockenbach
- Micah Warner-Carey
- Dorothy Yettergren
- Raymond Bondongo
- Ana Maria Meissner
- Vanessa Castañeda
- John Medina
- Greg Cowan
- Philip Dworkin
- Dominik Franco
- Abby Franco
- Janis VanDuyn
- Chuchi Ceja
- Gustav Felmery
- Nancy Madieros
- Marilyn Wright
- Jena Losch
- Dave Brewer
- Mary Ann Keoph
- Byron Geuy
- Derek F. Bacon
- Steve Attard
- Virginia Flores

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Join us for Supper!
You’re invited to come for supper to experience our ministry at work: Supper is served every Thursday evening in the New Hall at 6:00 PM. We strive to follow Jesus’ example in all we do, serving struggling families, seniors and the homeless. Learn more on our OLP website: http://ourladyofthepillar.org/tableofplenty
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