Dear Parishioners,

Most of us don’t remember our baptismal date or celebrate the day of our baptism. We do remember our birthday. How wonderful would be to celebrate our baptism and share the joy of our entrance into the Church. In taking us for baptism our parents were setting a direction for us, setting us on the path to holiness through faith in Jesus Christ. Baptism gives us Christ’s life, a life that needs to be nurtured and given the opportunity to grow just like the baby’s physical life does. I encourage all the parents to help your children by living the faith through the sacrament of Faith and especially participating in the Mass and the Parish life. Please see that not only prepare for receiving the sacraments of Communion and Confirmation, but also live out their faith through prayer and love for the Church. On the day of the baptism of the Lord I want to say “Congratulations!” to all the baptized.

Queridos feligreses,

La mayoría de nosotros no recuerda nuestra fecha de bautismo y celebramos el día de nuestro bautismo. Nosotros recordamos nuestro cumpleaños. ¡Qué maravilloso sería celebrar nuestro bautismo y compartir la alegría de nuestra iniciación en la iglesia. Al llevarnos a nosotros a el bautismo nuestros padres estaban estableciendo una dirección para nuestra vida, poniéndonos en el camino a la santidad a través de la fe en Jesucristo.

El bautismo de Cristo da la vida, una vida que necesita ser alimentada y dando la oportunidad de crecer como la cuando crece un bebe. Yo animo a los padres a ayudar a sus hijos a vivir la fe a través de la vida sacramental y en especial la participación de la Misa y la vida de la parroquia. Tienen que ver que no sólo se preparen para recibir los sacramentos de la Comunión y la Confirmación, pero más aún vivir la fe a través de la oración y el amor por la iglesia. En el bautismo del Señor, quiero decirles “Felicitaciones!” a todos los bautizados.

May God Bless you all,
Fr. Shouraiah Pudota
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Gracias tambien por las donaciones que se hicieron para las fiestas de navidad.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st. Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3b-10,19
Psalm: Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a and 9a)
2nd. Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20
Gospel: John 1:35-42

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM
Please complete and return form to the parish office, or simply drop it in the collection basket.

Name (s): __________________________________________
Name (s): __________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________
City & Zip ______________________________________
Phone: ____________________________________________
Email: _____________________________________________

Sunday Envelope: Yes ______ No ______
_______ Updating Current Parish Registration
_______ Moving/ Please remove from mailing list.
_______ This is a new registration _____ Please call me.

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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.

Glenn Gonzales Mary Elliott John Medina
Greg Cowan Alteamor Espejo Jena Losch
Marcel Culp Abby Franco Mary Ann Koepf
Joe Ashe Gustav Selmer Sam Reynal
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**Collection for the week of January 4th, 2015**

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**Second Collection:** Annual Appeal (AAA)
- January 18: No second collection this week
- January 25: Saint Patrick Seminary
- February 1st: Building Fund

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**Mass Schedule and Intentions**

**Saturday EVENING January 10, 2015**
- 5:00 pm Maria and Antonio Simas+
  - Olivia Silveira +
- 8:00 pm Ed and Candace Lilly +
  - Alfredo Chavez +

**Sunday January 11, 2015**
- 8:00 am Marilyn Wright +
  - Jose & Isabel Lopes +, Jose Gabriel +
- 10:00 am Maria Irene Dias +
  - Raquel & Gilberto Benitez +
- 12:00 pm Rafael Monroy +
  - Maria Rodrigues +
- 6:00 pm Maria Irene Dias +
  - Manuel & Albertina Veredas +

**Monday January 12, 2015**
- 8:00 am Manuel Machado + and Family

**Tuesday January 13, 2015**
- 8:00 am Adelina & Francisco Costa +

**Wednesday January 14, 2015**
- 8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

**Thursday January 15, 2015**
- 8:00 am John Costa + and Parents +
  - Benjamin Mendoza +

**Friday January 16, 2015**
- 8:00 am Diana & Jose Lopes +
  - Melissa Mendoza (Int.)

**Saturday January 17, 2015**
- 8:00 am Maria & Eduardo Silveira
- **St. Anthony’s**
  - 6:00pm **January 10, 2015** Por la Parroquia
  - 9:00am **January 11, 2015** Larry Brown +

**Our Lady of Refuge**
- 10:30am **January 11, 2015** Joe Verheyen +

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**CATHOLIC CHARITIES EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Are you looking for a good job with benefits? CYO Transportation Services of Daly City, a program of Catholic Charities, has employment opportunities for individuals who wish to be a school bus driver. Catholic Charities provides full CHP Certified School Bus Driver Training to those interested in the position. Classes start soon, so don’t hesitate and reach out to us today! Drug testing, fingerprinting, and background check are required, as is a clean driving record and DMV H-6 print out. You must be 18 years old or older, as well as responsible, punctual, and team oriented. We have full and part-time hours available and offer an excellent benefits package and competitive pay. If you are already a certified school bus driver, join our team and receive a hiring bonus of $1,500 after 90 days of employment. If interested please contact Bill Avalos, Operations Manager at bavalos@CatholicCharitiesSF.org or at 650-757-2117.

**OUR LADY OF REFUGE NEWS**

On December 13th once again Our Lady or Refuge had it’s annual Christmas Potluck/Bingo night. An estimated 80 people showed up to enjoy good food, fellowship and bingo including Fr. Charles and Fr. Shouraiah. The $574 in donations will go back into much needed housekeeping for the Church. A big thank you goes out to all who helped and participated in making this event successful.

**PLEASE JOIN US IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR THE 11TH ANNUAL “WALK FOR LIFE” Saturday, January 24, 2015**

The Bus Leaves Our Lady of the Pillar Church, HMB at 8:00 Am, and returns at approximately 5:00 pm Bus Tickets = $30.00, $15.00 Children / Students 9:30 am Bishop’s Mass at St. Mary’s Cathedral 12:30 pm Rally at Civic Center Plaza At 1:30 we will start walking down Market St. (approx. 2 miles) Concludes at Justin Herman Plaza For more information regarding speakers & video glimpse of this event go to: www.WalkforLifeWC.com
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