Dear Parishioners,  
Faith is a lot like life. Faith has its mountains and its valleys. When we are standing on a mountain, it is easy to believe and love God. But when we are standing in a valley, it is hard to believe and to love. But, if we remain faithful during these trials, God will reward us with the life that Christ has promised to those who love Him. Abraham’s faith flickered and almost failed when he thought God was asking him to sacrifice his son, Isaac. It pained Abraham’s heart and confused his mind. But Abraham trusted God. God blessed him beyond his dreams. In a similar way, God tests our faith. “Happy is the person who remains faithful under trials, because when he succeeds in passing such a test, he will receive as his reward the life which God has promised those who love Him.” (James 1:12) 

Transformation or conversion is a process. Like Jesus on Mt. Tabor, we too can experience rare moments of light and joy. We get glimpses of the promised land toward which we are traveling in faith.

Queridos feligreses,
La fe es muy parecida a la vida. La fe tiene sus montañas y sus valles. Cuando estamos de pie en una montaña, es fácil creer y amar a Dios. Pero cuando nos encontramos en un valle, es difícil de creer y amar. Pero si permanecemos fieles durante las estas pruebas, Dios nos recompensará con la vida que Cristo prometió a los que le aman. La fe de Abraham titubeeo y casi falló cuando Dios le pedio que sacrificara a su hijo, Isaac. A Abraham de dolio el corazón y su mente estaba confusa. Pero Abraham confió en Dios. Dios lo bendijo más allá de sus sueños. De manera similar, Dios prueba nuestra fe. "Feliz es la persona que permanece fiel bajo pruebas, porque cuando triunfa en pasar esa prueba , recibira como recompensa la vida que Dios ha prometido a los que le aman." (Santiago 1: 12 )

Transformacion o conversión es un proceso. Al igual que Jesús en el Monte Tabor, nosotros también podemos vivir raros momentos de la luz y alegría. Recibimos naciones de la tierra prometida hacia la que estamos viajando en la fe.

May God Bless you all, 
Fr. Shouraiah Pudota

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**Second Sunday of Lent**  
**March 1st, 2015**

**Mass Schedule**

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<td><strong>Saturday:</strong> 8:00 am - 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm (Spanish)</td>
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<td>4:00 - 4:45 pm - Reconciliation / Confessions (bilingual)</td>
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<td><strong>Sunday:</strong> 8:00 am - 10:00 am - 12:00 pm (Spanish) - 6:00 pm</td>
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<td><strong>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:</strong> Every Friday after 8:00 am Mass - Benediction 12:00 pm</td>
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<td><strong>St. Anthony’s — Pescadero</strong> 696 North Street, Pescadero, CA 94060</td>
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<td><strong>Our Lady of Refuge — La Honda</strong> 146 Sears Ranch Road, La Honda, CA 94020</td>
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**Our Parish Clergy**

- Rev. Shouraiah Pudota: frsp@ourladyofthepillar.org
- Rev. Joseph Previtali: jprevitali@gmail.com
- Twitter: @FatherPrevitali
- Rev. Charles Onubogu: In Residence
- Deacon John McGhee

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**Parish Coordinators and Staff**

- RCIA | Adult Faith Formation: Christopher A. Devcich (English)  
- Carlos and Celina Rivera (Spanish)  
- Religious Education K-6th Grade: Claudia Miramontes  
- Wedding Rehearsal: Juana Ruano  
- Youth Confirmation: Elizabeth Neapolitan

**Parish Office:** Monday–Friday 9:00am-1:00pm ;2:00pm-7:00pm  
650-726-4674  FAX: 650-726-0980  Religious Ed 650-726-5587  
Email: office@ourladyofthepillar.org

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

TRAVEL WITH FATHER SHOURAIAH PUDOTA
To The Holy Land, Lourdes and Fatima –2015 Trip
Where: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Gethsemane, Galilee, Lourdes, Fatima.
Trip Dates: May 25—June 5, 2015
Cost: 4,399.00 Airfare and ALL Included
To register, please contact  (855) 842-8001 or (508)340-9370
You can also register online at: www.proximotravel.com

Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick
Pray that God’s healing power will fill them with strength and hope.

Glenn Gonzales        Mary Elliott        John Medina
Greg Cowan           Alteamor Espejo      Jenna Losch
Marcel Culp          Abby Franco          Sam Reynal
Joe Ashe             Rosario Salas        Sarah Santana
Virginia Shea        Juanita Lahip       Graciela Martinez
Jim Manning          Mel Schwing         Duncan Harter
Gram Sommers         Nancy Madieros      Carmen Garcia
Earl Madieros        Rachel Thein

MARCH
March 4     Parish Lenten Retreat:
            7:00pm-9:00pm in the Church.
March 14    St. Patrick’s Day Dinner
March 20    6:00pm Stations of the Cross
            7:00pm Misa en Español
March 27    6:00pm Stations of the Cross
            7:00pm Portuguese Mass

K of C SCHOLARSHIP
Our Lady of the Pillar Knights of Columbus will be giving two $1000.00 scholarships for High School graduating seniors. Application at OLP office.

THANK YOU
I would like to thank all who are making such generous donations to the Soup Supper. My thanks as well to the guest speakers. I am grateful to our Hispanic Community for the Valentine’s Dinner/Dance; with their time and donations they made this event a success. Also I want to express my sincere appreciation to the members of our Finance Committee for their support.

NEWS FROM ST. ANTHONY’S PESCADERO
On Sunday March 1st we are going to have Monica Williams from the Archdiocese to talk about procedures and policies surrounding Catholic Cemeteries.

Soup Supper Volunteers
February 20th   5:30pm     Art and Environment
                Guest Speaker: Mike McDevitt
February 27th   5:30pm     Portuguese Community
March 6th       6:00pm     Knights of Columbus
                Guest Speaker: Michael Kuehn
March 13th      6:00pm     Spanish Community
March 20th      5:30pm     Legion of Mary
March 27th      5:30pm     St. Vincent De Paul

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
1st. Reading: Exodus 20:1-17
Psalm: Psalm 19:8,9,10,11 (John 6:68c)
2nd. Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25
Gospel: John 2: 13-25
**Mass Schedule and Intentions**

**Saturday EVENING February 28, 2015**
- 5:00 pm  Maria & Eduardo Silveria + 
  Vicenta Mendez +
- 8:00 pm  Por las almas de el Purgatorio

**Sunday March 1st, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Maria Irene Dias +
  Joe Sarmento & Manuel Oliveira +
- 10:00 am Liliana & Osvaldo Gandarillas +
  Joe & Laura Santos +
- 12:00 pm  Por la Parroquia
  Felipa Coy +
- 6:00 pm  Frank Vaz Jr. +
  Mary and Frank Vaz Sr. +

**Monday March 2nd, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Manuel Machado & Family +
  Joe Rocha +

**Tuesday March 3, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Francisco & Florinda Ferreira +
  Frank Sr. & Maria Vaz +

**Wednesday March 4, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Souls in Purgatory
  Bob Williams +

**Thursday March 5, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Manuel & Maria Ferreira +
  Jim Wylie (Int.)

**Friday March 6, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Maria Gomes +
  Joaquin & Balbina Coelho +

**Saturday March 7, 2015**
- 8:00 am  Maria & Eduardo Silveira +
  Jose & Maria Matos +

**St. Anthony’s**
- 6:00pm  February 28, 2015  Por la Parroquia
- 9:00am  March 1st, 2015  Ed and Candace Lily

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**PORTUGUESE MASS**
This new year we have the opportunity to have a Mass in Portuguese on the last Friday of every month at 7:00pm. We would like to invite our Portuguese community to join us in this celebration. For more information you can call the parish office.

**ATENCAO COMUNIDADE PORTUGUESA**
A Igreja Nossa Senhora Pilar convida a todos para assistir a missa celebrada pelo Padre Antonio Silveria ha ultima sexta Feira de cada mes as 7:00 da tarde.