



WELCOME TO ST. CALLISTUS

FOURTH SUNDAY
OF EASTER

May 12, 2019

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*"I have made you a light to the Gentiles,
that you may be an instrument of salvation
to the ends of the earth."*

— Acts 13:47b

SHEPHERDS LIKE JESUS

Each year this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrates Jesus the Good Shepherd. Today's Gospel seems especially timely, for as Christians worldwide suffer persecution like Paul and Barnabas, Jesus promises His sheep enduring, invincible safety: "They shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand."

But we who are free to live our faith peacefully sometimes take our membership in Jesus' flock for granted, wandering astray to seek our own pleasure and prosperity. The simple cross that Pope Francis always wears seems to show us how Jesus responds to that. Francis's cross features an image of Jesus, who has sought and found a lost sheep, then joyfully set it on His shoulders to carry it gently home.

May Good Shepherd Sunday inspire us, so often lost and found ourselves, to assist Jesus in seeking, finding, and gently carrying home our fellow precious lambs.

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Pray for the Deceased



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Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Mr. JAMES OLRY** who passed away last Monday May 6th. Fondly known to St. Callistus Parish family as Jim, he was a long-time parishioner (with his wife Norma), joining the Parish in or around 1958. He was a kind and generous person, a member of The Guild, and a member of the Knights of Columbus, among other ministries and volunteer/support to St. Callistus.

Please pray also for Mrs. Norma Olry and the family in the loss of their loved one.

To Our Blessed Mother Mary



Please come and join in praying the Rosary on **Monday the 13th, at 7:00PM in front of the Grotto** in thanksgiving; and in commemoration of the first apparition of Our Lady of Fatima.

"Mothers hold their children's hands for a short while, but their hearts forever".

- Anonymous

The Mother's Day Novena Cards are on the back tables in the Church. Please fill out the Novena envelope, and place it in the basket in front of the Altar with your offering. Suggested offering is \$10.00 per name.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Please pray for vocations to the priesthood and the religious life.

PRAYER

O Mary, who raised your Divine Son with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, intercede for all young people, especially those clouded by doubt about their vocations. May the light of grace pierce their hearts so they may answer your Son's call, especially those whom He is inviting to the priesthood and consecrated life. **Amen.**

- Vianney Vocations



SAVE THE DATE-

St. Callistus Open Door Gala

Formal Dinner, Cocktails & Dancing

Saturday, July 20, 2019

6:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

St. Callistus Parish Hall

PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS THE ST. CALLISTUS CHURCH ENTRANCE DOOR.

SEATS to the dinner are available for your purchase. You may also get them at the Parish Office during office hours Monday thru Friday 8:30AM to 3:00PM. (Office is closed for lunch 12:00 to 12:30PM)



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The Hospitality Ministry is holding a Bake Sale after all the Masses on **Saturday May 18 and Sunday the 19th in the Parish Hall. FREE COFFEE is also available.**

Please help us by donating your homemade baked goods. You may drop them off in the Parish Hall **BEFORE** each Mass. Funds raised will be used to fund for Church events.

For questions, please call Inez Tamayo 510-406-6792.

Thank you for your support.
The Hospitality Ministry

THANK YOU



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The Hospitality Ministry thanks all of the parishioners who generously contributed goodies and cash to our Easter Basket project. This year we provided a little gift to 100 homeless and needy children. Without your loving support we couldn't do this worthwhile project. Thank you and God bless you all for your kindness and generosity.

*Josie Rocco
and The Hospitality Ministry Members*

From the Bulletin Editor: Apologies for the delayed publication of this "Thank You" note, due to space limitation in the last issue of the Bulletin.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe time and place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. The weekend retreat offers a supportive and non-judgmental environment to transform the pain of the past into love and hope. Women, men and couples are encouraged to attend. **The retreat will be held in Danville from May 17 – 19.** It is provided by our diocese in collaboration with the Diocese of Stockton.

For retreat details, contact:

Gloria Maldonado at
afterthechoice@oakdiadmin.org (510 485 2574), or
Kim Fuentes at kfuentes@stocktondiocese.org
(209 465 5433).

More information on Rachel's Vineyard may be found at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

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PLEASE PRAY for

...the SICK and/or HOMEBOUND in our parish family,

Faye Eaton	Juanita Estrelles	Rose Riepel
Gilbert Estrada, Sr.	Tommy Garcia	Georgann Chiozza
Lisa Savio	Theresa Padilla	Faustino Aguilar
Josefa Frondoza	Rebecca Mowbray	Consolacion Aguilar
Suzie Lata Prasad	Joanne Northcutt	Charlene Nichols
Jeno Szabo	Lilia Szabo	Joyce Smith
Rosa Barbara	Jim Briones	Celina Gonzales
Laura Peters	Lilia Oseguera	Joel Rivera
John Jeanpierre	Angelita Tantoco	Lino Destacamento
Dan Craighead	Lee Peres	David Trejo
Ydalia Deleón & Children		Avelina Juat
Venancio Talao	Liling Hernandez	Fred Granzella
Albert Tamayo	Lyda Mata	Vincent Dimalanta
Robert Maloney	Carrie Chew	Ashley Green
Ma. Christina Zamora	Judy Robinson	Zenaida Mendoza

Please pray for all the family and friends listed in the Book of Prayers in the Church, and all those who are in home care facilities, and the homeless.



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Rev. Jimmy Thottapally, Pastor

Parish Staff

Schedule of Masses and Devotions

Saturday Mass 8:30 A.M. Saturday Vigil 5:15 P.M.

**Sunday Masses ...8:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M. 12:00 Noon
Every Sunday 10:00 A.M. - Children's Liturgy**

**Weekday Mass 8:30 A.M. Daily
Holy Day of Obligation Masses 8:30 A.M. &
7:30 P.M.**

**Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 P.M. to 4:45 P.M.
(Other times by appointment with Priest)**

**Rosary and Chaplet of The Divine Mercy - Monday
thru Saturday after the 8:30 A.M. Mass.**

**Holy Hour and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -
Every Wednesday 9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.**

**Mother of Perpetual Help: Every Thursday after the
8:30 A.M. Mass**

**Hispanic Prayer Group - Every First and Third
Thursday 7:00 P.M.**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Every First
Friday 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
Benediction at 3:00 P.M.**

**Baptism of Infants: Make arrangements with priest at least
six (6) weeks in advance. Parents must be *registered pa-*
*rishioners of St. Callistus for at least 3 months.***

**Weddings: Make arrangements with priest at least six (6)
months in advance.**

MASS INTENTIONS FROM MAY 12 THROUGH MAY 18

SAT.	5:15 P.M.	Ismael Zapater-Hernandez ☩ by Marisol Zapater-Ferra
SUN.	8:00 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
	10:00 A.M.	People of the Parish of St. Callistus
	12:00 Noon	Ricardo Jocson ☩ by Ike & Meddie Victorino
		Cezar Solemnidad ☩ by Susan Canatela
MON.	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
TUE.	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
WED.	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
THU.	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
FRI.	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
SAT	8:30 A.M.	Mother's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

Marina Zamora, Office Manager

Estrell Bautista, Office Secretary

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**Pastoral Council
Bernie Rocco, Facilitator (510) 406-6460**

**Youth Ministry
Beatriz Lopez, Coordinator.....(510) 222-0432**

Other Ministries/Services

**Knights of Columbus
Leandro Darosa, Grand Knight 225-5302**

St. Vincent de Paul Conference 243-7501

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery 234-2012

~ EVENTS' SCHEDULE - WEEK OF MAY 12TH ~

MON.	7:00 P.M.	Confirmation Class
TUE.	7:00 P.M.	RCIA Class
	7:00 P.M.	Young Adults Meeting
THU.	7:00 P.M.	Leadership Group Meeting - in Church
	7:00 P.M.	Hispanic Prayer Group Meeting
FRI.	6:00 P.M.	Choir Practice - St. Cecilia's Room
	7:00 P.M.	Faith Formation First Holy Communion Practice
SAT.	10:30 A.M.	Faith Formation First Holy Communion



Sunday Collection	5/5	\$3,910.41
Parish Maintenance	5/5	\$1,511.70

**Second Collection for Sunday, May 19th
Catholic Charities**

***Thank you for your offerings. May God bless you all for your
generosity.***

