

# Saint Victor Catholic Church

**Parish Office: 3108 Sierra Road, San Jose, California 95132-2854**

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**Office Hours: 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.**

**Monday-Friday**

**St. Victor Website address is: <http://www.stvictor.org>**

*Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time — February 19, 2017*

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**Melchor Magat**  
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Catechetical Ministry Clerk : Christine Pashby    Maintenance Supervisor: James Weismann

*One  
Family*



*In  
Christ*

**MASS SCHEDULE:**

**Weekday Mass** 8:00 A.M.

**Wednesdays:** 6:30 P.M. Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion  
7:00 P.M. Mass

**First Friday:** 7:30 P.M.

**Saturday:** 8:00 A.M. & 5:00 P.M. [**First Saturday:** Anointing of the Sick at 8:00 A.M. Mass]

**Sunday:** 7:00, 8:00, 9:15, 10:45 A.M. (2nd Sunday-Children's Liturgy), 12:15 P.M., 5:00 P.M. (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of September--2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of June)

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** First Friday 8:30 A.M. until 8:00 A.M. Saturday

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday afternoons: 3:30-4:30 P.M.

First Friday: 8:30 A.M. or by appointment

[**Second Saturday:** 2000 Hail Mary Devotion, 9 A.M.-5 P.M.—Chapel]

**ST. VICTOR SCHOOL:** 1-408-251-1740  
Hours: 8:00 A.M.-3:30 P.M., Monday through Friday  
Principal: Mrs. Patricia Wolf  
School Advisory Council President:  
Marc Evanchik 1-650-455-8442

**HALL COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE:**  
Alice Trigg 1-408-923-3922

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY:**  
ALTAR SOCIETY PRESIDENT: Judi Smith 1-408-859-0556  
ALTAR SERVER COORDINATOR: Joyce Denzel 1-408-259-4165  
COMMUNION MINISTRY TO THE SICK:  
Sister Sara Michael 1-408-928-1632  
LECTOR/COMMUNION MINISTER COORDINATOR:  
Carl Bugarin 1-408-251-3461  
USHER COORDINATOR: Bill Frey 1-408-926-4952

**ADULT MINISTRY:**  
BAPTISMS: By appointment only 1-408-251-7055  
Parent Preparation Class Required—preferably prior to birth of child  
MARRIAGES: Arranged at least 6-12 months in advance  
Marriage Preparation Class: Adora & Eric Tigmo 1-408-251-7055  
RCIA/CHILDREN'S CATECHUMENATE:  
Sister Sara Michael 1-408-928-1632  
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: Angie Ahmad 1-408-258-2552  
VIETNAMESE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:  
Trieu Pham 1-408-729-0441  
LAY CARMELITE COORDINATOR: Alphonse Gokey 1-408-772-6711  
LEGION OF MARY: Grace Valdez 1-408-209-3944  
SHARED SCRIPTURE PROGRAM: Mary Morris 1-408-251-9931  
COUPLES FOR CHRIST: Eli P. Macasiray 1-408-441-8036  
MARIAN PRAYER GROUP: Claire Hare 1-408-258-1736  
EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE: Trevor Burke 1-408-945-1044  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Tom Pearson 1-408-667-3495

**DIocese of San Jose, Office for the Protection of  
Children and Vulnerable Adults: 1-408-983-0113  
Emergency Line 1-408-983-0141**

**MINISTRY TO YOUTH—CATECHETICAL MINISTRY:** 1-408-251-0165  
Hours: 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday  
8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Wednesday (Class Days)  
8:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Saturday (Class Days)  
Director: Angela Giampaoli  
Early Childhood: Anne Gleason  
Elementary: Anne Gleason  
Junior High: Debbie Santos  
Sacrament Coordinator: Anne Gleason  
Confirmation Coordinator: Angela Giampaoli  
Special Ed needs: Angela Giampaoli  
Catechetical Ministry Board: Len Alvear  
Children's Liturgy of the Word: Fe Magat

**YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY:**  
MINISTRY COORDINATOR: Debbie Santos 1-408-251-0165

**SCOUTS:**  
SCOUTING COMMITTEE COORDINATOR:  
Dave Bunger 1-408-923-3115  
BSA SCOUT MASTER: Mike Nelson 1-408-937-9987  
CUB SCOUT MASTER: James Mayled 1-408-806-5314

**SOCIAL MINISTRY:**  
GUADALUPE SOCIETY PRESIDENT: Elizabeth Craft 1-408-679-1037

VIETNAMESE CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION OF ST. VICTOR:  
Trieu Pham 1-408-729-0441  
CHINESE COMMUNITY OF ST. VICTOR CHURCH:  
Kam Chow 1-408-824-8963  
ST. VICTOR FESTIVAL: Edsel Dumanig 1-408-838-9061

**COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRIES:**  
SOCIAL JUSTICE CONCERNS: 1-408-251-7055  
CALVARY CATHOLIC CEMETERY 1-408-258-2940  
GATE OF HEAVEN CATHOLIC CEMETERY 1-650-428-3730  
BEREAVEMENT/HOME BOUND VISITS: Sister Sara 1-408-928-1632  
ST. VINCENT de PAUL - ST. VICTOR CONFERENCE 1-408-389-7027



### Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 19, 2017

Be holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy.  
— *Leviticus 19:2b*

#### DIVINE WISDOM

The Lord's message, through Moses, was to "take no revenge and cherish no grudge . . . love your neighbor as yourself" (Leviticus 19:18). We might think, "Great in theory, but not always realistic!"

Then Jesus in today's Gospel goes even further. Take a slap in the face and then turn the other cheek? Treat enemies the same as friends? Again, we're tempted to think that those are nice ideals, but not very practical in the "real world."

Paul echoes Jesus when he tells the Corinthians that what passes for human wisdom is absurdity to God. Divine wisdom casts sunshine on the good and the bad, showers rain on the honest and the dishonest—without distinction. We must examine our wisdom and common sense to see how they compare to the wisdom of God, and make adjustments accordingly.

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Please Note

**The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 20 in observance of President's Day.**

**HELP SAVE LIVES!** From March 1 to April 9, our community will take part in **40 Days for Life**. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city and beyond. 24-Hour Adoration will take place from 8:00 am on February 28 — 8:00 am on March 1 at St. Leo Chapel, 88 Race Street, San Jose. A **Candlelight Procession** will take place at St. Leo Parish beginning at 7:00 pm on March 1. Please also consider committing one sacrificial hour per week during this campaign by participating in a prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood, 1691 The Alameda, San Jose. St. Victor Prayer Day is on Thursdays. Please register online for time slots at [www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose](http://www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose).



**NEW LECTOR/NEW COMMUNION MINISTRY TRAINING**  
Part II of the workshop for new Lector training is on **Saturday, February 25 at 9:00 am** in the Church.  
Training for new **Communion Ministers** for Sunday Mass will be held on **Saturday, March 4 at 9:00 am** in the Parish Center.

#### Marriage Convalidation

If you were married civilly and have no previous marriages and would like to Sacramentalize your marriage in the Church, a series of classes will be offered each Thursday in June. A group wedding and reception will be held on July 9 at the 12:15 pm Mass. Please call the Parish Office for more information and to register for the classes.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

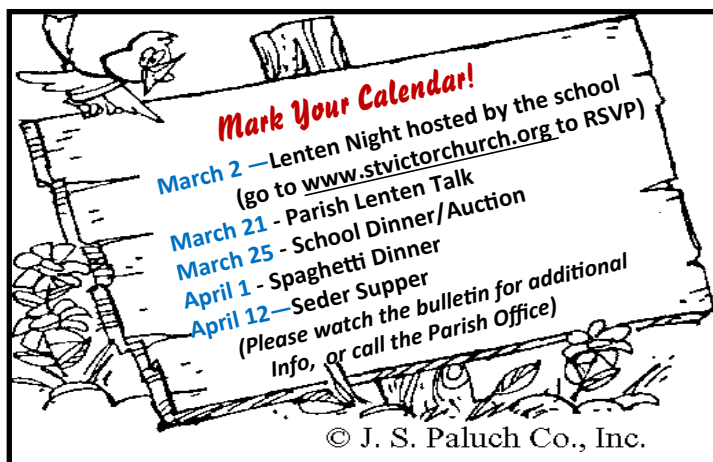
Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 26, 2017

Isaiah 49:14-15

1 Corinthians 4:1-5

Matthew 6:24-34



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#### School and Development News

##### K-8 Core Curriculum

Religion, Science, Math, Music, Language Arts, Physical Education, Social Studies, Art

St. Victor School is currently accepting applications for the 2017-2018 school year for grades K-8. Application information is available online at: [www.stvictorschool.org](http://www.stvictorschool.org). A kindergarten child needs to be the age of 5 by September 1, 2017 for the 2017-2018 school year.

**We are proud to announce that the Little Chargers Preschool is fully enrolled with 15 students. The school is currently in the process of receiving approval from Santa Clara County to increase the Preschool's capacity as soon as possible. Interested families can call the school at 408-251-1740 or visit the school website at [www.stvictorschool.org](http://www.stvictorschool.org).**

SV School presents: **"Springtime in Paris" Auction Dinner Gala**  
Please join us on Saturday, March 25. Ticket reservations may be made at the St. Victor School Office. All proceeds benefit St. Victor School. For more information, please contact Ressie Sanchez at [ressanch@gmail.com](mailto:ressanch@gmail.com)

**"Here I Am Lord"** For single Catholic women ages 18-40, is God calling you to be a sister? If this question is in your heart, the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul invite you to join others seeking God's will for their lives. Join the **Religious Discernment Retreat** on March 10-12, 2017 in Los Altos, CA. For more information, contact Sr. Lisa Laguna, D.C. @ [srllaguna@doc1633.org](mailto:srllaguna@doc1633.org) or 650-949-8890 or 213-210-9903 or visit: [www.daughtersofcharity.com/retreats](http://www.daughtersofcharity.com/retreats)

**Adult Confirmation** Any adult (18 or older) who has not been confirmed but has received his/her First Communion, may register for the classes to prepare for Confirmation this year. Please call Sister Sara at the Rectory Office (408-251-7055) for an interview and to register. All who register need to have proof of their Baptism — please bring a copy of your Baptismal certificate with you to the interview. Classes begin on March 7.



#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Sister Sara is available for interviews with anyone interested in becoming Catholic or completing their initiation sacraments. Unbaptized children between ages of 7-14 years old may also register for the Children's Catechumenate. If interested, please call the Parish Office for an interview (408) 251-7055.

**Monday, February 20, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Steve Brogden (special intention)  
Zachary Mazzanti (special intention of healing)  
Clarice Mazzanti (special intention of healing)  
Emmer D. Dela Cruz (birthday)



**Tuesday, February 21, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Dennis Johnson †  
Julian Reyes (death anniversary)  
Francisco Apiado, Sr. (death anniversary)  
Vina Supepo (special intention of thanksgiving)

**Wednesday, February 22, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Mary Len Pham †  
Paula & Arsenio Ignacio (special intention of healing)  
Sefronio & Rosalina Pedronan (sp. int. of healing)  
Chuong Nguyen (birthday)  
Katrina Ardina (birthday)  
7:00pm Eladia Mejia (death anniversary)  
Elissa (special intention)

**Thursday, February 23, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Lucio Faelnar (1st year death anniversary)  
Shannon Sanchez (birthday)  
Nguyen Family (thanksgiving)  
Jed Allen Caseria (thanksgiving — birthday)  
Jocelyn Cu (birthday)

**Friday, February 24, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Jose Nieves Ramos, Jr. †  
Deceased members of Nguyen Family  
Paula & Arsenio Ignacio (special intention of healing)  
Sefronio & Rosalina Pedronan (special intention of healing)

**Saturday, February 25, 2017**

8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Frank Azevedo †  
Nereo Hechanova (8th year death anniversary)  
Hipolito Fain (death anniversary)  
Casen Morita (birthday)  
5:00pm Rance-Wyatt Brown †  
Alfredo & Esperanza Jaug †  
Bill Joseph & Family (thanksgiving for blessings)

**Sunday, February 26, 2017**

7:00am For the Parishioners of St. Victor Parish  
8:00am Jennifer Cecilia Long Nguyen †  
Joseph My Van Le †  
Deceased members of Huynh Family  
RDC (special intention of conversion & healing)  
Vicky Bernardino (birthday)  
Karen Burke  
9:15am Mac Senh Kin †  
Francisco Martinho †  
Bernardine Barros †  
Lee Mazzanti †  
Donald Gordon †  
Severina Somera †  
Martina Saturno †  
10:45am Emerson Sobrepeña †  
Lucila Portugal †  
Dorothy Giaquinto †  
12:15pm Joseph Dungca †  
5:00pm Frank Cruz †

We welcome the new members of our Parish family who were baptized last week:  
**Aizen Laderas and Lexington Jordyn de Guzman**



**Wedding Banns**

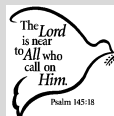
**Amairany Lam & Juan Zaragoza II**

**Ignatian Spiritual Exercises Workshop**

**Topic:** Examination of Conscience  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 28, 2017 Time: 7:00—9:00 pm  
**Location:** Most Holy Trinity Church 2040 Nassau Dr San Jose  
**Facilitator:** Fr. Andrew Garcia, S.J.

This workshop focuses on how to pay attention to your heart through the spiritual exercises of Saint Ignatius (book will be needed for class). For more information, please email: [dailyliferetreat@gmail.com](mailto:dailyliferetreat@gmail.com) or call Margarita Hua at 408-623-0838

**Prayers for our St. Victor Parish Community:**



Please continue to pray for the sick, seriously ill, and hospitalized members of our parish family, especially for **Deacon Mel Magat, Pete McGreevy, Josie Jimenez, Manuel Esteban and Betty Mazzulla.**

St. Victor Parish Community would like to extend their sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Donald Gordon**, who recently passed away.



For nearly 50 years, Marriage Encounter has been helping married couples grow in their love for each other, for God, and our Church. For marriages to remain strong and vibrant, couples need ongoing support so they can reevaluate important issues of their marriage during the years that follow their wedding day. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is March 17-19, 2017 in Mountain View. For more information visit our website at: [sanjosewwme.org](http://sanjosewwme.org) or contact Ken & Claranne at [applications@sanjosewwme.org](mailto:applications@sanjosewwme.org) or 408-782-1413.



Proclaiming God's Love, Together in Christ  
The 2017 Annual Diocesan Appeal, "Proclaiming God's Love, Together in Christ" is underway. Please prayerfully consider a donation to the ADA campaign. Your generosity helps the Diocese in many works and ministries. To see how some of the donations are being used, please visit our website, [www.stvictorchurch.org](http://www.stvictorchurch.org) to view the video from the Bishop. 100% of all gifts over our Diocesan goal of \$164,081 goes back to our Parish. If you didn't receive a pledge form in the mail, there are additional forms in the pews. You may place your completed pledge envelope in the collection basket, drop it off at the Parish Office, or mail it to St. Victor Church 3108 Sierra Rd San Jose, CA 95132

If you would like to donate flowers for the Altar in memory of a loved one, in thanksgiving or in celebration of a baptism, birthday, wedding or anniversary, please call Kitty Brady @ 408-259-8846 for information. Suggested donation is \$125-\$150.



Next Week's Second Collection is for

**St. Victor Parish Outreach**