

Saint Victor Catholic Church

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

Monday-Friday

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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 14, 2018

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Melchor Magat
Deacon

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Bookkeeper: Rosalinda Nieva
Catechetical Ministry Clerk : Christine Pashby

Administrative Assistants: Irmina Carpio & Tammy Nelson
Maintenance Person: Carlos Cabrera

*One
Family*



PRAY FOR PEACE

*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.

Sunday: 7:00, 8:00, 9:15, 10:45 A.M. (2nd Sunday-Children's Liturgy), 12:15 P.M., 5:00 P.M. (2nd Sunday of September thru 2nd 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]

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

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:

Mark Evanchik 1-650-455-8442

HALL COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE:

Alice Trigg 1-408-923-3922

LITURGICAL MINISTRY:

ALTAR SOCIETY PRESIDENT: Lisa Miller 1-408-506-6653

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

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

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

CUB SCOUT MASTER: James Mayled www.svcspack165.org

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

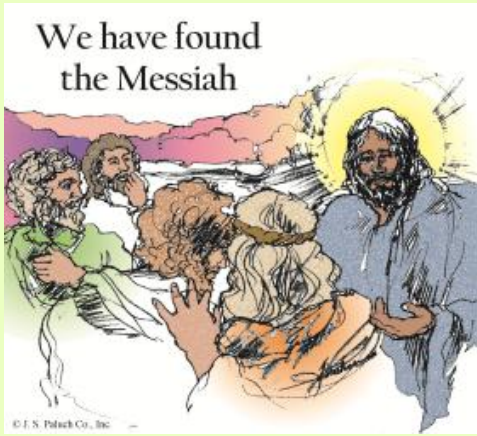
CALVARY CATHOLIC CEMETERY 1-408-258-2940

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

*Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 14, 2018*



*Your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you.
— 1 Corinthians 6:19a*

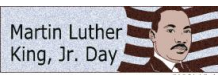
THE LAMB OF GOD

"Behold the Lamb of God!" We hear this phrase every Sunday at Mass, but there's a good chance that many Roman Catholics do not know who in the Bible originally spoke it. The phrase appears only in the Gospel of John, on the lips of John the Baptist, who utters it twice. In today's Gospel reading, John proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God, and two of John's own disciples then follow Christ. A little bit later Andrew, who heard John and then followed Jesus, brings his brother Simon to be re-named Cephas, or Peter. A careful look at these Bible verses shows us the mission of everyone baptized into the Body of Christ: we must always proclaim our faith in Christ, so that others will follow him. We may not know how the will of God might work through those we bring to Christ; that is not the point. The point is that our ongoing mission as a church is to bring others to Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

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**This Week's Second Collection is for
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRE DISASTER**

In observance of Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, the school and parish offices will be closed on Monday, January 15th. Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 A.M. that morning.



Congratulations to The Most Reverend Patrick McGrath
on the Anniversary of his Ordination to the
Order of Bishops on January 25th!

Wedding Anniversary Celebration



Bishop Patrick J. McGrath invites couples who are celebrating their **5th (or less), 25th, 40th or 50th (or more) Wedding Anniversaries in 2018** to a Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of St.

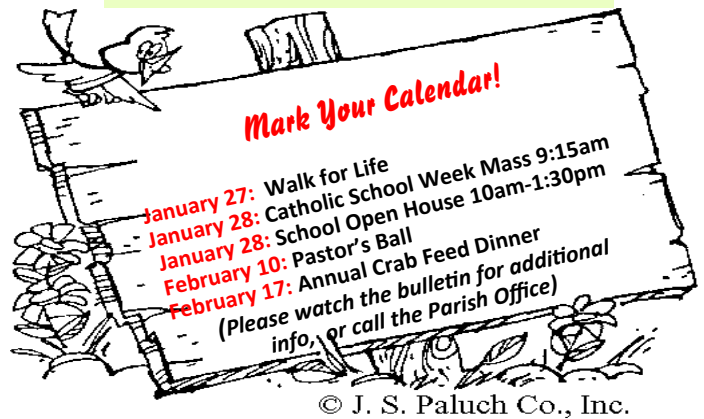
Joseph on February 3rd, at 2:00 P.M. The couples will be invited to renew their wedding vows and will receive a blessing from Bishop Patrick McGrath who will preside over the celebration. A short reception will follow after.

For more information, call Annie Bui at 408-983-0126.
Registration forms are available at the Parish Office.
Pre-registration is required by January 15, 2018

SCRIPTURE READINGS

January 21, 2018

Jonah 3:1-5, 10
1 Corinthians 7:29-31
Mark 1:14-20



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Stewardship Report Week ending 1/7/18

Offertory by Mass

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| Saturday | 5:00 PM | \$2461.00 |
| Sunday | 7:00 AM | \$2215.00 |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM | \$1184.00 |
| Sunday | 9:15 AM | \$2564.00 |
| Sunday | 10:45 AM | \$1775.00 |
| Sunday | 12:15 PM | \$2049.50 |
| Sunday | 5:00 PM | \$1810.30 |
| Received in Office | | \$1076.70 |
| Parish Pay Receipts | | \$5598.86 |
| Adjustment | | |
| Total | | \$20,734.36 |
| Weekly Goal | | \$16,250.00 |

Percent of Goal - 127.6%

Second Collection: Building & Maintenance Fund - \$4,638.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

"Ordinary Time" began for us this week. On the old calendar, the feast of the Presentation, still more than two weeks away, was the last day of the Christmas season. Sadly, Bethlehem is hardly a place of peace on earth these days. The ancient Christian community has been largely uprooted by political strife. The Church of the Nativity stands (barely) in remarkable disrepair and disorder in Manger Square. The roof is crumbling, the major doorways are blocked, the wiring is faulty, and the worship life is disrupted by quarrels among Eastern Christians.

The church was founded by the Emperor Constantine in 325, destroyed in a Samaritan revolt in 539, and rebuilt by the Emperor Justinian. When the area came under Muslim control in 638, the holiness of the church was respected, and in return Christians allowed Muslims to pray in the south aisle, a right still upheld. Earlier in that century, invading Persians were ordered to destroy all churches, but when they saw the magi carved over the doorway of the Church of the Nativity, they spared it out of respect for their ancestors who bore gold, frankincense, and myrrh to the same city. The Crusaders restored and redecored the church by the twelfth century, and it is their plan that survives. Down a few stone steps is a stone grotto with a silver star marking the place of Christ's birth: when the star was stolen in 1847 it triggered an international crisis that exploded into the Crimean War.

Since 1852, the church has been shared by the Roman Catholic, Greek Orthodox, and Armenian Churches. The Greeks are in charge of the grotto, but don't enjoy the best of friendships with the Armenians. Catholics have the care of the Chapel of the Manger, and avoid the squabbles by a separate entrance to the Franciscan monastery church of St. Catherine. Pray for peace in Bethlehem!

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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 applications are still being accepted for the 2017-2018 school year for Pre-school and Grades K-8. Please contact the school at 408-251-1740 or email pwolf@stvictor.org

Do you have alumni news you would like to share with the St. Victor Community?

Email development@stvictor.org

St. Victor does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, age, sex, or disability in the admission of students, the administration of educational policies, scholarship, and loan programs, and athletic or other school-administered programs.

The St. Victor 8th Grade Class of 2018 will be selling Krispy Kreme donuts after all of the morning Masses on Sunday, January 28. Thank you for helping our students raise funds for their Washington DC and New York City trip.

Join fellow Catholics and Pro-Lifers from all over California and beyond as we stand up for the littlest among us at the **14th Annual Walk for Life West Coast** in San Francisco on January 27th. The pre-walk rally begins at 12:30 pm in San Francisco's Civic Center Plaza, and the Walk, down the city's Market Street, begins at 1:30 pm. This year we are honored to welcome **Terry Beatley**, founder of Hosea Initiative, a non-profit organization which teaches the impact of worldview through the pro-life conversion story of Dr. Nathanson. For complete information about the Walk, visit www.walkforlifewc.com or call 415-658-1793.



Just as we celebrate Thanksgiving by gathering together with family. Why not celebrate your Marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend?



It's a positive, simple, common sense, private experience between husband and wife that revitalizes your marriage. Make your reservation now! The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is February 9-11, 2018 in San Jose. For more information visit our website sanjosewwme.org

or contact Ken & Claranne at

applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

We welcome a new member of our Parish family who was baptized last week:

Nathaniel Manalang Trinh



Please pray for the sick, seriously ill and hospitalized members of our parish family, including those preparing for or recovering from surgical procedures and tests, especially **Deacon Mel Magat, Pete McGreevy, Betty Mazzula, George Mastrini, Bill Wagner, Robert Florio, Claire Rino, David Ojeda, Carlos Solomon, Lynette Murphy, Judith Silveira, Betty Bontigao, Maria Augusto, Divino Sobejana, Rosalinda Balanga, Grace Valdez, and Tom Raymundo.**

May God grant them speedy recovery.

St. Victor Parish Community would like to extend their sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Isaac Rubalcava, Eddie Lee Flandez, and Dr. Leo Stuart**, and who recently passed away.



NEXT WEEKEND'S SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR ETHNIC MINORITIES & LATIN AMERICA

CALLING ALL SCOUTS SCOUT FAMILIES, SCOUT LEADERS AND SUPPORTERS OF SCOUTING

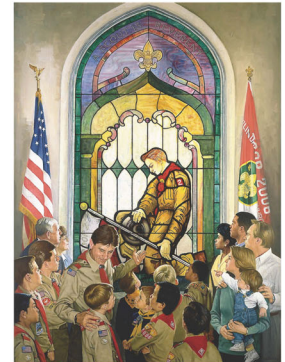
Cub Scout Pack 165 invites you to attend
SCOUT SUNDAY MASS

on Sunday, February 4, 2018 at 10:45 am in St. Victor Church

Scouts and scout leaders from all units are highly encouraged to attend the mass in uniform!

ABOUT SCOUT SUNDAY

The Boy Scouts of America annually celebrates its founding on February 8, 1910, based on the program started by Lord Baden Powell in England on August 1, 1907. Scout Sunday was added to the Scout celebration in the middle 1940s. Scout Sunday is always the Sunday preceding February 8th, unless the 8th is a Sunday, in which case the 8th would be Scout Sunday. The Saturday following February 8th is Scout Sabbath. The Scout Sunday tradition was started to make people in houses of worship aware of Scouting, and to allow Scouts to live out their "Duty to God" pledged each week.



The Scout Law says that a "Scout is Reverent" and Scouts of all ages promise to do their "Duty to God." These values strengthen youth character in their family, community and faith.



Cub Scout Pack 165 is chartered by St. Victor Church and welcomes all boys in Kindergarten through 5th grade from St. Victor School, the parish community and local neighborhood to join.

3108 Sierra Rd. San Jose CA 95132

Web: <http://www.svcspack165.org> Email: cubmastersvpack165@gmail.com

Voice/SMS: (408) 806-5314

Save the Date

Pastor's Ball
Saturday, February 10, 2018

Dinner & Dancing

Fr. Mark, our pastor, will be doing all the cooking!!

More details to follow.

\$30 / person

Call the rectory for reservations.
408-251-7055

Limited seating

Monday, January 15, 2018

8:00am Therese Le Van †
Anuevo U. Felix (birthday)
Concepcion Fejeran (healing)

Tuesday, January 16, 2018

8:00am Tony Vallarta †
Alfredo M. Ruiz, Sr. †
Rosalina Gabriel Pedronan (40th day death anniversary)

Wednesday, January 17, 2018

8:00am Leonila Casuyuran †
Cirila Maximo (40th day death anniversary)

7:00pm Ohrel Medina †

Thursday, January 18, 2018

8:00am Norberto Gorostiza, Sr. (death anniversary)
Chong Fejeran (healing)

Friday, January 19, 2018

8:00am Maurice Agcaoli †
Allen Caday (birthday memorial)

Saturday, January 20, 2018

8:00am Diega Ancheta †
Alphonso Vu Tin
Leila Liclican (40th day death anniversary)
Adela Santos (death anniversary)

5:00pm Leila Liclican (40th day death anniversary)
Diana Jean Orias (death anniversary)

Sunday, January 21, 2018

7:00am For the Parishioners of St. Victor Parish

8:00am Diega Ancheta †
RDC (enlightenment and healing)

9:15am Daniel Caditan †
Romy Collado, Jr. †

10:45am Tony Vallarta †
Joey Manibusan †

12:15pm Rufina Cruz †
Judy Mae Rances (birthday)
Robert Maddox (healing)
Dabbie Lyn Rivera (birthday memorial)

5:00pm Victoriano Romano, Jr. †
Ava Gonzalez (healing)



2018



COAT DRIVE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 2018 FROM 8:00 AM - 1:30 PM

ST. VICTOR PARISH CENTER

3108 SIERRA ROAD, SAN JOSE 95132

It's that time of the year again to clean out your closets and donate your gently used coats, jackets and sweatshirts for men, women & children which will benefit Sacred Heart Communities of San Jose.

Thank you for supporting our U.n.I. Lord Youth & Young Adult Ministries and St. Victor's Knights of Columbus Council #4112.

Contact Debbie Santos at 408-251-0165 / dsantos@dsj.org for any questions.

**U.n.I Lord Young Adult Ministry
Presents**

FINDING PEACE IN GOD'S LOVE - A MINI-RETREAT -

*Is there restlessness in your heart?
Would you like to start the New Year with a refreshed perspective
grounded in God's Love?*

Join fellow young adults in an afternoon of scripture contemplation and spiritual examen, with topics on happiness, free-will, and God's love are discussed.

THIS IS A FREE EVENT

When: Sunday, January 14, 2018

Where: St. Victor Parish Center

3108 Sierra Road San Jose, CA 95132

Time: 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm; mass at 5:00 pm

Questions or to register contact:

Debbie Santos at (408) 928-1636/(408)251-0165 or dsantos@dsj.org

