

Saint Victor Catholic Church

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Monday-Friday

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The Ascension of the Lord - May 13, 2018

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*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.

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: Maria Garza 1-408-854-1126
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**

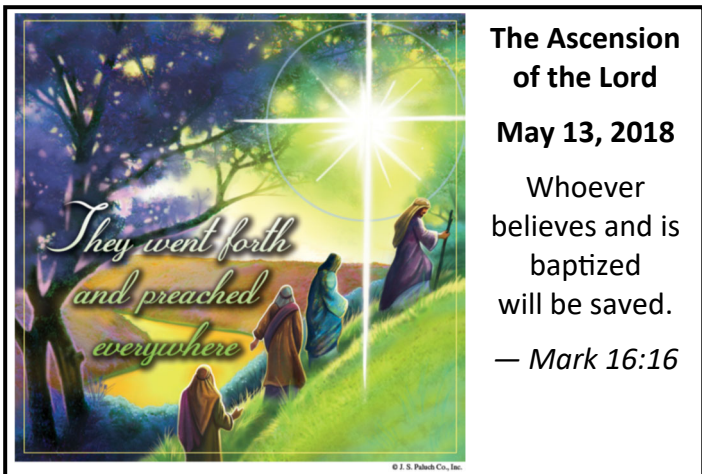
MINISTRY TO YOUTH—CATECHETICAL MINISTRY: 1-408-251-0165
Hours: 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday
8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Wednesday (Class Days)
8:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Saturday (Class Days)
Director: Angela Giampaoli
Elementary: Anne Gleason
Junior High: Debbie Santos
Sacrament Coordinator: 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

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VIETNAMESE CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION OF ST. VICTOR:
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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



The Ascension of the Lord

May 13, 2018

Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved.

— Mark 16:16

MISSION STATEMENT

Today we celebrate Christ's ascension into heaven and his commissioning of the disciples to carry on his mission in the world. First we hear Luke's description of those events in the opening verses of the Acts of the Apostles. Next we hear words of encouragement and guidance from the Letter to the Ephesians. Finally we hear Mark's account of the Ascension, foretelling the mighty words and acts the Christian community would do in Jesus' name.

Together these scriptures give us a vision of the mission of the church of Jesus Christ—a mission statement of sorts. Like mission statements in our parishes and corporations, this mission statement can help us set priorities and focus our activities. It can guide and support us as we strive to continue Christ's messianic mission on earth.

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This Weekend's Second Collection is for Catholic Communication Campaign

Through Internet, social networks, television, radio, and print, the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) helps the Church spread the Gospel message through the media locally and nationally. Half of all donations to the CCC collected in your diocese stay in your diocese to support your local communications needs, such as radio and television programming and diocesan publications.



Happy Mother's Day to all mothers and those who are like mothers! May you feel the joys of motherhood every day.

St. Victor Altar Society is selling succulent gardens after Masses this weekend (except after the 5:00 pm Sunday Mass), while supplies last. Buy for the mothers in your life and help support the Altar Society in their efforts to maintain the environment and items used for our liturgies.

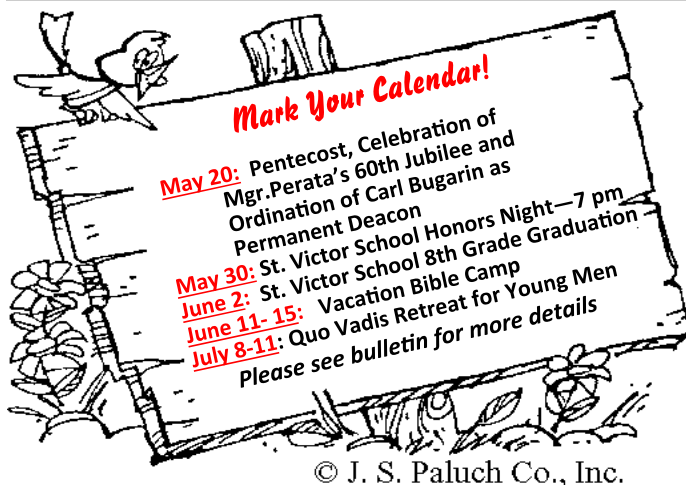
MOTHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS

Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards are available on the tables at the church doors. These cards are wonderful for remembering mothers, and mother figures, everywhere—living or deceased. It is a great opportunity to have them remembered during Mass in our Church throughout the month of May. Please drop the completed return envelope in the collection basket or take it to the Parish Office.


SCRIPTURE READINGS

May 20, 2018

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Galatians 5:16-25
John 20:19-23 or John 15:26-27; 16:12-15



Stewardship Report Week ending 5/06/18

 Weekly OFFERING <small>© J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.</small>	Saturday	5:00 PM	\$2,266.00
	Sunday	7:00 AM	\$2,559.00
	Sunday	8:00 AM	\$1,402.00
	Sunday	9:15 AM	\$3,112.00
	Sunday	10:45 AM	\$2,267.00
	Sunday	12:15 PM	\$1,720.00
	Sunday	5:00 PM	\$1,325.00
	Received in Office		\$1,670.82
	Online Giving		\$1,120.63
	Total		\$17,442.45
Weekly Goal		\$16,250.00	

Offertory

By

Mass

Percent of Goal - 107.3%

2nd Collection: St. Victor Building & Maintenance Fund \$5,057.80


Thank you for your continued generosity!

Please Note The *Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion* will take place after the 8:00 am Mass this Wednesday, May 16. **There will not be an evening mass.**

The Altar Society will hold their quarterly meeting on **Wednesday May 16 at 6:30 pm** in the parish hall. New members are welcome. This meeting is our annual catered dinner and spouse are welcome to attend.



HELP NEEDED: SACRISTAN MINISTRY

 We are in need of parishioners who would like to be trained to do **Sacristan Ministry** (i.e. setting up and clearing for the Mass) either for weekday Masses or Sunday Masses. This is open to men, women, and couples. Ideally, Sacristans could work in pairs and could rotate with other pairs in order to not work every day or every Mass. Please contact Fr. Mark or Sister Sara if you have the time and feel God is calling you to this ministry.



Congratulations to our 72 First Communicants who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 5th. Thank you to the teachers, both in the Catechetical Program and the School for their commitment and dedication to the spread of the Gospel message.

Pope Pius Awards

Congratulations to St. Victor Parishioners **Jim Reed and Lowell Starr** on receiving **Pius X Awards**. The Pius X award is given by the Diocese of San Jose to recognize and honor those who have volunteered their time for at least 10 years in Catechetical Ministry. Jim received his **35-year** award and Lowell received his **30-year** award.

Thank you for your many years of dedication!

We welcome the new members of our Parish family who were baptized last weekend:

**John Robert Mattos, V
Landon Elijah Ortiz
Isabella Kristine Ranoa
Lyla Kianna Gubuan**

Celebration
of the
Sacrament of Baptism



Dung Tran & Nhan Chau II

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.



St. Victor Parish Community would like to extend their sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Auxencia Ponciano** and **Theresa Hoang** who recently passed away.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In Ireland and the United Kingdom, Mother's Day is over. "Mothering Sunday" was on the Fourth Sunday of Lent. Long ago, people were freed from work to travel on this day to the parish where they were baptized, their "Mother Church." Often, people were reunited with their mothers on this day. Employers would release their workers and servants for this visit. The American celebration, while based on this custom, really has to do with an anti-war movement of mothers in Civil War times. They crusaded for better sanitary conditions for their sons. When President Wilson instituted the first Mother's Day in 1912, it was a day to fly the flag in honor of mothers whose children had died in battle. Understanding the tradition is a good balance to our celebration today. We can enfold in prayer the mothers who have suffered the loss of their children in war.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S.

All that I am or hope to be, I owe to my angel mother.
—Attributed to Abraham Lincoln



School and Development News **K-8 Core Curriculum** **Religion, Science, Math, Music, Language Arts,** **Physical Education, Social Studies, Art**

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.

HELP NEEDED FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY May 20, 2018

Pentecost Sunday celebration includes the 60th Anniversary of Msgr. Stephen Perata's Ordination to the Priesthood and Carl Bugarin's Ordination to the Diaconate.

Help is needed for setup on Saturday, tear down late Sunday, serving on Pentecost Sunday, as well as food donations (this includes desserts). Cash donations are always welcome....Please call Alice Trigg at 408-928-1630 (w) or 408-923-3922 (h) to let her know how you can help.

If giving a cash donation please put in an envelope addressed to Alice Trigg and deliver to Parish Office or put in collection basket. Thank you in advance for all your help and or donations.



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:

Dcn Mel Magat, Pete McGreevy, Betty Mazzula, George Mastrini, Bill Wagner, Robert Florio, Lynette Murphy, Judith Silveira, Betty Bontigao, Maria Augusto, Divino Sobejana, Grace Valdez, Brandi Gonzalez, Josephine Mojica, Thu Vu, Eleanor Datu, Josting Buckle, Anita Dela Cruz, Felicisima Ballelos, Maria Aurora Lopez, and Richard Jaramillo



Catholic Cemeteries Memorial Day Services: **Monday, May 28th**

**10:30 am
11:00 am**

**VETERANS TRIBUTES
MEMORIAL DAY MASSES**

Gate of Heaven Cemetery
22555 Cristo Rey Dr.
Los Altos 94024
President:
Bishop Patrick McGrath

Calvary Cemetery
2650 Madden Ave.
San Jose 95116
President:
Fr. Michael Hendrickson

We are honored to serve those who served with honor. Tributes and masses held outdoors. Chairs and shade tents provided. Please allow time to park. For more information call 650-428-3730 or cemeteryinfo@dsj.org

Next Week's Second Collection is for

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

(Please make checks payable directly to Catholic Charities)

Monday, May 14, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

Wednesday, May 16, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

Thursday, May 17, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

Friday, May 18, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

Saturday, May 19, 2018

8:00am For All Mothers

5:00pm † Maurice Agcaoili
† Emily Collado
† Conchita Alviz Cabalu (40th day death anniversary)
† Antonio Medina (birthday memorial)
† Benilda Calaor (birthday memorial)
Jocie & Rhowena Quijano (birthday)
Jonathan Rances (birthday)
Isaiah Jacob Juan Corpuz (birthday of May 16)

Sunday, May 20, 2018

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

8:00am † Dominic Lan Dang
† Eddie Lee M. Flandez
† Cecilia Jennifer Long Nguyen
Silveira, Coelho & Dutras Families
Thanksgiving & Peace for the Nguyen Family

9:15am For All Mothers

10:45am † Mauricio Bustamante
† Hoa Ngo
† Betty O'Shea
† Steven Robertson
† Eduino Silva (death anniversary)
Wilbur Juni (special intention)

12:15pm † Mario Borges
† Amelia Sare
† Sylvestre & Florentina V. Rivada
Joseph Chu Nguyen
Anna Maria Minh Lien Nguyen
Martin de Porres Chien Nguyen

5:00pm † Joseph (Joe) Delgado



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, or anniversary, please call Kitty Brady @ 408-259-8846 for information. Suggested donation is \$125-150.



Calling all Catholics Who are Married Civily but not in the Church

Would you like to have your marriage Sacramentalized?

St. Victor Church is offering a series of four classes for you and your spouse in order to have your marriage convalidated in the Church.

Classes will be held on four Thursdays from
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM.

The dates are: June 7, 14, 21, and 28

The wedding will be held at the 12:15 Mass on July 8
for all couples who complete the series of classes.

This celebration will be followed by a Reception for
the couples and their family members and friends in
the Parish Hall.



**If you are interested, please call the parish office
for an appointment to register: (408) 251-7055**

A TOTAL HOLY LAND EXPERIENCE

A Retreat Pilgrimage with Fr. Mark

A pilgrimage to the Holy Land gives us the grace to see, to touch, to smell, to hear and to walk the path Jesus made with us. This is the very basic experience of every Christian who desires to experience Jesus in his/her life.

A pilgrim is not a tourist—simply sightseeing. A pilgrim is someone who makes a journey within—as he walks the path of Jesus. It is in this spirit that we desire to make this pilgrimage a spiritual one.

This is not just a tour but a retreat first and foremost. I invite you to pray over this before deciding to join.

October 25 - November 6, 2018 \$4,443 per person

all Inclusive of Government Taxes, V.A.T, Borders,
Visas, Airline Ticket local and abroad.

*(Israel, Jordan, Dubai – 1 Night Prior to US departure)
and \$448 Standard TIPS to: guides, driver and hotel staffs.
(Dubai- Jordan- Israel)*

Extension trip to Dubai and Egypt also available

Contact Father Mark at (408) 928-1631 or mgazzingan@dsj.org