

# 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>**

***Fifth Sunday of Easter — May 14, 2017***

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**Melchor Magat**  
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Deacons

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Catechetical Ministry Clerk : Christine Pashby

Administrative Assistants: Irmina Carpio & Tammy Nelson  
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.

**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]

**[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:  
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



**Fifth Sunday of Easter  
May 14, 2017**

“I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

— John 14:6

**THE WAY**

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, “Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?” (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that *he* is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

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This Weekend's Second Collection is for **Catholic Charities**



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 and corsages after Masses **this** weekend (except after the 7:00 am and 5:00 pm Sunday Masses). Buy for the mothers in your life and help support the Altar Society at the same time!

**Candle sale!** May 13<sup>th</sup> marks the **100<sup>th</sup> anniversary** of the appearance of the Blessed Virgin Mary to three shepherd children in Fatima, Portugal. In honor of this event, **Our Lady of Fatima** candles are available in the Parish Office for \$10 each. Please stop by soon to purchase a commemorative candle (while supplies last).



**Fr. Mark is celebrating his 10<sup>th</sup> year ordination as a priest!**

**Mass of Thanksgiving on May 26, 2017 at 6pm**  
**Reception to follow at the Parish Hall**  
**RSVP tickets available for pick up in the parish office during office hours.**  
**Seating limited (get your tickets early)!**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

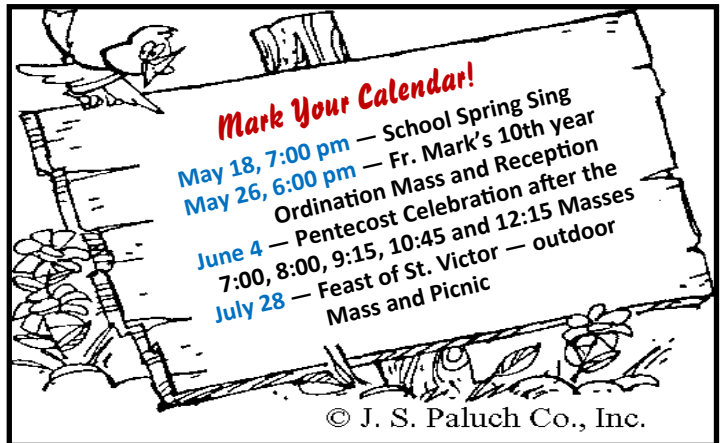
Sixth Sunday of Easter

**May 21, 2017**

*Acts of the Apostles 8:5-8, 14-17*

*1 Peter 3:15-18*

*John 14:15-21*



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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 Little Chargers Preschool is looking for a part-time Preschool Teacher. The position is open from May 30, 2017 to July 28, 2017. Please email the Principal, Patricia Wolf at [pwolf@stvictor.org](mailto:pwolf@stvictor.org) for more information.



The Altar Society of St. Victor Church will hold its meeting on Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

Everyone is invited. We welcome new members, including spouses.

**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.

**Marriage Convalidation**

If you are a Catholic but not married in the Church, we are offering a series of classes on four Thursdays of June (8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, & 29<sup>th</sup>) from 7:00—9:00 pm to prepare for a special convalidation celebration at the 12:15 pm Mass on July 9. A reception will follow the ceremony and Mass. Those who are eligible for this program are couples who have only been married once but never had their marriage Sacramentalized. Please call the Parish Office for an interview and to register for the classes.

Please join us in fellowship on June 4<sup>th</sup> for our Parish **Pentecost** celebration. There will be a reception immediately following the 7:00, 8:00, 9:15, 10:45 and 12:15 Masses (in the Hall). Any assistance with food, kitchen help, set-up and clean up is welcomed and appreciated (monetary donations are appreciated too). If you are able to help in any way, please call Alice at 408-928-1630 or 408-923-3922.

Mark your calendars and see you there!





## Mass Intentions

### Monday, May 15, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers

### Tuesday, May 16, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers

### Wednesday, May 17, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers  
7:00pm Benilda Calaor (birthday memorial)  
Cirila Superal (birthday memorial)  
Arnel Manalac (special intention for sick)  
Alicia Raceles (special intention for sick)  
Casayuran-Valdez Family (thanksgiving)

### Thursday, May 18, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers

### Friday, May 19, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers

### Saturday, May 20, 2017

8:00am Special Intention for All Mothers

5:00pm Sy Seng Hian †  
Matthew Silveira †  
Antonio & Maria Pereira †  
Khalid Tereza †  
Joe and Judith Silveira (for good health)  
Cecelia Oskoui (special intention of healing)  
Maria Nguyen (birthday)

### Sunday, May 21, 2017

7:00am For the Parishioners of St. Victor Parish  
8:00am Cecilia Jennifer Long Nguyen †  
Dominic San-Dang †  
Manuel Esteban †  
RDC (healing and peace)  
Jose and Purita Juan (wedding anniversary)  
Isaiah Jacob Juan Corpuz (birthday of May 16)  
9:15am Special Intention for All Mothers  
10:45am Ester Jimenez †  
Peter Seimas (special intention)  
Hui-Chun Lin (birthday thanksgiving)  
Meleya Ashley Fernandez (birthday)  
Jose Lorenzo Mariano (birthday)  
Divino Sobejana (healing)  
Marivic Perfecto (healing)  
12:15pm Mario Borges (birthday memorial)  
5:00pm Mariano & Maria Quinata (birthdays)  
Deceased members of Vu Family  
Vu Family (Thanksgiving and Peace)

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.



### 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, Betty Mazzulla, George Mastrini, Mark Alvarado** and **Leo Alvarado**.

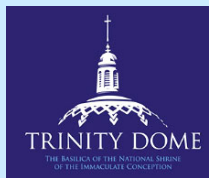
St. Victor Parish Community would like to extend our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Dolores Garcia** and **Pedro Namauleg** who recently passed away.

This weekend's sanctuary flowers are offered by the **Cecelia Oskoui Family** in loving memory on the death anniversary of her mom and dad, **ErasmO & Eusebia Buentipo**.



**Congratulations to our 92 First Communicants** who received their First Holy Communion on the Saturdays of May 6<sup>th</sup> and May 13<sup>th</sup>. 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.

Congratulations to our **54 Confirmandi** who received the sacrament of Confirmation on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Thank you to Angela Giampaoli and the Confirmation II Facilitators who prepared the students for the sacrament. Thanks to the Catechetical Ministry who hosted the reception for the Confirmandi and their families after the mass. And, a warm thank you to Monsignor Fran Cilia, who conferred the sacrament on our students.



Our parish is participating in a national collection for the **Trinity Dome** to complete the **Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception** in Washington, DC before its 100th anniversary. Also known as America's Catholic Church, the National Shrine

has been a century in the making, built by and for the faithful of our great nation in honor of our Blessed Mother, the patroness of the United States. Become a part of Mary's Shrine and help to bring to completion our Church! There will be envelopes in the pews and on the tables around the church. Please drop your donation in the collection basket on any Sundays in May or drop it off at the Parish Office. We will mail all collections at the end of May to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. For more information, please visit: [www.trinitydome.org](http://www.trinitydome.org).

### 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. New classes begin on **Tuesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**.



### Catholic Cemeteries Memorial Day Services: Monday, May 29th

**10:30 am VETERANS TRIBUTES**  
**11:00 am MEMORIAL DAY MASSES**

Gate of Heaven Cemetery  
22555 Cristo Rey Dr.  
Los Altos, CA 94024  
650-428-3730

President: Msgr. Francis Cilia

Calvary Cemetery  
2650 Madden Ave.  
San Jose, CA 95116  
408-258-2940

President: Fr. Chris Bennett

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.

Next Week's Second Collection is for **Catholic Communications**