

Saint Victor Catholic Church

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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time — October 2, 2016

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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. [**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. (2nd Sunday of September--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]

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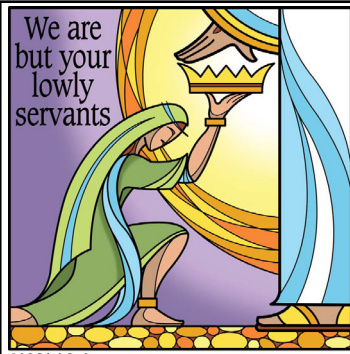
SOCIAL MINISTRY:
GUADALUPE SOCIETY PRESIDENT: Elizabeth Craft 1-408-679-1037

VIETNAMESE CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION OF ST. VICTOR:
Trieu Pham 1-408-729-0441

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Kam Chow 1-408-824-8963

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SOCIAL JUSTICE CONCERNS: 1-408-251-7055
CALVARY CATHOLIC CEMETERY 1-408-258-2940
GATE OF HEAVEN CATHOLIC CEMETERY 1-650-428-3730
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ST. VINCENT de PAUL - ST. VICTOR CONFERENCE 1-408-389-7027



**Twenty-seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time
October 2, 2016**

Come, let us bow down
in worship; let us kneel
before the LORD who
made us.
— Psalm 95:6

LET GO AND LET GOD

Many twelve-step programs use the phrase "Let go and let God." In all their simplicity, these five words are the heart of today's readings. For people who struggle with addictive behavior, these words plainly remind us that we can't manage, control, or manipulate certain areas of our lives. How many times can we look back in our lives and find evidence of some plan at work other than our own? These are the moments when, for whatever reasons, we let someone greater than ourselves work the plan. We probably didn't even recognize at the time that we were letting go of anything, but in retrospect, we see God's hand and loving presence. It is our awareness of these moments that gives us the courage and initiative to let go again later on. It is this courage and initiative that are highlighted in today's readings. We come to call it "faith."

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**This Weekend's Second Collection
is for St. Victor Parish
Building & Maintenance Fund**



Cub Scout Pack 165 will be selling popcorn after all masses **this** weekend, October 1st and 2nd. Please support this worthy cause in helping our young scouts earn money for their activities and outings.

First Friday Adoration and Mass:

Friday, October 7th offers the opportunity for 24-hour adoration of the exposed Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel (from the 8:00 a.m. mass on Friday until the 8:00 mass on Saturday). First Friday Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m.



October is **Respect Life** month...



"We are called to show mercy because mercy has first been shown to us. Each person has a place in God's heart from all eternity. We are called to protect our humanity, and this means, in the first place, accepting it and respecting it as it was created."

Pope Francis

TAKE A STAND FOR LIFE

From **September 28 to November 6**, our community will take part in 40 Days for Life ... a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city — and beyond. Commit one sacrificial hour per week during this campaign. **St. Victor Prayer Day is on Thursdays.** Please register online www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose for time slots. Vigil location: Planned Parenthood, 1691 The Alameda, San Jose, CA 95126



SCRIPTURE READINGS

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time — October 9, 2016

Kings 5:14-17

2 Timothy 2:8-13

Luke 17:11-19

School and Development News

Enroll Now for 2016-2017

K-8 Core Curriculum

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



St. Victor School
Established in 1964

A kindergarten child needs to be the age of 5 by September 1, 2016. A \$200 application fee is required. Application information is available online at: www.stvictorschool.org.



Help the 8th grade class of 2017 raise some dough! They will be selling Krispy Kreme donuts after the 8:00 am, 9:15 am, 10:45 am and 12:15 pm Masses **next** Sunday, October 9th. Thank you for helping our students raise funds for their Washington DC trip!

Blessing of Animals

You are invited to bring your dog, cat, bird, fish, lizard or other beloved pet for a special blessing in honor of the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi. The *Blessing of Animals* service will be held on **Tuesday, October 4 at 1:30 pm** in the back parking lot.



Congratulations to our 3rd Early Bird Festival Raffle Prize Winner who received a \$50 gift card!

Phil Casella

*Early bird winners are still eligible for the grand prize raffle



St. Victor Parish Festival Corner

Our Parish Festival will be held on Oct 14-16 with the goal of fundraising and strengthening our St Victor community.

- **Coffee Cans and Baskets Requested** - 2 pound cans are needed for the festival, as well as large baskets for the auction. If you have these items available to spare, please drop them off at the church office . Thank you.
- Raffle tickets have been mailed out. Please turn in your raffle tickets early to help our Parish reach our fundraising goal of \$32,000.00. There will be prizes given for early bird drawings.
- Help us find a sponsor for our festival. You can pick up a copy of the sponsorship form on the tables around the church, pick up at the Rectory Office, or contact Debbie Santos at dsantos@dsj.org for an electronic form. Each sponsor that we bring in adds to our fundraising campaign and helps defray the costs of our festival.
- Donations needed for silent auction. Please contact June Anastacio at janastac@yahoo.com or call 408-472-3280 if you have items to donate in the following categories : Used vehicles in working condition, nearly new home items in good condition(furniture, small appliances), Travel & Vacation Rentals, Restaurant, Gift Baskets, School Gear, Electronics, Sports, Family Entertainment, Business Services (housekeeping, dentist, lawyer, etc), Home Services, Home Accents, Antiques or Collectibles, Jewelry, Gift Cards or Tickets to Amusement Parks, Concerts, Sport Events, or any other new item that can be auctioned.
- Get additional **Advance Ticket Order Form** from the Parish Office to get **discounts with early purchase** of Unlimited Carnival Ride Wristband. We contribute \$5 to our fundraising campaign when we order our carnival wristbands **before** the festival.
- Get involved and **VOLUNTEER**. Sign-up to volunteer online at the Festival Website. Any help is greatly appreciated.

Please note: parking will be limited during the Festival. Please plan accordingly when arriving to Mass or attending the Festival. For more information, visit the Festival Website at www.stvictorfestival.org or contact Edsel at, or call 408-768-6737.



Monday, October 3, 2016

8:00am Mary L. Rosales
Lynn
John Bettencourt
Trevor Burke (special intention)

Tuesday, October 4, 2016

8:00am Pinky Garcia (40th day death anniversary)
Trevor L. Burke
Robbie Gray †
Gerino Ulsano, Jr. †

Wednesday, October 5, 2016

8:00am Bronoventura Manarpaac †
Virgilio Collado, Jr.
Wenceslao Valdez (3rd year death anniversary)

7:00pm Special Intention to St. Anthony

Thursday, October 6, 2016

8:00am Salvador & Concordia Datu
Theresa Bettencourt
Khanh (birthday)
Jackie Llobrera

Friday, October 7, 2016

8:00am Theresa Heinz
Eleanor Diaz (special intention)
Meghan Burke
Inocencio Ceguioa (death anniversary)

Saturday, October 8, 2016

8:00am Jerome Nguyen †
Paul, Nestor, and Arnie Caampued †
Sean Bettencourt

5:00pm Jose Rosa Barros †
Silveira, Dutra, and Coelho Families
Deceased members of Marcos & Carolina
Emperador Family
Deceased members of Noli Aspuria Family
Lydia McKenzie †

Sunday, October 9, 2016

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

8:00am Pedro Arellano †
Generosa Mendoza †

9:15am Zenaida Baquiran †
Shou Chun Yang †

10:45am Osmundo Macasiray
Mauricio Bustamante †
Robbie Gray †
Jesusa Agnes Nano & Family (special intention of
thanksgiving)

12:15pm Esperanza & Alfredo Jaug †
Leo Ruiz †
Ruiz Family (special intention)

5:00pm Wilfredo P. Mendoza (death anniversary)

Thought for the week: Pope Benedict XVI wrote, "An increase of faith is given to those who are resolute with the conviction that the vision of faith 'presses on to fulfillment, and will not disappoint.' Faith of this intensity, even if only as small as a mustard seed, makes miracles happen."

Have you ever thought about becoming a Sister?



Single Catholic women ages 18-40 are invited to a prayerful and reflective **Religious Vocation Discernment Weekend Retreat** with the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, October 7-9, 2016, Los Altos Hills. For reservations and questions, contact Sister Lisa Laguna, D.C. (650) 949-8890 or (213) 210-9903 or e-mail srllaguna@doc1633.org. For more information, visit www.Daughters-Of-Charity.com/retreats/

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, Bernadette Tan, Margaux Steinbach, Pete McGreevy, Jerry Lunger, Josie Jimenez, Maria Teresa Gomez, and Chloe Bermudez.**



St. Victor Parish Community would like to extend our sympathy and prayers to the families and friends of **Consuelo Gali, Robbie Gray, Matilda Rivera, Gerino Ulsano, Jr., Mary Costa, and Joseph Baldeo Ojascastro**, who recently passed away.



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.

Wedding Banns

Jerilynn Reyes & Joseph Lugatiman I
Michelle Capangpangan & Vincent Suarez III



We welcome the new members of our Parish family who were baptized last week:
Mason Ryler Cease, Eligh Jackson Romero, Maya Rease Romero, Melody Symone Romero, and Noelle Jolyne Nguyen

Advance Directive Workshop (free)
Tues. Oct. 11, 2016
7 pm – 9 pm St. Joseph Conference Room
The Chancery 1150 N. First St. San Jose (at 880)
Presenter: Cindy Safe
Sponsor: Catholic Cemeteries

An Advance Directive is a document that clearly states your requests regarding health care if you are unable to speak for yourself. It names the person(s) who should carry out your wishes. Learn important issues that arise from these decisions. Your family and health care providers will respect this legal statement and be grateful for the clarity it provides. For more information, contact 650-428-3730 or cemeteryinfo@dsj.org.



Marriage Encounter Weekend
MARRIED COUPLES: Getting ready for school means lots of time spent on your children. After school begins, why not give yourselves some time together? Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 11-13, 2016 at Vallambrosa Center, Menlo Park. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

Next Week's Second Collection is for St. Victor School Tuition Assistance Fund