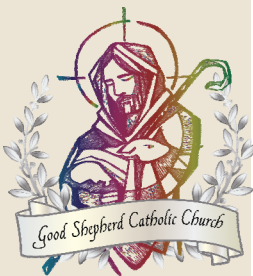


September 8, 2019

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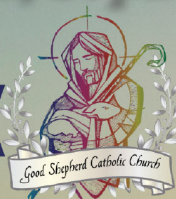
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Schedule

Mass Times:

Saturday: 5p.m. Vigil

Sunday: 7, 9, 11 a.m. and 1, 5 p.m.

Weekdays: 8:30 a.m.

First Saturday of the month: 9:30 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation:

7p.m. Vigil, and 8:30 a.m. and 7p.m.

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

9, 11 a.m. & 5 p.m. Sunday Masses

Kinderchurch: 9 a.m. Mass only

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

First Thursday, silent adoration, and with
prayers of devotion: 6-8:30 p.m.

First Friday, Exposition: 10 a.m. until 3
p.m. with Divine Mercy chaplet and
solemn benediction.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.
in church, or by appointment.

Baptism: Parents and godparents

refer to www.gscccg.org/sacraments/baptism for more information.

Marriage: Engaged couples begin
preparation at least six months before
wedding date. Schedule with parish
office.

POST-SUMMER CHALLENGES

With any luck, summer delights will continue a while past last weekend's Labor Day: refreshing recreation (with maybe an occasional swim) or enjoyable relaxation on the deck (with tasty outdoor grilling). Truth is, for some of us, this year's Labor Day came way too early. With many schools back in session for a while already, mealtimes and driving schedules needed readjustment to coordinate youth sports with adult commitments. Some religious education and parish programs resumed, too. No surprise, then, that this weekend's scriptures sound a little like post-summer challenges. For instance, Wisdom reminds us that believers in God can never be content with "timid deliberations" and "unsure plans." Paul challenges longtime friend and follower Philemon to "let the good you do be voluntary." Jesus instructs "great crowds" traveling with him—including us—on three things necessary for all true disciples to accomplish. On this early autumn weekend, our scriptures describe disciples' lifelong labors. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time; Grandparents Day
Monday:	St. Peter Claver
Wednesday:	Patriot Day
Thursday:	The Most Holy Name of Mary
Friday:	St. John Chrysostom
Saturday:	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Col 1:24 -- 2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday:	Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday:	Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab; Lk 6:20-26
Thursday:	Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 6:27-38
Friday:	1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Lk 6:39-42
Saturday:	Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Sunday:	Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

Second Collection/Priest's Retirement

There will be a second collection — the Diocesan Collection for Priest's Retirement— at all Masses this weekend. This is our opportunity to take care of the faithful and dedicated priests who have spent their lives caring for our spiritual and sacramental needs within our Diocese. Thank you for your support of our parish priests.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School News

If you are interested in Catholic education for your child, we have a few openings in 4th and 7th grade beginning in the 2019-20 school year. There is a one-time scholarship available for first time applicants. For more info and a tour, please contact the principal, Mrs. Marci Greene, (916) 684-7903.

It's not too late to join RCIA 2019-2020!

Learn about the Catholic faith, and prepare to receive the sacraments with us! Our classes are held each Sunday in the John Paul II Room, from 10:30 a.m. – 12 noon. Don't miss a single session! Registration closes at the end of September. Registration forms available at <http://gscceg.org/ministries/education-and-sacramental-preparation-ministries> and in the parish office. For more information, contact Valerie Ramos at Valerie.ramos@comcast.net or call (916) 317-9385.

Cursillo Men's Weekend is this September 19-22

If you have been wanting a closer walk with Christ and are seeking a better understanding of your faith, now is the time to sign up for a Men's Cursillo Weekend. The Cursillo Movement is based on piety, study and action and has been attended by millions of Catholics worldwide. It is fully endorsed and encouraged by the magisterium of the church. It involves many things including prayer, mass, study, learning, laughter and fellowship. The difference between Cursillo and other retreats is that it encourages people to remain growing in their faith (the 4th day) by meeting with others who have lived a weekend. This year's **Men's Weekend is September 19-22** at the Jesuit Retreat Center in Applegate. For more information please contact parishioners Monica Small (smallusf77@yahoo.com), or Maria Serpa (Serpamhome@gmail.com), or visit the Sacramento Cursillo website (sacramentocursillo.org). It will be a weekend that will be with you for the rest of your life!

Kinderchurch

We are still collecting teddy bears and stuffed animals for the Adopt-A-Bear booth for the Parish festival. Donations can be dropped off in the playpen in the narthex. Thank you for your donations!

Parish News

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- See upcoming activities
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Calendar

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St. Vincent de Paul News

We request that fresh food not be put in the wagon in the narthex. Also, please do not put expired canned goods, partially consumed foods, or medications of any kind in the wagon. We must follow strict guidelines on what can be safely distributed to those who come for food on Mondays. **We are also in need of paper grocery bags.** Thank you for your cooperation and continued support of those in need in our community.

The locker was closed on Sept. 2 in observance of Labor Day. SVdP locker hours are Mondays from 9:00—10:00 a.m. For assistance please call (916) 647-1243.



It's that time again . . . Fall festival time and SVdP is seeking donations of glass items for our booth which features the ever popular Coin Toss Game. We need glasses, vases, small bowls, cups, etc. We also need newspapers for wrapping the glassware. Please put your donations in the wagon in the narthex. Donations will be accepted through Sept. 15. Thank you in advance for your help.

Upcoming Events

Knights of Columbus Rosary Night of Prayer

The Knights of Columbus are promoting a Rosary Night of Prayer in honor of our Blessed Mother on **Thursday, September 12, at 6:30pm** in the Church. All parishioners and all Brother Knights are welcome. We offer this Rosary to Mary, the patroness of the Knights of Columbus. We ask for her intercession to pray for the end of terrorism and the promulgation of peace throughout the world. What a great opportunity for you to give thanks for blessings received, to pray for the sick in our parish family, or to pray for a special intention that you may have. Best of all, it gives us **all** an opportunity to pray the rosary together as a parish community. For more information contact SK Al Michel at almichel@surewest.net.

13th of the Month Rosary

Our 13th of the Month Fatima Rosary prayer will be on Friday, Sept. 13 right after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Please join us!

Forty Days for Life

Forty Days for Life runs Wed., Aug. 28 through Oct. 5. We meet after morning Mass each Tuesday, 9:30 in the Narthex. We welcome parishioners and friends to carpool/drive to the abortion facility on Franklin Rd. near Fruitridge Blvd. Stand on the sidewalk with signs, pray a Pro-Life Rosary, and pray and sing Divine Mercy Chaplet and Catholic songs. Thanks for your support!



Hearts of Compassion

Our Grief and Bereavement Ministry, "Hearts of Compassion," will offer seven Monday evening group sessions beginning Sept. 9 thru Oct. 21 from 6:30- 8:00pm. This outreach ministry provides support to parishioners and their family and friends who are experiencing the loss of a loved one. Led by grief peer counselors, the group will meet in the conference room. For more info, please call Suzanne Dodd, 916- 801-0561. All are welcome!

SAVE THE DATE: NOV 23 & 24 for the Knights of Columbus 10th Annual Arts and Crafts Faire. We are currently accepting applications for vendors wanting to participate in this year's event. Please email Edwin at edcamerino@gmail.com or visit the church office for an application.

Life Teen

Our Life Teen group will take a trip to Six Flags in Vallejo on Saturday, Sept. 14th for the OnFire NorCal Jam. Visit the Youth/Life Teen page on our website to sign up! Join our Life Teen group for Life Nights every week after the 5:00 p.m. Sunday Mass. All high school teens are welcome to join us! For updates on our events, join our texting list...**Text goodshepherd to 84576**. To listen to the music played at the Youth Mass visit www.gscceg.org/ministries/youth-life-teen to find our YouTube playlist of worship songs.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Sept. 7, 2019

5:00 pm

Bhonna Del Rosario (BD)
Anthony Bezmalinovich (+)
Venancio Del Rosario (+)
Teodulo Felicadario (+)
Tina & Manuel Marquez (+)
Daria Vida (+)

Sunday, Sept. 8, 2019

7:00 am

Rowena Pantig Astorga (SI)
Irene Gozon (SI-H)
Josie Quiambao (SI-H)
Conrado & Estela Gunabe (+)
Eduardo Quiambao (+)

9:00 am

Cita de Jesus Aco (+)
Cresencia Banayat (+)
Geronimo Banayat, Sr. (+)
Phero Hoang Bay (+)
Leo Licastro (+)

11:00 am

Gloria S. Amedeo (+)
Paul Erhard (DA)
Luisito Naval (DA)
Lucillano Oliva Sr. (+)
Pennamma Onnittan (+)

1:00 pm

Stella Syres (SI)
Loraine Barbee (+)
Melinda Daco (+)
Hera Hermosilla (+)
Vicente Teves Sr. (+)

5:00 pm

Baby Cruz (+)
Rolando Cruz (+)
Honor Eligio (+)
Julia Rivera (+)
All souls in purgatory (+)

Monday, September 9, 2019

8:30 am

Damaso Bergonia (DA)
Juanita Bergonia (+)
Nicolas Biaña (+)
Fe Santos (DA)

Tuesday, September 10, 2019

8:30 am

Marie Nicole Gatchalian (BD)
Mark & Vanessa Fabela (25 YR WA)
Anthony Bezmalinovich (+)
Charlie Jubis (DA)

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

8:30 am

Wilhelmina Baclig (BD)
Jennifer Refe (TG)
Bishop Francis Quinn (+)

Thursday, September 12, 2019

8:30 am

Friday, September 13, 2019

8:30 am

Audrey Angoco (SI)
Phillip Tuncap (SI)
Sabu & Mini Parathathu (TG)
Joe Avis (+)
Cayetano Daus (1 YR Da)
Sergio Vega (+)

Key:

Deceased (+) Thanksgiving (TG)

Death Anniversary (DA) Birthday (BD)

Special Intention (SI) Wedding Anniversary (WA)

(SI-H) Special Intention for healing

Stewardship at Good Shepherd

Collection total for Aug. 30/Sept. 1 will be included in next weekend's bulletin.

Why not make a change this fall in the way you support Good Shepherd? Sign up with eGiving through Faith Direct, which is the most convenient and secure way for you to make your weekly offering to Good Shepherd. Making either one-time or automatic contributions through Faith Direct will also save valuable time for both you and our parish staff. To enroll, please visit Faith Direct's website, www.faithdirect.net and use our parish code CA688. You can also fill out and mail a Faith Direct enrollment form in the parish office.

Thank you in advance for your support and for using Faith Direct!

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21st Annual Parish Festival NEWS

Road to Emmaus -



Annual Parish Dinner!

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the joy of what is
known to us in the
breaking of the
bread!

Saturday, Sept. 21, 2019

- Join us for this important friend/fundraiser which kicks off our festival weekend! Enjoy a delicious al fresco meal and stir your hearts as we journey on the **Road to Emmaus!** Dinner reservations go on sale next week!
- Thank you for pulling gift tags from our "giving trees" in the Narthex to donate to the auction! Do you have a timeshare, hotel points, or airline miles that you can donate to the Fall Festival? Do you have a special skill or business that could donate time or product? We are looking for donations for our auctions and raffles.

Road to Faith, Family & Love -



Annual Parish Festival!

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for the whole
family!!

Sunday, Sept. 22, 2019

- Enter your classic car in our car show on Sunday.
- Sponsor the festival and advertise your business!
- Volunteers needed! Journey with us on the Road to Faith, Family & Love!
- **Our next meeting is September 9 @ 6:30 p.m. in the St. Lucia Room.**
- **For more info, visit our website, www.gscceg.org!**



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