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We follow Christ by Living our Faith, Sharing Knowledge and Serving the Community.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 10, 2019



**Growing Our
Friendship
with Jesus**

The "Growing Our Friendship with Jesus" process was developed to take everyone where they currently are in their faith journey and help them grow their own relationship with Jesus. The planting process provides you with tools and practices that will help to use your daily prayer time. This process is for anyone looking to be more consistent and deliberate in their prayer life.

Wednesday Evening Plantings:

Opening Retreat: Sat, 2/16/19 9-12p.m. Parish Hall
1st Session: 2/20/19 at 7-8:30pm
2nd Session: 2/27/19 at 7- 8:30pm
3rd Session: 3/6/19 at 7- 8:30pm
4th Session: 3/13/19 at 7- 8:30pm
Closing Retreat: Sat, 3/23/19

Thursday Morning Plantings:

Opening Retreat: Sat, 2/16/19 9-12p.m. Parish Hall
1st Session: 2/21/19 at 9-10:30am
2nd Session: 2/28/19 at 9-10:30am
3rd Session: 3/7/19 at 9-10:30am
4th Session: 3/14/19 at 9 - 10:30am
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Nicaragua Registration Feb. 12th- 27th.



Registration for the July 6th-13th Mission trip to Nicaragua will open online on February 12th at 9:00 a.m.. Registration will remain open until February 27th, or until all 70 spots have been filled. The cost of the trip is \$1,350 per person. A non-refundable deposit of \$200 must be paid at the time of registration.

Holy Spirit is planning this trip to Nicaragua following a one year hiatus. While political turmoil in the country last year forced most missionary groups-like Holy Spirit to cancel their trips last summer, we anticipate groups returning in the spring. Our partner organization in Nicaragua, Amigos for Christ, has begun scheduling groups beginning this month.

This year all missionaries will be required to travel together, and minors of high school age must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

The trip will accommodate up to 70 missionaries on its group flight on Avianca Airlines on first come/first serve basis. All missionaries on this year's trip must fly on the plane with the large group.

Please direct questions you might have about the trip to Erik Plato at eplato@emailaccount.com.

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NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR



This weekend we launch our Annual Diocesan Appeal. I have had lots of parishioners ask why they should support the Bishop and Diocesan Offices in this year's appeal. This is especially important given the error in judgement that the retiring bishop, Bishop PJ McGrath, had in purchasing a house for retirement in Willow Glen. In the end, he sold the house and will be retiring into a currently owned diocesan property, no new purchase will be made. Another large factor that weighs on people's conscience is the whole handling of the sexual abuse scandal and the cover-up nationally by so many bishops. Even though we are one of the leading dioceses in how best to handle the sexual abuse scandal, it has still left its residue and bad taste for everyone, myself included.

All of the above is true. However, every parish relies on the services of the diocese to accomplish the work we do. They are our support team in all we do. We literally cannot survive without their services. If we attempted to do the work without the services from the Chancery Offices or Central Offices of the Diocese, it would cost us far more money. These essential services include the ongoing formation of our priests and staff, Human Resources for all staff, Financial Services, formation of the seminarians, technology services, support for our Catholic Schools, etc. I see firsthand the difference we make in the different parishes and they need it more than ever.

I liken their services to the electricity and water we all use in our homes. We need those services every day of every week of the year. The bills come once a month, but we need the services every day. While we would love to have a smaller electricity bill or water bill, we know it would be more expensive to do it on our own.



This seems a particularly good analogy as we all are frustrated with the way PG&E had a role in the fires that killed so many people. And there will be an additional cost to those settlements. Now that they have filed for bankruptcy, it is slowly becoming clear that every PG&E customer will share in the burden. We need to hold all those in management accountable for their mistakes and so we should. But we will still need electricity every day of every week of the year. Together we will rebuild the new PG&E and we will have a better system, but it will take time.

I also believe we need to hold all the bishops who made mistakes accountable for those errors in judgement. Together we will rebuild the Catholic Church and we will have a better church, but it will take time. Still we want our Church to continue because we believe in Christ and the good works that we do in His name. We will still need nourishment from the Lord every day of every week of the year.

I ask you to please support the ADA 2019 and maybe even more now than ever. Also remember every dollar over our goal comes back to our local parish community and we need that extra dollar amount to do the ministry of our parish. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for all your support every year.



When have you felt the joy of faith?

LIVING THE LITURGY



Priest, Prophet and King: the Call of Baptism

It is common, when thinking of priesthood, to think of ordained ministers of the clergy. However, there is a different kind of priesthood to which we are all called. It is also

common, when considering the prophets, to assume that all the prophets are simply the legends in the stories of the Bible. However, there is a different kind of prophecy that we are all called to proclaim. And when thinking of Kingship, it is common to think of crowns, jewels and wealth. However, there is a different kingship in which all are crowned.

This Priesthood, Prophecy and Kingship does not mean that we all are called to be Clergymen, to speak from the street corner or to rule over all the nations. This calling is a part of our Baptism as Christians. In the rite of Baptism, we are baptised in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, thereby removing the stain of sin and gaining for us the promise of eternal life through relationship with Jesus Christ. However, there is more to the Rite of Baptism than just being baptised in water.

In addition to being baptised with water, each person is baptised with the Oil of the Catechumens. During this anointing with oil, they are baptised "Priest, Prophet, and King," just as Jesus proclaimed in the Synagogue in the Gospel of Luke: *"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." Through this anointing with oil and by the power of the Holy Spirit, we are united with Jesus in his mission as a Priest - a mediator and bridge between God and humanity, a Prophet - a messenger sent to proclaim God's message to the world, and a King - a leader with the promise of God's grace for others.*

In our lives as the Church, we are all Priests, Prophets, and Kings through our Baptisms. And our mission is the same as Christ's mission: To be anointed, to live in the Spirit, and to bring glad tidings to the poor.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

M 2/11	Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56
T 2/12	Gn 1:20 -- 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13
W 2/13	Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23
TH 2/14	Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30
F 2/15	Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37
S 2/16	Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
SU 2/17	Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26



Weekend Masses

Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

Daily Mass / Communion Service

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.

Daily Holy Hour

Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m.

Daily Rosary

Monday - Friday 9:15 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation

8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration & Reconciliation

First Friday of the month
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturdays at 4:00 p.m.
or by appointment

MASS INTENTIONS

TH 2/14	8:30	Daniel McTeague † John James Walsh †
S 2/16	5:00	Eric McDonald †
S 2/17	9:30 11:30	Esperanza Alnas Maria Ricchio † Holy Spirit Parish

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who are ill:

Gene Conry,
Mary Houret
Dinah Lyle





Survival Sacks

We gather on the first and third Thursdays of the month to distribute Survival Sacks, organize supplies, make hygiene kits, and fill backpacks. Sacks are distributed to those who are homeless and living on the streets of San Jose, usually about 50 on each distribution day. Consider joining us on **Thursday, February 21st**. We meet at Sacred Heart at **8:45 a.m.** and finish up about **10:45 a.m.** For questions, please contact Tom Burgei and Patty O'Neil at tnburgei@yahoo.com.

Saturday at Sacred Heart



School aged children and older are invited to join us for our next Saturday at Sacred Heart. We will help in the Food Pantry and Clothes Closet, and anywhere else we are needed to help Sacred Heart prepare to serve their customers in the week ahead.

School aged children under 13 must be accompanied by a parent. Service hours can be earned.

Hope to see you at The Heart!

Join us on Saturday, Feb.,23, 2019!

Each year our parish and every parish in our Diocese is responsible for a portion of the financial obligation it takes to meet the ministry, programs and services of our Catholic Church. Together, we are able to reach so many more in need than our parish could ever reach alone. By now you should have received at your home, a personal invitation from Bishop McGrath and Bishop Cantu to participate in the 2019 Annual Diocesan Appeal, **Hand In Hand In Ministry**.

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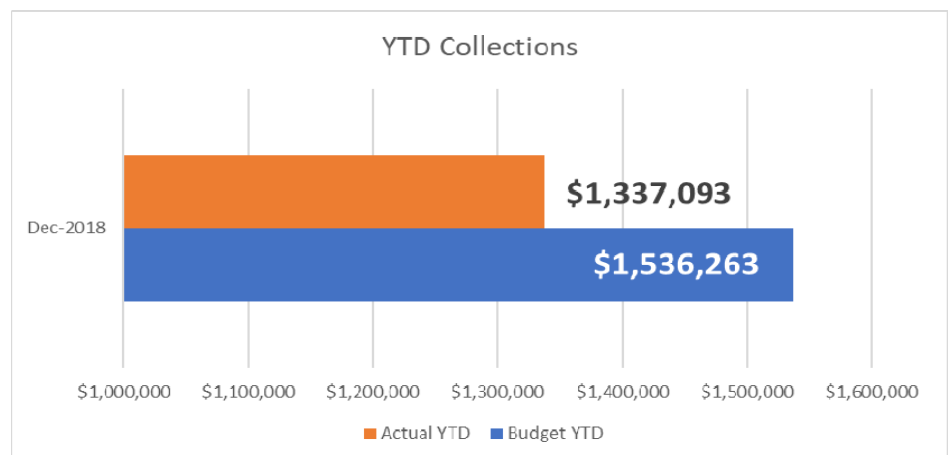
Please take the time to look through the brochure at the services, programs and ministries of our Diocese and the many people served through this joining of resources and wonderful generosity that has been shared. In partnership with Bishop McGrath and Bishop Cantu consider a gift/pledge to the Annual Diocesan Appeal, to benefit our parish and more importantly all our parishes in the diocese. Every gift is valuable. Sometimes it is hard to envision how your gift could make a difference in an organization the size of our Dioceses, but it does, each Catholic family, each parish, together, can fulfill the mission of our Church, to love and serve on another. In trying times our gifts from God may be more difficult to identify. God blesses each of us every day. No one can do everything, but everyone can do something. Thank you for continuing to support your parish and our diocesan faith community in so many ways.

Financial Stewardship

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace" (1 Pt 4:10)

A Christian Steward is one who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends to them in a responsible and accountable manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to the Lord. Each member of Holy Spirit Parish shares in the responsibility for its mission and is called to practice Stewardship of the Church.

Many of you have asked us to report more frequently on the fiscal state of our parish. The graph below will provide that reporting each month.



YOUTH MINISTRY

A big thank you to those who supported youth ministry by purchasing egg rolls last weekend. Because of your support, we raised close to \$1500! We are blessed to have such a supportive community.



3sixty High School Ministry

3sixty is back on after the 6pm Mass continuing the **Taking Care** series. This youth night will focus on taking care of the body. All high school youth are welcome to attend.

Next **Sunday, February 17th**, 3sixty will be in session for a social night! This fun night should not be missed!



EDGE Middle School Ministry

Our next Edge night will be on Wednesday, **February 13th**. All middle school youth are welcome to attend.



Confirmation Year 2

There will be no meeting this month however, the retreat is upcoming on **March 1-3**. It is an expectation that the candidates attend the retreat. Email Row at row.david@dsj.org for waiver forms.

FAITH FORMATION

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



Save the Date!
June 10 - 14, 2019

SCHOOL NEWS

Holy Spirit School

So much is happening at Holy Spirit School! Here is a sneak peek into some of our recent activities.

We welcomed new babies born to the Holy Spirit School community and presented them with their first piece of School Spirit Wear!



Our first College Bowl went into overtime when odd grades challenged even grades to a friendly BrainQuest competition.



PreK had a special visitor during "O" week. Students took turns handling, exploring and learning about octopus.



To learn more about Holy Spirit School, please call 408.268.0794 ext. 1118 or email maria.apodaca@dsj.org

PASTORAL CARE



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawls have less to do with staying cozy in the middle of winter, but everything to do with the need for prayers year round! Compassion and the love of knitting or crocheting are stitched together into a prayerful ministry and spiritual practice which reaches out to those in need of comfort and solace with warm and comforting prayer shawls. Our Parish shawl-makers work all year long to create lovely, comforting shawls rich with prayers and blessings for the recipient. Upon completion, a final blessing from one of our priests is offered before the shawl is sent on its way. Shawls can be used for: undergoing medical procedures; comfort after a loss and bereavement; during times of stress; prayer or meditation; birthing and/or nursing a baby; joyous bridal shower or wedding gift; during an illness and recovery; tireless ministering to others.

Were you anointed last week at our communal Anointing of the Sick? Know of someone fighting a medical battle or suffering from grief or loneliness?

Learn more about receiving or giving a compassionate Prayer Shawl from ministry chair Sandy Palodichuk at 408.268.7821.

Have questions about Pastoral Care and our parish ministries to those who are suffering? Call Leah Harris, Director of Holy Spirit Pastoral Care, at 408.997.5110.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Dates subject to change. View our complete calendar at: www.holyspiritchurch.org

MON 2/11	3:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Children's Choir Practice Faith Formation Class Parish Council Meeting Men's Faith Group AA Meeting	Church Parish Hall Parish Office Classroom 2 Classroom 3
TUE 2/12	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Nicaragua Registration Opens Women's Faith Group Funeral Mass for Michael McKenna Watercolor Workshop Women's Faith Group 3sixty Core Meeting SMOC Meeting	Website Parish Hall Church Classroom 3 Parish Hall Be Still Room Parish Office
WED 2/13	6:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Men's Faith Group Scripture Study-Revelation Music Practice Edge Youth Night	Parish Office Classroom 4 Church Parish Hall
THU 2/14	8:30 a.m.	Bishop at Mass	Church
FRI 2/15	9:30 a.m.	Al-Anon Meeting	Parish Hall
SAT 2/16	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Saturday at Sacred Heart GOFJ Rereat Baptisms Hospitality NO Children's Liturgy of the Word	Sacred Heart Parish Hall Church Courtyard Parish Hall
SUN 2/17	8:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Hospitality RCIA No Faith Formation NO Children's Liturgy of the Word Nursery Closed No Faith Formation Baptisms 3Sixty Youth Night	Courtyard Be Still Room Parish Hall Parish Hall Parish Hall Pre-K Room Parish Hall Church Parish Hall

Hospitality

All are invited to join us for Hospitality Weekend the third weekend of the month:

**Saturday after the 5:00 p.m. Mass
and Sunday after the 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30
a.m. Masses.**

Come enjoy light refreshments and fellowship with your faith community. Don't forget to wear your name badge and meet someone new!





JOIN US For a **FAMILY FUN DAY!**

To benefit Holy Spirit School!

Sunday, March 10th 11am-1pm

Bring the whole family after morning mass, for an afternoon of jump houses, volleyball, basketball, ping pong and more.

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Fun for all ages, and great for our community.

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www.Citybeach.com

Spread the Word!



"My Walk with Migrants as a Jesuit and Educator"

San Jose Catholic Professionals Invites All to Hear Fr. Kevin O'Brien, S.J. on **February 14th**. He will speak on his walk with migrants in the "Human Face of Immigration".

This Catholic Professionals event is held at Three Flames Restaurant at 7AM for Mass, followed by breakfast, networking and speaker's talk.

More info and RSVP at www.sjcatholicprofessionals.com



*Anointing of the Sick
followed by the
Sacrament*

Anointing — a Healing Ritual with Sacrament

Saturday, February 16, 2019
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish
Community Center
10110 N. De Anza Blvd., Cupertino, CA, 95014

St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish and Catholic Cemeteries present:

Anointing of the Sick – One of the seven sacraments offered to Baptized Catholics of all ages who seek recovery in body, mind, and spirit. There may still be a misunderstanding that this Sacrament is solely for those on their death bed, but that is not the case. This Sacrament can offer peace and courage to endure the sufferings of illness, as well as restoration of health according to God's will. Whether you are preparing for surgery, have a serious or ongoing condition, frail in old age or suffering from depression, come. May be received more than once.

All are welcome.

Presenter: Monsignor Joseph Milani

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