



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 14th, 2019

Faith Formation Registration is Now Open



2019-2020 Faith Formation Classes

Grades K-5

Class schedules are:

Sundays 10:45-11:45 am

or

Mondays 5:30 P.M. to 6:30 pm

Registration is now open

For those interested in First Reconciliation and First Eucharist preparation through the Domestic Church program at Holy Spirit, We ask that your child be at least in second grade and will be in their second year of religious education, (religious education for First Eucharist will start no earlier than first grade), either through Catholic School education or the parish Faith Formation classes prior to celebrating their First Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

You can register at: <http://bit.ly/faithformationreg2019>

Questions? Please contact Melissa Brush at Melissa.brush@dsj.org

WIDOWS
& WIDOWERS

WOW! PICNIC

Saturday

August 3, 2019

12:30pm - 2:30pm

Holy Spirit
Parish Hall

**Leave behind
the sand;
come celebrate
summer
at our annual
indoor picnic!**

**Guests are welcome,
Please RSVP
by 7/29
to Leah Harris
408-997-5110**

*WOW is a parish
pastoral care ministry
reaching out to all widows
and widowers
with fellowship events.*

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When is the last time you sat at the feet of the Lord to listen to him?



I want to continue my reflection on Bishop Cantu's anniversary homily that I started last week. Last week I spoke of his challenge to a "culture of vocations" and how we are all called by God to use the gifts that God has given to us for a particular vocation in life, each one doing so in a different way. We are all called to a unique vocation.

Bishop Cantu also challenged us to a "culture of encounter." He said, "this is a call to go to the peripheries of our experiences and to encounter those we don't normally encounter: those of other cultures, other faiths, other socio-economic groups. It is moreover, a call to encounter the "small people," the sometimes "invisible" people, beginning with the unborn, the homeless, the immigrant, the refugee, the troubled, the poor and the elderly, those who have no voice. As Pope Francis puts it, 'They all have something in common with us: they are images of God, they are children of God.'"

At Holy Spirit Parish I believe we have accepted this challenge of a "culture of encounter" for a number of years. Today, I write this bulletin as I sit in Nicaragua and we celebrate our 10th year of coming down here. We have 50 parishioners joining us and it is wonderful to be back serving with

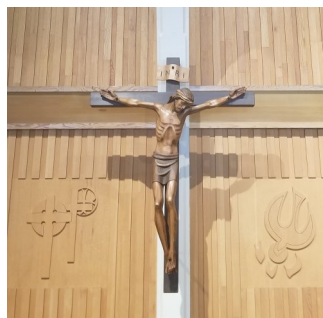


"Amigos for Christ" here in Chinandega. But not only that, we have been serving at Sacred Heart Community Services in San Jose for many years before I came to Holy Spirit Parish and since I have been here, we have intensified that service with 100's of volunteers every year from Thanksgiving to Christmas and every week in between. And we have also gone on national mission trips to New Mexico, Mississippi and for the last 5 years to East Texas.

On top of our mission trips locally, nationally and internationally we started the Village House in the Diocese with now over 14 local faith communities providing shelter and safety to 15 women monthly.

At Holy Spirit Parish, we have gone to the peripheries consistently and we continue to expand our presence to all we meet. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your continued commitment to serving others. We will continue to reach out to new "peripheries" and encounter Christ in others. See below the photo of all our missionaries on the top of the volcano on Sunday as we build community to go and serve others.

LIVING THE LITURGY



The Crucifix

Over the past few weeks, we have talked about prominent signs and symbols in the sanctuary. We said it is good to reflect on these sacred objects and images especially in this season of Ordinary Time.

Speaking of images, the images of the Lord Jesus, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and the Saints should be displayed for veneration in the church and should be so arranged so as to lead the faithful toward the mysteries of faith celebrated there.

The main image of the Lord Jesus is a crucifix, i.e. the figure of Christ Jesus crucified upon a cross. It is a reminder of Christ Jesus' Paschal Mystery and is positioned either on the altar or near it, where it is clearly visible to the assembly of the faithful. The crucifix may be suspended over the altar or affixed to the sanctuary wall.

A processional crucifix of sufficient size, placed in a stand visible to the people after the entrance procession, is another option. It may be used as the main sanctuary cross. However, if there is an existing fixed crucifix in the sanctuary, the processional crucifix must be placed out of the view of the assembly following the procession so to avoid duplication or it may be put away and place it in a dignified place during the celebration of the Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

M 7/15 Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

T 7/16 Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50

W 7/17 Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Mt 13:1-9

TH 7/18 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28

F 7/19 Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23

S 7/20 Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30

Su 7/21 Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-3, 6-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13



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

M 7/15 8:30 No Mass

T 7/16 8:30 No Mass

W 7/17 8:30 No Mass

TH 7/18 8:30 No Mass

F 7/19 8:30 No Mass

SA 7/20 5:00 Holy Spirit Parish

SU 7/21 8:00 Holy Spirit Parish

9:30 Sam Cancilla †

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who are ill:

Mary Kane

Bibi Katami

Phyllis Keeney

For those that have recently died:

Jim Donegan

Ed Linn

Kevin Young



Growing Our
Friendship
with Jesus

SEEL (19th Annotation) – The Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life

The Spiritual Exercises are a compilation of meditations, prayers, and contemplative practices developed by St. Ignatius Loyola to help people deepen their relationship with God. For centuries the Exercises were most commonly given as a “long retreat” of about 30 days in solitude and silence. In recent years, there has been a renewed emphasis on the Spiritual Exercises as a program for laypeople.

The most common way of going through the Exercises now is a “retreat in daily life (19th Annotation, SEEL),” which involves an eight-month long experience of daily prayer and weekly meetings with a Giver of the S.E.

Retreat will run from September 2019-May 2020.

Is the Lord calling you to know him more deeply? Are you interested? What to learn more?

Information Nights: Wednesday **July 31st** 7pm Parish Hall, Wednesday **August 21st** 7pm in the Parish Hall

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Pack-a-Back is Here!

We are currently collecting donations of new school supplies for **Sacred Heart’s Pack-a-Back** drive. You can help thousands of children start school ready to learn! If you have already donated, thank you. If you have not had a chance yet, there is still time. Donation bins are in the church during all masses **this weekend and next weekend**. You can also bring your items to the parish hall or office any time during the week. **See below for needed supplies.**



Volunteers will help sort, pack, and distribute supplies and backpacks at Sacred Heart. **Online signups are now open! Go to the Parish website to sign up for one of these shifts:**

Sorting Day, **Saturday July 27, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM:** Volunteers will sort and categorize donated supplies then help in another area of Sacred Heart. (Ages 9 and up.)

Packing Day, **Saturday August 3, 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM:** Volunteers will pack school supply kits into bags that will later be given out with a backpack of the child’s choice. (Ages 9 and up.)

Distribution Day, **Friday August 9, 9:45 AM to 1:00 PM:** Volunteers will give the school supply kits to pre-registered children and help them choose their new backpacks! (Ages 16 and up.)

Pack a Back Wish List: New Back Packs for any age- **No Red or Blue**

(Please consider donating a sturdy gray or black backpack for a teen. To keep all kids safe from negative associations with certain colors, teens are only given black or gray backpacks. The need is great for sturdy black or gray backpacks.)

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| Scientific Calculators | Crayons | USB Sticks |
| Ear buds | Ballpoint Pens | 3 Ring Binders |
| Glue Sticks | Pencils & Erasers | |
| Pocket Folders | Highlighters | |
| Rulers | Note Cards | |
| Spiral Notebooks | Scissors | |
| Packs of Wide Ruled Paper | Markers | |

And more! —for a full list, see <https://sacredheartcs.org/PAB>

Sacred Heart Community Service also has a wish list on Amazon. On the Amazon website, Search “Find a List or Registry” and enter “Sacred Heart Community Service.” You can even have your order delivered directly to Sacred Heart!

Please contact Alison Gibbons Chardos with any questions at Alison_gibbons@yahoo.com

Holy Spirit School

Together we discover faith, seek knowledge & experience community.

Holy Spirit School is out for summer break!!



We wish all our families, teachers and staff a restful break. Classes resume **August 14.**

Our summer office hours still allow us to offer tours if you or anyone you know is looking for a fantastic PreK through 8th grade program!

Holy Spirit is equipped with cutting edge technology, research-based teaching methodologies and data-driven instructional programs. The educational purpose of the Drexel System is to: provide robust & rigorous academic preparation & rich faith formation to cultivate and nourish each child & develop a scholar of sound moral compass.

Please call the office to schedule a private tour: (408) 268-0794 ext.1118



3sixty High School Ministry

3sixty is back on after the 6pm Mass for a fun game night! All high school youth are welcome to come and enjoy in fellowship.



Laser Tag Social

On Tuesday, **July 30th** 3sixty will be having a laser tag social night at Laser Quest.

Cost is \$30 which includes three rounds of laser tag, dinner, and snacks. Space is limited.

Contact Row at row.david@dsj.org, or 408-997-5106 for the waiver form or for more information.



Middle School Diocesan Youth Retreat

Registration for MSDYR is still open. This year's retreat will be held on **August 5-8, 2019**. It's open to all incoming 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. Information about the retreat, can be found at: <http://bit.ly/MSDYR2019ENG>

FAMILY PRAYERS

SIGN OF THE CROSS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



MORNING OFFERING

My God, I offer you today all that I think and do and say, uniting it with what was done on earth, by Jesus Christ, your Son.

GRACE BEFORE MEALS

Bless us, O Lord, and these your gifts which we are about to receive from your goodness. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



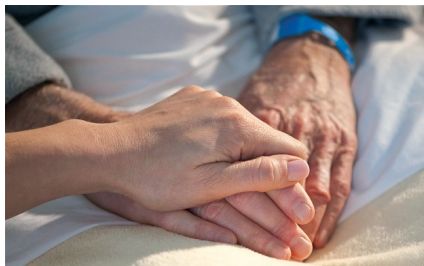
GRACE AFTER MEALS

We give you thanks, almighty God, for these and all your gifts which we have received through Christ our Lord. Amen



EVENING PRAYER

Dear God, before I sleep I want to thank you for this day so full of your kindness and your joy. I close my eyes to rest safe in your loving care.



Spiritual Support for Family or Friends Part 2 of 3

People who are very ill often ask spiritual questions, in seeking comfort, meaning and hope. While clergy and pastoral care ministers may play an important role in spiritual care, family and friends can offer important spiritual support too. If you have the opportunity to provide spiritual support for someone living with an illness, here are some suggestions:

People who are very ill often draw on their spiritual beliefs and experience as a source of strength. However, facing illness may also bring up a wide range of thoughts, feelings and questions.

Here are some questions people may ask:

- Who am I now?
- What am I thankful for?
- What is my relationship with family and friends?
- Is there anything I want to change in my relationships?
- Are there ways I need to ask for forgiveness?
- What do I regret?
- What do I fear?
- What makes me sad about my illness?
- What makes me angry?
- What is my source of strength?

WEEK AT A GLANCE

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

MON 7/15	9:30 a.m. 7:15 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	No Mass Prayer Shawl Ministry Men’s Faith Group AA Meeting	Classroom 3 Classroom 2 Classroom 3
TUE 7/16		Parish Hall Closed-Tenting No Mass	
WED 7/17		Parish Hall Closed-Tenting No Mass	
THU 7/18	8:45 a.m.	Parish Hall Closed-Tenting No Mass Survival Sacks	Sacred Heart
FRI 7/19	9:30 a.m.	No Mass Al-Anon Meeting	Parish Hall
SAT 7/20	9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Sacred Heart Saturday Children’s Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) Hospitality	Sacred Heart Parish Hall Parish Hall
SUN 7/21	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Hospitality after all Masses Children’s Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) Nursery 3sixty Youth Night	Courtyard Parish Hall Parish Hall Parish Hall

- When do I feel spiritually alive?
- How do I want my family and friends to support me spiritually?
- How do I want my clergy or parish to support me?
- Are there sacraments or rituals that are meaningful for me?

What books, music, prayers, readings, art are meaningful for me?

It is common for people living with serious illness to ask themselves these types of questions. As a “spiritual companion,” you can best support others by helping them explore these questions rather than providing the answers. Actively listening without sharing your own “story” is one of the hardest things to do, but one of the greatest gifts to give and receive. *(Content based on wehonorveterans.org)* For more information about Pastoral Care at Holy Spirit, contact Leah Harris, at 408-997-5110.

Hospitality Weekend

Please join us for Hospitality after the 5:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 Masses **next** weekend.

Come and enjoy light refreshments and fellowship with your faith community.

Don’t forget to wear your name badge and meet someone new!

If you need a new name badge, you can order one on the Holy Spirit website at www.holyspiritchurch.org/hospitality-weekend.



FUND-A-NEED

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Please help us by funding one (or more) of our many programs/projects. No amount is too small! Areas of need are (all costs are projected):

- **Media**
 - ☐ Videos/Photography-\$1,000/video
- **Liturgy & Prayer Resources**
 - ☐ Give Us This Day books-\$20,000/year
 - ☐ Bread & Wine supplies-\$300/quarter
 - ☐ Art & Environment supplies-\$3,000/year
 - ☐ Seasonal Banners-\$500 each
 - ☐ Christmas Trees-\$1,000
 - ☐ Missalettes-\$1,200/liturgical season
 - ☐ Altar Candles -\$500/quarter
- **Community Building**
 - ☐ Parish Picnic-\$2,000
 - ☐ Crab Feed-\$2,000
 - ☐ Hot August Nights-\$2,000
 - ☐ St. Patrick's Day Dinner/Dance-\$2,000
- **Catechetical**
 - ☐ Underwrite a Retreat-\$1,500
 - ☐ Vacation Bible School-\$2,500
- **Youth & Young Adult**
 - ☐ Underwrite a Retreat-\$1,500
 - ☐ Retreatant Sponsorship-\$150/youth
- **Facility Projects**
 - ☐ Roofing-\$90,000
 - ☐ Termite Tenting-\$15,000
 - ☐ Plumbing-\$10,000
 - ☐ Parking Lot Lights Conversion-\$19,000
- **General Need**
 - ☐ Variable Donation-Any amount of your choosing

Please prayerfully consider giving to any of these areas so that we may be able to continue to provide our wonderful programs to all who come through our doors.

Thank you for your continued generosity to the Holy Spirit Parish community!

For more information about these areas of need and to give, please visit:

www.bitly.com/hsp-fund-a-need



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