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Second Sunday of Easter

April 8, 2018



Easter Season

Mass and Brunch for Seniors

Come join us for the warmth of Hawaii...
a Spring Fling!

Saturday, April 21, 2018

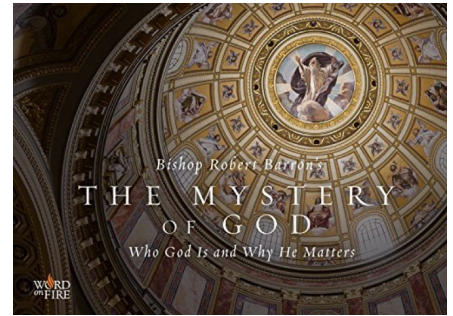
Mass: 10 am

Brunch: 11 am in Parish Hall

For Holy Spirit Parish Seniors



RSVP to Leah Harris
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lharris@dsj.org



The Mystery of God
April 12th – May 17th
9:15-10:30 a.m.
Parish Hall Library

Atheism is on the rise. Skeptical thinkers vigorously attack belief in God as irrational or, even worse, dangerous. The so-called New Atheism has attracted millions of young people.

How should Christians respond? How can we turn the tide of secularism and draw people back to God?

In this new six-part film series and study program, Bishop Robert Barron reaches into our rich intellectual tradition to teach us how. Using the insights of St. Augustine, St. Thomas Aquinas, Pope Benedict XVI, he uncovers a clear yet sophisticated understanding of what we mean by "God".

Who is God? And why does he matter? Join us for this series and you'll not only learn the answers yourself, but you'll discover how to share them with others - especially those who no longer believe.

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Question of the Week

What questions arise in my
heart about Jesus?

NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR



Last week the celebrations of Holy Week were the highlight of the year for me. Our staff and the many shared ministers and volunteers did an outstanding job in the many different ministries. I must confess that the celebrations seemed to be particularly well attended and those who came were so engaged. There was a certain sacred energy present in all the liturgies that I have not experienced so clearly before.

Émile Dirckheim defines "collective effervescence" as an "experience of connection, communal emotion, a sensation of sacredness that happens when we are part of something bigger than us." Collective effervescence definitely names what we experienced in the Holy Spirit parish community during Holy Week and in the Triduum. It was an amazing experience of community. Thank you for your willing and active participation that gave us an experience of collective effervescence.

In a special way, I want to acknowledge the Liturgy Committee who orchestrate so much of the work with their ministers in their respective ministries. At the head of that committee is Candice Lyle and Penny Warne. I want to thank Merry Reardon and her teams of ministers who work all year long to prepare the candidates and the elect. What a wonderful journey they have started! Thanks also to Jed de Torres for the beautifully prayerful Altar of Repose and to all the people who spent an hour with Jesus throughout the night. Praise God for so many willing hands to carry the load of work. Thank you all. Please express your gratitude to any minister you know who had a role.

In a special way, I want to acknowledge John Kellet and his music ministers. It was John's first Holy Week as a worship director and that is a daunting task for even the old timers. He did an excellent job with lots of moving parts and introduced some new musical instruments that gave us some new sounds and people loved it. Thank you John and all your team.

Easter Season is all about recognizing the risen Christ in our daily lives and being joyful for the many gifts puts in our lives. That often requires us to see with different eyes, eyes of faith. Thomas in today's gospel had to see to believe and it says "blessed are those who do not see and still believe." We see with eyes of faith and we still believe. It is important to continue to act out of faith and what we see. To be grateful for what we have each day and not look at what we do not have.

The risen Christ appears to the disciples and assures them of his continued presence in Spirit. He continues to one specific gift—peace. This peace is not a peace the world gives but is a deep peace within our soul; the complete assurance within our very being that what we experience in prayer is real for the whole world; a peace that allows us to be joyful despite the reality of pain and suffering in our lives; it is a peace that assures us that God is alive within us through his Spirit.

As we continue the Easter season, may we choose to live that peace and be grateful to others for the gifts in our lives. Today we choose to see with eyes of faith and accept God's peace.

Peace
be with
you

LIVING THE LITURGY



Thanks to Our Ministers

Anyone that had a large family gathering for Easter and had to make dinner knows how much work it is. There is a lot of planning and preparing things ahead of time as well as

cleaning the house and making it look good for company. There's a lot of effort that goes into this and there is also a lot of love too. There's a sense of satisfaction in making it a special occasion and seeing everyone come together in celebration and being well fed.

For our liturgy team, the Easter celebrations are like preparing a meal for a large family gathering. It's a lot of work and it takes a lot of planning and preparation to make our church a beautiful and prayerful place to worship. There are many people involved in the different liturgical celebrations. We are grateful to them for all they do.

To Jed de Torres, thank you for creating such a lovely and prayerful altar of repose. To the O'Neill family, thank you for leading the Holy Thursday feet washing ritual. To Teresa McCarthy, thank you for designing and creating our new Easter banners. A special word of thanks to Patricia Bilello, Sue Schill and the entire Art and Environment team for all they did throughout the Triduum celebrations. Another special word of thanks to the choirs and musicians that filled our church with music that was prayerful, joyous and inspirational.

Thanks to the liturgical ministry chairs for their efforts in planning and preparing for our celebrations. They are: Candice Lyle, John Greene, Sam Florio, Laura Smith, Julie Perrucci, Pam O'Klock, Ted Buskiewicz and Vani About. Special thanks to Katie Metzger and Penny Warne for their leadership and support.

To all the people who helped out at Easter, people in ministry as well as their families and other parishioners, **thank you for making our church a lovely, joyful and prayerful place to worship with one another.** Liturgy is the work of all the people. What makes it so special is that it is done with the spirit of community and family for all to share in the joy of the season. As a parish we are very grateful.

After a wonderful family meal, people feel like they have been welcomed and leave well fed. Our parishioners, their families and friends who attended our celebrations, were very welcomed and left our Easter services spiritually well fed.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- M Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
T Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
W Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21
TH Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
F Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
S Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21
SU Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48



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	8:30	Henry O. Peratta †
W	8:30	Frederick & Mona Lacey † John Coppola †
TH	8:30	Frank Mortin †
SA	5:00	Peg Baron † Daniel McTeague †
SU	8:00	Don Murray † Bill Koehmstedt †
	9:30	Holy Spirit Parish
	11:30	Otello Nobles Dino Kubiak †

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who are ill: Erin Bingham, Charlie Bowe, John Lee, Anya Svrcek



For those who have recently died: Mike Cloonan, Ryan Zirkle

STEWARDSHIP



"Welcome one another, then as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God." Romans 15:7

We welcome to our parish family:

Diego Heredia, Reina, Sophia and Gabriel Heredia-Montejano, and Angel Lemus

Alfredo and Catalina Nevius

Kevin, Nicole, Jackson and Sophia Peixoto

Jose, Monica, Alexander and Nikolas Pria

Please take the opportunity to welcome these parishioners when you see them at Mass. If you are welcoming to all whether or not they are familiar to you, you will end up welcoming our new parishioners too. Please remember to wear your name badge as it helps to make a connection with others. If you have lost your name badge please stop by the Ambassador table to order a new name badge.

SECOND OFFERINGS

April 15th	Holy Spirit School
April 22nd	Religious Retirement Fund
April 29th	Home Missions

Thank you to all who generously donated toward our Easter flowers. Some donations were made in loving honor/memory of:

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Kirk Mason	Pierre & Virginia Zorio
Bill, Irene & Dan McCarthy	Charles, Onilia & Sylvia Zorio
Msgr. Leo McFalden	Lou Zorio
Charlie McFall	Fr. Tom
Jean & Frank McParland	



Faith Formation Registration

Registration for the 2018-2019 year will open **April 15th** online for:

- Kindergarten through 5th grade Faith Formation classes
- Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation / First Communion (year 2)

More information to come! For questions, please contact Merry Reardon at mreardon@dsj.org.



**Save the date!
Scripture Study
David the King**

Join us for an exciting new Scripture Study by Bishop Robert Barron on David the King. Learn how David's kingship recalls that of Adam and also points us toward the one true King, Jesus Christ.

This seven session study is open to all. **Starts Wednesday, May 9th, 9:15 to 11:00 a.m.**

For questions, please contact Merry Reardon at mreardon@dsj.org.



**Diocesan Youth Retreat (DYR):
Stand By Me**

The annual retreat will take place on **June 11th-15th** at the lovely retreat site at Zephyr Cove in South Lake Tahoe. Last summer, there were 250 high school youth and 60 leaders. It was awesome to see so many people. Youth from 8th grade to 12th grade are invited to attend. **Registration is now open.** For more information, contact Row at r david@dsj.org.

**Spring Pancake Breakfast
Fundraiser**

The Spring Pancake Breakfast will be on **Sunday, April 22nd from 8:30-11:30 a.m.** All proceeds will go directly to youth ministry. No pre-sale tickets will be sold...just come the morning of the 22nd in the Parish Hall.

3sixty High School Ministry

Happy Easter!! 3sixty is back on **this weekend** after the 6:00 p.m. Mass for an Easter Social! Come relax and enjoy!

Edge Middle School Ministry

The next Edge night will be on **Wednesday, April 11th.** All middle school youth are welcome to attend.



Another Amazing Auction

Once again, the Holy Spirit School community has shown its unwavering support for our mission and our students. Our annual spring auction, "Down the Bidding Hole," an Alice in Wonderland themed affair on March 24, was an overwhelming success! Not only was the event a lot of fun for all who attended, the generosity of our donors and sponsors will help our efforts to expand our STEM program in the lower grades AND update our sports uniforms. Thanks to all who attended, but a special thanks to all of the countless volunteers who helped make it possible.

At major events like these, the guidance and direction of the main parent volunteer leads are critical. Our two Co-Chairs, Katie Schrick and Carin Santikul did



an outstanding job in helping to pull it all together. Finally, postponing her imminent childbirth to spend the evening with us, Colleen Bedell, as our Auction Chair, went above and beyond to provide us all with a most memorable event. We could not have done it without her!

PARISH ACTIVITIES

WEEK AT A GLANCE

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

MON	9:15 a.m. 3:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Small Community of Faith Children's Choir Practice Music Practice Parish Council Meeting ESL at OLR Men's Faith Group AA Meeting	Parish Hall Library Church Church Parish Office OLR Classroom 4 PK1 & Parish Hall
TUE	9:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Women's Faith Group Watercolor Group Suicide Loss Bereavement Women's Faith Group 3sixty Core Team Meeting SMOC Meeting ESL at OLR	Parish Hall Parish Hall & CR4 Parish Hall Library Parish Hall Classroom 2 Parish Office OLR
WED	6:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Men's Faith Group Edge Youth Night ESL at OLR	Parish Hall Library Parish Hall OLR
THU	5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Music Practice ESL at OLR	Church OLR
FRI	9:30 a.m.	Al-Anon Meeting	Parish Hall
SAT	9:30 a.m.	Small Community of Faith	Parish Hall Library
SUN	7:00 p.m.	3sixty Youth Night	Parish Hall



Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose
Center for Education & Spirituality
present:

Spirituality of Creativity with Father Arthur Poulin

Saturday, April 14th

Dominican Center
43326 Mission Circle, Fremont (entrance off Mission Tierra)

9:00-11:30 a.m. Presentation

1:00-3:00 p.m. Open Gallery with the Artist.

Refreshments available for purchase after the presentation, for those attending the Open Gallery at 1:00 p.m.

Cost is \$20. RSVP by April 9th at http://bit.ly/2018_FrPoulin or call 510-933-6360.

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Series Based on Alpha Live Talks

**Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
Starting April 11, 2018**

Holy Family Parish
4848 Pearl Avenue in San Jose
408-265-4040

April 11th
Who is Jesus?

Deacon Ray Gans

April 18th
Why Did Jesus Die?
Sr. Nikopoia

April 25th
How Can I be Sure of My Faith?
Rilene Simpson

April 28th
Holy Spirit Day, 9:15 a.m.
Breakfast & Lunch to be served
Ends with 5:30 p.m. Mass

May 2nd
How and Why Should I Pray? How
And Why Should I Read the Bible?
Deborah Trevisan

May 9th
How Can I Resist Evil? Does God
Heal Today?
Gary & Jeanette Miskimon

May 16th
Why And How Should We Tell
Others? How Can I Make The Most
Of The Rest Of My Life?
Mimi Bini



Seasons of Hope

Holy Spirit Grief Consolation Group

After the death of a loved one, our Catholic community continues to be a place of comfort and hospitality for grieving parishioners.

Next 6-week series beginning April 11
Wednesday evenings, April 11– May 16
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Parish Office Conference Room

Join others who are experiencing grief for scripture, prayer, faith sharing and hospitality.

Holy Spirit Church, 1200 Redmond Avenue, San Jose 95120
Please RSVP to: Leah Harris, Director, Pastoral Care,
408-997-5110, lharris@dsj.org.
Please call for more information.

Suicide Bereavement Support Group



Finding your way through the wilderness of grief after a suicide loss

- Honoring Your Way
- Seeking Understanding
- Moving Through
- Finding Strength & Hope

Out of the Wilderness
Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
April 10 - May 15, 2018

Holy Spirit Church, 1200 Redmond Ave, San Jose
Parish Hall *Be Still Room*
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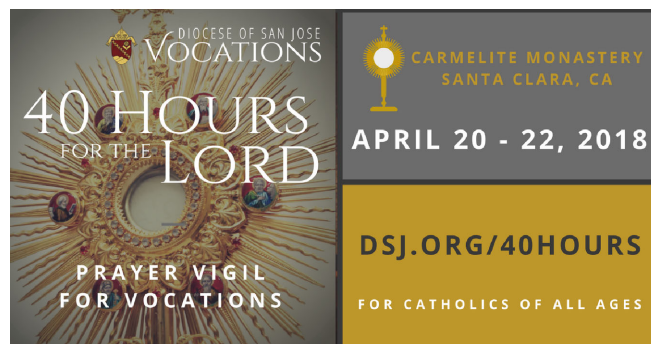
A Time for You - A Retreat Day for Caregivers

April 21st, 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Location: Santa Teresa Parish

For anyone who is a caregiver, near or afar. A retreat day focused on compassion, self-care and balance while walking with someone who suffers. Receive practical and spiritual support, while enjoying a sacred time to renew, rejuvenate and replenish your mind, body and spirit.

For more info and to register, call 650-428-3730. RSVP by April 17th.



40 Hours for the Lord: Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations

Pope Francis has asked us to pray for Vocations on Sunday, April 22nd. Catholics of all ages are invited to spend

time with Jesus at the Annual 40-hour Vocations Prayer at the Carmelite Monastery in Santa Clara, hosted by the Diocese of San Jose Vocations Office. Bring family and friends to spend an hour with our Lord, asking Him to call more of our young people to service as priests, deacons and religious.

The 40 Hours will begin Friday, April 20th at 5:00 p.m. with an Opening Mass. The monastery chapel will be open all night and all day for prayer. The Closing Mass with Bishop Patrick J. McGrath is on Sunday, April 22nd at 10:30 a.m. Learn more at www.dsj.org/40hours.



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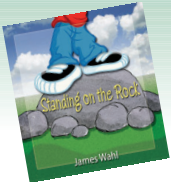
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