

**WE ARE A EUCHARIST CENTERED PEOPLE WHO, AS THE BODY OF CHRIST, LIVE OUR FAITH IN WORD AND DEED BY SHARING OUR TIME, TALENT, AND TREASURE TO SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER AND SERVE THOSE IN NEED.**

**October 29, 2017**

<u>Mass intentions during October 30th - November 5th</u>			<u>Liturgical Ministers on the weekend of November 4th – November 5th</u>		
Mon.	8:00	Josephine and Gus Balistreri	Sat. 5:00 pm	- Lector	James Cameron
Tues.	8:00	Juan Carlos and Rahma Porras (L)		Eucharistic	Harriet and Brian Mullan, Raeanne Facendini
Wed.	8:00	Robert Camozzi II (L), Paula Moore		(Cup)	Katie Facendini, Adrienne Paskal, Anna Santos
		Joseph Fitzgerald, Holy Souls		Altar Minister	(CB)Dominic Alonzo(1)Alexa Ruiz(2)John Caballero
		Mike Curutchet, Janice Corda	Sun. 7:30 am	- Lector	Andy Isetta
Thurs.	8:00	Martin Brouillon, Ada Amador		Eucharistic	Gloria Marcucci, Michael Filice, Mary McCaffrey
		Francisco Gonzalez Granada		(Cup)	Marie Fletcher, Betty and Ross Hicks
		Joseph Fitzgerald, Holy Souls		Altar Minister	(CB)(1)Konnor Rodnick(2)Kameron Rodnick
	7:30	Frances and Fitzhugh Moore	Sun. 9:00 am	- Lector	Heather Fanning
	8:00	Edith Minerva Diaz Jimenez		Eucharistic	Linda Mahoney, David and Julie Lee
Fri.	8:00	Jodi Fitzgerald (L), Quintin Ponce Jr. (L)		(Cup)	Christine Bessmer, Anne Jones, Nancy Mughannam
		Joe Fitzgerald, Holy Souls		Altar Minister	(CB)(1)Kieran Pedersen(2)Meg Rawson
Sat.	8:00	Gloria "Cookie" Zahra and Family	Sun. 10:30am	-Lector	Alice Forsyth
		Joseph, Joe, Grace Fitzgerald, Holy Souls		Eucharistic	Kathy Atkinson, Evelyn Adams, Denise Lampiere
	5:00	Mose Ricci, Pat Vachini		(Cup)	Ettamarie Petersen and Jim Carr
	7:30	Por La Paz, Berenise Marquez (L)		Altar Minister	(CB)(1)Jenna Mankowski(2)Elena Mankowski
		Marlen Kristen Velez			
Sun.	7:30	Joe Fitzgerald, Mary Moore Grala, Holy Souls			
		Joao and Margarida Galego			
		Manuel and Beatriz Cabral			
	9:00	James Ciolino, Edward Anacleto			
	10:30	Pat Peck			
	12:00	Maria De Jesus Canderio Rodriguez			

**DIA DE LOS MUERTOS/DAY OF THE DEAD** - Candlelight Procession with Giant Puppets on Saturday, October 28th from 4:00-9:00 pm, Petaluma Historical Museum, 20 4th Street. Procession starts at 4:00 pm at 100 Petaluma Blvd. N. and ends at Petaluma Historical Museum. Festivities include live music, Ballet Folklorico, Aztec dancers, food and art, a children's activity area, and much more. For more information, call Abraham Solar at 762-4278 or go to [www.petalumamuseum.com](http://www.petalumamuseum.com).

**On Thursday, November 2nd, the Church celebrates the Feast of All Souls**, a day set aside to honor and pray for our loved ones who have gone before us, marked with the sign of Faith. Catholic Cemeteries wishes to invite all of those who have loved ones entrusted to our care, to join us on that day for the celebration of a special Mass which will be held at the following cemeteries:

10 am (English) and 1pm (Spanish) at Calvary Cemetery in Santa Rosa, 2930 Bennett Valley Road  
 Celebrant: Most Reverend Robert F. Vasa, Bishop and Celebrant: Fr. Raul Lemus (Spanish Mass)

**10 am at Calvary Cemetery in Petaluma, 304 Magnolia Avenue. Celebrant: Fr. John Griffin**

10 am Holy Cross Cemetery in Saint Helena, 2121 Spring Street

Celebrant: Fr. Gordon Kalil

Catholic Cemeteries invites you to join us for Mass to honor the service of all U.S. Veterans. **VETERANS DAY MASS**, Saturday, November 11th, 10 am, Calvary Cemetery in Santa Rosa, 2930 Bennett Valley Road, Celebrant: Fr. John Griffin. Refreshments to follow Mass.



**THE SPANISH COMMUNITY** invites you to participate in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament that is held every third Saturday of the month after the 7:30 pm Spanish Mass. Everyone is welcome!

**TUESDAY NIGHT STUDY SERIES** - James is one of the most practical books of the Bible. Its teachings speak loudly to those who feel torn between the competing demands of this world and their faith. This study offers "pearls for wise living" by applying the wisdom of James to our current day. For anyone who has struggled to live a truly Christian life, James offers a wealth of practical solutions for handling and even sanctifying everyday circumstances. Join us for *James: Pearls for Wise Living* at St. Vincent de Paul Parish in the Parish Hall (corner of Western Avenue and Howard Street) from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm every Tuesday through November 21st. For more information or to register for the study, call the Rectory at (707) 762-4278 or email: [jferrispetaluma@gmail.com](mailto:jferrispetaluma@gmail.com)

**ST. ELIZABETH SETON Women's Guild Rummage, Crafts and Baked Goods Sale.** The Women's Guild is hosting a Rummage sale which includes crafts and baked goods on Saturday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am to 6:30 pm and Sunday, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm in the parish hall. They are also raffling several themed baskets and a hand-made quilt. The raffle drawings will be held Sunday, Nov 5<sup>th</sup> at the end of the sale. You do not need to be present to win. Tickets will be sold at all masses and during the event. Bring your family and friends. There is something for everyone! Hope to see you Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>, St. Elizabeth Seton, 4595 Snyder Lane, Rohnert Park.

**THE CATHOLIC ADULT SINGLES ASSOCIATION OF MARIN** is a group of 50+ single or single again Catholics who are interested in making new friends, taking part in social activities, sharing opportunities for spiritual growth and becoming involved in volunteer projects that will benefit our parishes, our community, and one another. We welcome those who are interested. For membership and event information, please call Bob at 415 897-0639.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30TH – NOVEMBER 5TH**



Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17  
Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21  
Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a  
Thursday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40  
Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6  
Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11  
Sunday: Mal 1:14b — 2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1-3; 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12

**Religious Education/ Spiritual Formation Classes** – It is time to register or re-register! **We offer an intergenerational process for all parish members.** All families are warmly welcomed and invited to join our Family Centered Religious Education process. The goals are to encourage and equip you to live and teach your children the Catholic Faith at home. We will share all the knowledge and tools you need to bring your children up in the Faith. As we begin our 12<sup>th</sup> year of our study of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, we will focus on Our Creed for the 2017 – 2018 school year.

**FAMILY PROGRAM** – the Wednesday classes are still available for sign ups. Sessions are once a month from 5:45 pm to 7:50 pm in the parish hall. Families who want their children to receive these Sacraments in the spring of 2019 need to register this year. If your child has completed the first year and is now ready for the second year of the sacramental process, please call RoseMarie Woodruff at 762-4278 ext. 14 for an appointment.

**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN** - is offered during the 9:00 am mass for children in Grades 1 through 6. These scripture sessions go year-round. No registration is required. Open to all children in this age group.

**SUNDAY PRESCHOOL classes are on Sundays** during the 9:00 am mass held upstairs in the Parish Hall. It is a great way to have little ones participate, hear God’s word, sing, ask questions, and have a great time. Classes are for 3, 4, 5, and 6 year-olds (if in kindergarten).

**FOR ALL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS:** registration forms are available at the entrance of the church, to your right. For more information, call RoseMarie Woodruff at 762-4278 ext. 14.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** Christmas Card Sale begins next weekend November 5th and 6th. Come and see after Mass. Help support the Santa Rosa Diocese seminarians.

**Standard Time** **NOVEMBER 5TH IS DAYLIGHT SAVING.** Set your clocks back one hour.

**ST. VINCENT'S PARISH/CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE – 2017**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
Parish Reconciliation Service  
Tuesday, Dec. 5, 7:00 pm

**Sunday, Dec. 24**

Regular 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am. (English)  
12:00 pm (Spanish)

**Christmas Eve**

4:00 pm - Children’s Mass  
6:00 pm - English mass  
7:30 pm. - Spanish Mass  
12:00 am - Midnight Mass

**Christmas Day: Monday, Dec. 25**

8:00 am, 10:00 am (English)  
12:00 pm (Spanish)

**PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

Last Sunday’s offering:  
Sunday Basket: \$9,217  
On-Line Giving: 3,256  
Total: \$12,473

The second collection for the Maintenance Fund was \$3,727.

Maintenance Update: We have a new wooden Craftsman style screen door that has been painted and installed at the front entry of the Rectory to replace a screen door that had been vandalized. The Church carpet is scheduled for cleaning the first week in November.

Thank you for your generous donations.

**THIS WEEKEND** there will be a much-needed second collection for the **St. Vincent de Paul Society**. We truly need your support to provide food for the needy people living in our parish area. Each month we give \$15 food vouchers to over two hundred families. Your financial support makes this worthy mission possible. If you would like to join our small group, please call Jim Dougherty at 762-7216.

**PARISH SCHOOL NEWS**  
**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HIGH SCHOOL**

Open House has been moved to Sunday, November 5th, from 10-12 pm. SVHS is a Catholic coeducational college preparatory high school, celebrating 100 years. For the past 10 years more than 95% of our graduating class has matriculated to college. The Western Association of Schools and Colleges visiting team reported St. Vincent as the “Friendliest School in America.” Please call 763-1032, ext. 113 for more information. You can register at: <https://www.svhs-pet.org/admissions/open-house/>

**NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS** for the Fall of 2017 for grades K-8. Please visit our website at [www.SVELEM.org](http://www.SVELEM.org) or call 762-6426 for information on tours, shadow days and applications.

**ALL SAINTS DAY**, November 1st Holy day of Obligation. Mass schedule: 8:00 am, 6:00 pm English and 7:30 pm Spanish.

**THE RECTORY OFFICE** will be closed on Wednesday, November 1st, All Saints Day.

**ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCE ENVELOPES** are available at all entrances of the Church. You may write the names of your loved ones on them. During the month of November, the Remembrance Book will also be available. We remember our loved ones and honor their memory with great respect as we pray for them.

**CONGRATULATIONS** - to Vincere Valentine Fahy and Enzo Maximilien Lofaro who received the Sacrament of Baptism.



**ST. VINCENT’S CHURCH** has weekly Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursdays after the 8:00 am daily mass until 12 noon. Funerals or other Eucharistic celebrations may overrule the Exposition. Monthly Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Spanish is held the first Saturday of every month after the 7:30 pm Mass until 6:00 am. Please use the sacristy door. All are welcome.