

**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.**

**Sunday, August 7, 2022**

**Mass intentions during August 8th– August August 14th**

Mon.	8:00	Oscar Covarrubias (L), Kallen Doherty and Family (L) David Covarrubias
Tues.	8:00	Wilfred and Helen Fatooh
Wed.	8:00	Dave Berg and Family (L) Ruben Sala and Family (L) Lorenzo Marcucci
Thurs.	8:00	Paul Bonardi
Fri.	8:00	Vernon Rose
Sat.	8:00	San Antonio de Padua
	5:00	Ronald Ohlander
	7:00	Pro Populo
Sun.	7:30	-
	9:00	Lindy Borges, Edward Anacleto
	10:30	-
	12:00	Familia Gutierrez-Enriquez (L) Jesus y Irineo Perez, Eloisa Gutierrez Porfirio Sandoval, Antonio Guzman Francisca Vera, Antonio Munoz Maria Guadalupe Munoz

**FAITH**

Our readings today explore how faith begins and how faith works. Faith begins with God's initiative of love, together with God's promise about the future. The passage from Hebrews urges readers to have an assured confidence in God, who promised and delivered a lasting legacy to Abraham. The book of Wisdom reminds readers of the God who promised and delivered freedom from slavery during the Exodus. In the Gospel passage from Luke, Jesus begins with the promise that "your Father is pleased to give you the Kingdom," before describing how to live faithfully during times when God seems absent. God's promises mean that God is fully invested in our future. Living in these promises, we can confidently let go of fear and insecurity. We can anticipate that when God intervenes in our lives, it will be for our benefit. And we can become God's partners in fulfilling these divine promises.

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**PRAYER OF THE WEEK**

Almighty ever-living God, whom, taught by the Holy Spirit, we dare to call our Father, bring, we pray, to perfection in our hearts the spirit of adoption as your sons and daughters, that we may merit to enter into the inheritance which you have promised. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.



**VILLAGE NETWORK OF PETALUMA - PROGRAMS FOR AUGUST**

**Online calendar at <https://petaluma.helpfulvillage.com/events>**

Most of our programs and interest groups are designed for members and active volunteers. Social events and some interest groups welcome guests for one session to learn more about becoming a member and/or volunteer in the Village community. If you are interested in learning more about membership or volunteering, come to a "Get to Know the Village" monthly info meeting or contact us at [info@VillageNetworkofPetaluma.org](mailto:info@VillageNetworkofPetaluma.org) or 707-776-6055.

**American Dude Ranch: A Touch of the Cowboy and the Thrill of the West**

Thursday, August 11, 1:00 - 2:30 pm on Zoom.

You might think the dude ranch is simply a place where city dwellers pretend to be cowboys in amusing and inauthentic ways. But the history of this original Western vacation is much more interesting. Movies, food, literature, clothing, and the role of women are just some of the ways that dude ranching has influenced the way we live. Will include the history of dude ranching in Sonoma County, from Cloverdale to Glen Ellen. Register by August 10 at 707-776-6055, or [www.villagenetworkofpetaluma.org/events](http://www.villagenetworkofpetaluma.org/events).

**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. Please come to a planning meeting. In our effort to offer interesting and enjoyable events for the members of the Catholic Adult Singles Association, we need your ideas and support. Share your ideas with us, and maybe suggest and support an event. It's really easy. And, if you're unable to attend a meeting, but have an idea or would like to suggest an event, just call Bob (415 897-0639) with your information. Make a point to come in your birthday month, and we will all help you celebrate and get to know everybody.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 8TH- AUGUST 14TH



Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27  
 Tuesday: Ez 2:8 - 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131;  
 Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14  
 Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26  
 Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1  
 Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12  
 Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15  
 Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

**OUR SYMPATHIES** go out to the family of Rita Ann Laporì who passed away on July 23. May her soul of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

**THE DIOCESE OF SANTA ROSA** - invites everyone to attend the annual Santa Rosa Religious Education Congress on Saturday, September 24, 2022. This event is free. This year's theme is **"The Church and the Most Holy Eucharist."** Workshops are in English and Spanish. Come hear great speakers. For more information, check out the diocesan website @ [www.srdioocese.org](http://www.srdioocese.org)



**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held after weekday mass at 8:45 am, with Benediction starting at 9:45 am and ending at 10 am.



**CONFESSIONS** are held in the church on Saturdays at 3:30 pm. Must wear a mask. You can also call the rectory office at 707-762-4278 and ask for a priest to schedule an appointment during the week.



**ARE YOU NEW TO THE COMMUNITY?** Do you live in Petaluma and want to register and receive Sunday offering envelopes or sign-up online for electronic giving? We have registration forms on the front porch of the rectory. For more information, call the rectory at 707-762-4278.

**ST. EUGENE'S CATHEDRAL** has greatly expanded their shop and is carrying many new items. Visit the Cathedral Books and Gifts shop for Catholic books, bibles, rosaries, jewelry, statues, religious gifts, gifts for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, and more! Cathedral Books and Gifts shop, 2323 Montgomery Drive, Santa Rosa CA, 95405. For more information, call (707) 542-0250 or email: [steugenegiftshop@outlook.com](mailto:steugenegiftshop@outlook.com).



**PETALUMA CATHOLIC CEMETERY** is looking for a Family Services Advisor. This office position is scheduled 9:30 am to 2:30 pm Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. To apply please email: [ange-la@dsrcem.org](mailto:ange-la@dsrcem.org) or call 707-546-6290.



**PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

Last Sunday's offering:

Sunday Basket	\$6,163
On-Line Giving	3,436
Total	\$9359

The Collection for St. Vincent de Paul Society was \$3,981



**ONLINE GIVING** - To sign up for online giving with a debit card, credit card, or a check, go to <http://www.svdppetaluma.org> and look for the red "Donate" button on the upper right of the front page. Once you get there, follow the prompts to create a new account.



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

**HOST AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT**

We are in need of host families in the area for students from Germany, France, China, Belgium and Austria who will attend St. Vincent de Paul High School for 3 or 9 months this fall. Find out how you can bring the world to your own home by emailing us at [International@svhs-pet.org](mailto:International@svhs-pet.org). Our International Mustangs are wonderful ambassadors for their homelands and are valuable members of our campus community.

**Looking for a Truly Special High School Experience?**

Visit our website ([svhs-pet.org](http://svhs-pet.org)) to learn more and find out how to apply. Call 707-763-1032 x113 to schedule a tour. Mark your calendar for our Fall Open House on Sunday, October 23rd at 1:00 pm. All are welcome!



**Don't Let Your Kids Get Bored This Summer...** Check out our awesome art and sports camps at [www.svhs-pet.org/camp-of-champions](http://www.svhs-pet.org/camp-of-champions)

**Are you a Mustang Alumnus?**

Consider holding your class reunion on campus this year. For more information about any of these announcements, email Kerry Pedersen at [kpetersen@svhs-pet.org](mailto:kpetersen@svhs-pet.org). **Go Mustangs!**



**PLEASE PRAY FOR** — Jaime Guerrero, Quintin Ponce Jr., Rose Wooley, Nancy Boyd, Mercedes Vargas, Blas Calvillo, Lucelia Fish, Judy Spencer, Kim Williams, Flor Maria Naal, Maria Ponce, Melody Packett-Souza, Bethany Pham, Rick Facendini, Clemencia Barreto, Dominic Ortiz, Jose Arango, and Kaeli Sammon.

