

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.

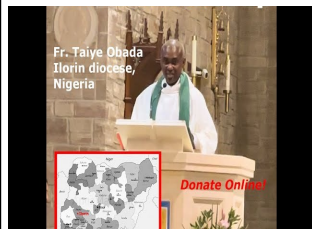
June 29, 2025

<u>Mass intentions during June 30th - July 6th</u>			Sts. Peter And Paul, Apostles Matthew 16:13-19
Mon.	8:00	Azucena Jumamel, Emmanuel Cabergas	What do you call brothers who are born on the same day? Twins, of course. That is what we celebrate today in the inestimable saints, Peter and Paul. Wait: twins? Yes. The early Church believed that Peter and Paul were martyred in Rome on the same day. Since the day of martyrdom is celebrated as a saints' birth into eternal life, the result is striking: Peter and Paul are twins in God's family, the Church.
Tues.	8:00	The Tinoco Lopez Family (L) The Alcaraz Calvillo Family (L) Mark Kostielney, Joe Piasta, Jose Antonio Ocaña	
Wed.	8:00	The Alvarez Porras (L), Linda Chipman (L)	Who should care about this? Well, anyone who longs to live in a world marked by love and peace. Remember, the Romans believed that twins, Romulus and Remus, founded their city through an act of fratricide, the former murdering the latter. Sadly, the structures of this fallen world emerge through violence between those who should love each other. But in the Church, a new city has been founded upon this new set of twins, embodying the non-violent power of Jesus' cross and resurrection.
Thur.	8:00	Claire Gibson and Family (L), Ricardo Vasquez	
Fri.	8:00	The Alcaraz Family (L) Bonifacio Gonzalez	That's why traditional icons represent Peter and Paul in a fraternal and warm embrace. Contrasted with the violence of Rome's founders, it challenges us with a bold claim: do we believe that structures of merciful love are more powerful and lasting than those based on power, violence, and domination? Am I willing to see others in my life as my "twin," with whom I am called to give my life for Christ, or as my rival? Am I committed to living what is embodied in Romulus and Remus, or in Peter and Paul?
Sat.	8:00	In Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary Hugo Burkard	
	5:00	Pro Populo	— Father John Muir ©LPi
	7:00	The Enriquez-Gutierrez Family (L) Jovita Resendiz and Family (L) Rafael Martin, Silvestre Martin	
Sun.	7:30	Jane Marovich, Marleen Collins	
	9:00	Lindy Borges, John and Rosa Amaral Edward Anacleto	
	10:30	Eugene Williams, Bonifacio Gonzalez Maureen Bettinelli	
	12:00	The Garcia Gopar Family (L) Abraham Avalos, Jose Maria Lopez Mario Herrera, Ramon Ochoa Diaz	

THE MINISTRY OF BETHLEHEM HANDCRAFTS ASSOCIATION will be selling their handcrafts this weekend, Sat., June 28th and Sun., June 29th. This sale helps support the Christian families in Jerusalem who are now only 2% of the population in the Holy Land.



2025 MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE WEEKEND at St. Vincent's Church will be Saturday, July 12 and Sunday, July 13. Fr Taiye Obada, a priest of the Ilorin Diocese of Nigeria, will be celebrating and co-celebrating Masses this weekend.



Ilorin became a Diocese in Nigeria in 1969. There are more than three million inhabitants in Nigeria. Of these, only about thirty thousand Catholics (less than 1%). Owing to the constant security challenges that they face as a nation, thousands of women and children have fled their homes and now live in Nigeria because of the relative peace enjoyed there. The diocese needs your prayers and support to provide basic amenities like food, clothing, schooling, and highly subsidized health care for these internally displaced people. May God replenish you for your generosity.

PRINT AND DIGITAL SPACES are available now! Jose Altamirano from LPI, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or digital ad, as your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers. For more information, please contact Jose Altamirano at 800-950-9952x2118 or JAltamirano@4LPi.com.



THE COMMUNAL FIRST SATURDAYS: A devotion to Our Lady of Fatima is held every first Saturday of the month before the daily mass. The devotion for June will be on Saturday, July 5th. For more information, please call Lilian Dubow at 510-205-3712 or Lilian.Dubow@gmail.com or go to www.CommunalFirstSaturdays.org.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CONFIRMATION PROGRAM 2025-2026



Registration for the English and Spanish Confirmation programs will be held on the following Saturdays in the parish hall from 9 - 11:50 am: August 16th, 23rd, 30th and Sept. 6th. If you're registering your child for 2nd Year Confirmation, **YOU MUST BRING A COPY OF THEIR BAPTISM CERTIFICATE**, even if they were baptized at St. Vincent's Church. For more information, please call the parish office at 707-762-4278.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 30TH — JULY 6TH

Monday: Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:14-17
Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

ST. VINCENT'S ENGLISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS 2025 – 2026

Classes begin Tuesday, September 9th and Wednesday, September 10th. Registration for the English PreK- 6th grade Religious Programs begins now. Pick up the registration forms in the Bell room at the church entrance or on the Rectory's front porch. We will schedule an in-person registration after each Mass, the date TBD. Kindly return the completed form and fee in a sealed envelope to the rectory office, attention Carmen Aanenson, 707-762-4278x114.



OCIA (RCIA)

Are you interested in being a Catholic? Have you ever thought about it? Are you being called further into a relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church? Now is the time to come and see what's next. Classes begin in September. Please call Carmen Aanenson to meet and for a registration form. 707-762-4278x114.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Are you an adult and missed Confirmation? Are you ready to deepen your baptismal life which calls us to be missionary witnesses of Jesus Christ? Classes begin in September. Please call Carmen Aanenson for a registration form. 707-762-4278 x140

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

We are happy to announce that our religious education programs are popular. With this good news, we need more dedicated people willing to spend 2 hours a week to help with our religious education programs. There are volunteer openings in our Sunday Pre-K and K programs and Children's Liturgy at 9:00 am mass, Tuesday and Wednesday, at 3:30 pm in the Children's After-School Religious Education program and the OCIA and the Adult Confirmation programs are scheduled on Wed. evenings and Sundays 9am. Other openings are at our seasonal events: Registrations, Advent, children's retreats and special Masses, Children's Christmas Liturgy, Lent, and Easter. We need teachers, readers, aides, and guides. Help our children and adults grow in their faith. Welcome and support our new members. You can make a difference by bringing your gifts and talent. Let's meet! Carmen Aanenson 707-762-4278 x140.



CONFESSIONS are held in the church on Saturdays at 3:30 pm, and Thursdays at 6 pm in the confessional on the left side of the main altar.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT is held after weekday mass on Thursday for one hour. All are welcomed!

PLEASE PRAY FOR - Lucia Campos, Morgan Grabran, Melvin B. LaFranchi, Michelle Paskal, David Reuser, Consuelo Alvarez, and Ev Woodruff.

PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Last Sunday's offering:

Sunday Basket	\$6,428
On-Line Giving	1,447
Total	\$7,875

The second collection for the Maintenance Fund was \$5,519.

Thank you for your generosity.

This weekend there will be a second collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Next weekend there will be a second collection for Peter's Pence.

ONLINE GIVING AT ST. VINCENT'S - We are happy to announce that PayPal, GPay, Venmo and Apple Pay are now available as payment options for Online Giving. These additions are part of our ongoing commitment to providing you with best-in-class giving solutions. To sign up for online giving, go to <https://www.svdppetaluma.org> and look for the red "Donate" button on the upper right of the front page. Once there, follow the prompts to create a new account or to make any changes to your account. You can also use this QR code to take you directly to the website. For more information, please contact the parish office at 707-762-4278.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Our parish is blessed to have a Catholic school dedicated to nurturing the hearts, minds, and souls of our young people. If you have school-aged children, we invite you to consider the gift of a Catholic education.

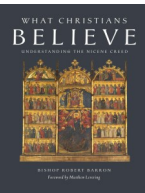
At St. Vincent de Paul Elementary School, students grow in faith, knowledge, and character guided by Gospel values, caring teachers, and a strong community. We offer a rigorous academic curriculum, daily prayer, regular Mass, and a supportive environment where Christ is at the center of all we do.

Come see what makes our school a place where children thrive spiritually and academically. For more information or to schedule a tour, please contact the school office at our Admission Director, Mrs. Rynning (rynnings@svelem.org) or visit www.svelem.org.



STUDY OF THE CREED: Join us for a nine-week study of the Nicene Creed using Bishop Robert Barron's book *What Christians Believe: Understanding the Nicene Creed*. Fr. Samuel Moses Brown will lead the study at St. Eugene's Cathedral, 2323 Montgomery Dr, Santa Rosa. Classes will be held from 6 - 6:45 pm on June 26; July 10, 17, 24, and 31; August 7, 14, 21. Cost is \$10 (includes book).

Please call the Cathedral office to sign up at 707-542-6984.



VILLAGE NETWORK OF PETALUMA - PROGRAMS

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 or 707-776-6055.