



Church of Our Lady of Peace



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(408) 988-4585 Sat. 9am-1pm; Closed Sunday
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- ❖ **MASSES**
Sunday Vigil: Sat. 5pm & 7:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12noon, 2pm & 5pm,
6:30pm (Spanish) & 8pm
Holy Days: Please see our website or call the Rectory Office
Weekdays: 8am, 12noon, 5:15pm; also 7:30pm Wed. & 8am Sat.
First Friday: 8am, 12noon, 5:15pm, 7:30pm

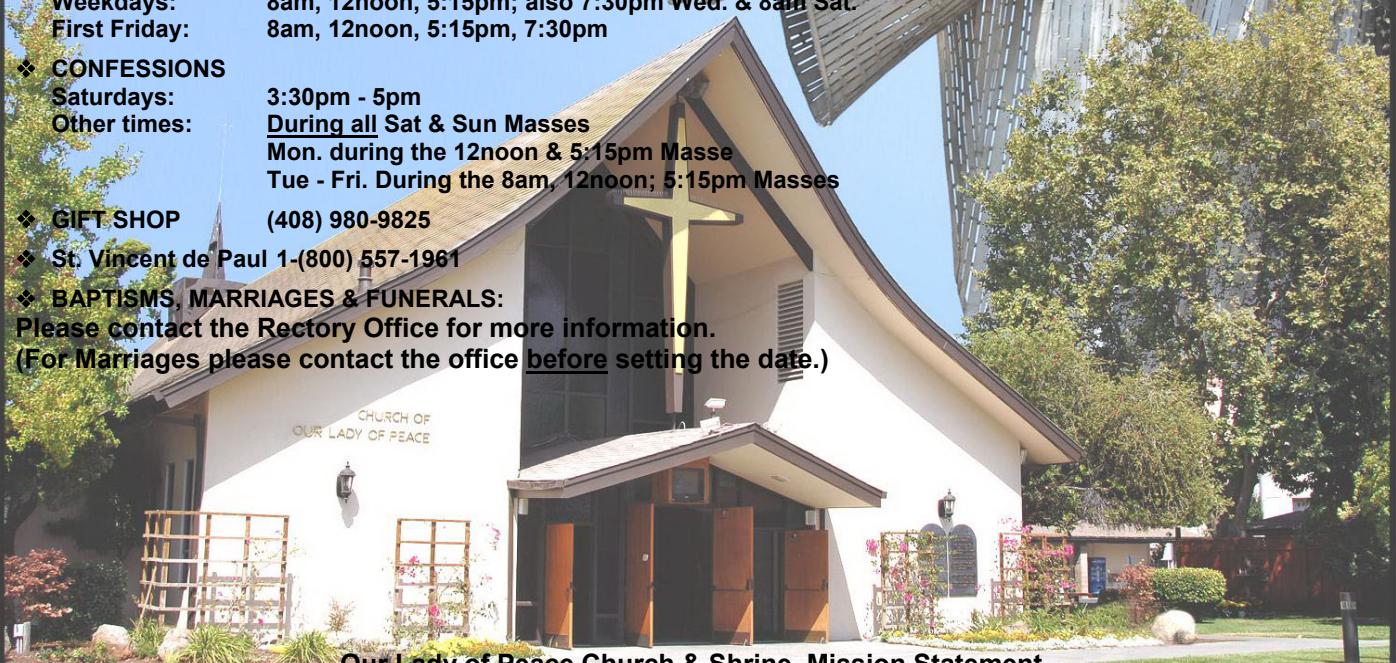
- ❖ **CONFESIONS**
Saturdays: 3:30pm - 5pm
Other times: During all Sat & Sun Masses
Mon. during the 12noon & 5:15pm Mass
Tue - Fri. During the 8am, 12noon; 5:15pm Masses

- ❖ **GIFT SHOP** (408) 980-9825

- ❖ St. Vincent de Paul 1-(800) 557-1961

- ❖ **BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES & FUNERALS:**

Please contact the Rectory Office for more information.
(For Marriages please contact the office before setting the date.)



Our Lady of Peace Church & Shrine Mission Statement

Our Lady of Peace is a church and shrine dedicated to the greater glory of God and the salvation of souls.

It is a place of prayer & pilgrimage with: • Perpetual adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

- Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary • Frequent celebration of the Sacraments, particularly the Eucharist and Reconciliation • Integrated formation of the person (spiritual, moral, intellectual and emotional)

Today We Celebrate the Second Sunday of Lent

FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

This Second Sunday of Lent, the liturgy proposes this well-known episode when Jesus took the Apostles Peter, James and John with Him up a high mountain, and while He prayed He was *transfigured*. (cf. Mk 9: 2-10) I wish to emphasize that the Transfiguration of Jesus was essentially an experience of prayer.

We all know that during the season of Lent we are called to accompany our Lord in prayer. And that if the meditation on the Passion of our Lord is beneficial to our souls any time of the year, certainly the Lenten season is the most appropriate for it. "He who desires," says St. Bonaventure, "to go on advancing from virtue to virtue, from grace to grace, should meditate continually on the Passion of Jesus." And he adds that "there is no practice more profitable for the entire sanctification of the soul than the frequent meditation of the sufferings of Jesus Christ." Thus, during this and the upcoming Sundays of Lent I'd like share with you some reflections on the Passion of our Lord. And as we do so, it is my prayerful desire that in the one hand, we will have a lively fear of sin, and, on the other hand, we will grow in love for our Good Lord who promises "great graces to souls who meditate devoutly on [His] Passion." (*Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska*,737)

Today, I'd like to focus our attention on the fact that Christ chose to suffer so much for us so that we may understand the great love He has for us. "I desire that you know more profoundly the love that burns in My Heart for souls, and you will understand this when you meditate on My Passion," said our Lord to St. Faustina.

"Two things," says Cicero, "make us know a lover—that he does good to his beloved, and that he suffers torments for him; and this last is the greatest sign of true love." God has indeed already shown His love for us by the many benefits He has bestowed upon us, as He did when He became Man; but His love would not have been satisfied by only doing good to us, says St. Peter Chrysologus, if He had not found the means to prove to us how much He loved us by also suffering and dying for us. "But he held it to be little if He showed his love without suffering;" and what greater means could God have discovered to prove to us the immense love He bears us than by making Himself man and suffering for us? "In no other way could the love of God towards us be shown," writes St. Gregory Nazianzen.

Now, when the Incarnate Word showed Himself to us, a God, wounded, crucified, and dying, did He not indeed give us the greatest proofs of the love that He has for us? "In the shame of the Passion is shown the greatest and incomparable love," says St. Bernard.

Jesus Christ could easily have obtained for us salvation without suffering and in leading a life of ease and delight; but no, St. Paul says, *having joy set before Him, He endured the cross*. He refused the riches, the delights, the honors of the world, and chose for Himself a life of poverty, and a death full of suffering and ignominy.

Why, then, did He choose for Himself so much suffering, and a death so cruel since by any act, being of infinite value, would have been sufficient to save the world, and infinite worlds besides? St. John Chrysostom answers saying, that a single prayer of Jesus would indeed have sufficed to redeem us; but it was not sufficient to show us the love that our God has for us: "That which sufficed to redeem us was not sufficient for love." And St. Thomas confirms this when he says, "Christ, in suffering from love, offered to God more than the expiation of the offence of the human race demanded." Because Jesus loved us so much, He desired to be loved very much by us; and therefore He did everything that He could, even unto suffering for us, in order to conciliate our love, and to show that there was nothing more that He could do to make us love Him.

"Meditate frequently on the sufferings which I have undergone for your sake, and then nothing of what you suffer for Me will seem so great to you. You please Me most when you meditate on My Sorrowful Passion. Join your little sufferings to My Sorrowful Passion, so that they may have an infinite value before My Majesty." (*Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska*, 1512)

May God bless you all!
Fr. Gustavo Nieto, IVE

Announcements

We joyfully welcome all visitors to the Shrine!

Knights of Columbus

Invite you to their monthly Pancake Breakfast sold in the Family Learning Center Gym (enter through side door to the kitchen).

This Week's Second Collection: Facilities Maintenance Fund

This Week's Second Collection: Aid to Churches in Eastern and Central Europe

Annual Diocesan Appeal

As of Week 5 of the ADA, a total of 433 pledges have been turned in to the amount of \$217,900 towards our \$251,000 goal. Thank you for your continued support of the ADA & our parish.

Liturgical Adaptations during the Flu Season still in effect.

Wondering what we have planned for Lent and Easter?

See page 5 for full details.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays of Lent at 7pm



During the season of Lent we ask no flowers be taken into the Church. Thank you.

Save the Date!

Msgr. Sweeny's Death Anniversary is coming up on Saturday, March 7.

We are asking people to attend the 5pm Mass that day and join in on a potluck. More details on the event to come.

Don't panic! The location of the Confessions are moving, Details will follow in the coming weeks.



Sacred Music & Liturgy Second Sunday of Lent

Saturday Vigil Mass:

5 pm mass Organist: Lauren
7:30 pm mass Organist: Margaret

Cantor: Sophie
Cantor: Irene

Sunday Mass:

7:30 am mass	Organist: Akiko	Cantor: Tom
9:00 am mass	Organist: Akiko	Cantor: Jeannette
10:30 am mass	Organist: Katrina/Bernadette	Cantor: Sister Pearl
12 noon mass	Organist: Katrina/Bernadette	Cantor: Bernadette
2 pm mass	Organist: Katrina	Cantor: Katrina
5 pm mass	Organist: Shawna	Cantor: Shawna
6:30 pm mass	Organist: Shawna	Cantor: Coro
8 pm mass	Organist: Katrina	Cantor: Katrina

Bernadette Arnold ~ Director of Music Ministry

MASS PROPER & READINGS: Pew Missal page 102

Entrance Antiphon [Introit]: Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me. (Cf. Ps 27 (26): 8-9)

Processional Hymn: O Kind Creator, Bow Thine Ear (#191)

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18 [I will greatly bless you, because you have obeyed My voice.]

Responsorial Psalm: [R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.]

Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34 [God did not spare His own Son.]

Gospel Verse: Mt 17:5 [From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my beloved Son, listen to him.]

Gospel Reading: Mark 9:2-10 [This is My beloved Son. / n.7]

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Antiphon: I will meditate on your commandments which I love exceedingly; I will lift up my hands t'wards your commandments which I love.

Offertory Hymn: "Tis Good Lord, To Be Here (#241)

Prayer over the Offerings

Eucharistic Prayer

Communion Antiphon: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him. (Mt 17:5)

Communion Hymns / Motet:

O Food to Pilgrims Given/O Esca Viatorum ~ Isaak (10:30 am)
Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord (#116)
Love Divine All Loves Excelling (*Adoremus Hymnal* #470)

Hymn to BVM: Ave Maria AH #531

Final Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional Hymn: Forty Days and Forty Nights (#126)

MASS ORDINARY: Pew Missal Mass Setting

Kyrie Lord Have Mercy page 6 , #4

Sanctus Holy Holy page 11, # 8

Memorial Acclamation page 13, # 9

Agnus Dei Lamb of God page 18, # 13

Calling All Singers!

Our Lady of Peace music ministry is looking for enthusiastic parishioners interested in participating in this year's Lent and Easter season. All are invited –young (at least 8 years) or old, male or female, experienced singers or would just like to try, we would love you to join us. What is the commitment? Attend eight (8) weeks rehearsals on Thursday evenings, 6:45-8:15 pm. For more information and registration, please send your information to Bernadette Arnold, Director of Music Ministry at barnold@dsj.org.





Children and Youth Religious Education Program News

"The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us." John 1:14



The Family as First School of Human Virtues # 16

Let us now continue discussing the virtue of **obedience**, in which children need to be trained since their early years.

"Let us look at some of the **more common faults in the way children obey**, and then suggest some criteria which parents might use.

Problems like these:

- ⇒ Where children **obey out of routine**, just doing the physical thing, but not trying to do it well or paying attention to the real aims of the person giving instruction;
- ⇒ Where children focus on the **minimum necessary to justify obedience**, instead of obeying generously, even to the point of doing more than they are asked;
- ⇒ Where they obey, yet **criticize the person** who gives the order;
- ⇒ Where they **dodge** in order not to have to obey or are **deceptive, offering false excuses**, sometimes by appealing to some other authority ('Mommy said I didn't need to do it')
- ⇒ Where they try to convince the person in charge to them **do something else instead**, or try to convince him that they really don't need to do what they have been told to do;
- ⇒ Where they do it, thinking that they will **get credit for it**, credit which they will then try to trade on;
- ⇒ Where they say that they are going to do it and then **they don't**;
- ⇒ Where they look for the **backing of other children** to form an 'opposition' group.



How should parents approach problems like these?

To be continued...

(from *Character Building*, by David Isaacs, pp. 181– 182)

IMPORTANT DATES

March 3, 4, 5, and 7: First Confessions

March 7: First Holy Communion Catechist Meeting

Faith leads us to employ our God-given talents in God's service.

Our Lady's Juggler, Chapter 6

By Anatole France

"Brother Maurice, with a deft hand, copied out these treatises upon sheets of vellum. Brother Alexander adorned the leaves with delicate miniature paintings. Here were displayed the Queen of Heaven seated upon Solomon's throne, and while four lions were on guard at her feet, around the nimbus which encircled the head hovered seven doves, which are the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit, the gifts, namely, of Fear, Piety, Knowledge, Strength, Counsel, Understanding, and Wisdom. For her companions she had six virgins with hair of gold, namely, Humility, Prudence, Seclusion, Submission, Virginity, and Obedience..."

To be continued... (from *The Book of Virtues for Young People*, by William Bennet, p. 355)

Catechism Office hours:

Tuesday and Thursday: 9:00 am to 11:30 am
and 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Wednesday: 9:00 am to 11:30 am and 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

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olopccdoffice@servidoras.org
 Website: www.olop-shrine.org

If you are willing to follow God's call to be a Catechist or an assistant, this is what you do:

- 1) Contact Sr. Angeles via e-mail at olopccd@servidoras.org for an interview during office hours.
- 2) Then Sr. Angeles will assist you with the Safe Environment procedure required by the Diocese of San Jose.

HOLY WEEK AT OUR LADY OF PEACE

Sunday, March 29

PALM SUNDAY

Masses

Saturday 28 (Vigil Masses): 5pm, 7:30pm

Sunday 29: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12noon,

2pm (Solemn Procession from the Shrine), 5pm, 6:30pm (Spanish), 8pm.

Monday, March 30

HOLY MONDAY

8pm: (Holy Week Mission - Mass with Special Homily by Fr. Noel Sanvicente in Preparation for the Sacred Triduum)

Tuesday, March 31

HOLY TUESDAY

8pm: (Holy Week Mission - Mass with Special Homily by Fr. Noel Sanvicente in Preparation for the Sacred Triduum)

Wednesday, April 1

HOLY WEDNESDAY

8pm: (Holy Week Mission - Mass with Special Homily by Fr. Noel Sanvicente in Preparation for the Sacred Triduum)

Thursday, April 2

HOLY THURSDAYConfessions: 11am to 12noon; 4pm to 6pm;
9pm to 12midnight8pm: Mass of the Lord's Supper
Washing of the Feet
Adoration until midnight

Friday, April 3

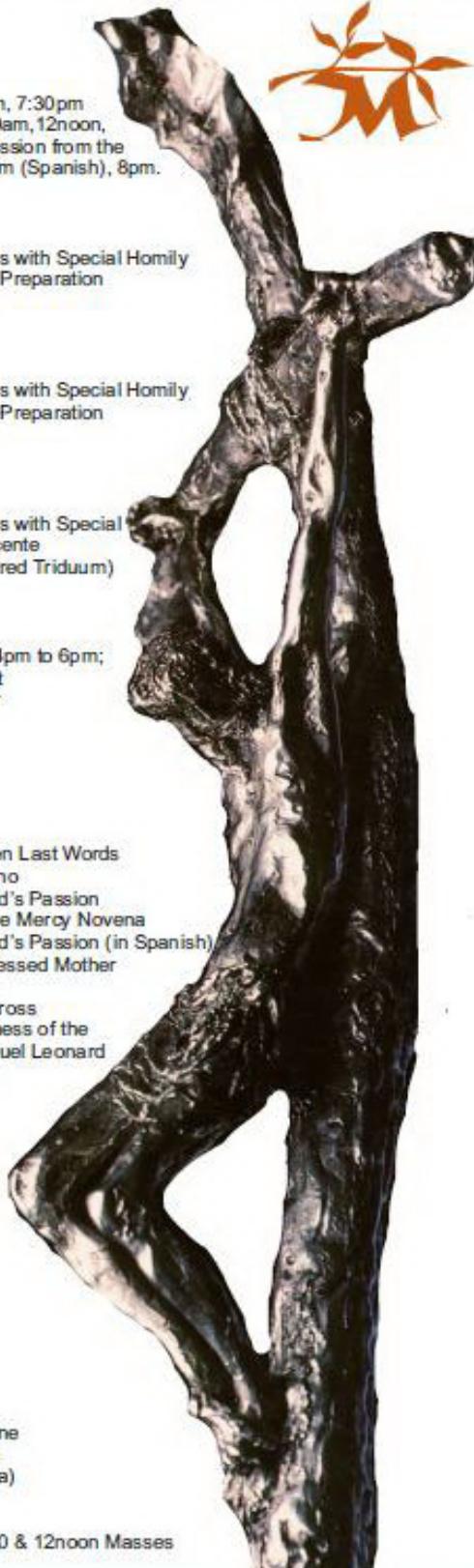
GOOD FRIDAYConfessions: 8am to 12noon
12noon: Preaching of the Seven Last Words by Fr. Joseph LoJacono
1:30pm: Celebration of the Lord's Passion
3pm: Beginning of the Divine Mercy Novena
6pm: Celebration of the Lord's Passion (in Spanish)
7pm: The meeting of the Blessed Mother and the Nazarene
7:30pm: Outdoor Way of the Cross
9pm: Sermon of the Loneliness of the Bl. Mother by Fr. Samuel Leonard
9:30pm: Good Friday Concert, The Stabat Mater
10:15pm: Office of Readings of Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 4

HOLY SATURDAYConfessions: 8am to 2pm
3pm: Divine Mercy Novena**EASTER VIGIL**

8:30pm Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 5

EASTER DAY5:30am Salubong
6:30am Easter Mass at the Shrine
7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12noon,
2pm, 3pm (Divine Mercy Novena)
5pm, 6:30pm (Spanish), 8pm.

Easter Egg Hunts after the 10:30 & 12noon Masses

The Light is On for You!

On Wednesdays from 6-8PM, the doors of Our Lady of Peace are open and the Light is on For You! Bring a family member or friend, come in, and rediscover God's heart of mercy in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Jesus Christ desires to lift your burdens off your heart which you may have been carrying for a short time or years. To find guides to confession and testimonials of people from around our diocese visit www.dsj.org/light

Fasting & Abstinence During Lent

Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but not to equal a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members age 14 onwards. More information on fast and abstinence can be found at

<http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/liturgical-year/lent/>

Please join fellow parishioners in supporting the spring **40 Days for Life Campaign**, a very worthwhile, peaceful, and prayerful effort to end abortion. Parish groups are especially encouraged to sign up. Our Lady of Peace is committed to cover all Tuesdays over the campaign, so please try to help us meet our goal.

Who: All parishioners, parish groups, priests and sisters

What: Praying outside the Mar Monte Planned Parenthood clinic

When: Tuesdays, from February 24 to March 24, any time between 7 am and 7 pm

Where: Planned Parenthood on the corner of Naglee and the Alameda in San Jose

If you are interested in participating, please sign up with Joe Mastroeni at 408-988-4585. Guidelines, signs, and prayer booklets are available. Further information may be found at www.40daysforlife.com/sanjose.



Masses For The Week

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8:00 AM +Maximiana P. Bismar, Death Anniversary

5:00 PM +Antony Cuong Vu, Death Anniversary

7:30 PM Alda, Special Intentions

SUNDAY, March 1

7:30 AM For the People

9:00 AM Darryl P. Padilla & Eulogia A. Patajo, Birthday

10:30 AM +Anita Chua Mondano &
Antonio La. Mondano, Birthday

12 NOON +Arsenia Mariano

2:00 PM +Antony Coung Vu, Death anniversary

5:00 PM Audrey Peterson & Beathrice Vinson, Health

6:30 PM Logan Hensley & Athalia Bowes,
Special Intentions

8:00 PM +Marciana Pereira & +Hector Pereira

MONDAY, March 2

8:00 AM +Eduardo & +Eva Valenzuela

12 NOON Huong Le, Death Anniversary

5:15 PM Josie Sagisi & Family

TUESDAY, March 3

8:00 AM Lucas Mui & Jermais Domingo

12 NOON +Maria T. Beck

5:15 PM +Ernesto Tena

WEDNESDAY, March 4

8:00 AM George & Charlleen Costa, Wedd. Anniv.

12 NOON Raymond Cardinalli, Birthday

5:15 PM Joanie Benevento, Birthday

7:30 PM Luisito Miranda, Health

THURSDAY, March 5

8:00 AM +Sandra Salgado

12 NOON Josefina Galsim, Birthday

5:00 PM Coronado Family, Special Intentions

FRIDAY, March 6

8:00 AM Marilyn Jacinto & Urbana Jacinto, Spec. Int.

12 NOON Isabella Ann Soper, Birthday

5:15 PM +Larry Allan Smith

7:30 PM Luong Nguyen, Health

SATURDAY, March 7

8:00 AM +Joseph Tran Trong Hoa

5:00 PM +Mgsr. Sweeny &
+Larry Navarro, Death Anniversaries

7:30 PM Bernardo & Eva Aguas Family, Spec. Int.

Weekly Offering

Thank you! May God reward you a hundredfold!

Weekend totals for February 15, 2015:

Sat. 5:00 pm	\$2,073.00	Sun. 12 Noon	\$3,336.00
Sun. 7:30 pm	\$1,077.00	Sun. 2:00 pm	\$1,618.00
Sun. 7:30 am	\$1,552.00	Sun. 5:00 pm	\$1,584.00
Sun. 9:00 am	\$2,236.00	Sun. 6:30 pm	\$892.00
Sun. 10:30 am	\$2,469.00	Sun. 8:00 pm	<u>\$1,778.00</u>
		Offering Total:	\$18,615.00

Weekend totals for February 22, 2015:

Sat. 5:00 pm	\$2,273.00	Sun. 12 Noon	\$2,519.00
Sun. 7:30 pm	\$932.00	Sun. 2:00 pm	\$1,661.00
Sun. 7:30 am	\$4,207.00	Sun. 5:00 pm	\$2,165.00
Sun. 9:00 am	\$3,254.00	Sun. 6:30 pm	\$1,223.00
Sun. 10:30 am	\$3,067.00	Sun. 8:00 pm	<u>\$1,608.00</u>
		Offering Total:	\$22,909.00

"Tell the rich in the present age not to be proud and not to rely on so uncertain a thing as wealth but rather on God, who richly provides us with all things for our enjoyment. Tell them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous, ready to share, thus accumulating as treasure a good foundation for the future, so as to win the life that is true life." 1 Timothy 6:17-19



Easter Lilies

Please donate to buy Easter Lilies for the Church. Include the name(s) of your deceased loved ones on the offering envelope, which will be placed on the Altar during the Easter Season.

Drop envelopes in collection basket or at the Rectory during office hours. Thank you!

(Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Peace Altar Society).



Called to Do God's Work,
Together in Christ

ADA 2015
ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Pledge Update

(Goal: \$251,000)

Week 1: Received \$26,785.00 in Pledges

Week 2: Received \$83,580.00 in Pledges

Week 3: Received \$27,889.00 in Pledges

Week 4: Received \$29,750.00 in Pledges

Week 5: Received \$27,390.00 in Pledges

Total Received to Date: 433 Pledges = \$217,900

"We have gifts that differ according to the favor bestowed on each of us. One's gift may be prophecy...it may be ministry...a teacher...the power of exhortation. He who gives alms should do so generously...he who performs works of mercy should do so cheerfully."

— Romans 12:6-8

**Please pick up a pledge form today (in pew folders)
and return your pledge of gifts and/or prayer.**

May God bless you for your participation in the ADA to help others and for giving Him thanks for the gifts and blessings you have received.

Good news!

Three parish families have generously donated all of the funds required to replace our “well-worn” church carpet.

After years of accumulated candle wax, burns, stains, and ground-chewing gum, etc., we are happy to share that the new carpet has been selected with architectural advice for durability, ease of cleaning, as well as enhancing the look and feel of the interior.

We are working on a March schedule for installation which may take a few days—but you can view a sample of the carpet already purchased to give you an idea of what to expect. It is posted in the vestibule for everyone to view.

We ask your support as we install this positive upgrade to the church and that you join us in prayer of thanksgiving for this selfless Easter gift.

Pilgrimage to Poland with Fr. Noel Sanvicente

Father Noel Sanvicente invites you to join him in:

“Pilgrimage to Poland: Tracing the footsteps of Saint John Paul II and Saint Faustina”

It also includes a visit to **Prague**, the magnificent capital of Central Europe, and the home of the Shrine of the Infant Jesus, **from September 7-18, 2015**. For details and bookings please call Patricia of Top Notch Gateways 408-571-9087 or Father Noel at nsanvicente@stsimon.org.

Thank you so much!
Warm regards to everyone.
A blessed Lent!

Father Noel

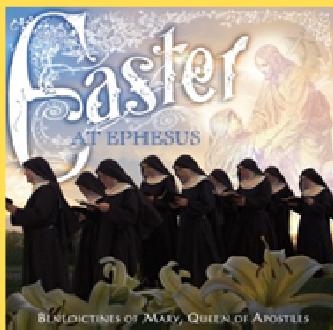
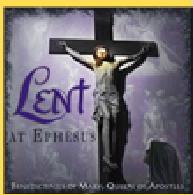
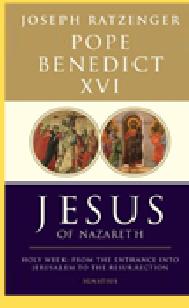


Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Sick & Homebound Ministry

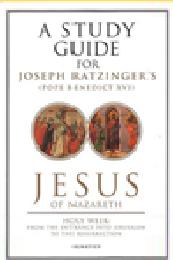
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers
to the Sick and Homebound

Thank you for all those that filled out the forms to become Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick & Homebound of our parish. We have received your information and will be contacting all of you in the next month or so for screening and training.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Grace Laxamana via email at glaxamana@dsj.org

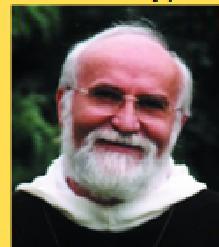
Our Lady of Peace Gift Shop...**Open 7 Days a Week**Store Hours: M/T/Th: 8:45-7:00 W/F: 8:45-9:00
Sat: 9:00-8:00 and Sun: 8:00-7:30**Today is March 1, 2015**
2nd Sunday of LentNew from the Benedictines of Mary,
Queen of Apostles, *Easter at
Ephesus* (\$17.95)Also available, *Lent at Ephesus***Feeding Faith Book Club**

(\$17.95)



Study Guide \$7.95

This Lent, Ignatius Press is holding a book discussion of Pope Emeritus Benedict's *Jesus of Nazareth: Holy Week* on their facebook page, posting excerpts, discussing the meaning of the book, and much more!

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CHALLENGE” WITH GREG AND JULIE ALEXANDER**

From EWTN’s “Marriage Works in Christ” and
authors of the best-selling book “MARRIAGE 911”

The Alexander House is a response to God in appreciation for having brought them from Crisis to Christ and restoring their troubled relationship.

Regardless of the many attacks being waged on marriage today, the Alexanders believe that our goal should be to support all couples in developing thriving and joy-filled relationships. It is only through a change of heart brought about by personal conversion that our society will begin to change and be reshaped. Bringing the Good News to as many couples as possible is the focus of this mission.



Parish: Our Lady of Peace
2800 Mission College Blvd.
Santa Clara, CA 95054
Sunday, March 15 2:00-4:00 pm
For more information and to RSVP
Please contact: Claudia Schussman
claudia.olop@gmail.com



SCHEDULE OF CHURCH DEVOTIONS	
Full 15-Decade Rosary	Weds-Mon 6-7 PM
Santo Niño Novena	Mondays 7:00PM
Rosario en Español	Mondays 8:00 PM
Men of the Sacred Heart	Tuesdays 12AM-1AM
Holy Hour	Tuesdays 11AM
St. Anthony Novena with Mass	Tuesdays 6 PM
Rosary in Vietnamese	Tuesdays 8 PM
Mother of Perpetual Help Novena & Mass	Wednesdays 7 PM
St Joseph the Worker's - Hour	Thursdays 7PM

On-Going Parish Activities

Thursday Mornings @ 10:45 A.M.

Pray the Rosary for the protection of the unborn and born babies at starting at 10:45 a.m. at the Mountain View Planned Parenthood (intersection of California & San Antonio).

Saturday Morning Roster for Altar Workers (March 7):

Rosalina Romuar, Cora Camat, Zenaida Labre, Maria Tran, Arsenia Nicolas

Saturdays @ 9:30 A.M.

Rosary Making Classes held in the Old Hall, 9:30 to 11 a.m. for adults & children (materials provided).

Every 2nd Saturday

- Rosary at the Shrine after 8am Mass for the beatification of Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC
4:30pm. Please contact Frank Cirimele for further information: 408-613-0466.

Every 2nd Sunday

- Lay Carmelite meetings in Room 1214 in the Family Learning Center from 1pm-

Last Saturday of the Month: @ 9:15 AM

Come pray the rosary in front of the Planned Parenthood abortuary at 1691 The Alameda (Taylor & Naglee), San Jose. Other pro-life activists have been picketing and providing help to future mothers at this site for several decades. Call Clark Beck at 408-354-7381

Every 3rd Sunday

- **Altar Society Bake Sale** after all morning masses.
- **Cenacle Holy Hour to pray for Priests, Seminarians & Vocations** at 3PM

Main/Special Events Coming Up at Our Lady of Peace

Sat., March 7: Msgr. John J. Sweeny's Death Anniversary

Msgr. John J. Sweeny Museum Open 9am – 8pm (located in old hall)

Memorial Mass 5:15pm, followed by finger food potluck in the old hall.

Join us for a special presentation in appreciation of Msgr. Sweeny's vision for OLOP.

No RSVP required, please bring finger-food items to share.

Thurs. March 19: Solemnity of St. Joseph. Come celebrate this special feast day with:

- IVE Sisters on the anniversary of their founding
- Fr. Samuel Leonard, IVE who celebrates his anniversary of ordination
- The St. Joseph the Worker Group Members, St. Joseph Academy Families
- Everyone with a special devotion to St. Joseph.

5:15pm Mass, Followed by Vespers, and Potluck Dinner in the Family Learning Center
Seating is First Come, First Served. Additional Seating Available on the Bleachers

Weds. March 25: Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord

This year, the IVE Family of Priests, Religious, and Lay Members celebrate the 31 year anniversary of it's founding. Please consider joining our family for the 5:15pm Mass, followed by Dinner Reception. All are invited but RSVP is **required**. Please call the Rectory by March 20, 2015 to confirm the number in your party and to reserve seating.

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