



Church of Our Lady of Peace



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Mon. 9am-4:30pm (closed 12-1); Tue. - Fri. 9am-7pm (closed 12-1pm);
Sat. 9am-1pm; Closed Sunday
Tues. & Thu. 9-11:30am & 5:30-8pm; Wed. 9-11:30am & 3-6pm;
Sat. 9am-1pm
Tue. - Fri. 2 to 7pm; Sat. 9am-1pm
Sun.-Tue. 9am-5pm, Wed. 1pm-3pm, Fri 9am-5pm
(Located in the Family Learning Center Room 1214)
Contact Bernadette Arnold
- ❖ **MASSES**
Sunday Vigil:
Sunday:
Sat. 5pm & 7:30pm
7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12noon, 2pm* & 5pm,
6:30pm (Spanish) & 8pm *New Time Added!
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
- ❖ **CONFESSIONS**
Saturdays:
Other times:
SPECIAL LENT SCHEDULE
3:30pm - 5pm
During all Sat & Sun Masses
Mon. during the 12noon & 5:15pm Masses
Tue - Fri. During the 8am, 12noon; 5:15pm Masses
11am—2pm and 4pm-7pm
- ❖ **GIFT SHOP** (408) 980-9825
- ❖ **St. Vincent de Paul** (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 5th Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Ezekiel 37:12-14
 Psalm: 130:1-8
 2nd Reading: Romans 8:8-11
 Gospel: John 11:1-45

FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

On this Fifth Sunday of Lent, as the days of the Lord's Passion draw near, I invite you to immerse yourselves spiritually in the sufferings of our Lord. "Only by contemplating the suffering humanity of Jesus can we become meek, humble, and tender as He is. There is no other way". We must make an effort to "find Jesus; to dwell on his passion, on how much He suffered; to think of his meek silence". Let this be our effort; then "the rest is up to Him, and He will take care of everything that is missing. But you have to do this much: hide your life in God with Christ" (Pope Francis, 09/12/13).

All our sufferings entered into the heart of Christ on Calvary. Those sufferings were offered by Christ, Priest and Victim, in advance. Christ's sufferings on his physical body are finished, but his sufferings in his Mystical Body are not. They need to be completed in our flesh. We are co-redeemers! This is why the saints of all times considered sufferings as a sign of true divine favor.

Since God chooses suffering to redeem us, it is precious and invaluable when it is endured with patience, accepted as coming from God, and sanctified by uniting it to the pain of Christ.

The co-redemptive efficacy of our sufferings depends on their union with the Cross, and in the measure and degree of that union. We live from Christ's sacrifice: no act of virtue is worthy if it is not offered by our Head on the Cross; no sin is forgiven if Christ on Golgotha had not begged mercy for it; no pain is redeeming unless it is united to Christ's Passion. If we do not learn how to be victims with the Victim, all our sufferings are useless.

We must learn how to complete what is missing in the Passion of Christ (Cf. Col 1: 24) with **affective reparation** –by prayer and love; **effective reparation** –fulfilling one's own duties, apostolate, etc.; and **afflictive reparation** –by sanctified suffering, for our own spiritual welfare and for the Mystical Body's.

Christ "suffered as our head, and He continues to suffer in his members, that is to say, in us" (St. Augustine). Therefore, "Christ will be in agony until the end of the world." The one lesson you want to understand is that Christ is using you. He is using you to save souls by uniting your sufferings to His. "There is but one price at which souls are bought, and that is suffering united to My suffering on the cross." (Our Lord to St. Faustina, Diary 342)

Those souls who resemble our Lord in pain and contempt will also be like our Lord in glory, and even in this life they will begin to experience the unfathomable effects of His Passion which:

1. frees us from sin: *[He] has freed us from our sins by his blood* (Rev 1:5);
2. frees us from the power of the devil: *Now shall the ruler of this world be cast out* (Jn 12:31);
3. frees us from the grief of sin: *[He] has borne our grief and carried our sorrows* (Is 53:4);
4. reconciles us with God: *We were reconciled to God by the death of his Son* (Rom 5:10);
5. opens the doors of Heaven for us: *we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus* (Heb 10:19);
6. exalts Christ: *God has highly exalted him* (Phil 2:9).

Thus, –says the Holy Father– to be good Christians we have to contemplate the suffering humanity of Jesus. "How can we bear witness? Contemplate Jesus. How can we forgive? Contemplate Jesus suffering. How can we not hate our neighbor? Contemplate Jesus suffering. How can we avoid gossiping about our neighbor? Contemplate Jesus suffering. There is no other way" (Pope Francis, 09/12/13).

It is my prayer that as we move towards the Major Week of Christianity this penitential season may be for all of us a time of authentic conversion and intense knowledge of the mystery of Christ, who came to fulfill every justice.

May God bless you!
 Fr. Gustavo Nieto, IVE

Announcements

**We joyfully welcome all
visitors to the Shrine!**

**2nd Collection this Week:
Facilities Maintenance Fund**

**Knights of Columbus
Donut & Coffee Sales after all
morning masses.**

ADA Update: Week #6

Total Pledges Received: 766
 in the amount of: \$298,104

Total Goal: \$234,79

Please see page 6 for a special
 "Thank You!" from our Pastor.

Lent & Easter Schedule

See page 5 for complete listing of
 confession and Holy Mass times
 during Holy Week and Easter.

IVE 3rd Order Meeting (English)

Saturday, April 12 at 6:30 PM
 in the Family Learning Center

Easter Lilies

You are invited to contribute
 toward the purchase of Easter
 Lilies for the Church. Include the
 name of your loved ones (living
 or deceased) on an envelope
 with your offering. Names will
 be placed on the Altar during the
 Easter Season. Drop the
 envelopes in the collection bas-
 ket or at the Rectory during
 office hours. Thank you!
 Make checks payable to *Our Lady
 of Peace Altar Society*.

**Rectory Office Closed all day
Monday, Apr 7**

Homeschooling Conference

Friday & Saturday, April 25 & 26
 Free information night, Friday,
 April 25 in Family Learning
 Center. For more information, to
 register, and to watch the info
 video go the Gift Shop's website:
www.ologiftshop.com.

**Hispanic Group Food Sales
Next Sunday, April 13**



Will You Give Him the Gift of One Hour?

What could you gain by spending that hour in the presence of our Savior, Jesus, in silence. . Peace of mind? Tranquility? Graces? Answers to prayer?

For questions, call: Gloria Relloma (408) 262-8232 or Mother Ana de Jesus (408) 988-4160.

What is Eucharistic Adoration?

The Eucharist is the actual body, blood, soul, and divinity of Our Lord, Jesus Christ. By adoring the Eucharist we are reminded in a very tangible way of God's love for humanity and his promise to mankind,

168 HOURS in a week. It takes ~336 people to keep adoration

going 24/7, and another 75 adorers as substitutes. That is a total of 411 people. Will you be among the few?

Perpetual adoration is forever, but one's life changes over time. Don't be afraid to commit to adoration, even if you might have to change your commitment in the future.



During Lent, Our Lady of Peace Church will be more available than ever for individual confession. The parish has cheat sheets set up near the confessional on how to make a good confession and has expanded confession hours as well. Please make plans to come to confession during Lent and spread the word of this special outreach of mercy to those you know.

24 More Hours of Confession Added Each Week!

Our Normal Confession schedule is posted on the cover page of the bulletin but we have added an additional six hours of confessions here at Our Lady of Peace during Lent: **Each Tuesday to Friday during Lent, you may come to confession between 11am to 2pm or 4pm to 7pm.**

This outreach is called "The Light is On For You," and is an effort to highlight the importance of the Sacrament of Confession in the life of Catholics and to make it as easy as possible for every Catholic to come or to return to this great source of God's mercy and healing love.

Please make plans to come yourself and please invite others take advantage of this great opportunity to be reconciled and begin anew your journey in faith this Lent.

The Divine Mercy Novena

Jesus asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on **Good Friday**. He gave St. Faustina an intention to pray for on each day of the Novena, saving for the last day the most difficult intention of all, the lukewarm and indifferent of whom He said:

"These souls cause Me more suffering than any others; it was from such souls that My soul felt the most revulsion in the Garden of Olives. It was on their account that I said: 'My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass Me by.' The last hope of salvation for them is to flee to My Mercy."

In her diary, St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her:

"On each day of the novena you will bring to My heart a different group of souls and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy ... On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of My passion, for the graces for these souls."

The different souls prayed for on each day of the novena are:

- DAY 1 (Good Friday) - All mankind, especially sinners
- DAY 2 (Holy Saturday) - The souls of priests and religious
- DAY 3 (Easter Sunday) - All devout and faithful souls
- DAY 4 (Easter Monday) - Those who do not believe in Jesus and those who do not yet know Him
- DAY 5 (Easter Tuesday) - The souls of separated brethren
- DAY 6 (Easter Wednesday) - The meek and humble souls and the souls of children
- DAY 7 (Easter Thursday) - The souls who especially venerate and glorify Jesus' mercy
- DAY 8 (Easter Friday) - The souls who are detained in purgatory;
- DAY 9 (Easter Saturday) - The souls who have become lukewarm.

During the Solemn Novena leading to Divine Mercy Sunday, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy should be offered each day for the day's intentions.

From Good Friday (April 18) to Easter Saturday (April 26) the novena will be prayed in the Church at 3PM.

**Thousands to Gather for Canonization of Blessed John Paul II on
April 27, 2014 Santa Clara, CA USA-March 7, 2014**

*On April 27, 2014, the man who canonized more saints than any other Pope
in modern history will be higher in heaven when he himself becomes "Saint John Paul II."*

April 27, 2014 Santa Clara, CA – His Excellency, Patrick J. McGrath, Bishop of San Jose will dedicate a beautiful replica 7' tall bronze statue of John Paul II to be erected on April 27, 2014 at Our Lady of Peace Shrine. Invitations have been mailed to clergy and religious throughout central California and posters are being distributed to all parishes in the Dioceses of San Jose, Oakland, Monterey, and San Francisco. Fr. Gustavo Nieto, IVE, Pastor of Our Lady of Peace Church is opening the doors of his parish to everyone because, "It is an honor to bring home such a marvelous sculpted image of Saint John Paul the Great. We do it not only to honor him but also as a proof of gratitude and as an expression of love for his teachings, for his paternal care, for his exemplary and tender devotion to Mary, for his tireless missionary endeavors, and ultimately for his inspiration to live the spirit of the beatitudes in our daily lives."

Dedication and Installation

Prior to the Dedication his Excellency Bishop Patrick J. McGrath will preside a special outdoor Divine Mercy Mass at 2pm. Because Our Lady of Peace Church and Shrine draws attendees from throughout Northern and Central California, seating and standing room for several thousand will be available to all who wish to participate in this memorable event. A full day of activities includes: Confessions from 7:00 am to 9:00 pm, a Rosary procession after the dedication ceremony. The Shrine's Library Open House will take place from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm. A reception will follow for all attendees. Also on this occasion, videos on the life and canonization of John Paul II will be viewed on our 25' movie screen at the Family Learning Center. Admittance is free.



Relic

Our Parish is very blessed to have a first class relic of our son-to-be-saint John Paul II (containing pieces of his hair) which will be exposed for public veneration and prayer. Holy cards with Saint John Paul II's image will be given to those in attendance.

The Statue

The original statue sculpted by Albano Poli of Verona was first on display in the atrium of the Papal Basilica of St. Paul (in 2008) before going to its final destination, the monumental Cross of the Third Millennium in Coquimbo, Chile. The sculptor has designed the Pope wearing the same miter and the same chasuble donated to the Cross of the Third Millennium foundation. In his left hand he is holding the crucifix upon which he often leant, while his right hand is stretched out to bless the crowd. The statue, which is over two meters high, was blessed on October 15, 2008 by the Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI during his general audience in St. Peter's Square. In December 2010, Mr. Poli exhibited a copy of the bronze sculpture of John Paul II at Palazzo dei Mutilati (Palace of War Cripples) in Verona on the occasion of a photographic exhibit about the Pope.

The Artist Albano Poli

Albano Poli, born in Verona August 2, 1935, attended the Napoleone Nani Art School run by Maestro Pino Casarini and founded the atelier Progetto Arte Poli in 1953. The atelier is an authentic "renaissance" workshop where each creation - stained glasses, mosaics, frescoes, renovation projects, bas-relief, full-relief - is a unique jewel in itself. His contributions to the restoration, renovation and renewal of many historical buildings merited mentions and awards: in June 2009 H.E. Cardinal Bertone invested Albano Poli as Knight of the Pontifical Equestrian Order of St. Gregory the Great for his artistic works in The Papal Basilica of St Paul outside the Walls in Rome.

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Lent/Easter Schedule

Apr 6 5th Sunday of Lent
2nd Collection: Facilities Maintenance Fund
Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

**Apr 7 Rectory/Gift Shop Closed
for Staff Retreat**
1st Corinthians Bible Study Begins

Apr 11 7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Apr 13 Palm Sunday
Hispanic Group Food Sale

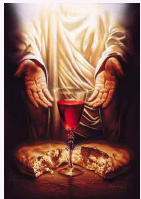
HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Apr 14 Monday of Holy Week
Masses: 8am, 12 noon, 5:15pm
Confessions:
During the 12 noon & 5:15pm Holy Mass

Apr 15 Tuesday of Holy Week
Masses: 8am, 12 noon, 5:15pm

Apr 16 Wednesday of Holy Week
Masses: 8am, 12 noon, 5:15pm
Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual
Help Novena & Mass starts at 7pm

Apr 17 Holy Thursday



Mass: 8PM ONLY

Apr 18 Good Friday
(not a Holy Day of Obligation)



**NO MASSES THROUGHOUT THE
CATHOLIC CHURCH WORLDWIDE**

3-Hour Service from 12 Noon - 3PM
("Stabat Mater" Pergolesi, 7 Last Words,
Veneration of the Cross & Communion
Service)

Divine Mercy Novena at 3PM (Day 1)

Free Showing :Passion of Christ
**3:30pm & 8pm in the Family Learning
Center**

Stations of the Cross (Outdoors) 7PM

Apr 19 Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)



Divine Mercy Novena at 3PM (Day 2)

Concelebrated Mass at 8:30PM
(no confessions during Holy Mass)

Apr 20 Easter Sunday
Masses: 6:30am (outdoors at Shrine,
7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12Noon,
2pm, 5pm, 6:30pm (Spanish), 8pm



Confessions:

At every Mass except at Dawn (6:30am)

Divine Mercy Novena at 3PM (Day 3)

*****Confession times for Holy Week will
be posted the next bulletin**



Masses For The Week

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

- 8:00 AM John Oliver Yu Ycaro & Alyssa McConnell, Spec. Int.
 5:00 PM Vincent & Harrison Nguyen, Special Intentions
 7:30 PM Adoracion Yu & Christian Ycaro, Special Intentions

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

- 7:30 AM For the People
 9:00 AM John Oliver Ycaro & Alyssa McConnell, Spec. Int.
 10:30 AM +Richard Youn, Death Anniversary
 12 NOON David Riviere Jr. & Suzette Riviere, Birthday & Health
 2:00 PM Athena Abigail Andrade, Birthday
 5:00 PM +Teodorico C. Mendoza & +Teodor V. Mendoza, Death Anniversaries
 6:30 PM Robert Mejia, Health & Returning Military Personnel
 8:00 PM +Rufo G. Fabro, Death Anniversary

MONDAY, APRIL 7

- 8:00 AM Anthony & Deborah Pecoraro, Wedding Anniversary
 12 NOON +Eduardo I. Galsim, Death Anniversary
 5:00 PM Paran & Ablaza Families

TUESDAY, APRIL 8

- 8:00 AM +David Lee and Family & + Fr. Daniel McNichol
 12 NOON + Maria and Joseph Nguyen
 5:00 PM Bonnie Tenegito, Health

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9

- 8:00 AM Sachin Kumar and Avika Kumar, Special Intention
 12 NOON + Abel Amleson, Death Anniversary
 5:00 PM Kristina Celine Visita, Special Intention
 7:30 PM Nellie Balthazar, Birthday

THURSDAY, APRIL 10

- 8:00 AM +Wenceslao & + Luisa Cabaluna
 12 NOON +John Masero
 5:00 PM + Doris Panelli -In

FRIDAY, APRIL 11

- 8:00 AM +Alfredo Agloro & +Jose Santillan
 12 NOON +Asuncion Respes & + Ernesto Respes Sr.
 5:00PM +Tyrone Collins

SATURDAY, APRIL 12

- 8:00 AM Geetha George-Shapiro, Birthday & The George Family
 5:00 PM +Graciela Escobar
 7:30 PM Leonarda Estolas & Edwin Anthony Estolas, Birthdays

Thank You!

I am pleased to report that your generosity has brought us over the goal of our parish's *Annual Diocesan Appeal* campaign of \$234,793. As of this writing, you have brought us to the amount of \$298,104 in pledges and gifts- and in less than 5 weeks. Amazing generosity, my dear parishioners; and I am very grateful to all of you! So far, 766 parishioners have contributed, making our average pledge \$389. As your pastor, and on behalf of our entire parish family, I thank you with my whole heart for your gift. I thank God for your response to this *Appeal*; and I rejoice in His goodness to us!

Our ADA campaign is not yet finished. Let us move forward. I make my own personal appeal to those of you who have not, as yet, contributed. I would like to see every family in our parish - that's about 2,200 - participate.

All money that you contribute from now on will come back to us here at Our Lady of Peace.

In addition, we need your prayer support. Should you be unable to give money, please offer prayers for God's people here at this parish. On the ADA card you can fill in your name and the prayer sacrifice you would make as your part of this campaign. No gift is un-noticed by our Blessed Lord.

May our Heavenly Father - from whom comes all good gifts - reward you for your generosity with His peace, protection and Holy Presence!

- Fr. Gustavo Nieto, OFM

Weekly Offering



Weekend totals for March 29 & 30:

Masses	Total
SATURDAY	
5:00PM	\$1,419.00
7:30PM	\$1,044.00
SUNDAY	
7:30AM	\$1,260.00
9:00AM	\$2,504.00
10:30AM	\$2,704.00
12:00 noon	\$2,687.00
2:00PM	\$1,060.00
5:00PM	\$1,971.60
6:30PM	\$895.00
8:00PM	\$1,689.00
TOTAL	\$17,233.00

FIRST CORINTHIANS

The Church and the Christian Community

ADVD Study featuring Dr. Tim Gray

The conflicts of the early Christians in Corinth are in many ways similar to our struggles today as Christians. With divisions, immorality, persecution, and other trials of the faithful, the message of St. Paul to the Corinthians is a much-needed message for our own times. *First Corinthians* explores the key elements that the apostle Paul introduced to a new and growing Church. St. Paul taught the Corinthians about the nature of grace and the Church as the Body of Christ. In addition, he introduced the Corinthian Christians to the most powerful gift of all, the Eucharist, which, along with Christian virtue, leads to a life of joy.

Dates, Time, Locations

April 7 to June 30, 2014
Mondays 7:00 to 8:30pm
FLC Room 1101

About Dr. Tim Gray

Dr. Tim Gray is the director of the Denver Catholic Biblical School, a professor of Scripture at Denver's St. John Vianney Seminary, and is the author of several books including *Mission of the Messiah: On the Gospel of Luke*.



Registration

Registration between 2/18/14 to 3/28/14
Registration \$33.00... Register by 3/14/14 and save \$15.00!
Registration forms available in Rectory, Adult Religious Education Office and at www.olop-shrine.org

For more information

Adult Religious Education Office
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msanchagrin@dsj.org
408-988-7543 ask for Margaret

To learn more, visit www.GreatAdventureOnline.com



ST. JOHN PAUL II LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE & NEWS

Come visit the St. John Paul II Library located in the Family Learning Center during Open House on Sunday April 27 after 2-PM Divine Mercy celebration.

Special Open House hours are from 4:30 - 6:30 PM.

Meet volunteers and browse the many recent donations. If you haven't visited, you may be amazed.

Thanks to our volunteer librarians, we're now open Monday evenings until 6:45 PM.

(**Note that the library is not open during CCD hours due to Child Safety regulations.)

The library honors St. John Paul II on his canonization for his dedication to Our Lady, to families and to youth by adding his name. Henceforth, our hidden jewel of a library will be the "St. John Paul II Library."

Thank you for all your donations. We wouldn't exist without them. Although due to space limitations we are only accepting CD/DVD donations.

Thanks to all the volunteers. To add more hours and back up those who are away or ill, we really need more volunteers.

You are invited!

2014 Northern California Catholic Homeschooling Conference

April 25 & 26th in the Family Learning Center

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## What is Homeschooling?

### Is Homeschooling for me and my family?

## How do you homeschool?

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Spanish sessions are also included on Saturday morning.

To Register: www.olopgiftshop.com
(Watch our video!)

FREE Friday Night Information Session

For questions, email:
OLOPHomeschoolingConference@gmail.com

Todos Están Invitados!

2014 Conferencia Católica de Educación en Casa (Homeschooling)

25 y 26 de Abril en el Family Learning Center

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## Que es educación en casa (homeschooling)?

### Es la educación en casa para mi y mi familia?

## En qué consiste la educación en casa?

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El Sábado 26 Habrá sessions en Español

Para registrarse: www.olopgiftshop.com
(Mire el video!)

Sesión de informació GRATIS el Viernes 25

Para mas información o consultas escribanos a:
OLOPHomeschoolingConference@gmail.com

Summer Oratory & Family Conference 2014

July 7 - July 26 9AM - 4PM

For grades K through 10



For more information please call the Religious Education Office at 408 988 7543

Fee:

\$110 (registered parishioners)

\$130 (non-parishioners)



**Official Oratory T-Shirt:
\$10**

Registrations are open

from Sunday, March 30 until Saturday, April 12, 2014

FIRST COME FIRST SERVE

Office Hours:

| DAY | TIME | WHO |
|--------------|------------------------------|---|
| Sun March 30 | 9 am—11:30 am | CCD Catechists' & CCD/OLOP Volunteers' children ONLY |
| Tue April 1 | 9 am—11:30 am & 5:30 pm—8 pm | CCD Students ONLY |
| Wed April 2 | 9 am—11:30 am & 3 pm—6 pm | REGISTERED PARISHIONERS ONLY
** please provide your parishioner number** |
| Thu April 3 | 9 am—11:30 am & 5:30 pm—8 pm | REGISTERED PARISHIONERS ONLY
** please provide your parishioner number** |
| Sat April 5 | 9 am- 1 pm | OPEN TO EVERYONE |
| Sun April 6 | 9 am—11:30 am | OPEN TO EVERYONE |
| Tue April 8 | 9 am—11:30 am & 5:30 pm—8 pm | OPEN TO EVERYONE |
| Wed April 9 | 9 am—11:30 am & 3 pm—6 pm | OPEN TO EVERYONE |
| Thu April 10 | 9 am—11:30 am & 5:30 pm—8 pm | OPEN TO EVERYONE |
| Sat April 12 | 9 am- 1 pm | LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION |

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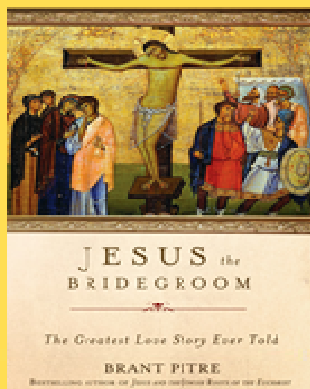
Our Lady of Peace Gift Shop... Open 7 Days a Week

Store Hours: M/T/Th: 8:45-7:00 W/F: 8:45-9:00
Sat: 9:00-9:00 and Sun: 9:00-7:30

Today is April 6, 2014
5th Sunday of Lent

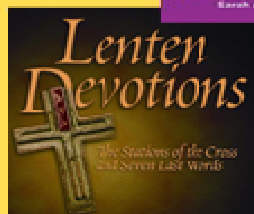
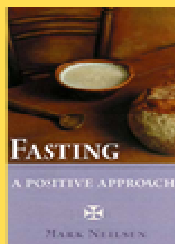


Feeding Faith Book Club 20% off all new hardcovers

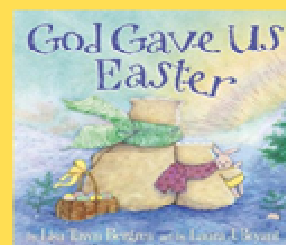


"This book will change you. It is an invitation to the Messiah's wedding feast – and a foretaste of heaven...Most of all, it will deepen your love for Christ." – Scott Hahn

There are 2 weeks left in Lent!
Stop in to browse our large
selection of Lenten reading,
including wonderful resources
for the whole family



Easter basket ideas!



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Terri Schiavo Society

The family of Terri Schiavo has approved the forming of an organization to combat euthanasia and assisted suicide in her honor. The first chapter of the Terri Schiavo Society is now being formed. It will have 2 primary purposes:

1. Educate about euthanasia and assisted suicide and its prevention; and
2. Assemble and organize a group of people who are willing to act as health care agents according to the orthodox principles of the Catholic Church for people who do not have such people in their lives.

If you are interested in helping, leave your name and contact information at the front desk in the parish rectory or email
Kevin Bedolla at kcbedolla@sbcglobal.net

The Carmelite Mystics

...."The great Carmelite insight, one common to all our mystics, is the supreme value of the spiritual journey, the journey into our heart where we discover God. This journey is a pearl beyond price; it is something worth losing all else to acquire. But it is not an easy journey: the ascent of Mount Carmel to use the expression of St. John of the Cross, later taken over in the liturgy, is a stern task that demands unrelenting dedication over a life-time. Yet the Carmelite mystics know like the Egyptian-Jewish mystic, Philo of Alexandria in the first century, that just to embark on this journey is already a great joy."

This we see in a letter of Bl Elizabeth of the Trinity just before she died at the age of twenty-six to her slightly worldly friend, Françoise de Sourdon. Elizabeth was so weak she could only write in pencil. But her mind was crystal clear. From her own deep experience she told her nineteen year old friend:
"I truly believe that God wants your life to be spent in a realm where the air breathed is divine. Oh! You see, I have a profound compassion for souls that live only for this world and its trivialities; I consider them as slaves, and wish I could tell them. Shake off the yoke that weighs you down; what are you doing with these bonds that chain you to yourself and to things less than yourself."

For further information on Carmelite mystics, please come to Room 1216 in the Monsignor Sweeney Family Planning Center on April 13th at 1 pm to 5 pm to hear a talk on this.

For further information" contact
Frank Cirimele at 408-723-8590 or call
Donna Rae Smith at 408/221-6342.

April 2014

Feast Days

7—St. John Baptist de la Salle
 11—St. Stanislaus
 17—Holy Thursday
 18—Good Friday
 19—Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)
 28—St. Peter Chanel
 St. Louis Grignon de Montfort
 29—St. Catherine of Siena
 30—St. Pius V

Events—See page 7

Rectory Office

April 7 (Staff Day) - Closed
 April 17 (Holy Thursday) 9-12 only
 April 18 (Good Friday) 9-12 only
 April 19 (Holy Saturday) - Closed

SCHEDULE OF CHURCH DEVOTIONS

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| Full
15-Decade
Rosary | Weds-Mon
6-7 PM |
| Santo Niño
Novena | Mondays
7:00PM |
| Rosario en
Español | Mondays
8:00 PM |
| Holy Hour | Tuesdays
11AM |
| St. Anthony
Novena with
Mass | Tuesdays
6 PM |
| Rosary in
Vietnamese | Tuesdays
8 PM |
| Mother of
Perpetual
Help
Novena and
Mass | Wednesdays
7 PM |
| St Joseph the
Worker's
Holy 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 at the intersection of California and San Antonio.

Saturday Mornings @ 9:30 A.M.

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

Saturday Morning Roster for

Altar Workers (April 12): Carmen Moyoli, Mila dela Concha, Clair Baided, Eden Esguerra, Indah Perma

Every 2nd Saturday

Rosary at the Shrine after 8am Mass for the beatification of Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC

Last Saturday of the Month: @ 9:15 AM

All pro-lifers are welcome to 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 every Saturday & will welcome your support. 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

The Gospel of John tells us that

“ he saw and believed ”

“ ... come and see ”

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The Shroud of Turin

by a Ph.D. Scientist Roland Deptuch

who came home to the Catholic Church because of the wisdom of Pope John Paul II and the many scientific studies on the Shroud that confirm the suffering, death and resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ



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Saturday April 12, 2013 (6:30 – 8:30 PM)
 Our Lady of Peace Family Learning Center
 2800 Mission College Blvd, Santa Clara, CA 95054



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