We, at St. Catherine Parish, are a growing, diverse, and welcoming Catholic Community, called to live and proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ through Worship, Discipleship and Service.

La Parroquia de Santa Catalina de Alejandría, es una comunidad en crecimiento, acogedora y diversa, llamada a vivir y proclamar la Buena Nueva de Jesucristo por medio de la Oración, el Discipulado y el Servicio.

MASSES / MISAS
Monday-Saturday: 8:15am
Saturday: 5:30pm
Sábado: 7:30pm
Sunday: 7:15, 8:45, 10:30am, 5:30pm
Domingo: 12:15pm

CONFESSION / CONFESIÓN
Saturday / Sábado: 4:00 - 5:00pm (Or by appointment / O hacer una cita.)

ADORACIÓN / ADORATION
Wednesday / Miércoles 6:30pm
1st Friday 9:00 - 12:00pm

From the Desk of Fr. Mark Arnzen, Pastor...

The religion of Christ is not a tidbit after one’s bread, on the contrary, it is the bread or it is nothing. People should at least understand this if they call themselves Christians. (Dietrich Bonhoeffer, 69)

As a Eucharist people, we are called to share in a communion of hope. In the above quote we are reminded that our faith in Jesus must be substantial and an integral part of our lives and this is where our prayer life must be central in our daily practice of faith. Prayer takes us into a deeper relationship with God as we enter into the conversation of hope.

Being good stewards of our time is one of the parts of our life that we often find most challenging.

(Continued on Page 3 …)

Desde el Escritorio de Padre Mark Arnzen, Párroco…

La religión de Cristo no es un chisme detrás del pan, por el contrario, es el pan o no es nada. La gente debería al menos comprender esto si llaman a sí mismos cristianos. (Dietrich Bonhoeffer, 69)

Como un pueblo Eucaristía, estamos llamados a compartir en comunión de esperanza. En la cita anterior se nos recuerda que nuestra fe en Jesús debe ser sustancial y una parte integral de nuestras vidas y es aquí donde nuestra vida de oración debe ser central en nuestra práctica diaria de la fe. La oración nos lleva a una relación más profunda con Dios a medida que entramos en la conversación de la esperanza.

Ser buenos administradores de nuestro tiempo es una de las partes de nuestra vida que a menudo nos encontramos más desafiante.

(Continuado en Pagina 5…)
**Rectory Office Hours / Horarios de la Rectoría**

Monday - Friday (Lunes - Viernes)
8:00am - 12:00pm, 1:00 - 7:00pm  
Saturday (Sábado)
Closed/Cerrado  
Sunday (Domingo)
8:30am - 12:00pm

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40  
**Tuesday:** Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-28, 30-32; Mk 5:21-43  
**Wednesday:** Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6  
**Thursday:** Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13  
**Friday:** Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mk 6:14-29  
**Saturday:** Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34  
**Sunday:** Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

**READINGS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**First Reading** — Job finds life on earth to be drudgery; he is filled with restlessness (Job 7:1-4, 6-7).  
**Psalm** — Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted (Psalm 147).  
**Second Reading** — Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel. I have become all things to all, to save at least some (1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23).  
**Gospel** — Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases (Mark 1:29-39).


**8:15AM MASS INTENTIONS**

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

STEWARDSHIP IN SCRIPTURE
BY DEACON RICK HAECKEL

We have heard the Gospel readings at mass many times (many, many for some of us :-). Familiarity often lead us to think, “I’ve heard this before, I know the story.” It’s human nature to seek the new and exciting, that which is unfamiliar can entice us. But often the truth lies within familiar words, if we but take the time to sit with them. Consider the phrase from today’s Gospel, “…for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes.” We can hear that as simply that Jesus was a better teacher than the scribes, or that Jesus’ power to heal showed his connection to God’s grace. It is interesting to note the comparison that Mark uses, Jesus’ teaching versus the scribes. The scribes interpreted the Hebrew scriptures perhaps in the context in which they appeared in the verses which were read. However, it seems that Jesus taught with the “authority” of one who applied the reading to the lives of those to whom he spoke. The application of scripture to daily life is an essential part of the homily at mass. But beyond that it is the means by which each one of us, through reflection and pondering, are called to the same task. In order to be successful we must take the time, even if just a moment, to place ourselves in the presence of God and “chew on” a phrase or story from the scripture read at mass. This process enlightens us more with wisdom than knowledge, it asks that we open ourselves regularly to actually hear God’s word in the context of our lives. What did you hear today?

GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

Turning down the thermostat a few degrees not only saves energy (and reduces your heating bill) and gets us to wear warmer clothes indoors instead of just taking up closet space.

HAVE YOU MOVED?

Have you moved recently and need to update your mailing information with the parish? Email us at office@stca.org, drop us a note in the Sunday collection or call us at (408) 779-3959. We need your complete name, old & new address and your new telephone number if that has changed. Don’t miss out on all the great news we mail/email to our parishioners!

FROM THE DESK OF FR. MARK
CONTINUED......

Using our time to build relationships and find the joy filled gift of love in communion with God and his church is recognizing the truth that all that we have comes from God. The use of this gift is building up God’s holy kingdom is where the work of prayer occurs. The holy season of Lent is coming very soon and we know that prayer is one of the three pillars along with fasting and almsgiving. The Eucharistic bread that we receive is at the heart of our faith. It is the center of our faith where we receive life in the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ and in prayer we are joined together in what we have received.

As we prepare for the coming season of Lent we should begin the seek the conversion of life where we are called to follow in the example of our Savior Jesus Christ and live in service of others. Let us begin to prepare for our Lenten journey in the resolution to be united in the Eucharist and seek the fullness of our communion with Jesus and the whole of the church.

Where a people prays, there is the church, and where the church is, there is never loneliness. ((Bonhoeffer, 69)

God Bless,
Fr. Mark

ON LOVE

If you would be loved, love and be lovable.

—Benjamin Franklin

Welcome! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.

Name: ____________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________
City: _____________________________ Zip:__________________
Phone: _______________ Email: __________________________
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

LITURGY WORSHIP

REFLECTION: Today’s liturgy we are reminded that if we are to love God with all our heart we must be wholly committed to His service. Moses led God’s people from slavery in Egypt to the Promised Land. Moses knew that he would die before the people entered the Promised Land. Moses in the first reading, Deut. 18:15-20, speaks to God’s people that God would not leave them without direction or leadership. God would send them another prophet who would speak God’s word to them. Thus, Jesus is the Prophet foretold by Moses. Jesus in today’s Gospel, Mk. 1:21-28, is the “Holy One of God” and therefore teaches with authority that even demons obey Him. St. Paul in the second reading, 1 Cor. 7:32-35, tells us that we are called to dedicate our lives totally to Christ.

CONGRATULATIONS: These are individuals who have completed their training and are ready for their ministry as extra-ordinary Eucharistic Minister at St. Catherine Parish.

Ken Wrigth, John Zent, Ralpp Fullerton, Lisa Jensen, Ethel Achanzar

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

We will have 24 hours Eucharistic adoration beginning after the 8:15 a.m. Mass on Friday, February 6th, First Friday, and concluding with Benediction on Saturday, February 7th, before the 8:15 a.m. As we worship Jesus’ presence in the Sacrament, it gives us an opportunity to spend quality time with Jesus. Many people have made a commitment to a specific hour, but we especially need men who can come during the night—to intercede for their families and for our parish. Jesus asks: “Could you not keep watch with me for one hour?” (Mt. 26:40).

SAVE THE DATE
MARCH 1–MARCH 4, 2015
YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT TALK & PARISH MISSION
LEd BY
KATRINA J. ZENO, MTS

Join international speaker and author, Katrina J. Zeno, MTS, here at St. Catherine Church. She will speak to our Youth/Young Adults on Sunday, March 1 on Theology of the Body for Youth/Young Adults. She will then begin her talks on Monday, March 2 thru Wednesday, March 4 with a Three-Day Parish Mission. All parishioners, our families, friends of St. Catherine’s, other Diocesan parishes and community members will be invited to hear this dynamic speaker.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS TODAY AND SPREAD THE WORD...

Katrina’s Bio

Specializing in the theology of the body, the single life, the genius of woman, chastity formation, marriage, and the Eucharist, and passing on the faith, Katrina brings a dynamic and personal dimension to her speaking. She was born and raised in San Diego, California, but left the sun and beach for Steubenville, Ohio, where she earned her BA in theology from Franciscan University of Steubenville.

As a single mother, Katrina has acquired a wealth of experience and knowledge across life's journey from marriage to single life to raising children to romance. She is the author of Every Woman’s Journey: Answering ‘Who am I’ for the Feminine Heart, The Body Reveals God: A Guided Study of John Paul II's Theology of the Body, and When Life Doesn’t Go Your Way: Hope for Catholic Women Facing Pain and Disappointment. She is a contributing author to Amazing Grace for Women and Freedom: 12 Lives Transformed by Theology of the Body; and the co-editor of Rocked by God, an inspiring collection of teen testimonies.

She has spoken in Switzerland, Austria, England, Canada, Guatemala, and Trinidad and throughout the United States at parish- es, retreat centers, and national conferences. Katrina is the best mother of a young-adult son Michael.

Currently, Katrina lives in Phoenix, Arizona, where she is the coordinator of the John Paul II Resource Center for Theology of the Body and Culture for the Diocese of Phoenix, Arizona (see www.tobcenter.org). Bishop Thomas Olmsted's has given an endorsement of her work.
CUARTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

LECTURAS DE HOY
Primera lectura — Moisés le habló a todo el pueblo diciendo: “El Señor Dios hará surgir en medio de ustedes un profeta como yo” (Deuteronomio 18:15-20).

Salo — Ojalá escuchen hoy su voz; no endurezcan sus corazones (Salmo 95 [94]).

Segunda lectura — Hermanos y hermanas: Yo quisiera que ustedes vivieran sin preocupaciones (1 Corintios 7:32-35).

Evangelio — Los oyentes quedaron asombrados de sus palabras, pues enseñaba como quien tiene autoridad (Marcos 1:21-28).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA
Martes:Heb 12:1-4; Sal 22 (21):26b-28, 30-32; Mc 5:21-43
Miércoles:Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Sal 103 (102):1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mc 6:1-6
Viernes: Heb 13:1-8; Sal 27 (26):1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mc 6:14-29
Sábado: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mc 6:30-34
Domingo:Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Sal 147 (146):1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mc 1:29-39

ADORACIÓN DEL SANTISIMO
Los invitamos a la Adoración del santísim y a un tiempo para reflexión personal, todos los Miércoles a las 6:30pm en la Iglesia.

FELICITAMOS LOS CUMPLEAÑOS DEL MES DE FEBRERO:

Domingo, 1 de Febrero

Manuel Lopez Murgia

Damos gracias al Señor por todas las bendiciones concedidas a cada uno de nuestros ministros en su cumplenios y el que compartan su tiempo y talento en nuestra Parroquia. Pedimos al Señor los haga crecer en su fe y les recompense su generosidad.

ESTUDIO DE BIBLIA
Los invitamos al estudio de Biblia con el Padre Andrey los Martes a las 7:00pm en el centro Milani.

DESEDEL ESCRITORIO DE PADRE MARK CONTINUADO...

Usando nuestro tiempo para construir relaciones y encontrar el regalo alegría llena de amor en la comunidad con Dios y su iglesia es reconocer la verdad de que todo lo que tenemos viene de Dios. El uso de este regalo se está acumulando santo reino de Dios es donde se produce el trabajo de la oración.

El santo tiempo de Cuaresma viene muy pronto y sabemos que la oración es uno de los tres pilares, junto con el ayuno y la limosna. El pan eucarístico que recibimos está en el corazón de nuestra fe. Es el centro de nuestra fe en que recibimos la vida en el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Jesucristo y en la oración estamos unidos en lo que hemos recibido.

Mientras nos preparamos para la próxima temporada de Cuaresma debemos comenzar el buscar la conversión de la vida en la que estamos llamados a seguir un ejemplo de nuestro Salvador Jesucristo y vivir al servicio de los demás. Comencemos a prepararnos para nuestro camino cuaresmal en la resolución que se unió en la Eucaristía y buscar la plenitud de la comunión con Jesús y el conjunto de la iglesia.

**Cuando un pueblo ora, se encuentra la iglesia, y donde está la iglesia, nunca hay soledad.**

(Bonhoeffer, 69)

Dios Los Bendiga,
Padre Mark

MINISTERIO DE ENFERMOS
Las personas que tengan un familiar enfermo que no pueda asistir a la misa, puede dar sus datos en la Rectoría al Tele. 408-779-3959 para que miembros de este ministerio pasen a visitarlos a sus casas y llevarles la comunión.

PREBAUTISMES
Esta plática es diseñada para preparar a los padres y padrinos del niño/a que recibirá el sacramento del Bautismo. El programa es requerido antes del Bautismo y se llevaran acabo en la iglesia a las 6:30pm durante esta fecha: Marzo 3 2015 *Necesitan registrarse antes de la fecha a la oficina Parroquial al 1-408-779-3959.*
CUARTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

LA LARGA Y MOLESTA AGONÍA DEL DEMONIO

Que el Demonio está herido de muerte es algo sabido. Tras la Pasión y Resurrección de Cristo, su título de “Príncipe de este mundo” le ha sido arrebatado por Aquél que, antes de subir a los Cielos, dijo: “me ha sido dado todo poder en el Cielo y en la Tierra” (Mt 28, 18).

La promesa que Dios realizó a nuestros primeros padres se ha cumplido, y una Mujer, la Virgen, pisa hoy la cabeza de la serpiente. Sin embargo, en esos últimos estertores que son para nosotros interminables, la serpiente sigue vomitando fuego por su boca. En ocasiones se diría que está más viva que nunca y, si no fuese porque sabemos que su derrota ha sido firmada con la Sangre del Cordero, se diría que sigue siendo aquel príncipe altillo y poderoso, capaz de ofrecerle al propio Hijo de Dios todos los reinos de la Tierra.

Me he preguntado muchas veces por qué, tras su victoria, Jesús no desterró del todo a Satanás; por qué, en lugar de dejarlo herido y encadenado como perro furioso y babeante, no lo expulsó definitivamente de este mundo y nos ahorró las insidias, las luchas y dolores que aún puede provocarnos el Maligno. Y la única respuesta que obtengo, cuantas veces formulo esta pregunta, es que “no es el siervo más que su señor, ni el enviado más que el que lo envía” (Jn 13, 16). La victoria de Cristo, aún siendo definitiva, no exime al cristiano de luchar. Si el Hijo de Dios sufrió los embates del Satán, no nos salvaremos de nuestras propias vanidades sin tomar parte en sus padecimientos.

Nuestra armas son las mismas que las suyas: la mansedumbre, la paz de espíritu, la humildad y, sobre todo, la oración. A la vez que Dios permite los ataques del Maligno, envía sobrabundancia de gracias a las almas que siguen a su Hijo. Y quien es salpicado por los espujarajos de Satanás es también bendecido con la ternura de Dios, infinitamente mayor que todas las insidias del Enemigo. No hay nada que temer, más que la locura de volver atrás. Con los ojos fijos en la Cruz, entenderemos que Jesús calma las tormentas para aquéllos a quienes ama; pero, a quienes ama mucho, los enseña, más bien, a caminar sobre las aguas encrespadas como caminó Él sobre el oprobio del Calvario.

Fr. José Fernando Rey Ballesteros

MÁS

Ama más que otros creen necesario.
Confía más que otros creen prudente.
Sirve más que otros creen práctico.
—Anónimo

GRUPO AMIGOS

Se les invita a todos los muchachos y muchachas que estén en la high school para asistir al Grupo Amigos. Es un lugar para hacer buenas amistades y para aprender nuevas cosas que ayudaran en sus vidas y crecer en su fe. Los viernes a las 7:00pm.

DIVINO PROTOCOLO

CÓMO DEBE COMULGARSE EN LA MANO

Se pone la mano derecha debajo de la izquierda, como haciendo un trono, y se extienden así hacia el sacerdote o el ministro extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión como quien pide una limosna. El sacerdote, ministro extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión tras mostrar la Sagrada Forma al comulgante diciendo: “El Cuerpo de Cristo”, depositará la Hostia sobre la mano. Entonces quien comulga dirá: “Amén”, dará un paso a la derecha(o izquierda) y, antes de girarse, todavía DELANTE DEL SACERDOTE o del ministro extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión tomará la Sagrada Forma con la mano derecha y la consumirá. Después se retirará.

AMBAS CON MANOS DESNUDAS, SIN GUANTES NI PAQUETES DE NINGÚN TIPO.
PREPARACIÓN A LOS SACRAMENTOS PARA ADULTOS
A las personas de 18 años en adelante que les falte alguno de los Sacramentos de Bautismo, Comunión o Confirmación, pueden pasar a la Rectoría a registrarse, las clases inician en el Salón 12 todos los Jueves a las 7:00pm. Les pedimos traer Biblia y Cuaderno.

GRUPO CARISMÁTICO
Los invitamos cada miércoles de 7:30pm a 9:30pm en la Iglesia.

JÓVENES PARA CRISTO
Se les invita a las personas mayores de 18 años a reunirse todos los Viernes en el salón 10 en la escuela a las 7:00pm. ¡Los esperamos!

ORDEN EJECUTIVA DE INMIGRACIÓN
Caridades Católicas ofrece presentaciones acerca de la Orden Ejecutiva de Inmigración. Les invitamos a asistir para que estén más informados sobre la orden del Presidente Obama. Se hablará sobre los beneficios y requisitos para calificar. También habrá oportunidad de hacer preguntas a una representante acreditada por la Junta de Apelaciones de Inmigración. Las orientaciones son en Español, y son gratuitas para toda persona interesada.

Las presentaciones se llevaran acabo en salón de Serra Cottage, que esta ubicado dentro del campus de la parroquia Santa María en Gilroy. El domicilio exacto es 7980 Church St. en Gilroy.

- martes, 3 de febrero a las 6 de la tarde
- martes, 17 de febrero a las 9:30 de la mañana

Para informes sobre la orden ejecutiva, por favor asista a una de las orientaciones. Si tiene preguntas sobre otros servicios de inmigración, puede llamar a Caridades Católicas (408) 842-4808.

GRAN CENA BAILE
El Grupo Fuente de Amor de la Iglesia Santa Catalina los invita a su Gran Cena Baile el 14 de Febrero 2015. Cena de 6:30—8:00pm y Baile de 8:00-12:00am. Este evento es exclusive para matrimonios y comprometidos. Para comprar boletos favor de llamar a Hugo y Olga Juarez (408) 778-6842, josehjuarez@yahoo.com. Precio por pareja $120.00, todo boleto tendra que ser pagado para poder reservar. Musica en vivo con el grupo Turista Show! No se lo pierda!

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CENA GRATIS
Ahora en la Iglesia de Santa Catalina hay una cena para la Comunidad cada lunes de 6:00-7:00pm en el Centro Parroquial. Todos son bienvenidos. Comida caliente gratuita también está disponible en cada martes en la Iglesia Luterana de 5-6 pm, todos los miércoles en la Iglesia Metodista Unida de 6-7pm y los jueves en la Iglesia Comunidad Cristiana de 6-7pm.

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¡GRACIAS POR SU GENEROSIDAD Y APOYO!
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Adult Baptism, Confirmation, and first Holy Communion at St Catherine Church

Reasons to be Catholic. #2 Universality

When adults come to RCIA to prepare to receive one or more of the sacraments of initiation, we share with them information similar to what you see here: we start with Sacred Scripture, and show them the Catholic understanding of that Scripture, and how it applies to their lives. Any adult—whether you have completed the sacraments of initiation or not—is welcome to join us. Call or email Deacon Phil for a schedule of topics.

408-779-3959
pflowers@dsj.org

Next Wed Night Class:
7:30-9:30pm in Miliani Center

The word “catholic” means “universal.” There are an estimated 1.2 billion Roman Catholics in the world, and Mass is celebrated in nearly every country and nearly every language on earth. But what that means is not that Mass is exactly the same everywhere in the world. Rather, it means that Catholicism is pluralistic—cultures from all over the world bring richness, color, and vibrancy to our celebrations. We see this very clearly right here in our own parish and diocese: we have special liturgical celebrations for St. Patrick’s Day (Irish), Our Lady of Guadalupe (Mexican), Simbang Gabi and the Santo Nino (Filipino), and more. In our diocese, one can attend Mass in English, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, Vietnamese, Tagalog, Korean, Mandarin, Cantonese, Polish, and Tamil.

There are parishes that are poor, parishes that are rich, parishes that are small, parishes that are large, but as Catholics we know that we are welcome at any of these churches. Have you ever attended Mass in an airport? A hospital? A shopping mall? A tourist town? A college campus? Catholics are everywhere, and every day, Mass is said in thousands of locations throughout the world. But in every one of those locations, whether we know the celebrant, the members of the assembly, or even the language, we can participate in the Mass. In every place, we explore the same, unchanging Gospel, and that crosses all the differences that exist between us.

Adapted from Kathy Coffey, “Ten Reasons to be Catholic”, St. Anthony Messenger Press, 1998
Alright Paul, that’s two weeks in a row. I mean, this one makes a lot more sense that last week—yes a married man is worried about pleasing his wife and vice versa. But you don’t have to come right out and say it. By the way, single people—they worry about pleasing someone so that they might become their husband or wife. If only we all worried more about pleasing the Lord! Fr. Mark’s homily last week was on point—if we love the Lord and put Him before all else, we will love others better and more fully (I’m paraphrasing).

Group picture from this past retreat. I mean Jesus Camp. #squad

If you’re one of the few who don’t have any social media, never fear. Jesus probably wouldn’t have had one either. He is not about self-promotion or letting too many people know who He really is. He’s all about talking to the people in person. He wants people to discover Him for themselves. Not a bad act to follow.

By the way, follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram!

P.S. Sorry to you teens whose parents will now use this as a reason for not letting you get any social media accounts.

OPEN GYM for Young Adults tomorrow night at 7:30pm! Bring a friend!

MOOYAH is next Tuesday for our monthly Fundraiser! Put it on your calendar!
In today’s Gospel, we hear that stories of the amazing things that Jesus did spread everywhere throughout the region of Galilee. The people were amazed and astonished at Jesus’ power and his teachings. Jesus taught not just by his words, but by his actions.

Gather as a family, perhaps during a meal, and reflect on some of the amazing things that Jesus has said or done that you remember from Bible stories. What are the “Jesus moments” this week that show his power and authority at work? What are things we can do to spread the word about Jesus and what he has done for us?

Let these moments sink in so that you can share in the amazement of Jesus’ presence in the ordinary and not just the extraordinary times in our lives.

FAMILY PRAYER: Lord Jesus, we listen to your stories and we hear your words. May we remember them and bring your message to others in what we say and do. For you live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever, AMEN.

INTRODUCING: SCY Girls

Mind, Body, & Spirit
For Girls in Grades 5-8
Calling all adults -
Who would like to help facilitate a group of young girls, by empowering and encouraging them through the love of Christ!

Please meet us on February 3 at 7:00 pm
Room 8, St. Catherine School

NEW PARENT FAITH FORMATION SERIES:

Sundays, February 1, 8 & 15
9:00 am—10:15 am in Room 8

Wednesdays, February 4, 11 & 25
3:15 pm—4:30 pm
4:45 pm—6:00 pm
Nursery (Feb 4) and Room 12 (Feb 11 & 25)

Thursdays, February 5, 19 & 26
10:00 am—11:00 am in the Parish Center

Saturdays (SPANISH), February 7, 14 & 28
9:00 am—10:15 am in the Milani Center

Join us as we “dig deeper” into the Bible through Sacred Scripture and how to integrate it in our daily lives. All parents are welcome to attend.

SAVE THE DATE!

“Getting to the Heart of Lent”:
A Lenten Intergenerational Event

Sunday, February 22
1:30—5:00 pm in the Parish Center
TAIZE prayer is an ecumenical service, open to all faiths. This prayer and song around the Cross is held in the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Chapel every 3rd Friday of the month. In a spirit of peace and reconciliation, our Taize Service is attended by people of all ages. Join us at 43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539. For more information, please contact: Sister Marcia Krause, OP at 510-502-5797.

STEPHEN MINISTRY
Are you struggling through a hard time in your life? Are you trying to be strong and handle it alone? It doesn’t have to be that way. Whether it’s adjusting to a divorce, the loss of a loved one or coping with the issues of aging, a parish Stephen minister can support you. Each Stephen Minister has been trained extensively in Christian caregiving to listen in confidence and without judgment. To find out how this ministry can be of assistance to you or to request a Stephen minister, please contact Sergio at (408) 340-0454 or Claranne at (408) 782-1413.

ALFA Y OMEGA FAMILY RETREAT

9th Annual
REV S VS SEMS
Basketball Challenge
FRIDAY 2/20/15
7:00 PM
Leavey Center
Santa Clara University
Admission:
$10 - General
$5 - Student
$40 - Family
Tickets available online or at the door.
Major credit cards accepted.
www.dsj.org/
revs-vs-sems
For more info call:
(650)325-5621
advancement@scu.org

IF
You help us raise $2,000 for our Family Retreat.
Please put your donation, big or small, in the jug after Mass or during the week in the Parish Office.
Thank you for your support.

Jesus: The Door to Our Soul
A Retreat for Women
at Villa Maria del Mar
Santa Cruz
Begins 10:00am Monday February 23rd
Ends: 5:00 pm Tuesday February 24th
Facilitators: Rosemarie Peoples & Carmella Dautoff
For more info contact:
Rosemarie Peoples (408) 778-3595 or (408) 623-7502 rosemarie778@gmail.com

MORE
Care more than others think necessary.
Trust more than others think wise.
Serve more than others think practical.

—Anonymous
You Are Cordially Invited to a Night for Life!

Voice For The Voiceless

Join 300+ Patrons at this Spring Fundraiser!
Hors D’Oeuvres and Fellowship. Limited Space.
$30 per ticket.

Villa Ragusa
35 S 2nd St, Campbell,
CA 95008
Thurs, February 26th @ 6:30pm

Purchase Tickets at 408.609.3373 or
Email: hrichard@ghwcenter.org

Sponsor a Table! Register! Find more information by visiting www.guadalupehope4sj.com

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ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA Eucharistic Adoration Schedule 2015

Monthly 24 hour Eucharistic Adoration in the church begins Friday after the 8:15am mass and concludes Saturday morning. Feb. 6-7, Mar. 6-7, *Apr. 10-11, May 1-2, *June 12-13

*Note that Jan., Apr. and June Adoration will be on the second Friday of the month due to other events in the church. You can sign up for hours in the vestibule of the church. Contact: Nikky Fardig-nmag@charter.net or 776-6698; Sandra Grisedale-ziasandra@sbcglobal.net or 10-0410; Crystal Dietrich-crystaldietrich@gmail.com or 512-897-6712

MEN’S FAITH SHARING GROUP
Open Invitation to all men. Come and join us as we discuss, share and grow our faith. We meet Monday mornings in the O’Donnell Parish Center from 6:30 to 7:30am to discuss our faith and relationship with God through discussions of Catholic books. Coffee and refreshments are provided.

COMMUNITY SUPPERS AT ST. CATHERINE

Over 100 volunteers donate their time to provide a hot meal for our community every Monday night in our Parish Center from 6-7pm. We are currently in need of one driver to pick up the trays of food in San Jose (once every 7 weeks, on a Monday afternoon from about 12-2pm), and several volunteers to just stop by and help us clean up (clear tables, tidy up kitchen, sweep and mop). You would come about 6:45pm and be finished by 7:30pm or so. Join a team and come once every 7 weeks, or just come when you can. If this sounds like something you might be willing and able to do, please contact Joe and Carol Lillig at lillig@garlic.com or 408-857-4516, or check out the Community Supper schedule on “ivolunteer” on the parish website (www.stca.org). Thank you!
A Message from Bishop McGrath
As stewards of God’s gifts we are asked to share the abundance that God has given to each of us. We do so in the context of our families, our parishes and our Diocese.

In making a gift to the 2015 Annual Diocesan Appeal, you will join hands with the tens of thousands whose generosity brings the love of Christ to so many in Santa Clara County.

Thank you for your generous support. May God continue to bestow an abundance of blessings on us all as together we live out the mission of our Catholic Faith.

With every best wish and kind regard, I remain,
Sincerely yours,
Patrick J. McGrath
Bishop of San Jose

BUY GROCERIES & HELP OUR PARISH
If each family purchased $200 of Safeway or Nob Hill gift cards every month we would receive $8 a month per family. With 1000 families attending church, we could earn $8,000 a month from Safeway, Nob Hill and Target gift cards purchased each week. Stop by the SCRIP table after weekend masses or contact the St. Catherine School Office (408-779-9950).

Bright Beginnings Nursery
Open Every Sunday
Free Drop In Childcare
Children Ages 1—5 Welcome
8:30 AM—11:45 AM
Located in the O’Donnell Parish Center.

COFFEE AND DONUTS ON SUNDAY
Come join us to meet other parishioners while enjoying a hot cup of coffee and donut. Your donation of $1.00 per donut and cup of coffee helps to defray the costs. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

BEGINNING AGAIN
If I were to begin life again, I would want it as it was. I would only open my eyes a little more.
—Jules Renard

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP OFFERINGS

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Thank you for your support of our ministries, programs & mission.

Stewardship Notes: Stewardship is defined as the total collections from the regular weekend Masses, Christmas and Easter. The “Weekly Goal” number reflects the amount that would need to be collected each Week to meet our yearly budget.
Above and left, there were lots of smiles as the eighth graders returned from their trip to Yosemite. Students were happy to see their parents and expressed gratitude to the parent chaperones and teachers who spent the week in the outdoors with them. Students learned about the history and geology of Yosemite, as well as gaining a greater sense of confidence, while away from their families for the week.

ST. CATHERINE SCHOOL
APPLICATIONS FOR 2015-2016
Application packets are available in the school office or on our website for the 2015-2016 school year. If you have friends or family members who are interested in St. Catherine School, please encourage them to pick up an application packet. Applications for grades 1-8 are due March 4 with entrance tests being given on March 11. Spaces are limited, so be sure to pick up an application soon.

The California Schools in the Diocese of San Jose, mindful of their mission to the love of Christ for all, admit students of any race, color, and national and/or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the schools. The Catholic Schools in the Diocese of San Jose do not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and/or ethnic origin, age, sex or disability in administration of educational policies, scholarship and loan programs, athletic and other school-administered programs.

COUGAR ATHLETIC CLUB
The Cougar Athletic Club (CAC) helps support St. Catherine School’s after school sports program. CAC holds a volleyball/football tournament each fall and two basketball tournaments each January.

Over the past ten years CAC has supported our athletes and St. Catherine by purchasing sports equipment, team uniforms, scoring equipment, resurfacing the asphalt section of the play yard, installing the built-in buffet in O’Donnell Center, and paying for the new logo and lines on the gym floor. Last year CAC upgraded the Parish Center sound system. A huge thank you to the Cougar Athletic Club for all their hard work!