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.

**MASS / MISAS**
- Monday-Saturday: 8:15am
- Saturday: 5:30pm
- 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.)

**ADORATION / ADORATION**
- Wednesday / Miércoles 7:00pm

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THE WEEK AHEAD/ LA SEMANA PRÓXIMA

Sunday/Domingo, January 27
9:00-10:15am Rm 10, 11 Faith Formation Classes
3:30-5:30pm CH Worship Band & Singers
4:00-8:30pm Rm 10 Grupo Amigos Joven Sin Cristo Mtg.

Monday/Lunes, January 28
11:00-2:30pm CR1-4, 5 Over 50’s Luncheon
6:00-7:00pm CR3, 4, 5 Community Super
6:30-8:30pm NUR Handmaids - Stitching Group
7:00-8:00pm CH Angelica Choir
7:00-8:30pm Rm 8, 10 JPC Junta de Equipo
7:30-9:00pm CR1, 2 English - Pre-Baptismal Class

Tuesday/Martes, January 29
7:00-8:30pm CR3, 4, 5 KoC - Council Meeting
7:00-9:00pm CH Liturgy Workshop/Retreat

Wednesday/Miércoles, January 30
4:00-8:30pm NUR Choir Practice/FIAM Choir
5:00-6:00pm CH Children’s Choir
6:00-7:30pm CR1, 2 UPDE Meeting
6:30-7:30pm CH Hora Santa
6:30-7:45pm Rm. 8 Jesus to Mankind Prayer Group
6:30-9:00pm Rm. 11 JPC Coro
7:00-8:30pm LR RICA
7:00-9:00pm Rm. 10 Encuentro Matrimonial
7:30-9:00pm CH Alpha & Omega

Thursday/Jueves, January 31
6:00-7:30pm NUR UPDE Volunteer Meeting
6:00-9:00pm CH Spanish Choir
7:00-8:30pm Rm. 11 Grupo Amigos - Teen Leader

Friday/Viernes, February 1
9:00-9:00pm CH Adoration
9:30-11:00am CR1, 2 Bible Study
7:00-9:00pm Rm 8, 10, 11 JPC Reunion Semanal

Saturday/Sábado, February 2
9:15-10:45am CR1-4, 5 Spanish Faith Formation Classes
8:00-10:00pm CH Practica de Pasion de Cristo

MC = Milani Center  CR1-4= Parish Center Conference Rooms
CH = Church Room  LR = Living Room DC = Daycare  Nur. =
Nursery CV= Church Vestibule Rm. 8, 10, 11 = School Rooms

SAINTS CHAPEL HELP
Clean chapel area and put new candles out. Help is needed throughout the day and evening. Small candles need to be changed every four hours. Contact: Ralph Ortega at ralphndebbie@icloud.com.

8:15am Mass Intentions

Monday, January 28  † Irene Drozd
† Maleina Lopez
† Jose Lua
† Juan Lua

Wednesday, January 30   † Trinidad Hernandez
† Sara Lua
† Leonard Sando
† Lucrecia Madrigal
† Norma Francisco
† Raul Bueno Jr.
† Sister Mary Thomas
† Fr. Scott Sperry

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Rejoicing in the LORD must be your strength (Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10).
Psalm — Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life (Psalm 19).
Second Reading — In one Spirit we were all baptized into one body (1 Corinthians 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]).
Gospel — The Spirit of the Lord has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives (Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 4:1-20
Thursday: Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24:1-6; Mk 4:21-25
Friday: Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;
Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]
Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17;
1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lk 4:21-30

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

STEWARDSHIP IN SCRIPTURE
by Deacon Rick Haeckel

Today’s Gospel selection introduces Luke and his promise to record “...a narrative of the events that have been fulfilled among us.” Notice that the Gospel readings at mass are not a continuous series from Chapter 1 to the end. Indeed, we hear the beginning of Chapter 1 followed by a section from Chapter 4. It is good to remember that the story of Jesus, his life and times, includes historical events, it is much more than a history book. Moreover, the Gospel readings at mass present a theme, not just the events themselves. We have just finished the Christmas season and enter into Ordinary Time. Last week the Gospel of John described Jesus’ baptism, recognition as God’s chosen and the beginning of Jesus’ public ministry. The theme of beginnings continues today as Luke describes his travels and return to Nazareth. At the synagogue on the Sabbath Jesus reads from Isaiah a description of the Lord’s anointed one, and that he is the fulfillment of that promise. What would it have been like to have been in that synagogue that day? In some ways, we were. We too hear Scripture read to us, we too are amazed at the wonder of Jesus’ presence to us, and we too have trouble living out what Jesus asks of us. When we unwittingly attribute Scripture to its historical moments we miss the calling that we are meant to hear. Translating what we hear and know of Jesus in Scripture, while wonderfully promising, asks that we reflect that call to our life today, in this moment in time. If at first this seems a job for professionals and scholars, don’t be misled. The truth of the Gospel is as valid and lived today as it was when Jesus walked the earth. Certainly much has changed, our way of life and our earth is much different ... but Jesus isn’t. He is as real and present as we are to strive to make true for us. The translation occurs when we ask ourselves, how am I the Good Samaritan, how do I respond to my mother when asked (think Cana), how accepting am I of people who differ from me? These questions are meant to be springboards that keep us moving on our life journey of faith. It’s not that we must repeat the actions just described, but rather that our repeated attempts (feeble as we may think them) are the means by which we live our Christian calling in life by knowing that we’re “on the way” and not that we’ve failed to be perfected. Best of all, the Jesus whom we hear about in stories of his day, is just as present as we allow Him to be. Breathe deeply of his Spirit and feel his presence in the warmth of his love.

GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

Whoa, we needed rain but can’t we just space it out. Many of us have found leaks we didn’t know we had around the house. Take time to address them and know that perhaps we might find a way to save some of that water. (a rain barrel?)

FROM THE DESK OF
MSGR. FRANCISCO RIOS, PAROCHIAL VICAR...

What do our Sundays look like?
Are they boring because they are too long and we have nothing to do.
Are they stressful because we are behind with homework or things that we need to do and we procrastinated?
Are they gloomy because of loneliness?
Are they joyful because the family gets together and we have a great time?

When I was growing up our family used to get together for Sunday lunch my mom would cook pasta from scratch or my father would barbecue. It was great because my brothers and my sister would come with their children. It was noisy, the kids will play, run and fight but it was all-good.

At the seminary it was emphasized that Sunday should be a special day, because it was the day of the Lord. Here at St. Catherine I enjoy the coffee and donuts and the fellowship.

And the first reading tells us to help those in needs too.

May you have a special and happy day of the Lord.
May the Word and the Eucharist nourish and strengthen all of us.

AND MAY THE WORD AND THE EUCHARIST MAY BE LIVED IN OUR LIVES THIS COMING WEEK.

As we say at the end of the Mass: “Go in peace and glorify the Lord with your lives”

“Today is holy to the LORD your God. Do not be sad and do not weep” ...”I said further: "Go eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portion to those who have nothing prepared for today is holy to the LORD”.

“Rejoicing in the LORD must be your strength”.

God is great all the time, all the time, God is great!

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!
¡BIENVENIDO!

Nuestra más cordial bienvenida a todos los que están celebrando con nosotros, ya sean residentes de largo plazo o recién llegados a la parroquia. Damos gracias a Dios por ustedes. Si aún no estás registrado, por favor, llene este formulario y colóquelo en la canasta de la colecta o mandarlo por correo a la oficina de la parroquia.

Nombre (s): ____________________________
Dirección:______________________________
Ciudad:_______________________________
Código postal:_____________
Numero teléfono:______________________
Email:_______________________________

¿Desea recibir sobres de contribución?
_____Yes  _____No

¿Desea recibir información de la parroquia?
_____Yes  _____No

PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

Adulto: ¿Qué crees que la unción que recibiste en el bautismo requiere de ti?

Niño: ¿Qué podrías hacer esta semana por alguien que tiene menos que tú?
Sta. Catalina de Alejandría
Conservando nuestro pasado, Suministro para nuestro futuro

EL SIGUIENTE FIN DE SEMANA ES FIN DE SEMANA DE COMPROMISO
El próximo fin de semana, todos tendrán la oportunidad de participar y contribuir al gran éxito de la campaña capital.

¿CÓMO ME PREPARO PARA EL DOMINGO DE COMPROMISO?
1) Lea los materiales de la campaña.
2) Ore con su familia acerca de su regalo a la campaña.
3) Prepárese para hacer su promesa el siguiente fin de semana

¿CÓMO VAMOS?
Hasta la fecha, Sta. Catalina ha recaudado más de $3.4 millones de tan solo 100 promesas. Esto representa un regalo promedio a 5-años de $36,000 o $600 al mes.

LA SITUACIÓN FINANCIERA DE NUESTRA FAMILIA NO NOS PERMITE CONSIDERAR UNA PROMESA AL NIVEL QUE SE NOS PIDE. ¿QUÉ PODEMOS HACER?
Realmente no sabemos la situación financiera de su familia, pero les pedimos que consideren un regalo para esta campaña que complemente su generosidad de dar de una forma de sacrificio.

Los regalos para esta campaña deben de ser iguales en sacrificio no en cantidad. Es nuestra esperanza que su generosidad sea reflejo en esta campaña. Tal vez su familia puede considerar un regalo a otro nivel. Reconocemos que cada situación financiera es única, y ulteriormente su decisión será la más apropiada. Esta campaña es muy importante para nuestra Iglesia, y esperamos que su compromiso refleje esta importancia

¿CÓMO HAGO MIS PAGOS?
Después de hacer su promesa, sobres de CONSERVANDO NUESTRO PASADO, SUMINISTRO PARA NUESTRO FUTURO serán enviados a su casa para que pueda hacer sus pagos de acuerdo con la frecuencia que indico en su tarjeta de compromiso.

¿SON DEDUCIBLES LOS REGALOS A LA CAMPAÑA?
Sí. Como una organización caritativa 501(c)3, los regalos a la campaña son deducibles de impuestos hasta el monto máximo permitido por la ley. Consulte a su asesor para mayor información.

¿A QUE NOMBRE HAGO LOS PAGOS?
Todos los pagos deberán ser hechos a:
ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA

¿QUÉ FORMAS DE PAGO PUEDO USAR?
Para su conveniencia, usted puede hacer pagos a su promesa de las siguientes formas:
CHEQUE, TARJETA DE CRÉDITO, O TRANSFERENCIA DE LA CUENTA DE CHEQUES.

¿POR QUÉ ES IMPORTANTE HACER UNA PROMESA?
Una promesa le permite al donante considerar un regalo de sacrificio a lo largo de un periodo determinado y le permite al donante dar un regalo sustancial dentro de sus posibilidades financieras.

Por ejemplo: Pedro y Juanita han sido invitados a considerar un regalo de $6,000. Pedro y Juanita no tienen $6,000 para dar en ese instante. Pero después de considerar mediante sus oraciones y examinando sus finanzas a través de un periodo de cinco años, Pedro y Juanita encontraron la forma de hacer sacrificios para poder hacer regalos semanales de $23 ($100 al mes) durante los siguientes cinco años para fortalecer nuestra iglesia.
La vida tiene bajadas y subidas. Sufrimos experiencias que son negativas pero también positivas. Somos subir a las alturas y luego bajarnos a los valles. Experimentamos momentos tristes y felices. Porque así es la vida. La vida de Jesús no fue diferente a la nuestra. Pues el también sufrió experiencias negativas y positivas. En el evangelio de Mateo podemos leer que cuando Jesús fue bautizado, el Espíritu de Dios descendió sobre él en forma de paloma y se la voz de Dios se escuchó cuando dijo:

(Mateo 3:17) “este es mi hijo amado, en quien tengo complacencia.” un momento glorioso en la vida del Señor. Después de este evento glorioso inmediatamente, el mismo Espíritu, lo llevo al desierto para ser tentado por el diablo, cuarenta días y cuarenta noches. ¡Un momento muy difícil! Sin embargo, el Señor Jesús venció la tentación y volvió victorioso del desierto. Jesús a través de esta lectura, declara que el Espíritu de Dios está sobre él. Como una confirmación de lo que Dios dijo de él, Dios Padre pues estaba complacido con Jesús. Señal de poder, autoridad, santidad y dominio, Jesús nos da una enseñanza que, ya sea en la cima de la montaña o en el valle de sombra y de muerte, mientras estamos dirigidos por el Espíritu santo, agradaremos a Dios, seremos más que vencedores.

La carretera de la vida tiene muchas bajadas pero también, muchas subidas, y lo que importa verdaderamente es que dejemos que el Espíritu de Dios tome el control de nuestra vida y de todas nuestras circunstancias. La iglesia necesita creyentes con autoridad, con poder espiritual, dominio propio, activos y militantes.

Esta clase de cristianos surgen cuando le permitimos al Espíritu Santo que descienda sobre nosotros y tome el control pleno de todas nuestras circunstancias. Que en las malas o en las buenas, en el valle o en la montaña, tengamos la seguridad plena de que; Dios está en control de nuestra vida. nuestroDios.com
THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Equipping Families to Pass On the Faith

“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.”

Luke 4:18-19

What did Jesus mean when he said this? He meant that he was the one who came to make us happy and whole the way God intended for us to be. He shared his message of God’s love and forgiveness with everyone, especially those who were in need. He sends us the Holy Spirit to help us continue his mission.

We are also called to imitate Jesus - to be like him. On the way home from Mass today, talk as a family about how each of you can do parts of Jesus’ mission in your own lives. What are ways that you can:

- Help the poor in our community?
- Comfort family and friends who are hurting?
- Help friends make the right choices and turn away from bad ones?
- Share God’s love?

Pray together, “Jesus, thank you for showing us how to love others. With the help of the Holy Spirit, we will continue your mission.” Close by praying the Sign of the Cross.

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Learning about God’s forgiveness in Mrs. Carol and Mrs. Mary Anne’s class

EDGE

Parents, please join us on February 6th, 13th, and 27th. We will have a series called NOVA focusing on Lent and we invite a parent (or both!) to join us for all three nights (no Edge this week)

LIFE TEEN

This Sunday evening we will be in the church for an exciting discussion, praise & worship, and Adoration.

If you don’t know what Adoration is, it’s when the Holy Eucharist is exposed in a monstrance (pictured above) to allow us to spend face to face time with Jesus. We as Catholics believe that after consecration, the bread no longer exists and it is only Jesus present.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

St. Catherine of Alexandria

Preserving our Past, Providing for our Future

Next Weekend Is Campaign Commitment Weekend!

Next weekend, everyone will have the opportunity to participate and contribute to the current success of the capital campaign.

**HOW DO I PREPARE FOR COMMITMENT WEEKEND?**

1. Read the campaign materials and this bulletin insert.
2. Pray with your family about your pledge to the campaign.
3. Be prepared complete a pledge form next weekend

**HOW ARE WE DOING?**

To date, **Preserving our Past, Providing for our Future** has raised over $3.4 million from less than 100 gifts. This represents an average 5-year pledged gift of $36,000 or $600/month over five years.

**TO WHOM DO I MAKE OUT MY PAYMENTS?**

All payments should be made payable to:

**St. Catherine of Alexandria**

**OUR FAMILY’S FINANCIAL SITUATION DOES NOT ALLOW US TO CONSIDER A PLEDGE AT THE LEVEL REQUESTED. WHAT SHOULD WE DO?**

We really do not know much about your family’s financial situation, but we encourage you to consider a pledge to this campaign that best complements your propensity for sacrificial giving.

Gifts to this campaign ought to be equal in sacrifice, not necessarily equal in dollar amount and it is our hope that your giving reflects this measure. Perhaps it is more appropriate for your family to consider a gift on another level. We recognize that your financial situation is unique, and ultimately, your thoughtful decision will be most appropriate. This campaign is very important for our Church, and we hope your commitment will mirror that.

**HOW DO I MAKE MY PAYMENTS?**

After you make your pledge, **Preserving our Past, Providing for our Future** envelopes will be sent to your address. Use these special envelopes to make your payments. You can mail the envelope or place it in the collection basket.

**ARE GIFTS TO THIS CAMPAIGN TAX DEDUCTIBLE?**

Yes. As a 501(c)3 Organization, gifts to our capital campaign are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. Contact your tax advisor for more info.

**WHAT FORM OF PAYMENT CAN I USE?**

For your convenience, you can make payments on your pledge via any of the following methods: **CHECK, CREDIT CARD, ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER (EFT), OR STOCK.**

**WHY IS MAKING A PLEDGE IMPORTANT?**

Pledging permits the donor to consider a wonderful gift of substance that will allow our Parish to fulfill its goal. It allows for a substantial gift within the economical means of the donor.

For instance: Peter and Jane are asked to consider a pledge of $6,500. Peter and Jane do not have $6,500 at hand. But after prayerfully considering their finances throughout a five-year period, Peter and Jane did find a way to work within their means a way to allot $25/week ($100/month) for the next five years for the campaign.

Pledging allows for a thorough review of one’s finances. Through this review, one can assess what we can come to sacrifice, for five years, to continue strengthening our Church.
THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

ADORATION
First Friday Adoration Hours is extended to 12 hours beginning in February - 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
If you can sign up for an hour or more, please contact Sandra Grisedale at ziasan-dra@sbcglobal.net
Team Captains are looking for volunteers for 9 a.m. - noon, noon - 3 p.m., 3 p.m. - 6 p.m. and 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. slots. Thank you!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS
Couples celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries (1st – 5th, 25th, 40th, 50th, and greater) this year are invited to attend the celebration mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Saint Joseph in downtown San Jose on February 23, 2019 at 2pm.
The couples will renew their wedding vow, receive a blessing at the celebration, and will receive a certificate signed by the Bishop.
Cake reception will follow in Loyola Hall, Cathedral Basilica of Saint Joseph.
Register online at - https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeAV8jRB-1-5xfy4FK1Me8MMTTZ5ynpT2JPizk54KAScPc6lg/viewform

GOING THROUGH A DIFFICULT TIME?
Stephen Ministry at St. Catherine’s is now available in Spanish. There are trained Spanish-speaking ministers here to support you during a life crisis, such as family problems, loss of a loved one, divorce, job loss or illness. They listen to you without judgment, accompany you in your suffering and offer you hope, encouragement and prayer. It is free and completely confidential. If you or someone you know is facing a difficult time, there is someone who may help.
For more information please call Santa Alvarez at 408-722-8800. For English call Claranne at 408-782-1413 or Kenny at 408-722-7600.

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: _______________

Would you like to receive envelopes? Yes / No
ST. CATHERINE’S COMMUNITY CLOSET

St. Catherine’s Community Closet is one of our great organizations in the Parish. We are known for our successful Back to School giveaway one week every summer. But, we are also there all year to offer to those in need. We appreciate lightly used adult and children’s clothing, household items, and some types of furniture and appliances. As we approach the winter months, please donate these items. You can do so at the Parish office, or at our location at 13570 Depot Street, San Martin. If you are so inclined and want to volunteer, come to San Martin Hall and talk to Debbie or any other volunteer. The facility is open every Tuesday & Thursday, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm & the first Saturday of the month from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Currently we are in urgent need of the following items:

- Boys clothing sizes 2T to 6X & boys jackets (all sizes)
- Girls clothing sizes 2T to 6X

TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

The charts below show our collection results for the Christmas season. Thank you for your continued generous support of St. Catherine Parish.

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SUNDAY COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS

We are looking for more volunteers for Sunday Hospitality. It is simple to do, and all we ask is you stay 30 minutes before or after Mass. Can you commit to once every 2 months?

This is also a great opportunity for your ministry to serve the Parish and speak with parishioners about who you are and what you do. Check out the groups who have taken advantage of this: Knights of Columbus, Ladies of Charity, Cub Scouts, Community Closet, and others.

For more information, email me at lvillano@dsj.org.
St. Catherine School News

The eighth grade had a fabulous time at Yosemite. It rained and snowed while they learned about and enjoyed the Sierras.

St. Catherine of Alexandria, Pray for Us!

Save the Date—eWaste Drive
The next eWaste Drive sponsored by our Green Team will be Saturday, March 9. Please save those appliances and tech items that you no longer use. Help St. Catherine School and our environment at the same time. The money raised from this event will help fund ceiling replacement in the classrooms which will enhance energy efficiency for heating and cooling the rooms, as well as improving acoustics. This is also a great opportunity to get parent hours or student service hours. Contact Arlene Handa at ecosafehome1@yahoo.com.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK
Love One Another

Sunday, January 27
10:30 am Kick Off—Catholic Schools Week Liturgy
Robotics Tournament in Parish Center
11:30 am-12:30 pm Book Fair open

Monday, January 28—
Parent Appreciation Day
9:00 am Mass @ St. Joseph Cathedral
8:00 am-4:00 pm Book Fair open

Tuesday, January 29—
Faculty/Staff Appreciation Day
8:00 am-4:00 pm; 5:30 pm-7:30 pm Book Fair open
8:15 am-12:00 pm Classroom Tours
5:30 pm-7:00 pm Open House

Wednesday, January 30—
Grandparents/Special Persons Day
8:00 am-2:00 pm Book Fair open
10:00 am-12:30 pm Grandparents/Special Person Day
-9:30 Sign-in and refreshments
-10:00 Prayer Service in church

Thursday, January 31—
Parish Staff Appreciation Day
8:00 am-4:00 pm Book Fair open

Friday, February 1—
Student Appreciation Day
8:15 First Friday Mass
8:00 am-4:00 pm Book Fair open
Special Activities in each class

The California Schools in the Diocese of San Jose, mindful of their mission to be witnesses 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.

Seventh grade prepared the Peace Prayer Service for the student body.