

November 1, 2020

Mass Intentions Of The Week

- ◆ **Sat 10/31 5:00** **Marcus Camacho**
+ **Bob Helfrich**
+ **Shirley Lavorato**
+ **Hector Gomez**
+ **Marie Woerz**
+ **Bob Nunes**
+ **Paddy J. Roche**
- ◆ **Mon 11/2 9:00** **The deceased of our parish**
- ◆ **Tue 11/3 9:00** + **Rosario Muñoz**
+ **Angel & + Roberta Gonzalez**
- ◆ **Wed 11/4 9:00** + **Hector Gomez**
- ◆ **Thur 11/5 9:00** + **Lonnie Huff**
- ◆ **Fri 11/6 9:00** **Our parish family**
- ◆ **Sat 11/7 5:00** **Ruth Rodriguez**
+ **Edward Fritsche**
+ **Bob Helfrich**
+ **Shirley Lavorato**
+ **Mary Waters**
+ **Hector Gomez**

In accordance with the Bishop's directive, per governor's orders, all masses are suspended. There are no publicly celebrated masses until further notice. We live stream the daily mass at 9 am, Monday through Friday. Sunday's mass is live streamed on Saturday during the vigil mass at 5 pm and is posted on Facebook. Please continue checking our parish website regularly for updates.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

NO MEETINGS DURING THIS TIME

GOD BLESS!

Solemnity of All Saints

Pray for the Sick & Those In Need

Mary Bianchi, Jeremy Bernardi, J.T. Borofka, Larry Breeden, Ken & Patty Cook, Andrzej Goroch, Rebecca Granger, Nancy Griffin, Mary Hayes, Pat & Pete Hitchcock, Sandra Hill, Paul & Cindy Kohatsu, Joon Manalang, Stephanie McFarland, Mike Micheletti, Jan Reynolds, Susan Raymond, Sandra Sammut, Tiffany Sammut, Cindy Sandobal, Christine Marie, Nick, Fr. Gerry



Please pray for them!



Please Pray For Our Troops

Kevin Allum, Jeffrey Burke, Preston Coulson, Brian Flannery, Jonathan Garibay, Hannah Brown Paul

Thanksgiving at Dorothy's Kitchen

Once again, Dorothy's is calling on the incredible generosity of St. Joseph's! We are in need of many baked pumpkin pies for Thanksgiving. They may be brought to the church kitchen beginning Monday the 23rd and they will be picked up to go to Dorothy's on Wednesday the 25th at noon. Please call Rose Smith at 484-1581 if need more info. Thank you in advance for your help.

Your continued support is what keeps our parish running! We **THANK YOU!!!**

Thank you to all the parish families that have signed up for electronic giving or have been sending in donations.

You can sign up for electronic giving on our website at www.stjchurch.org, or call the parish office at 455-2249. You may also send in your donation to PO Box 7158, Spreckels, CA 93962 or drop it in the mail slot at the office.

God bless, stay well and stay safe!

Gratefully Received

Electronic Giving: \$ 1,658.00
Sunday Plate: \$ 5,975.00

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education (grades 1-5): Week 5

Please see your syllabus for this week's lesson. For help, ideas and inspiration – please contact your child's catechist or Marge Callahan (mcallahan@stjchurch.org).

Mass Activities for Children

Are your children missing Children's Liturgy of the Word? See our website for an interactive, online version from Gospel Kids. You'll also find a children's missal, videos and fun activities to share the Word of God each week at <https://stjchurch.org/special-programs>

Confirmation (virtual sessions – please check your email for Zoom meeting details)

Confirmation II

Wednesday, November 18: 7-8pm

Youth Group (virtual sessions – please check your email for Zoom meeting details)

POP's Place Jr. (grades 6-8)

Thursday, November 5: 7-8pm

POP's Place (grades 9-12)

Thursday, November 12: 7-8pm

Email Christina Brigantino

(cbrigantino@stjchurch.org) for more info.

RCIA for New Catholics. Do you know . . .

- ◆ An adult seeking Baptism?
- ◆ An adult from another tradition (denomination) already baptized, who wishes to become a Confirmed Catholic?
- ◆ A Catholic adult needing Confirmation?
- ◆ A Catholic adult who has been away from the church for awhile and wants to "reconnect?"

Please suggest they email Deacon Steve Brau sbrau@stjchurch.org or call 831-455-2249 to learn more about the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.**

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

November 1-7, 2020

In his message for the 2020 World Day for Vocations, Pope Francis said: "Every vocation is born of that gaze of love with which the Lord came to meet us, perhaps even at a time when our boat was being battered by the storm. Vocation, more than our own choice, is a response to the Lord's unmerited call. We will succeed in discovering and embracing our vocation once we open our hearts in gratitude and perceive the passage of God in our lives. When the disciples see Jesus walking towards them on the sea, they first think that he is a ghost and are filled with fear. Jesus immediately reassures them with words that should constantly accompany our lives and our vocational journey: 'Take heart, it is I; have no fear' (Mt 14:27)"

The Office of Vocations from the Diocese of Monterey invites all Catholics to grow in the awareness of vocations to priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life, during the **National Vocation Awareness Week**. The **NVAW** is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers & support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. For more info and other resources, visit their website at: <https://dioceseofmonterey.org/vocations-1>

FAMILY PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, you created us in Your image, desiring us to be united in a loving community. You give us each a family to help us grow and learn to love You and each other, so that one day we may be perfectly united with You in Heaven. Help us to discover and to live the vocations to which you are calling us. Give us grace to support each other in this discovery, to promote each other's wellbeing and happiness, knowing that we are happiest following Your call. May this family imitate the unity of the Holy Trinity, so that each member might be shining to world of Your love.

During this time, please remember you are in Fr. Roy's, Fr. Tyler's, and the staff's prayers. If you need any help please feel free to call the office at 455-2249. Our office is closed to the public but we are taking phone calls & checking our emails. Please take good care of yourselves & heed the expert's advice on keeping safe and healthy. If you need immediate help call the answering service at 758-7685.



We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials, for we know that they help us develop endurance.

Romans 5:3

