

“You are invited! Come along with me!”

March 3, 2019—Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

3 de marzo de 2019—Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



Every tree is known by its own fruit. For people do not pick figs from thornbushes, nor do they gather grapes from brambles. — *Luke 6:44*

Cada árbol se conoce por sus frutos. No se recogen higos de las zarzas, ni se cortan uvas de los espinos.— *Lucas 6:44*

ADA

We have each been blessed with many gifts and are called to reach out in faith to share those blessings with one another. Please be as generous as you can in contributing to the 2019 ADA. **-Hand In Hand In Ministry.** Consider making your pledge today -- see our ADA Tables after Mass for more information.

Today, we hear from the Gospel according to Saint Luke

For every tree is known by its own fruit.

Let us bear the fruit of generosity, support and team work.

Do not let others carry all the weight of the Cross.

Let us give sacrificially because we will be known by the fruit we produce.

If we all give according to the sacrifice we are able to carry, the load will be light

Let us do it “Hand In Hand In Ministry”

ADA

Todos hemos sido bendecidos con muchos dones y estamos llamados a compartir fervientemente esas bendiciones entre nosotros. Le pedimos que contribuya con generosidad al ADA de 2019. **“Unidos de la Mano en El Ministerio”.** Considere hacer su promesa hoy: Visítenos en nuestra mesa de ADA después de misa para obtener más información.

Hoy escuchamos del Evangelio según san Lucas.

No hay árbol bueno que produzca frutos malos, ni árbol malo que produzca frutos Buenos.

Produzcamos el fruto de la generosidad, apoyo y el trabajo en equipo.

No permitas que otros carguen con todo el peso de la Cruz.

Demos con sacrificio porque seremos conocidos por el fruto que producimos.

Si todos damos según el sacrificio que podamos llevar, la carga será ligera.

“Unidos de la Mano en El Ministerio”



St. John Vianney Parish
Ash Wednesday Services and Masses

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

All Services & Masses will include distribution of Ashes
Todos los servicios y misas incluirán distribución de cenizas

****Please note that the Ash Wednesday Services for 12:00 p.m. is now 12:30 p.m. and 7:00p.m. is now 7:30 p.m.***

****Por Favor haga notar que el horario del Miércoles de Ceniza fue cambiado 12:00 mediodía 12:30 p.m. y 7:00 p.m. La misa en español a las 7:30 p.m.***

8:00am - Mass in English / Misa en Inglés

9:00am - Liturgy of the Word in English
Liturgia de la Palabra en Inglés

**** 12:30pm - Liturgy of the Word in English***
Liturgia de la Palabra en Inglés

5:30pm - Mass in English / Misa en Inglés

**** 7:30pm - Misa en Español / Mass in Spanish***

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St. John Vianney

Lenten Activities / Actividades de Cuaresma

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) / Sacramento de la Reconciliación (Confesión)

Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation / Celebrando el Sacramento de Reconciliación

Wednesdays throughout Lent, 6:30pm-7:30pm / cada miércoles durante la Cuaresma a las 6:30pm-7:30pm

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament / Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

8:30am-12pm Every Wednesday in the Chapel / todos los Miércoles en la capilla)

Stations of the Cross / Via Crucis

Every Friday / Cada Viernes

In English following 8am Mass. En Español a las 6:30pm.

St. Vincent de Paul Almsgiving

- 1st Sunday of Lent** – 1 bag of rice or beans / 1 bolsa de arroz o frijoles
- 2nd Sunday of Lent** – 1 can of vegetables or fruit / 1 lata de verduras o frutas
- 3rd Sunday of Lent** – 1 box of cereal or pasta / 1 caja de cereal o pastas
- 4th Sunday of Lent** – Paper goods (toilet paper, tissues) / Productos de papel
- 5th Sunday of Lent** – Return of the Rice bowls / Retorno de los platos de arroz

CRS (Catholic Relief Services) Rice Bowls / Plato de Arroz

You can pick up your family's Rice Bowl in the Church Vestibule, March 9 & 10 / Recoja el Plato de Arroz de CRS de su familia en el vestíbulo de la iglesia el 9 y 10 de marzo

Collected after all masses on Saturday April 13th & Palm Sunday, April 14th /

Se recogerán después de las Misas del sábado 13 de abril y domingo de Palmas 14 de abril

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria ~ 8am (Monday thru Friday / Lunes a Viernes)

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas

Saturdays / Sábados
5:15 PM, English 7:00 PM Spanish

Sundays / Domingos
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, English
12:00 Noon Español, 6:00 PM English

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria
8:00 AM (English)

Holy Days / Días Festivos
Call Parish Office
Llame a la oficina parroquial

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Penance) / Sacramento de la Reconciliación (Confesión)

Saturdays / Sábados: 4:00 - 5:00 PM

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT
February 23rd and 24th

Church Collection.....\$11,975.00
Online giving: \$ 1,269.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Por favor dele un vistazo a nuestra nueva forma de donar electrónicamente . Pueden hacerlo a traves de nuestra página de Internet, nuestra APP parroquial myParishApp usando el botón "Giving" o apuntando la cámara de su teléfono a la imagen que aparece a la derecha.



Please Check Out our new online giving tool by visiting our church's website directly. through our parish APP myParishApp, "Giving" icon, or by pointing your smartphone camera to the image above.

Our Father's House

"St. John Vianney's stained glass windows restoration is well underway! We thank you for all your donations and pledges for our church windows in "Our Father's House"!

To provide you with visibility into the project, the total cost for all windows is \$139,400.00.

"Our Father's House!"



La Casa de Nuestro Padre

¡ "La restauración de vitrales de San Juan Vianney está viento en popa ¡ Muchísimas Gracias por sus donaciones y promesas para los vitrales en "La Casa de Nuestro Padre " !

Para proporcionarles una mejor idea del proyecto, el costo total para todas las ventanas es \$139.400,00.

"Casa de Nuestro Padre!"

As of week 3, 175 Families pledged \$80,074 representing 67% of Diocesan Goal, or of 40% Parish Goal

Hand in Hand In Ministry ADA Unidos de la Mano en El Ministerio

Hasta la 3 semana, 175 Familias prometieron \$80,074,

Lo que representa el 67% de la meta diocesana, o el 40% de la meta parroquial

Un encuentro con Annet

En Uganda, nos encontramos con Annet y su familia, niños obligados a huir de la violencia, en busca de estabilidad. ¿Cómo estamos llamados a dar la bienvenida al desconocido entre nosotros? ¿Cómo puedes apoyar a aquellos en todo el mundo que se ven obligados a huir de sus hogares para encontrar seguridad u oportunidades mejores? Visita crsplato-dearroz.org para más información.



Recoja el Plato de Arroz de CRS de su familia en el vestíbulo de la iglesia el 9 y 10 de marzo

Encounter Annet

In Uganda, we encounter Annet and her family, children forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.



You can pick up your family's Rice Bowl in the Church Vestibule, March 9 & 10

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you have relative, friend, or neighbor who is Homebound and unable to attend Mass please call the Parish Office at: (408) 258-7832. We have Eucharist Ministers to the Sick who will come bring the Holy Eucharist and visit with them.



MINISTERIO PARA LOS ENFERMOS

Si tiene un pariente, amigo o vecino que no puede salir de su casa y no puede asistir a Misa por favor llame a la oficina parroquial al (408) 258-7832. Tenemos Ministros de la Eucaristía para los enfermos que pueden proporcionar la Santa Eucaristía y visitarlos.

Horario



de Verano

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El horario de verano comienza el domingo 10 de marzo. Adelanten sus relojes una hora.

DAYLIGHT



SAVING TIME

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Daylight Savings Time begins on March 10. Be sure to set your clocks ahead one hour!

Confirmation Corner for March

6 PM Youth Masses on Sunday, March 3 and 17

Wednesday, March 6 - **ASH WEDNESDAY**
March classes on Thursday, March 14 and March 21

No March Youth Activity Night due to Confirmation Retreat

2nd Year Confirmation Retreat
Friday, March 29 - Sunday, March 31, 2019



Rincón de Confirmación de marzo

6 PM Misas juvenil el domingo 3 y 17 de marzo

Miercoles 6 de marzo - **MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA**
Clases de marzo los jueves 14 y 21 de marzo

No hay Noche de actividades juveniles de marzo debido al Retiro de Confirmación

Retiro de Confirmación de segundo año viernes 29 a domingo 31 de marzo de 2019

FAITH FORMATION

Family Discussion: Family Discussion: Help younger children understand that Christian love is love in action. Jesus teaches us we are his disciples when we do good deeds. Modeling good behavior is one appropriate way for children to participate in the mission of leading others to Jesus. Support children in understanding that Jesus teaches us to focus on our own behavior rather than focusing our attention on judging others. Adolescents understand that we answer our call to discipleship by helping others and leading them to a life with Christ. Jesus teaches us that mature discipleship involves learning, self-reflection, and acting with integrity.

The Importance of Sunday: Sunday, the "Lord's day," is central to our liturgical life. Our observance begins on the Saturday evening before, and all Catholics are obligated to participate in Mass every weekend. There, the "*Lord's Supper is its center, for there the whole community of the faithful encounters the risen Lord who invites them to his banquet*" (CCC 1166).

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As a family, check out this website:

www.catholicfamilyfaith.org



Suggested book that compliments today's Gospels:

<http://scu.edu/character/build-plant-grow/>

The Promise

Written by Laura Carlin

ISBN: 13:978-1406337280

If a word or phrase from the Gospel captures your heart, sit quietly for several minutes, repeating it to yourself and asking God to show you how it applies to your life.

Or reflect and possibly journal on the following question:

When you look honestly at yourself, what are your greatest strengths?

Welcome to Ms. Kathleen Cook's Blog! Please go to the SJV website: <http://sjvnews.net/sjvchurch/>, click on the top menu button "Blogs", then click on "Catechetical Corners" on the pull-down menu.

RCIA (Adapted for Children) Reflection 1st year children and their parents is on Sunday, March 10, 2019. Mass at 9:00 AM followed by parent and child reflection in the Parish Office. Any questions, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook, Director of Religious Education.

English speaking Faith Formation class is on Thursday, March 7, 14, 21, 2019 from 6:30-8:00 PM. There will be no class on Thursday, January 31, 2019. there will be no class on Thursday, February 28, 2019. Please register at the Parish Office at least 2 days prior to class. Any questions, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook, Director of Religious Education.

English speaking Faith Formation Registration is open to All students in grades Pre-K to High School. Classes are on Thursdays from 6:30-8:00PM, at St. John Vianney School. Please check the dates on the English Speaking Faith Formation bulletin in the Vestibule. **For a registration form, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook, Director of Religious Education at kcook@sjvsj.net, Mrs. Cindy Perea, cperea@sjvsj.org** or visit the Parish Office. Please register at the Parish Office at least 2 days prior to class.

If you have not yet registered your **child(ren) for the Sacraments of Baptism or First Holy Communion**, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook, Director of Religious Education at kcook@sjvsj.net, Mrs. Cindy Perea cperea@sjvsj.org, or visit the Parish Office. **Please note:** Upon Holy Communion registration, a Baptismal Certificate is required.



**From the desk of: Ms. Kathleen Cook,
Director of Religious Education**

Lent is a penitential season that lasts forty days, beginning on Ash Wednesday and ending at the Easter Triduum. During Lent, Catholics prepare themselves for the holiest days of the year in anticipation of the renewal of their baptismal promises and the reception of new members into the Church, Catholics pray, fast, give alms, and celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation. Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday, which recounts Jesus' entry into Jerusalem (Matthew 21:1-9) and his suffering and death that follows. Liturgical color: violet for penitence, sorrow and repentance for one's sins.



Theme: *Luke 39-45* "A good tree can't produce bad fruit, and a bad tree can't produce good fruit. A tree is identified by its fruit."

Summary: Our Scripture today is about being real. Jesus teaches us how to recognize a good person, not a person who is an imitation or pretends to be good, but the real thing. He says, "The good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings out that which is good".

Scripture: When Jesus says that good people produce good fruit, he doesn't mean the kind of fruit that we eat. He means that if we are following him, we will want to do the things that make God happy. We will do good things, we will help people, we will share what we have with others, and we will treat other people with respect.

Jesus said, "A tree is identified by its fruit. A good person produces good things from a good heart, but an evil person will produce bad things from an evil heart.

Father, we want to be identified as a good tree, producing good fruit. Help us to do the things we know will be pleasing to you. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

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ANUNCIOS Y NOTICIAS ESPECIALES

OCTAVO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Érase una vez una joven pianista que daba su primer concierto. El público en silencio y con fervor escuchaba la música que brotaba de sus dedos disciplinados. Todos tenían los ojos clavados en la joven pianista. Al final del concierto todos puestos de pie aplaudieron largo tiempo. El manager se acercó a la pianista y se deshizo en alabanzas. Y le dijo: Mira, todos están de pie aplaudiéndote, menos ese viejito de la primera fila.

La pianista entristecida le contestó: "Sí, pero ese viejito es mi maestro".

Sólo el maestro podía juzgar la actuación de su discípulo con autoridad.

Y sólo el Maestro con mayúscula, Jesús, puede juzgar hoy a su pueblo aquí reunido. Si el no aplaude, mala señal.

El domingo pasado, Jesús nos mandaba "amar a los enemigos". Amar no como sentimiento, sino amar como decisión, acto de voluntad, querer amar a pesar del miedo al sufrimiento.

Hoy, Jesús nos cuenta cuatro cortas parábolas para decirnos cómo tienen que ser las relaciones en la comunidad cristiana.

"¿Puede un ciego guiar a otro ciego?"

Si Jesús nos estuviera dando un consejo más no tendría gran importancia, no han faltado hombres a lo largo de la historia que han dado buenos consejos. Jesús es más que un buen consejo y más que una frase que repetimos, Jesús es una manera de vivir.

Jesús es una llamada a vivir nuestras responsabilidades.

Un buen guía conoce el camino, los obstáculos del camino y el final del camino.

Todos somos guías de alguien y al mismo tiempo todos somos guiados por alguien.

Sí, los padres guían a sus hijos, los maestros a los alumnos, los sacerdotes a los fieles, el jefe de la ganga a sus compinches...

¿Cuál es mi responsabilidad? ¿A quién tengo que guiar? ¿Quién depende de mí?

¿Soy guía ciego o veo con claridad? ¿Asumo mi responsabilidad o me desentiendo? ¿Guío a los míos con el ejemplo o soy motivo de escándalo con mi vida desordenada?

Como creyentes somos guiados por el mejor de los guías, Nuestro Señor Jesús.

Centro Comunitario San Juan Vianney

Llame a David Couch a D_Couch@yahoo.com
para recibir información acerca de como
rentarlo.



St. John Vianney Community Center

Please contact David Couch at
D_Couch@yahoo.com
for rental information.

GRACIAS

No hay deber más urgente que el de dar las gracias.
—Ambrosio de Milán

THANKS

No duty is more urgent than that of returning thanks.
—Ambrose of Milan

Campaña de Cuaresma de 40 Días por la Vida

Desde el 6 de marzo hasta el 14 de abril, estás invitado a unirte a otros cristianos durante 40 días por la vida: 40 días de oración y ayuno para terminar con el aborto. También estás invitado a ponerte de pie y orar pacíficamente durante una vigilia de 40 días en la vía pública afuera de Planned Parenthood, ubicado en el 1691 The Alameda, San Jose 95126, y también para ayudar a difundir el mensaje sobre este importante servicio comunitario. Si deseas obtener más información, y especialmente si deseas ayudar como voluntario, comunícate con: Dzung al (510) 938-2503 o 40dfلسanjose@gmail.com.

40 Days for Life Lent Campaign

From March 6 through April 14, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 1691 The Alameda, San Jose 95126, and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Dzung at (510) 938-2503 or 40dfلسanjose@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, March 2

5:15 pm Mary Oanh Do† (Anni.), Mary Loan Pham†
7:00 pm Donato Alvarez†

SUNDAY, March 3

7:30 am Joe & Mary Enos†, Romana Castillo†,
Abraham M. Andrade Sr.†, Sharon Martinez (Sick)
9:00 am Antonio & Julia Correia†, Ramon Panganiban†,
Saleth†
10:30 am Mark Johnson (B'day), Manuel G. Rosa†
David Barajas Hernandez†
12:00 pm Altigracia Martinez (B'day),
Margarita Martinez (B'day), Isabel Flores (B'day),
Susan Rodriguez†, Maria Mercedes Avalos (sick)
6:00 pm Rosalinda Arellano (Health)

MONDAY, March 4

8:00 am Mary Jane Salinas†, Maria Escobar,
Jose Escobar†

TUESDAY, March 5

8:00 am Bento Family, Maria Berenice Ureña†

WEDNESDAY, March 6

8:00 am Romana Castillo†, + Ashes,
Wilfredo & Iluminado Advincola†

THURSDAY, March 7

8:00 am Bebot & Nelly Pono (Wedd. Anniv.)

FRIDAY, March 8

8:00 am David Salinas†

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — One's speech shows the bent of one's mind. Praise no one before he or she speaks (Sirach 27:4-7).

Psalm — Lord, it is good to give thanks to you (Psalm 92).

Second Reading — We are given victory over death through Jesus. In the Lord our labor is not in vain (1 Corinthians 15:54-59).

Gospel — A good person produces good, an evil person produces evil. The mouth speaks from the goodness of the heart (Luke 6:39-45).

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Primera lectura — La palabra da a conocer los sentimientos de la persona. No alabes a nadie antes que haya hablado (Eclesiástico 27: 4-7).

Salmo — ¡Qué Bueno es darte gracias, Señor! (Salmo 92 [91]).

Segunda lectura — Se nos ha dado la victoria sobre la muerte por medio de Jesús (1 Corintios 15:53-58).

Evangelio — Una persona buena produce lo bueno, una persona mala produce lo malo (Lucas 6:39-45).

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Please pray for the sick Richard Boomer, Alex Apsay, Sr. Michelle Ann Murphy, Tessa Gallo, Uki Molina, Faith Silva, Bob Stroughter, Maria De Jesus Guillen, Mary E. Andrade, Susana Azevedo, Bishop McGrath, Jess Valdez, Daniel Rodriguez, Roberto Rizo, Maria Soledad Arriaga, Mayda Estrada Sr, and Lupe Apen.

For the repose of the soul of Wilma Souza, Luis Flores, Raul Reyes, Juan Antonio Martinez, Robert Rizzo.

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Lunes: San Casimiro
Martes: Mardi Gras; Carnaval
Miércoles: Miércoles de Ceniza; Ayuno y Abstinencia; Ayudar
Jueves: Santas Perpetua y Felicitas
Viernes: San Juan de Dios; Abstinencia
Sábado: Santa Francisca Romana

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Casimir
Wednesday: Ash Wednesday;
Fast and Abstinence; Almsgiving
Thursday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity
Friday: St. John of God; Abstinence
Saturday: St. Frances of Rome

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23;
Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;
2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25
Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15
Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32
Sunday: Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-15;
Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Eclo 17:20-24; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5-7;
Mc 10:17-27
Martes: Eclo 35:1-12; Sal 50 (49):5-8, 14, 23;
Mc 10:28-31
Miércoles: Jl 2:12-18; Sal 51 (50):3-6ab, 12-14, 17;
2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Jueves: Dt 30:15-20; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 9:22-25
Viernes: Is 58:1-9a; Sal 51 (50):3-6ab, 18-19;
Mt 9:14-15
Sábado: Is 58:9b-14; Sal 86 (85):1-6; Lc 5:27-32
Domingo: Dt 26:4-10; Sal 91 (90):1-2, 10-15;
Rom 10:8-13; Lc 4:1-13

**St. Vincent de Paul Society
How We Operate**

Here at our parish we help those in need in our neighborhood, primarily in the 95127 zip code area. Our clients contact us by calling our help line (408) 535-0404. The calls are screened five days a week, and answered the same day if received by 2:00 p.m. Our primary means of connecting with people is through the home visit, though we make arrangements to meet with the homeless as necessary. We visit in teams of 2, providing emergency food from our pantry, food vouchers for the grocery stores who partner with us, assist with utility payments, rent deposits and other necessities. We spend \$2,000 to \$3,000.00 per month in assistance. Thanks to you we are able to continue this mission.

We also refer people to other non-profit organizations and agencies, depending on the need and situation. Along with other conferences and the SVdP Council, we have a co-pay system to help clients with needs beyond our means.

At Thanksgiving time we partner with the Girl Scouts and the Knights of Columbus to provide food baskets for those in need. Various troops assemble beautiful baskets and we identify families whom we've assisted in the past. At Christmas time we supply up to 100 families with food baskets and participate in the Parish Giving Tree to provide toys to children who otherwise would have no gifts under the tree at Christmas.

Please see next week's bulletin for the final installment of this article.

**Sociedad San Vicente de Paúl
Como Operamos**

Aquí, en nuestra parroquia, ayudamos a los necesitados en nuestro vecindario, principalmente en el área del código postal 95127. Nuestros clientes nos contactan llamando a nuestra línea de ayuda (408) 535-0404. Las llamadas se revisan cinco días a la semana y se contestan el mismo día si se reciben antes de las 2:00 p.m. Nuestro principal medio de conexión con las personas es a través de la visita domiciliaria, aunque hacemos arreglos para reunirnos con las personas sin hogar según sea necesario. Los visitamos en equipos de 2, que brindan alimentos de emergencia de nuestra despensa, cupones de alimentos para las tiendas de comestibles que se asocian con nosotros, asisten con los pagos de servicios públicos, depósitos de alquiler y otras necesidades. Gastamos de \$ 2,000 a \$ 3,000.00 por mes en asistencias. Gracias a ustedes somos capaces de continuar con esta misión.

También referimos a las personas a otras organizaciones y agencias sin fines de lucro, según la necesidad y la situación. Junto con otras conferencias y el Consejo de SVdP, tenemos un sistema de copago para ayudar a los clientes con necesidades más allá de nuestras posibilidades.

En el día de Acción de Gracias, nos asociamos con las Girl Scouts y los Caballeros de Colón para proporcionar canastas de alimentos para los necesitados. Varias tropas preparan hermosas canastas e identificamos familias a las que hemos ayudado en el pasado. En la época navideña, suministramos canastas de alimentos a hasta 100 familias y participamos con el Arbol Bondadoso de la parroquia para proporcionar juguetes a los niños que de otra manera no tendrían regalos debajo del árbol en Navidad.



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St. John Vianney Altar Server Training

All are welcome and encouraged to serve the community! 4th grade-High School-Adults
If you are interested in training or a refresher course, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook.

Pass on the Good News!

Wanted: Catechists!

Reward: Storing up Treasures in Heaven!

You can help our children in English Faith Formation by passing on your faith and experiences as a catechist. As you nurture their faith, you will learn and grow as well. Classes are on Thursdays from 6:30-8:00 PM. Not sure what being a catechist is all about? Want to help but don't want to teach? There are other roles to fill on the team as well! All are welcome to share their gifts and talents. **If you are interested in sharing your faith and talents with the children in the English Faith Formation program, please contact Ms. Kathleen Cook, Director of Religious Education at kcook@sivsji.net.**

SAVE THE DATE: Cathedral Docent Orientation, Wednesday, March 13, 2019, 1:00 PM

Volunteer to become a Cathedral docent. Please RSVP to Nina Tranchina at 408-283-8100, X 2210 by Thursday, March 7. Docents are not required to be registered parishioners of the Cathedral Basilica Parish.

Everyone is welcome!