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Mass Times

St. Denis Church
Saturday: 5:30pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am
Monday-Friday: 8:00 am

Our Lady of the Wayside Church
Saturday: 4:30 pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 9:30 am

Confession Times
Saturday: 4:00 pm, Our Lady of the Wayside
Saturday: 5:00 pm, St. Denis

Office Hours
M-F, 9:00 am—2:00 pm

Second Collection May 12th & 13th for Catholic Charities CYO

Zoe grade 6

May 6th, 2018 6th Sunday of Easter
### Mass Intentions

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<td><strong>St. Denis</strong></td>
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<td>Sat. May 5</td>
<td>5:30pm Rosemarie Plume (+)</td>
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<td>Sun. May 6</td>
<td>7:30 am World Peace</td>
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<td>9:30 am Ruth &amp; George Barter (living)</td>
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<td>11:30 am Refugees seeking asylum</td>
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<td>Mon. May 7</td>
<td>8:00 am Audrey Durazzo (living)</td>
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<td>Tue. May 8</td>
<td>8:00 am For those with depression</td>
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<td>Wed. May 9</td>
<td>8:00 am For the poor</td>
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<td>Thurs May 10</td>
<td>8:00 am Christian Unity</td>
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<td>Fri. May 11</td>
<td>8:00 am Newly Initiated</td>
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### Retreat In Our Area

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<td><strong>Vallombrosa Retreat Center</strong></td>
<td>May 11-13- Mother Mary’s Love Fr. Brian Mullady, OP, turns to the example of Mary to explore the experiences by which a Christian grows in prayer.</td>
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<td>May 13- Mother’s Day Lunch &amp; Mass Our beloved Mother’s Day lunch will be celebrated in our chapel with music by the Vallombrosa Choir and a gourmet lunch will be served afterwards.</td>
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<td>May 26– Francis of Assisi: The Man Behind the Myths– Everyone has their own image of St. Francis of Assisi, some even have him on their birdbath. However, you will be surprised by the man behind the legends.</td>
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<td>June 1-3 Art &amp; Spirituality of the Icon– The retreat presentations examine the history, theology, spirituality and tradition of holy icons as sacred Eastern Christian images, establish on the doctrine of the Incarnation.</td>
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<td><strong>The Jesuit Retreat Center of Los Altos</strong></td>
<td>May 16-20– 5 day Guided Retreat- Pastoral Staff Silent, individually directed retreat</td>
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<td>June 1-3– Gifted &amp; Called Fr. Michael Zampelli, S.J. LGBT retreat</td>
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<td>June 8-10– Retreat for Friends &amp; Families of Alcoholics Fr. Tom Weston retreat</td>
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### We Believe

**GOD IS LOVE, BUT NOT THE EMOTIONAL KIND!**

I love cheesecake, baseball and my husband. Not equally, of course!

In fact, we use the word LOVE so loosely that it loses its true meaning.

Love is not a feeling or an emotion.

Love is a decision.

It’s a decision about how I am going to treat someone, not how I feel about them.

Can I treat people I don’t like with love?

That’s what we’re called to do as followers of Jesus.

God is Love, and if we are God’s people, we are called to be loving, by following God’s commandments.

And God’s only real commandment is to treat others as we want to be treated.

Easier said than done!

But it’s really the only thing God asks us to do.

Yours in the Lord, Lucy

### In your charity, please pray for...

Holly Hermansen, Pier Iglesias, Sandy Rock, Mila Wright, Rosa Sharif, Barbara Ham, John Hunter, Janet Sue Cox, Janice Varell

The List has been updated. Names will be removed monthly unless you let the office know. Thank you.
Faith Formation News

FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATIONS
Please join us in celebrating as these children receive the Eucharist for the first time and keep them and their families in your prayers!

Saturday, April 28 at 5:30pm
Abagail Cooper, Adina & Darina Arnold, Camille Kim, Mariana Maffia, Catherine Thomas, Marisol Storm and Taylor Scheuer

Sunday, April 29 at 9:30am (Our Lady of the Wayside)
Maximilian Hauer-Molero, Josefina, Pierce & Mark McGuire

Saturday, May 5 at 10:30am
Annie Carr and Ilaria Cline

Sunday, May 6 at 9:30am
Rosalia Luczo, Morgan Berry, Luke Mayo, Marco Antonino, Kate McGrory, Avery Fair, Angus Peiffer, Aidan & Ashlyn Klaus

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES FINISH NEXT WEEK
All our classes will finish for the year on Sunday, May 6. We will begin again on Sunday, September 23. We enjoyed sharing our faith with your children and hope to see them again next year!

See you in church!

OUTDOOR MASS AND PANCAKE BREAKFAST
Sunday, May 20 at the 9:30am Mass at St. Denis.
Join us for the celebration of Pentecost and eat pancakes, sausage & eggs. Everyone is invited!

CRS RICE BOWL:
You may bring your filled Rice Bowls to church anytime during the Easter season. Just put them in the collection basket or in the box in the back of the church. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Stewardship

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<td>July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 (Goal)</td>
<td>$459,000.00</td>
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<td>July 1, 2017 to March 31st, 2018</td>
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<td>Monthly Goal—March 2018</td>
<td>$36,000.00</td>
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<td>$44,993.00</td>
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<td>$117,232.00</td>
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<td>2018 (Actual Annual Appeal to date)</td>
<td>$101,428.00</td>
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ONLINE GIVING WITH WESHARE
New to online Egiving? Follow the link in our parish website to create a new account. If you gave online through ParishPay, the work of transferring your account to WeShare is done. Go to the parish website and click on the WeShare online giving link. Follow the instructions to verify your existing account.

Senior Lunch

All seniors and their caregivers are welcome to come to our Senior Lunch with communion service on May 22nd starting at noon in the parish hall. Kindly rsvp to Dede at 650 854-5976, press 4. It’s a great way to come together and visit.

Friendly Reminders

Bulletin & Announcements
The Deadline for bulletin inserts is (The Tuesday Before Noon,) before the weekend of publication. All mass announcements are to be scripted & okayed by Dede prior to masses. Contact her at dedem@pacbell.net
NOTE: Announcements may not appear until the next bulletin due to space limitations.
Thank You!

Need A Ride To Mass?
If you are in need of a ride to Mass, or if you can provide a ride to a fellow parishioner, please call Maritza Longland at 650 291-0657 or talk to any Outreach Committee member.

Friendly Reminders
Upcoming Events

May 5th—First Communion celebration for group C 10:30am at St. Denis
May 6th—First Communion celebration for group D at 9:30am Mass at St. Denis
May 6th—Wine & Cheese after 11:30 am mass
May 13th—Coffee & donuts after 9:30am mass at Our Lady of the Wayside
May 19th—Wine & Cheese after 5:30pm mass
May 20th—Outdoor Mass and Pancake Breakfast at St. Denis
May 21st—Knit & Pray at St. Denis in the library 5:30pm to 7:00pm
May 22nd—Senior Lunch at 12 noon beginning with communion service in the parish hall

Parish Annual Appeal

Thank you to all that have graciously given to the 2018 Annual Appeal. Our goal this year is $117,232.00. So far we have received 80% of our goal! We’re almost there!! We need $15,804.00. If you haven’t given yet please consider giving! Any donations that we receive over the goal stays right here in our parish for improvements.