

January 14, 2007

Mass Intentions for the Week

SUN	1/14	6:45 Rudy Molina
MON	1/15	6:30 Mary Knapp 8:30 Novella Fenisey & Family
TUE	1/16	6:30 Ray McKeon (well being) 8:30 John Rooney
WED	1/17	6:30 Bob Barcott 8:30 Ruthie Chatterton
THU	1/18	6:30 Maxima Baruela 8:30 Kai Kit Wong
FRI	1/19	6:30 Joseph R. Fagen 8:30 Pat Kenny (living)
SAT	1/20	6:30 Emila Buchner 8:30 James R. Shugarte 5:00 Joseph Alioto & Julio DeLucchi
SUN	1/21	6:45 Rae & Ed Palmer (well being)

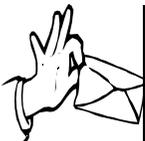
**Please say a prayer
for our many sick, homebound
and hospitalized parishioners
who are unable to attend Mass.**

Let us pray for those who have died...
Mirib Shallop
*“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
And let perpetual light shine upon them.”*

**ARCHBISHOP’S
ANNUAL APPEAL**

\$63,300 ⇨⇨⇨⇨

We did it! We reached our assessment for 2006. Thanks to all of you who gave to the Appeal during the year, and those who gave so generously at the end of the year, we were able to reach our goal, doing our fair share for the entire Archdiocese. God bless all of you. Keep up the good work.



Second Collection next weekend, **January 13th & 14th**, is for **Black & Indian & Catholic Home Missions.**

CHURCH SUPPORT

\$ 9,808.50	- Sunday Collection
<u>1,218.00</u>	- Upkeep & Maintenance of Parish
\$11,026.50	- Total

PARISH SUPPORT : Please don't forget your weekly offering to the Parish.

LITANY OF THANKS

During Advent, we watched as each week another candle on our Advent wreath was lit, as we anticipated the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ. So many parishioners took part in the Advent/Christmas ceremonies. Our thanks are extended to all who joined in making our worship experience so special! Our thanks to:

Liturgy Planning Team.

Church Environment Committee and all those who regularly create the order and cleanliness in our Sanctuary and Church.

Our Lectors, Eucharist Ministers, Ushers and Altar Servers.

Our Parish Choirs and all Ministers of Music.

All who volunteered to solemnly light the candles in the Advent Wreath each week.

All who gave so generously to the Giving Tree for Women's Shelter, St. Vincent de Paul, Birthright, and Catholic Worker House, and many other needy families.

To all members of our Parish Family for your loving generosity with your time, talent, and treasure throughout Christmastime and all through the year.

Wishing everyone a happy and holy New Year,

*Father Ed Bohnert,
the Priests & Staff of St. Veronica*



NATIONAL
Blood Donor
MONTH

MAKE
LIFESAVING
A HABIT

Is January

Blood Drive

St. Veronica Parish

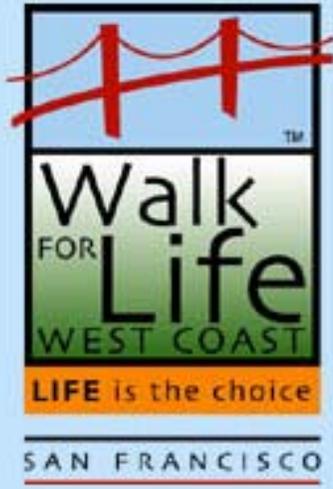
January 21st, Falcon Hall

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Please sign up in the Church vestibule to donate.

WALK FOR LIFE—WEST COAST 2007

Mark your calendar:
Saturday, January 20



Join the upwards of 20,000 pro-lifers for the 3rd Annual Walk for Life in San Francisco as we peacefully proclaim our healing message that “Abortion Hurts Women”, and “Women Deserve Better than Abortion”.

St. Veronica’s has participated for the first two years, and this year our group will walk behind our “St. Veronica Church” banner!

For more information & photos from previous walks:
www.walkforlifewc.com

To volunteer, or to arrange buses: 415-586-1576
or email questions to info@walkforlifewc.com

Here are some other events,
connected with the Annual Walk for Life,
to which all are invited:

**20TH ANNUAL INTERFAITH MEMORIAL SERVICE
FOR THE VICTIMS OF ABORTION
7:30PM Friday, January 19
St. Mary’s Cathedral, ample parking**

Featured Speakers:

Fr. Frank Pavone, director of *Priests for Life*
Janet Morana, co-founder of *Silent No More*

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON FRIDAY, JAN. 19
Saints Peter & Paul Church
8PM ’til 7AM Benediction on Saturday
Filbert St. at Columbus, North Beach, San Francisco
Well-lighted Parking Lot Open**

Come adore for one hour or more
in support of all those harmed by abortion.
Please sign up for a time slot by contacting
karen@walkforlifewc.com

WATCH LIVE COVERAGE ON EWTN

EWTN—the Global Catholic Network—
will broadcast the **“Walk for Life—West Coast”**
with Father Francis Mary Stone and Father Mark
Mary Cristina providing coverage
of the day’s events from San Francisco.

Airs **LIVE** for 90 minutes on
January 20 at 10:30 AM, with encores on:
January 20 at 5 PM,
January 22 at 2 PM
January 25 at 10 AM

*If you get EWTN, look for St. Veronica’s Banner and
parishioners amidst the crowd of walkers!*

A LETTER FROM THE ARCHBISHOP ABOUT THE WALK FOR LIFE—WEST COAST

Dear Fr. Bohnert,

I am sure that in your ministry you have discovered just how many of our people have been wounded by the culture of death. Not only have millions of lives been taken by this culture but it has killed spirits and blotted out hope for those who have been involved in abortion.

I have been greatly encouraged to learn that some young people of the Archdiocese have organized a *Walk for Life West Coast* (www.walkforlifewc.com). This is a relatively new and important development. The purpose of the *Walk* is to support women, men and children, with the message that they deserve better from society. The *Walk* has been very successful; 7,000 people attended the first *Walk* and 15,000 the second. The attention of the nation has been captured by this effort, to spread the message of hope and healing.

In this spirit I will be joining them on Saturday, January 20, 2007 for the third annual *Walk for Life*. I am eager to attend this event and I hope to have my fellow priests walk with me to publicly take a stand for Life. I also invite you to concelebrate Mass at 8:00 a.m. on the same day at St. Mary’s Cathedral.

I encourage you to organize parishioners and to walk as a parish.

*Most Reverend George Niederauer
Archbishop of San Francisco*



**St. Veronica Men's Club
Crab Feed**



Saturday, February 10th

St. Veronica Parish Center

6:00 - 6:30 p.m. - Appetizers

6:30 - 8:00 p.m. - Dinner

8:00 p.m. - Midnight - Dancing

Cost: \$50 per person

(checks payable to St. Veronica Men's Club)

Deadline for reservations:

Friday, February 2nd

Chicken is available upon request



*No reservations will be
accepted after the deadline.*



New Parent Information Night

This Tuesday, January 16

7:00 p.m. - Falcon Hall (Cafeteria)

St. Veronica Catholic School

Is your child ready for Kindergarten? Are you new to the Parish? Are you thinking of St. Veronica Catholic School as a new beginning for your child's education?

Then please come to our informational session and learn everything you need to know about enrolling your child(ren) in St. Veronica Catholic School. Application packets will be available.

St. Veronica Catholic School, mindful of its mission to be a witness of the love of Christ for all, admits 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 the students at this school. St. Veronica Catholic School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, and national and/or ethnic origin, age, sex, or disability in the administration of educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, athletic and other school-administered programs.

TEEN CLUB

Meeting Sunday, Jan. 7

7:30 pm in the Church Basement



**Every Wednesday - Parish Hall
Doors open at 6:30 PM
Bingo begins at 7:30 PM**