

ST. VERONICA CHURCH

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
AUGUST 17, 2008

St Pius X



Feast Day: August 21

**Giuseppe Sarto;
Joseph Sarto;
Pope of the Blessed Sacrament**

Profile

Impoverished childhood as one of [eight children](#) of a village [cobbler](#). Felt a calling to the [priesthood](#) from his youth. Studied at [Padua](#), and was known as an exceptional student. Parish [priest](#), ordained by Blessed [Giovanni Antonio Farina](#) on 18 September 1858. [Bishop](#) of [Mantua](#). Patriarch of [Venice](#). [Cardinal](#). [Pope](#).

Issued decrees on early (age 7 instead of 12 or 14 as previously) and frequent communion. Destroyed the last vestiges of Jansenism by advocating frequent and even daily communion. Reformed the liturgy, promoted clear and simple homilies, and brought Gregorian chant back to services. Revised the Breviary, and teaching of the Catechism. Fought Modernism, which he denounced as "the summation of all heresies". Reorganized the Roman curia, the administrative elements of the Church. Worked against the modern antagonism of the state against the Church. Initiated the codification of canon law. Promoting Bible reading by all the faithful. Supported foreign missions. His will read: "*I was born poor; I lived poor; I wish to die poor.*"

Born [1835](#) as Giuseppe Sarto at Riese, Treviso, Venice, Austria (now Italy)

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Mass Intentions

WEEK of August 17, 2008

Sun	8/17	6:45	† Edith Madrona
		8:00	Keith Martin (<i>Well Being</i>)
		9:30	† Rose Ann Presto
		11:00	† Kathleen Renteria
Mon	8/18	6:30	† All Souls in Purgatory
		8:30	† John Martinez
Tue	8/19	6:30	† Conchita Enriguez (<i>Well Being</i>)
		8:30	† Rev. Michael Kidd
Wed	8/20	6:30	† Mary Louise Chementi
		8:30	† Kevin & Mike Folan, Sr.
Thu	8/21	6:30	† Henry Ware Family
		8:30	† Paul Azzopardi
Fri	8/22	6:30	Sister Catherine Toomey (<i>Living</i>)
		8:30	† Santiago Cuejilo
Sat	8/23	6:30	† Mary J. Mosunic
		8:30	† Gertrude Eberle
		5:00	† Will & Sandy (<i>Living</i>) Dill
Sun	8/24	6:45	† Jose S. Aquino
		8:00	† Dromedes & Rosa Millen
		9:30	† Mae Brooks
		11:00	† Aaron Baltzer



Congratulations, and may God bless
Clayton Peterson & Heather Railing
who married here August 10, 2008.



DONTATE BLOOD SUNDAY, AUGUST 31ST



Blood Centers of the Pacific will be accepting donations of life-saving blood in Falcon Hall from 9:00am-1:30 pm.

Give the gift of life, if you are able.

Rev. Charles Puthota, Ph.D., Pastor
Rev. Warlito Namo, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Edmund (Ted) Shipp, In Residence
Deacon Roger Beaudry
Deacon Joseph LeBlanc

St. Veronica Rectory: 588-1455 / Fax 588-1481
Office Hours: Monday to Friday - 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Administrative Assistant: Gail Andrews
Office Manager: Pat Weber

St. Veronica School: 589-3909
Principal: Teri Pallitto

Religious Education Office: 871-5607

Music Director: Christopher Lindstrom (209) 952-0209

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening: 5:00 pm
Sundays: 6:45, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00AM,
and 12:30PM
Eve of Holy Days: 5:30PM
Holy Days: 6:30, 8:30AM, & 7:30PM
Monday-Saturday: 6:30 & 8:30AM

Confessions

Saturdays: 3:30-5:00PM

Liturgy of the Hours

Monday-Saturday: Morning Prayer at 6:00AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday-Friday: 9:00AM — 9:00PM
Sunday: 1:30PM — 9:00PM

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

Pray for those who have recently died...

Con Murphy & Vincent Terallo

“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...”



Every Wednesday - Parish Hall
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Bingo begins at 7:30 pm.

Welcome New Parishioners!

Please fill this out and return it to the parish rectory, or simply drop it in the collection basket.

Name(s) _____

E-mail: _____

Name(s) _____

___ Updating Current Parish Registration

Address _____

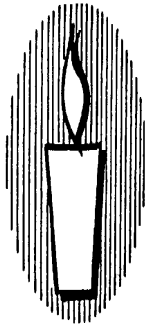
___ Send Sunday Envelopes

City & Zip _____

___ Moving / Please remove from mailing list.

Phone _____

___ Please call me.



Adults interested in becoming Catholics, or Catholics who want to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and/or Confirmation are invited to attend weekly R.C.I.A. classes. (The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), starting on **October 5th at 9:30 a.m.** and continuing for eight months. Adult Catholics who want to know more about their religion are also welcome.

RCIA

Call **Deacon Roger Beaudry** at
583-9120.



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On-Air Pledge Drive

will be held **Wednesday, September 3rd** and **Thursday, September 4th** from **6am-7:30pm** each day at **Mater Dolorosa School** in **South San Francisco**. Help is needed to **answer phone calls, run errands, or with hospitality**. If you can help for an **hour** or a **couple of hours** any day, please call **Debora Heinrichs** at **(916) 535-0500 ext.221** or **email her** at **dheinrichs@ihradio.org**.

Church Support

\$7,162 - Sunday Collection
1,204 - Maintenance of Parish Bldgs. & Grounds
\$8,366 - Total

Saint Veronica Parish depends on *your* support.

**ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL
COLLECTION UPDATE**

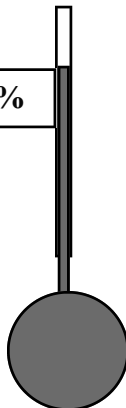
Thank you to all of those who have already given.

Please don't forget to send in your donation, we still have until **December 31st** to reach our assessment.

Parish Assessment: **\$ 58,200.**
As of **August 13th**

we have collected: **\$47,592**
Remaining balance: **\$10,608**

81.75%



SCHOOL NEWS

***Books have been ordered! Desks are clean!
Backpacks are waiting! Uniforms are pressed!
It's coming!***

St. Veronica Catholic School will open its doors on Wednesday, August 27, 2008, to 330 students from 232 families of the parish for the FIFTIETH TIME! As we begin our 50th Anniversary celebration, we thank God for the strength of members of our parish community who continue to support the ministry of the school through prayers and active participation. What a tribute to the strength of our faith community here at St. Veronica Parish to have had (and to continue to have) so many children and young people touched and loved through our religious education programs which are evident in our Confirmation Program, the Religious Education Program, and the School!

As a side note: please excuse us if we disrupt your morning schedule with our drop-off procedures which actually loop around the Church. Drop-off begins at 7:50 a.m. and gates close promptly at 8:00 a.m. Hence, the large parking lot and the area near the convent and Falcon Hall are no longer available for parking during school hours. You are invited to continue using the upper parking lot by the Rectory entrance to the parish grounds. This area is not affected by school hours. School is dismissed at 3:00 p.m. (except for an occasional minimum day on Monday and early dismissal days on Friday). For the safety of the children at dismissal, please be respectful of cones, closed gates, and areas where cars have no access prior to and after dismissal. Due to incidents in other schools and for the safety of the children, cars will not be permitted to pull in front of the Church or the Parish Center before and during dismissal. Parents and family members or friends picking up students at dismissal are reminded that parking in these areas is not permitted due to the large flow of pedestrian traffic. We do not want to see any cars backing into small children walking in this safety zone.

We are most grateful for your cooperation and feel embraced by the prayers of our faith community and the example you set for us as we work together to build God's kingdom here and now.

***May St. Veronica continue to bless us
with her courageous and loving example,
Ms. Teri Pallitto
Principal of St. Veronica Catholic School***

EUCCHARIST ADORATION

Adorers needed for the following days and times:

Sunday: 3-4pm, 4-5pm, 5-6pm
Tuesday: 10-11am, 2-3pm, 4-5pm, 6-7pm
Wednesday: 2-3pm, 3-4pm, 5-6pm
Thursday: 5-6pm

**Questions or to sign up:
Patty Sadaya at (415) 350-2507.**

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptismal Preparation classes are held once a month.
Call the Parish Office 588-1455

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Classes start in October and end on Pentecost.
Call the Parish Office to register 588-1455

St. Veronica School: 589-3909

Principal: Teri Pallitto

Religious Education: 871-5607

Catechetical instructions (1st to 8th grades)

Confirmation Classes: 588-1455

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Servers: Fr. Warlito Namó - Parish Office - 588-1455

Altar Society: Barbara Lozar - 873-6195

Baptism Preparation: Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

BLD Bay Area: Mario & Joji Tolentino - 438-0849

Events Coordinator / Reservations: Rita Buscher 869-4939
e-mail ritabuscher@att.net

Catechists: Religious Education Office - 871-5607

Charismatic Prayer Group: Norma Guerrero - 219-4556

Charismatic Prayer Group (español): Concepción Blanco - 794-1932

Children's Liturgy: Jeanne Dimech 589-2111

Church Environment Committee: Suzanne Nazario - 588-5209

Eucharistic Adoration: Patty Sadaya - (415) 350-2507

Homebound Ministry: Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Barbara Lozar - 873-6195

First Friday Devotions to Sacred Heart: Letty Rubin - 834-4391

Grief Ministry: Nita Ricotta - 873-6049

Knights of Columbus Council #9604: Romy Soriben - 742-9340

Lectors Ministry: Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

Legion Of Mary: Ando Perlas - 873-9020 or
Carmella Da San Martino - 697-7000

Family Praesidium: Jay Naidu - 583-3625

Junior Legion Of Mary: Rose Enriquez - 871-6367

Men's Club: Daniel Ourtiague - 872-2270 or Dennis Bosch 589-3655

Music Director: Christopher Lindstrom - 588-1455

Adult Choir: Christopher Lindstrom - 588-1455

Children's Choir: Christopher Lindstrom - 588-1455

Family Choir: Carmen Perlas or Christopher - 588-1455

Respect Life: Mary Beaudry - 583-9120

School Guild: School - 589-3909

Social Justice Committee: Deacon Roger Beaudry - 588-1455

St. Vincent de Paul Society: June Heise - 871-7738

Sunday Morning Hospitality: Joe & Carmella Da San Martino -
615-0479

Ushers: Lee Heise - 871-7738

Wedding Coordinator: Karen Guglielmoni - 415-587-8282



**St. Veronica Parish Festival
"A Pirate's Life for Me"**

September 26, 27 & 28

Make this the best festival ever!
Here are some ways you can help
support St. Veronica's Festival booths:

Prizes for Children's Bingo: NEW toys, games, art sets, puzzles, craft projects, stuffed animals, and theme park passes.

5th Classic Car Show Material: Model cars, car care materials, logo shirts and new car how gear, and more.

Items for Cookie Decorating: Sprinkles, gummy bears, miniature M & M's, cans of frosting, or anything that makes a cookie look better.

Home & Garden: Plants, garden decorations, garden tools, or gift certificates.

Liquor Booth (for adults only!): We need beer, wine, spirits, mixers, glasses, bar tools, or bar decorations.

Sports Booth: Hats, bats, balls, jerseys, cards, team clothing, or memorabilia.

Sweets for the sweets: Bags of candy, homemade cookies, cupcakes, cakes, and chocolate, chocolate and more chocolate!

Holiday decorations and gifts: Ornaments, decorations, candles, cards or gifts for Christmas, Thanksgiving, Valentine's Day, Fourth of July or Halloween.

CASH DONATIONS ARE MORE THAN WELCOME!!!
All other donations can be brought to the school or rectory.

In addition to the booths, we will also have:

Rides: Ferris Wheel, Giant Slide, Spinning Berries, Obstacle Course, and *more!*

Entertainment: Bands, bands, & more bands.
Also special performers, contests, and more!

Dinner: Saturday, Sept. 27th - Two seatings:
6pm & 7:30pm

Raffle: Raffle books will arrive soon. Return tickets to the rectory or school.

Contact: Christopher chrisfesval2008@yahoo.com
or
Terrie graciesgems@sbcglobal.net