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Mass Intentions

WEEK of April 12, 2009

Sun	4/12	Easter Sunday		
Mon	4/13	6:30 † Angelo Ancanan		
		8:30 † Frank DeLuca		
Tue	4/14	6:30 † Nelita Abraham		
		8:30 † Fred Taylor		
Wed	4/15	6:30 † Cresencia Pablo		
		8:30 † Novella Fenisey & Family		
Thu	4/16	6:30 † Dean Allen Drablos		
		8:30 † Maria Dacunha		
Fri	4/17	6:30 † Gertrude Eberle		
		8:30 † Mike & Kevin Folan		
Sat	4/18	6:30 † Kathleen Litatco		
		8:30 † Sally Jarvis		
		5:00 † Joseph Alioto, Sr. &		

Pray for those who have recently died...

Joseph Alioto, Jr.

Dorothy House

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord..."

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, & 6:30PM

Monday-Saturday: 6:30 & 8:30AM Holidays:

8:30AM

Confessions

Saturdays: 3:30-5:00PM

Liturgy of the Hours
Monday-Saturday: Morning Prayer at 6:00AM

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Last Week's Church Support Breakdown						
<u>Day</u>	Mass Time	1st Collection	2nd Parish Maintenance	1st & 2nd Total		
Saturday	5:00 PM	\$1,566.00	\$ 218.00	\$ 1,784.00		
Sunday	6:45 AM	1,518.50	255,50	1,774.00		
	8:00 AM	1,360.00	198.00	1,558.00		
	9:30 AM	2,050.00	380.00	2,430.00		
	11:00 AM	1,482.00	323.00	1,805.00		
	12:30 PM	1,377.00	366.00	1,743.00		
	Total	\$9,353.50	\$1,740.50	\$11,094.00		
Thank you for your support.						

Welcome New Parishioners! Please fill this out and return it to the parish rectory, or simply drop it in the collection basket. Name(s) _____ Name(s) ____Updating Current Parish Registration

___Send Sunday Envelopes

____Moving / Please remove from mailing list. City & Zip

Please call me. Phone _

HAPPY EASTER! CONGRATULATIONS ON AAA!

Dear Friends,

Another Easter has dawned! Our lives are filled with hope for joy, peace, harmony---and a sense of victory over things that keep us down. The Risen Christ leads us to the realization of what is possible, drawing us closer to God and one another and filling us with light and radiance.

I wish everyone at St. Veronica parish all the blessings and graces of this holy season. Happy Easter!

I would like to thank all the donors of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal. It is with great pride that I announce that we have successfully completed our month-long campaign. We have made our goal of \$57,600, and we have gone well over that amount.

I propose to put the surplus separately into the Capital Campaign Fund so that we can get to some of the projects of our parish, such as asphalt paving, putting the convent building and church basement to good use, work in our church (interior painting and change of carpet), more facilities for the school, etc. Have any fresh ideas? I would be most grateful if you could share them with me.

Thank you again for your generosity and good will. May the Risen Christ lead and guide every step of the way in our spiritual journey and the development of our parish.

Your Pastor and Friend, Father Charles Puthota

2009 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL COLLECTION UPDATE

Thank you to all who have pledged so generously to the Annual Appeal during our one month drive in March, we have exceeded our assessment!

Parish Assessment: \$57,600

Final Totals:

Cash received: \$57,674Return Balance to S.V.: \$+74

Additional Pledges: \$12,336

Farewell to Fr. Ted Shipp

Father Ted will be leaving our parish on Saturday April 18th to go to live at Serra Clergy House in San Mateo. We are looking for a suitable date to give him a farewell party. I wish to thank Father Ted on behalf of our parish for his presence and ministry. I know he will continue to be active in his service to the church, which he loves with all his heart. May the Risen Christ bless and keep you, Father Ted!

Father Charles Puthota

St. Veronica Catholic School 50th Golden Gala

Saturday, April 25, 2009 5:00 p.m. Alumni Mass 6:30 p.m. Golden Gala Cost: \$30

Join us for a special night! Live music and dancing! Great food by Black Tie Affair! Complimentary champagne, wine and beer!

Reservation information in the back of the church.

Questions? Want to help? Contact Michele Evans at <u>micheleevans@msn.com</u> or (650) 866-4245

Are you a Founding Parishioner or Founding School Parent? We want YOU - for special recognition during the Gala. Please email Michele Evans with your current address.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen (Acts 10:34a, 37-43).

Psalm -- This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Psalm 118).

- (1) Second Reading -- All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven (Colossians 3:1-4) or
- (2) Second Reading -- Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate (1 Corinthians 5:6b-8).

Gospel -- Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each responds to the empty tomb (John 20:1-9) or Mark 16:1-7 (or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Luke 24:13-35).



NO BINGO APRIL 15TH. BINGO WILL RESUME APRIL 22ND.



Welcome into the Church

Isaih Jesse Callejes & Meleia Hayden Dolar

who were Baptized last weekend.

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

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

Director: Lynn Claire Chittick Catechetical instructions (1st to 8th grades)

Confirmation Classes: 588-1455

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Servers: Fr. Warlito Namo - 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

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**: James Kelly - 465-5176

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Barbara Lozar -

873-6195

Finance Committee: Ron Derenzi - 737-9484

First Friday/First Saturday Devotions to Sacred Heart -

Immaculate Heart: Ofie Albrecht - 871-4176

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**: Isabel Golez - 875-6457 or

Carmella Da San Martino - 697-7000

Liturgy Committee: Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

Family Praesidium: Jay Naidu - 583-3625

Men's Club: Chris Krol - 355-4005

Music Director: Christopher Lindstrom - 588-1455

Religious Education: Religious Education Office - 871-5607

Respect Life: Mary Beaudry - 583-9120 School Guild: School - 589-3909

Social Justice Committee: Deacon Roger Beaudry - 588-1455

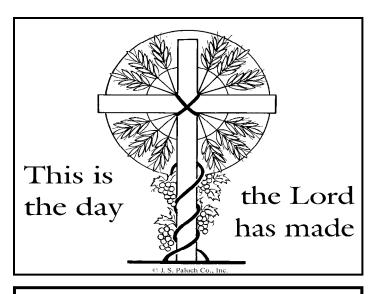
St. Vincent de Paul Society: June Heise - 871-7738

Sunday Morning Hospitality: Joe & Carmella Da San Martino -

615-0479

Ushers: Lee Heise - 871-7738

Wedding Coordinator: Karen Guglielmoni - 415-587-8282



PROCLAIM THE RISEN CHRIST

On Easter morning everything--the spring weather, the flowers, birds and butterflies, the people around us in their finery, the beautiful liturgy and music--everything seems to bear witness that Jesus Christ is risen today! Like the eyewitness accounts in today's scriptures, the glorious and joyful life all around us helps us to believe the good news of the Resurrection and sing "Alleluia!"

In the scriptures today we hear from Peter and Paul and John. All three speak with conviction about witnessing the resurrected Christ. John's Gospel account includes Mary of Magdala, who also was privileged to witness the Resurrection and tell others the good news. On this glorious Easter Sunday can we ourselves give eyewitness accounts that Jesus Christ is risen today, alive and active in our lives?

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Paschal Mystery is the key to our Christian faith: the dying and rising of Jesus that is the pattern of our life. In their first steps on the road of faith, the catechumens feel the cross of glory traced over their eyes, on their lips, across their shoulders, on their ears, over their heart, and on their feet. The mystery is that even death gives way to life for those who are held in the embrace of Jesus. Today, many new Christians arise from the waters of the font. Yet the font is not the destination of their journey. The goal is Pentecost, fifty days from now, and a lifetime of praise to the Father, in Christ, in the embrace of the Holy Spirit, for the sake of the world. "Neophyte," our ancient word for newly-baptized people, means "newly-planted" in Greek. If someone in your parish has just been baptized, welcome them today. The smiles on their faces and the light in the eyes is a foretaste of heaven.

--Rev. James Field, (c) Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.