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## Mass Intentions

WEEK of June 21, 2009

Sun	6/21	6:45	† Joseph Fernandes
		8:00	† Paul Azzopardi
		9:30	† Emanuel Borg
		11:00	† Victor Palad
		12:30	People of St. Veronica
Mon	6/22	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Margaret Brosnan
Tue	6/23	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Juanita Marckwordt
Wed	6/24	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Mike & Kevin Folan
Thu	6/25	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Digna Acedillo
Fri	6/26	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Michael Kerns
Sat	6/27	6:30	† Novena
		8:30	† Mary Isonio
		5:00	† Emilita Nazario

Rev. Charles Puthota, Ph.D., Pastor

Rev. Warlito Namon, Parochial Vicar

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

Vice Principal: Janet Burke

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: 4:00-5:00PM

### 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...

David Powelson

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

### Last Week's Church Support Breakdown

<u>Day</u>	<u>Mass Time</u>	<u>1st Collection</u>	<u>2nd Parish Maintenance</u>	<u>1st &amp; 2nd Total</u>
Saturday	5:00 PM	\$1,536.00	\$ 215.50	\$1,751.50
Sunday	6:45 AM	856.50	241.50	1098.00
	8:00 AM	730.50	110.00	840.50
	9:30 AM	1,462.00	253.00	1,715.00
	11:00 AM	1,216.00	184.00	1,400.00
	12:30 PM	1,158.00	237.00	1,395.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,959.00</b>	<b>\$1,241.00</b>	<b>\$8,200.00</b>

*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) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Updating Current Parish Registration

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Send Sunday Envelopes

City & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Moving / Please remove from mailing list.

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Please call me.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** next weekend, **June 27 & 28**, will be for “**Peter’s Pence**” — **the charitable works of our Holy Father, Pope Benedict.**

The “Peter’s Pence” Collection enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to our brothers and sisters in need throughout the world—those who suffer as a result of war, oppression, disease, and natural disasters. Thus, in solidarity with the Pope, we Catholics participate in works of goodness that distinguish us as followers of Christ.

*Let us make sure  
that none of God’s children ever feels alone.*

### **THANK YOU, THANK YOU!**

To everyone who donated to the St. Vincent de Paul collection, taken at Mass on the weekend of May 30th & 31st. We raised \$1,866.00, which will help people who need assistance in our parish community.

### **OPEN TO GOD'S WORD**

Today the Church begins a stretch of Ordinary Time that will last for five months. The liturgical vigor of the Easter Season and the feasts of the Holy Trinity and the Body and Blood of Christ settles down into this long stretch that opens before us. During Ordinary Time the life of Christ is broken open for us by one of the Gospel writers. This year we have been hearing the Gospel of Saint Mark. We begin this week by listening to his account of the Lord Jesus calming the stormy seas. Through this miracle Jesus tests the faith of his followers. As we settle into Ordinary Time let us be open to the power of the word of God to effect change within us. Let us pray that our faith will be strengthened as we grow more and more into faithful disciples.

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### **SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
Father's Day; Summer begins

Monday: St. Paulinus of Nola;  
St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More

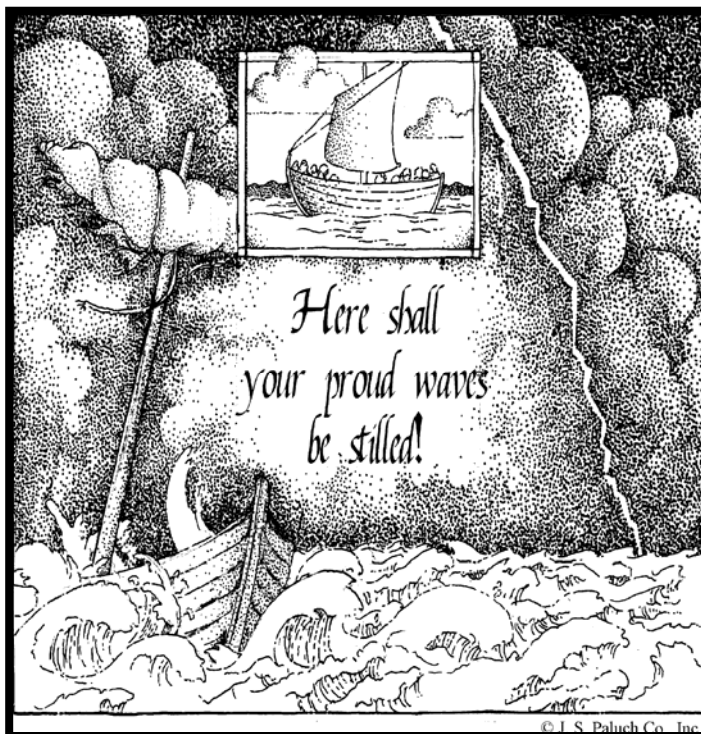
Wednesday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Saturday: St. Cyril of Alexandria;  
Blessed Virgin Mary

### **TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

In harbor towns throughout the world, seafarers will hear today's Gospel with profound awareness of the power of a storm at sea. In Gloucester, Massachusetts, a community of fishermen has gone down to the sea in ships for centuries, some never to return, as recounted in the book and film *The Perfect Storm*. In the late nineteenth century, a stranded fisherman in the North Atlantic broke an oar. Adrift, he begged Mary for help, and when he returned his story inspired the building of Our Lady of Good Voyage Church. Over the years, grateful sailors have surrounded the pews with models of their ships. Between the twin towers, a statue of Our Lady holds a vessel in her upraised hand as a symbol of a safe voyage. It is visible to homecoming sailors from the harbor's entrance. For centuries, sailors have looked to Mary as *Stella Maris*, "Star of the Sea." Indeed, that is possibly the most ancient title of Mary. In Aramaic, the language of Jesus, the words "Our Lady" sound similar to the word meaning "pilot" or "leader," someone who could lead one to safety. Certainly, a treasure of our tradition is how Mary points the way to her Son, the one who calmed the seas and accompanies us to safe harbor.

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



### **ON FATHERHOOD**

One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters.  
--George Herbert

### **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  
Vice Principal: Janet Burke

### **Religious Education: 871-5607**

Director:  
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

**Charismatic Prayer Group:** Norma Guerrero - 219-4556

**Charismatic Prayer Group (español):** Conchita Blanco - 228-3658

**Church Environment Committee:** Suzanne Nazario - 588-5209

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

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

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

**Family Praesidium:** Jay Naidu - 583-3625

**Finance Committee:** Ron Derenzi - 737-9484

**First Saturday Devotions to Sacred Heart - Immaculate Heart::**  
Ofie Albrecht - 871-4176

**Grief Ministry:** Nita Ricotta - 873-6049

**Homebound Ministry:** James Kelly - 465-5176

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

**Lectors Ministry:** Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

**Legion Of Mary:** Carmella Da San Martino - 697-7000

**Liturgy Committee:** Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

**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 & T.J. Rafael: 952-3657

**Wedding Coordinator:** Karen Guglielmoni - 415-587-8282

## A PRAYER FOR FATHERS

Dear Heavenly Father,  
I ask that you bless my father  
and fathers everywhere.

Grace them with wisdom,  
your strength, your forbearance,  
and your mercy.

Let their lives be a testimony  
to your justice, but most of all,  
to your constant love.

Grant that our nation,  
and all the world,  
come to revere the “manly virtues”  
of honesty, perseverance, and faith.

Welcome our fathers  
who have gone before us into  
eternal life. Give to them your  
favor, your understanding,  
and eternal happiness in  
your company, and that of  
your angels and saints.

Amen.



Every Wednesday -  
Parish Hall  
Doors open at 6:30 pm  
Bingo begins at 7:00 pm.