



The Lord gave them bread from heaven. (Psalm 78)

August 2, 2009

ST. VERONICA CHURCH

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St. Veronica Rectory: 588-1455 / Fax 588-1481

Office Hours: Monday to Friday
8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Administrative Assistant: Gail Andrews
Religious Education Office: 871-5607
Coordinator: Michele Evans
Music Director: Christopher Lindstrom
(209) 952-0209

St. Veronica School: 589-3909
Principal: Teri Pallitto
Vice Principal: Janet Burke

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-Friday: 6:30 & 8:30AM

Saturday & 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

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

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

Religious Education: 871-5607

Coordinator: Michele Evans

Catechetical instructions (1st to 8th grades)

Confirmation Classes: 588-1455

Mass Intentions

WEEK of August 2, 2009

Sun	8/2	6:45	† Larry Campbell
		8:00	† Paul & Lizia Azzopardi
		9:30	† Dorothy Cosentino
		11:00	† Manuel Cuejilo
		12:30	People of St. Veronica
Mon	8/3	6:30	Ivy Mecano
		8:30	† Nicolas Espeleta
Tue	8/4	6:30	† Eleanor Shaleski
		8:30	† Brenard "Benny" Crossan
Wed	8/5	6:30	† Monico Teodula Aquino
		8:30	† Margaret Brosnan
Thu	8/6	6:30	† Clementina & Sebastian Nieri
		8:30	† Paul & Bruce Navarret
Fri	8/7	6:30	† Leo Trinidad
		8:30	† Benjamin Elumba
Sat	8/8	8:30	† Mrs. Esmeralda Gomes
		5:00	† Rosa Gerodias

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

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) _____

Address _____

City & Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail: _____

Updating Current Parish Registration

Send Sunday Envelopes

Moving / Please remove from mailing list.

Please call me.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The people of Israel receive bread from heaven in response to their grumbling (Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15).

Psalm — The Lord gave them bread from heaven (Psalm 78).

Second Reading — Put on the new self that has been created in God's way (Ephesians 4:17, 20-24).

Gospel — I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger (John 6:24-35).

GOD'S WORK

We are so busy! Most of us have more than one job to do, and we never seem to have enough time. We are workers, volunteers, parents, friends, and most of us are more than one thing at a time. But which of these is the work of God?

We seldom view our ordinary work as being the work of God. We may think that we have to be ministers or priests, missionaries or charity workers, engaged full-time in works formally identified as being "God's work." But everything we do with a faithful heart and with love for others is God's work. We each have our own role to fill in the world, and many gifts are necessary. We cannot always see the direct connection of our daily work to the plan of God. But we trust and we believe that God leads us to do what is needed, where it is needed. What is "God's work?" "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent" (John 6:29).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
 Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
 Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Mt 15:21-28
 Thursday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10
 Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Mt 16:24-28
 Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Mt 17:14-20
 Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34; Eph 4:30 — 5:2; Jn 6:41-51



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For more information or to book contact 206 Tours :

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 800-206-8687

For a flyer contact Nita Ricotta at (650) 873-6049.

The Second Collection for next week, **August 8th & 9th** is for **St. Veronica Church Environment.**

Pray for those who have recently died
Carl Clifford Rath
 "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 Collection</u>	<u>1st&2nd Total</u>
Saturday	5:00 PM	1684.50	885.00	2569.50
Sunday	6:45 AM	694.00	390.00	1084.00
	8:00 AM	837.50	559.00	1396.50
	9:30 AM	1246.00	661.00	1907.00
	11:00 AM	1399.00	931.00	2330.00
	12:30 PM	881.00	474.00	1355.00
	Total	6,742.00	3,900.00 + 713.00	10,642.00

RCIA

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 classes start on October 4th at 9:30am and continue for eight months. Adult Catholics who want to know more about religion are also welcome.

Call Deacon Roger Beaudry at (650) 583-9120.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Servers: - 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

Development Coordinator:

Michele Evans - 871-5607

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 Friday Devotions to Sacred Heart -

First Saturday

Devotions to 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: Barbara Lozar— 873-6195

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

Liturgy Committee: Deacon Joe LeBlanc - 952-7594

Men's Club: Dave Collins— 615-0719

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 Letter of Thanks

Dear Father Charles,

Thank you for St. Veronica Church's gift of \$4,936.00 to Catholic Charities CYO for Loaves & Fishes Sunday. Please let your parishioners know that their generosity for the Second Collection is warmly appreciated.

Your parish's gift allows our agency to act as the social services arm of the Archdiocese. More than 40,000 people in the three county Archdiocese of San Francisco are assisted through our 30+ programs and services.

These are the vulnerable of all faiths: infants and small children, at-risk youth, the elderly and aging, the sick and disabled, working poor families, and newcomers to this country seeking a safe and stable home here.

St. Veronica Church's gift supports our continuing mission to serve our parishes and communities.

With gratitude for your continued support and good will,

Jeffrey V. Bialik
Executive Director

"Showdown at the SV Corral" The 2009 Parish Festival is Coming!!! September 25, 26, 27



Dinner:

Saturday September 26th
Reservations for **two** seats
coming in August.

Classic Car Show
Family Fun • Games
Rides • Entertainment
Prizes • Raffle

Please help make this the
best festival ever!
Support our booths
Cash donations appreciated
Other donations can be
brought to the school or
rectory.

Donations of \$10 = 1 service hour, for up to 4 hours

Contact Terrie@graciesgems@sbcglobal.net

A Secret

The secret of happiness is to count your blessings while others are adding up their troubles.

—Anonymous