

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 8, 2009

“She, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood.”

Mark 12:44



Elijah Receiving Bread from the Widow Of Zarephath, Giovanni Lanfranco, Rome 1621—1624

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Principal: Teri Pallitto
Vice Principal: Janet Burke

Mass Schedule

Saturdays 8:30AM & 5:00PM
Sundays: 6:45, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00AM,
and 12:30PM

Please note: only 8:30AM Mass on Holidays

Eve of Holy Days: 5:30PM
Holy Days: 6:30, 8:30AM, & 6:30PM
Monday—Friday: 6:30 & 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: 1:30 PM—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 in October and end on Pentecost.
Call the Parish Office to register 588-1455

Religious Education: 871-5607

Catechetical instructions (1st to 8th grades)

Confirmation Classes: 588-1455

Mass Intentions

WEEK of November 8, 2009

Sun	11/08	6:45 †	Eileen Dresser
		8:00 †	Fe Solano-Muñoz
		9:30 †	Fred Paat, Sr.
		11:00 †	Bert Abellana
		12:30	People of St. Veronica
Mon	11/09	6:30 †	All Souls In Purgatory
		8:30 †	Domenica Borg
Tue	11/10	6:30 †	All Souls In Purgatory
		8:30 †	John D. Ghiorso
Wed	11/11	6:30 †	All Souls In Purgatory
		8:30	Thanksgiving (Sacred Heart of Jesus)
Thu	11/12	6:30 †	All Souls In Purgatory
		8:30 †	Rosario Salcedo
Fri	11/13	6:30 †	All Souls In Purgatory
		8:30 †	Katherine Barrientos
Sat	11/14	8:30 †	Mary Isonio
		5:00 †	Larry Campbell &
			† Benny Chetcuti

Kindly remember in your prayers the sick, homebound and hospitalized members of our parish community.

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
___ Moving / Please remove from mailing list.
___ Please call me.

From the Pastor's Desk

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

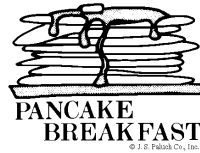
Dear Friends at St. Veronica Parish,

As you read this note, I'll be flying far away from you, heading toward the Holy Land. There are 15 pilgrims going from our parish and neighborhood, and others will join us from different parts of the nation, all meeting up in Tel Aviv.

I am filled with excitement at the prospect of visiting our Lord's land of birth, where he preached and healed, where he suffered, died, and rose from the dead. Walking the land Jesus walked, we seek to be filled with his spirit. I feel most blessed to be able to celebrate the Eucharist with the pilgrims at the holiest of shrines.

St. Veronica parish and school community will certainly remain on my mind and in my heart as I pray at the shrines of the Holy Land. Please do keep our pilgrimage in your special prayers.

Your friend and pastor,
Father Charles Puthota



PANCAKE
BREAKFAST
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The St. Veronica Youth Group is "pre-selling" tickets to their Pancake Breakfast, which will be on Sunday, November 15, 2009 from 8:00AM until after 12:30 Mass. Pre-sale tickets are \$4 for children 6—12 years of age, \$6 for adults and children 5 and under make a donation. Prices at the door are \$5 for children 6—12 years of age, \$7 for adults and children 5 and under make a donation. Please come and support our teens.

The Youth Group meets on Sunday evenings at 7:00 in the Parish Center or Falcon Hall. All High School age youth are invited to attend. Any questions or suggestions, please contact Patrick Lucy at 650-255-2352.



CFCA

Next weekend, please welcome Rev. James O'Toole who will be with us to celebrate Masses and tell us about the work of the Christian Foundation for Children and Aging.

CFCA is a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 24 developing countries. To learn more, call 800-875-6564 or visit CFCA online at www.cfcausa.org.



Congratulations and Blessings

To

Andy Murney & Carol Campbell
Who were married in Christ on
Saturday, October 31, 2009

Both widows in today's readings gave all they had to the work of the Lord, one using all her remaining food to feed Elijah and the other offering her two copper coins to the temple treasury. Faithful stewards give all that is asked and trust the Lord to be faithful to His promises.

YOUR STEWARDSHIP COUNTS!

Thank You for supporting the Music Ministry through the second collection.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Mass Time</u>	<u>1st. Collection</u>	<u>2nd Collection</u>	<u>Totals:</u>
Saturday 10/31	5:00PM	1,429.50	178.00	1,607.50
Sunday 11/01	6:45AM	1,285.00	179.00	1,464.00
	8:00AM	1,600.00	352.00	1,952.00
	9:30AM	2,200.00	293.00	2,493.00
	11:00AM	1,204.00	200.00	1,404.00
	12:30PM	1,147.00	272.00	1,419.00
TOTALS:		8,865.50	1,474.00	10,339.50

OCTOBER CENSUS RESULTS

Week 1—October 3 & 4, 2009

Mass	Men	Women	Children	Total
5:00 p.m.	73	179	17	269
6:45 a.m.	65	61	4	130
8:00 a.m.	57	90	11	158
9:30 a.m.	100	222	95	417
11:00 a.m.	117	196	36	349
12:30 p.m.	99	156	50	305
TOTALS	511	904	213	1628

Week 2—October 10 & 11, 2009

Mass	Men	Women	Children	Total
5:00 p.m.	91	124	27	242
6:45 a.m.	64	64	2	130
8:00 a.m.	66	95	18	179
9:30 a.m.	105	186	72	363
11:00 a.m.	80	180	35	295
12:30 p.m.	91	140	76	307
TOTALS	497	789	230	1516

Week 3—October 17 & 18, 2009

Mass	Men	Women	Children	Total
5:00 p.m.	97	162	30	289
6:45 a.m.	64	60	6	130
8:00 a.m.	46	86	7	139
9:30 a.m.	121	189	98	408
11:00 a.m.	80	162	25	267
12:30 p.m.	68	143	44	255
TOTALS	476	802	210	1488

Week 4—October 24 & 25, 2009

Mass	Men	Women	Children	Total
5:00 p.m.	71	146	21	238
6:45 a.m.	68	64	0	132
8:00 a.m.	66	87	8	161
9:30 a.m.	86	175	59	320
11:00 a.m.	72	183	30	285
12:30 p.m.	84	126	45	255
TOTALS	447	781	163	1391



Mark Your Calendars!

You are all cordially invited to
St. Veronica's
2009 Simbang Gabi
Advent Masses
"Christ our Hope"
***"Gathered Together to Prepare for
the Lord's Coming as a Family"***

December 15 to 23, 2009

*All Masses at 6:30 p.m. except Dec 15 and 19**

Dec 15*	6:30 a.m.	"Repent"
Dec 16	6:30 p.m.	"Passing on the Faith"
Dec 17	6:30 p.m.	"Be Not Afraid, God is With You"
Dec 18	6:30 p.m.	"Have Faith, God Hears Our Prayers"
Dec 19 *	5:00 p.m.	"Mary, Model of Faith Because She Believed"
Dec 20	6:30 p.m.	"Mary, Model of Faith, Because She Practiced It"
Dec 21	6:30 p.m.	"God is All We Need"
Dec 22	6:30 p.m.	"All Things Are Possible With God"
Dec 23**	6:30 p.m.	"Christ is Our Hope"

**Festive & Hearty Reception to follow the Mass.

Priests from the Archdiocese of San Francisco and different choirs have been invited to celebrate our Advent Masses.

For more information, please contact Ando Perlas at 650-892-5728 or Norma Guerrero at 650-219-4556

**Care to Volunteer or Make a Donation
For our Festive Celebration?**

**Be sure to pick up a sign up sheet from the poster
in the vestibule.**