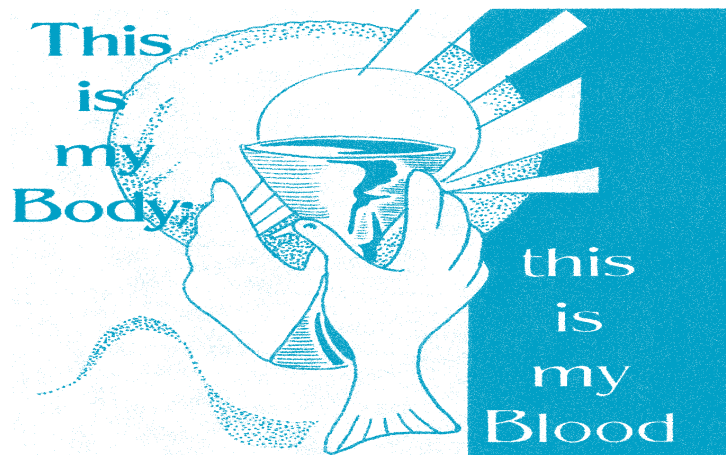


St. Callistus Church

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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST JUNE 6, 2010

“[A]s often as you eat this bread and drink
the cup,
you proclaim the death of the Lord until
he comes.”

-1 Corinthians 11:26

Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass.....8:30 A.M.
Saturday Vigil 5:15 P.M.
Sunday Masses 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M., 12:00 Noon
Weekday Mass8:30 A.M. Daily
*After each Weekday Mass the Rosary is recited and the Chaplet
of The Divine Mercy, is prayed.*
Holy Day Masses 8:30 A.M. & 7:30 P.M.

Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 P.M. (Other times by appointment with
Priest)

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Jimmy Thottapally

Pastoral Administrator(510) 223-1153

Rev. Nick Reina, SDBPastoral Support

Sister Angela Burke, SHJM

Pastoral Associate & RCIA Coordinator(510) 222-0432

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Estrell Bautista, Office Secretary

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Parish Ministries

Children's Faith Formation (CCD/RCIC)

Pat Morgan, Director (510) 222-2538

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RCIA

Sr. Angela, SHJM..... 222-0432

Pastoral Council

Diana Silva, Facilitator..... 708-5753

Youth Ministry & Confirmation Program

Liz Remigio, Director..... 223-1240

The Guild

Larry Marion, President..... 223-5706

Baptism of Infants (510) 223-1153

Make arrangements with priest at least six (6) weeks in
advance. Parents must be registered parishioners of
St. Callistus for at least 6 months.

Weddings (510) 223-1153

Make arrangements with priest at least six (6) months in
advance.

Other Ministries/Services:

Senior Center (510) 548-2617

Marge Essel, Coordinator

Mondays only, 8:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M.

Knights of Columbus

Rey Tianero, Grand Knight758-4127

St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Jo Ann Evans, President243-7501

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery234-2012



THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

JUNE 11

REFLECTION

Today is the feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. It is necessary that today we reflect a little more on this marvelous gift of Jesus to us: the Eucharist.

The Gospel tells us of the apostles coming and reminding the Lord that they were in a deserted place and the people needed to go and get food. But Jesus knows that if He were to send them away they could be in big trouble due to hunger and exhaustion, and so He Himself takes care of their need by giving them food.

We are on our heavenward journey. We too are on a 'deserted place', this earthly life. Nothing available here can give us the strength and the power we need. So Jesus takes care of our need too. He gives His own body and blood, Himself, as our nourishment. He alone can provide us with what is required for our journey. The Eucharist is the food for our journey home. The Lord Himself tells us: "Whoever eats this bread will not die but will have eternal life".

The Eucharist is the most marvelous sign of the love of Jesus for us. In John's Gospel He says to us: "As the Father has loved me so I have loved you"! Love seeks closeness and intimate union. Because of His amazing love Jesus wants to be with us always, and so stays with us through the Eucharist.

This incredible love of our Master should evoke in us a deep sense of gratitude. The word Eucharist itself means thanksgiving. Let us always be grateful to the Lord for this priceless gift.

Another very important note: If you happen to be seriously ill, please make sure that you receive the Eucharist. If a loved one of ours is in that situation, it is our responsibility to ensure that she/he receives the Lord while still alert; please do not wait till the last minute to call for a priest. The Eucharist is our food for the journey, our viaticum. The Lord will lead us home.

GLORY AND PRAISE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST, IN THE MOST HOLY SACRAMENT OF YOUR BODY AND BLOOD.
Fr. Jimmy.



THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

JUNE 12

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Melchizedek, the king of Salem and a priest of God Most High, brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

Psalm -- You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

Second Reading -- Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

Gospel -- Jesus speaks to the crowd about the kingdom of God and then feeds them with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

ON STEWARDSHIP

"In today's Gospel, the disciples suggest that Jesus disperse the crowd so that they might individually seek food and lodging. The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus' powerful reminder that when we share our gifts in His name there is always more than enough!"

VISITING THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY

If you know of any sick or elderly who would like to receive Holy communion on a regular basis, please contact



Please Pray for the Sick and/or Homebound....in our parish family, may they experience love and support of others, especially.....Fr. Larry Byrne

Louie Silva	Gilbert Estrada, Sr.	Frances Arnold
Helen Padilla	Larry Lazzarretti	Theresa Dang
David Gutierrez	Rosa Carvalho	Allen Throolin
Hermie Asuncion	Erika Montoya	Steve Gonzales
Joe Martinez	Gloria Villaroman	Anselma Rivera
Ruth P. Caluya	Cordie Montoya	Nella Parker
Ruby Awill	Reynerio Rivera	Georgann Chiozza
Audrey Ricardo	Jennifer Boatright	Alice Gonzales
Juanita Estrella		

Let us pray also for our parishioners in hospitals and nursing homes. Names on this list will be deleted after 3 months, unless the office staff is notified. Please inform the bulletin editor if a name needs to be added.

Father's Day



.....is coming up soon. The **FATHER'S DAY NOVENA MASS CARDS** are out on the tables in the back of the Church. It is very important that we pray for our parents and offer masses for them. Please pick up your card, fill it out and, together with your offering put it in the basket in front of the altar. The Father's Day Novena starts on June 20th.

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION IS ON!

Faith Formation is an important part of raising our children as Catholic Christians. Register your Kindergarten thru 8th grade child **now** for the 2010-2011 Faith Formation Year. Classes meet on Saturday mornings beginning in September.

Why register early? There are many reasons. Here are two to get you started: (1) You won't have to worry about missing the late summer rush; (2) Every family whose paid registration is received **by June 15th will receive a \$10 discount** on the first child registered!

Act now...Make sure your child is registered. (Forms are on the back tables in church.) Any Questions? Call Pat Morgan 510-510-222-2538.

VACATION BIBLE CAMP

"Egypt, Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace"

St. John the Baptist Church (El Cerrito) Vacation Bible Camp. It's **June 21-25th** at St. John's School. Morning programs (9-12:30) for Pre-K and Kindergarten; 1st to 6th, full or 1/2 day options. Need more info? call Pam Vincent @ 510-233-6486.

YEAR FOR PRIESTS HOLY HOUR

The Diocese has asked that a Diocesan-wide Holy Hour dedicated to all the priests be held on **Friday, June 11th**. At St. Callistus, we shall have the Holy Hour **immediately after the 8:30 A.M. Mass that day**. Please come and join in this prayer. The Year For Priests ends this month.

YEAR FOR PRIESTS—PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please offer your prayers for the following priests on the dates indicated below. May our collective prayers help our priests remain faithful to the Gospel and in facing the challenges of their ministry:

- June 5—For St. John Vianney, patron of all priests
- June 6—For the newly ordained priests throughout the world
- June 7—For Fr. Steve Antes
- June 8—For Fr. Dana Michaels
- June 9—For Fr. James Kimani Kairu
- June 10—For all retired priests
- June 11—For Fr. Jimmy
- June 12—For Frs. Paul Schmidt, Mark Amaral, Kenneth Nobrega

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If there are any sick or elderly in their homes, hospital or nursing facility who would like to receive Holy Communion on a regular basis, please call Sr. Angela 510-222-0432.



Sunday Collection	5/30	\$4,040.80
St. Vincent de Paul	5/30	\$1,590.25

Second Collection for **Sunday June 13th**
Catholic Communications/Social Concerns

Thank you to all who have contributed so generously to the weekly offerings
Will you please remember St. Callistus in your will?

~ SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 6, 2010 ~

MON.	7:00 P.M.	Confirmation Meeting - Last Day
WED.	9:00 A.M.	Holy Hour/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	7:00 P.M.	All Seasons Choir Practice
THUR.	9:00 A.M.	Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
	6:30 P.M.	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting
	7:00 P.M.	Knights of Columbus Meeting
FRI.	7:00 P.M.	Youth Choir Practice
	8:00 P.M.	Fil-Am Choir Practice

MASS INTENTIONS — WEEK OF JUNE 6TH - JUNE 12TH

SAT	5:15 P.M.	People of the Parish of St. Callistus Church
SUN	8:00 A.M.	Fr. Jimmy Thottapally & all Priests all over the world
		by Butch & Estrell
	10:00 A.M.	Lucia & Juan Perez ☩☩
		by Graciela Perez
	12:00 Noon	Leo Ocegueda, Jr. ☩
		by The Ocegueda Family
MON	8:30 A.M.	Roberto Maganito ☩
		by Zeny Cruz
TUE	8:30 A.M.	Gregoria Dy ☩
		by Mary Tano
WED	8:30 A.M.	Romie Abella ☩
		by Sonia Abella
THU	8:30 A.M.	Beatriz Padayao ☩
		by Nelly F. Pichay
FRI	8:30 A.M.	Fr. Jimmy Thottapally (L-Bday) and Rene Jesus Carranza (L-Bday)
		by Tony & Geny Fabella
SAT	8:30 A.M.	Joseph Hung Nguyen ☩
		by Huong Nguyen

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

Members of the Jerry J. Junk Council #10244 will meet on **Thursday, June 10 at 7:00 P.M.**, St. Callistus parish hall St. Jerome Room.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING

The St. Vincent de Paul Society members will meet on **Thursday at 6:30 P.M.** in the parish hall.

Welcome! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether longtime residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you! We invite you to fill out the contact information below and place in the collection basket, or mail to the rectory, if you are interested in registering in our parish. An official registration form will be mailed to you.

Name _____
Address _____

Phone _____
City _____ Zip _____

New to the Parish New Address New phone number Moving-remove from list Send Sunday Envelopes