

St. Callistus Church

3580 San Pablo Dam Road
El Sobrante, CA 94803



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TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JUNE 20, 2010

**“There is neither Jew nor Greek,
there is neither slave nor free person,
there is not male and female;
for you are all one in Christ Jesus.”**

—Galatians 3:28

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

Parish Staff

Geny S. Fabella, Office Manager / Bookkeeper

Estrell Bautista, Office Secretary

Gilbert Estrada, Administrative Assistant

Office Hours: 8:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Monday - Friday

(12:00 Noon to 12:30 P.M. closed for lunch)

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Parish Ministries

Children's Faith Formation (CCD/RCIC)

Pat Morgan, Director (510) 222-2538

E-mail: pmorgan.stcallistus@gmail.com

Confirmation Program Director: Pat Morgan

RCIA : Sr. Angela, SHJM 222-0432

Pastoral Council

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

Youth Ministry CoordinatorOpen

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 3 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



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Zechariah foretells the Messiah (Zechariah 12:10-11; 13:1).

Psalm -- My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).

Second Reading -- There are no distinctions or divisions; we all belong to Christ (Galatians 3:26-29).

Gospel -- Peter proclaims Jesus as the Christ; Jesus speaks of His great suffering to come (Luke 9:18-24).

FATHER'S DAY

"Any man can be a father; but it takes a special person to be a dad".

The above is a quote I chanced upon while preparing to write these few lines. But how meaningful they are! Today we celebrate Father's Day. Many of us are fathers (including me, in a spiritual sense!). So it is very appropriate that we reflect upon this a little more.

Any man who begets a child is a father. But to be a dad in the true sense one needs much more. A dad worth the name is one who loves and cares deeply for the child, one who selflessly spends himself for the child, one who shows tenderness to the child yet knows when to be firm, one who spends quality time with the child, one who is an authentic role model for the child, one who teaches values to the child with his own example, one who always keeps in mind that the child is a gift of God to him and that one day he will be accountable to God about what he did with that gift,

All of us fathers, let us cherish God's wonderful gift to us, our children, and let us try to be the best dads possible.

Fr. Jimmy.



.....to all the fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and those in a fatherly role.

UPDATE—CHURCH REFURBISHING PROJECT

We are very glad to give you the good news that the contract to get this work done has been signed. We thank the good Lord for helping us get this done. Your very generous and whole-hearted cooperation enabled us to get this far. Thank you very much.

Out of all the bids we got, we chose Jonas and Associates Inc. (based in Martinez) as our general contractor. The diocese accepted it and signed the contract. Jonas will now need a few days to get ready to start the work.

This will be the last weekend that we have Mass here in the Church. Next week and onwards, the Mass will be in the parish hall until the completion of the work which will be around the end of August.

Please pray that everything goes well.

Those of you who are yet to contribute to this project, please do your fair share. We are a family, it is our common task. We need to do it together.

Fr. Jimmy and the Building Committee.



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 Lazzeretti	Theresa Dang
David Gutierrez	Allen Throolin	Alice Gonzales
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	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.

K-8TH FAITH FORMATION FOR 2010-2011!

Is your child entering Kindergarten through 8th grades in the fall? He or she should be registered in Faith Formation (FF) in order to grow in the Faith and in their relationship with Christ. We wouldn't consider ending our children's reading or math education at 2nd or 3rd grade, and their relationship with Christ is even more important!

Find the FF registration form on the back tables in the church and send in as soon as possible so we can be prepared for your child's **first day on Sept. 18th**.

Questions? Call Pat Morgan @ 222-2538. [Also, Pat will be at all Masses on June 26th & 27th !].

NEW CONFIRMATION DIRECTOR

I am glad to inform you that **Pat Morgan**, our Faith Formation Director, has also accepted the position of Youth Confirmation Director. Thank you Pat, for taking on this position.

Fr. Jimmy.

IS YOUR TEEN READY FOR CONFIRMATION?

St. Callistus parishioners 9th grade and above (in Fall 2010) are eligible for our Confirmation program. Preparation for Confirmation is either a one or two year process depending on the teen's previous years in Faith Formation. For more information check out the Confirmation flyer on the back tables in church or call Pat Morgan @ 222-2538.

The **SERRA CLUB OF WEST CONTRA COSTA** cordially invites all parishioners to its monthly membership dinner meeting at Denny's Restaurant in San Pablo on **Monday, June 28**. The meeting starts at **6:00 P.M.** Newly elected club officers will be installed.

Fr. Dante Tamayo, Pastor at St. Jerome's parish in El Cerrito will be the guest speaker. Call Secretary Raoul Martinez 223-2754 for reservations and/or directions.


PLEASE PARK ONLY IN DESIGNATED PARKING SPACES.

Lately, during weekend Masses, there are cars parked in front and side of the Church. For safety and emergency reasons, **please do not park in these areas**. Additionally, there is absolutely **NO PARKING ANYTIME** in front of the parish office or in front of the Rectory parking garage.

Cars parked illegally will be towed at owners' expense.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY— AT ST. CALLISTUS JUNE 26 AND 27.

Donation bags available this weekend. Questions? - call SVDP 925-439-5060.



Sunday Collection	6/13	\$3,816.10
Cath. Comm./Social Conc.	6/13	\$1,236.90

Second Collection for **Sunday June 27th**
Catholic Voice

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 20, 2010 ~

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

FRI. 7:00 P.M. Youth Choir Practice
8:00 P.M. Fil-Am Choir Practice

SAT 6:00 P.M. St. Vincent de Paul Parking Lot Sale
(After the 5:15 P.M. Mass)

MASS INTENTIONS — WEEK OF JUNE 20TH - JUNE 26TH

SAT 5:15 P.M. Ernesto Tengco ☩
by Romy & Rachel Mariano

SUN 8:00 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)
10:00 A.M. People of the Parish of St. Callistus Church
and Dolly Pirkey ☩
by Joyce Cid & Family
12:00 Noon Tony Fabella (Living—Birthday)
by The Fabella Family

MON 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

TUE 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

WED 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

THU 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

FRI 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)

SAT 8:30 A.M. Father's Day Novena (Living & ☩)



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Mrs. Rosa Carvalho** who passed away recently. She was a long time parishioner of St. Callistus. Please pray also for her husband and family during this time of grief.



...begins Monday June 21st.

VISITING THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY
If there are any sick or elderly who would like to receive Holy Communion, please call the parish office 223-1153.

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