

Fifth Sunday of Lent April 3, 2022

Isaiah 43:16-21
Psalm 126:1-6
Philippians 3:8-14
John 8:1-11

*“The Lord has done great
things for us;
we are filled with joy.”*



March's Award for Integrity



Stations of the Cross

**Please pray for the recovery of the sick
listed in our Book of Intentions
and the following:**

Robert Krupp, Laura Carnes Dietrich, Lisa Santini,
Liz Thurin, Rosie & Don Klatt, Ernesto Catubig,
Devin Long, Don Sterkel, Aurora Basilio, Leonor Cruel,
Daniel Foley, Mark Nees, Lilian Fajardo, Margaret Lobo,
Gregory Quillin, Eric Gramlow, Marsha Morse,
Albert Tan Co, Russell Ho, Ron Pearman,
Merlynne Lucero, Patricia Weber, Bernice Cure,
Margaret Haddad, Tom Gavin, Donna W., Gladys Haddad,
Julia Haddad, Pete & Dorothy Szabo

**Please remember the following recently deceased
(and their families) in your prayers:**

Stanley Gabel, Hidelize Faraon, Nicholas Vella, Luis
Mendez, Dolores P. Cigarroa, Teresita "Tess" Gacad,
Martin Pitayo-Garcia, Dorothy Hermes, Hidelize Faraon,
Jolyn Curtola, Michael Diepenbrock, Fe Villanueva,
Perseveranda, Manuel Neri, Hildegard Melander
~names will be listed approximately 3 months as space allows



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Salvation of Souls**

Mass Intentions

Sun	04/03	7:00 a.m.	(R) Jim Lavezzo
		9:00 a.m.	(T) Our Recently Confirmed Teens at St. Dominic's
		11:00 a.m.	(R) Michael Diepenbrock
		1:00 p.m.	(R) Rosalinda D. Hughes
Mon	04/04	6:45 a.m.	(R) Rhodora Ricardo
		8:15 a.m.	(R) Tess Gacad
Tues	04/05	6:45 a.m.	(R) Fermina Brigino
		8:15 a.m.	(R) Larry Watson
Wed	04/06	6:45 a.m.	(R) Hidelize Faraon
		8:15 a.m.	(B) Marta Soria
Thurs	04/07	6:45 a.m.	(R) Irene G. Teding
		8:15 a.m.	(R) Siu Ming Lau
Fri	04/08	6:45 a.m.	(H) Baby Barnard
		8:15 a.m.	(H) Sheila Li Pera
Sat	04/09	8:15 a.m.	(R) Celedonio Hernandez
		5:00 p.m.	(T) Maria Elizalde Jimenez
Sun	04/10	7:00 a.m.	(R) Iluminada M. Panganiban
		9:00 a.m.	(R) Penny Basso
		11:00 a.m.	(R) Fran & Mila Grepo
		1:00 p.m.	(T) People of the Parish

Legend: (R) Rest in Peace (H) Health
(A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (T) Thanksgiving

Mass & Flower Intentions

**ONE Mass Intention per family, please visit the office.
April 1 Mass intentions open for May.**



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Pastor's Corner

A life-changing experience

The good Lord certainly does work in mysterious ways! About a year and a half ago, I was contacted by Ed Hopfner, who works for the Archdiocese of San Francisco's Family Life office, asking if I was interested in being part of the team to bring out a new ministry called "Life-Giving Wounds," (L.G.W.), to serve adult children of divorced and separated parents. I've known Ed for many years and worked with him on a couple of projects when I was at St. Raymond's in Menlo Park. Since my parents separated when I was about seven years old and divorced a year later, I said, "Sure." Although it didn't work out for me being on the planning team, I decided to attend the retreat as a participant.

My parents' divorce isn't something I have given much thought to over the years; it was just a fact of my and their lives. If my father had lived another year, they would have been divorced as long as they had been married: over two decades. When people would occasionally ask what it was like to have divorced parents, I usually said something along the lines of, "It's just how it was; I don't have anything else to compare it to." (Much the same answer I give when people ask what it was/is like being an only child.) It occurred to me shortly after the retreat that when my dad was the age I am now, his disastrous, short-lived second marriage had also ended in divorce.

Only now, solidly in the second half of my life, has it begun to dawn on me how much of a long, dark shadow those events have cast. The L.G.W. retreat afforded me an opportunity that I never knew I so fiercely desired and needed: to be with people who, while having different experiences in the particulars of separation and divorce, felt just as alone and pained as I did. I also know it was a beginning of a new chapter in my life, where those wounds will no longer live in the dark.

A key Scripture for the L.G.W. ministry is "By His wounds, you have been healed." (1 Peter 2:24) It is particularly poignant to reflect on that reality during Lent, especially as we draw near to Holy Week, when we very intentionally draw near to Jesus during His Passion. A key component of Christian spirituality is to unite our wounds and sufferings (regardless of their origin) with those of Jesus. We don't deny or repress what has hurt us, but acknowledge it and surrender it to the One who can heal us. Jesus retained the marks of the Passion in His Resurrected body to show that while our wounds are a unique part of us, they can be not only healed, but can be a vehicle of grace and transformation in the lives of others. (Think of Jesus' encounter with Thomas.) This is the grace that awaits us in joining ourselves to the Crucified and Risen One!

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Stations of the Cross Fridays of Lent

In-person and live-streaming at 6:30 p.m.

Schedule of Ministry Hosts



April 1

Guadalupeana Association

April 8

St. Vincent de Paul



Please join us in the church for prayerful meditation of the Stations of the Cross lead by various groups during Lent on Friday evenings. These Fridays will be live-streamed as well for those unable to join us in-person.



Fridays

March 11 - Apr 29, 2022 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
(Excluding Good Friday, Apr 15th)

Register anytime with an email to Deacon Errol ekissiner@stdombenicia.org

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EARLY MORNING
HOLY HOUR FOR MEN

5am-6am Holy Hour
in the Church
on Thursdays

Come join men in their
20's-30's and Dads with
children 11 and younger.



EASTER LILLIES

Easter flower offering envelopes available in the back of the church. You may make donations in memory of a loved one and we will place them out for the Easter season.



Congratulations to all of our newly Confirmed teens.

May God always be in your life so that you have someone to lean on as you grow, learn, and become who you're meant to be.

**5-Part Lenten Bible Study:
The Gospel of Matthew**

**Thursdays in Lent
March 10, 17, 24, 31,
April 7**

**2 Sessions: 9:30am-10:30am
or 7pm-8pm**



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March 2-April 10

**Training in Sidewalk Counseling
Sunday, April 3, 2022, 5:30-7:30 p.m.**

Heather Suarez at St. Vincent Memorial Building
(481 Florida St.) Heather has saved over 150 babies
in the womb with her methods.

Parish Office

Current Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. – In Church

Sunday: 7:00 a.m. – In Church & Live-streamed*

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. – In Church

1:00 p.m. (Spanish/English) – In Church

First Sunday of month Vietnamese Mass – 3:00 p.m.

Daily Mass

Monday – Friday: 6:45 a.m.

Monday – Saturday: 8:15 a.m.

In Church & Live-streamed*

www.watchstdom.com

**Due to the weather we will be temporarily
moving the 9:00 a.m. Mass
inside the church.**

Volunteer

The chaplaincy office at Kaiser Hospital in Vallejo is looking for volunteers to better serve the Catholic patients in its care. The typical visit will be at the bedside and may include prayer and Eucharistic communion. Training will be provided in order to serve in the hospital setting as an extraordinary minister of the Eucharist. If you are interested in serving, or you have any questions about this ministry, please contact Sara or Mike Monahan at 925-876-3190 (Sara) or 707-771-1384 (Mike).

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Their contributions each week underwrite our Parish Bulletin. Thank you!**

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SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FOR FEBRUARY	Apr 10: Building Improvement Apr 14: Holy Thursday/ SVdP Apr 15: Holy Land/Good Friday	Apr 17: SDS Tuition Assistance Apr 24: Catholic Home Missions Apr 24: Faith Formation

Parish Office Hours Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.



Holy Week & Easter



Holy Thursday

April 14, 2022

Tenebrae 8:15 a.m.*

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 p.m.*

Reposition to follow in the Parish Hall

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

The Farewell Discourses

of Jesus Christ at 11:30 p.m.

Good Friday

April 15, 2022

Tenebrae 8:15 a.m.*

Seven Last Words of Christ 12:00 p.m.*

Veneration of the Cross & Communion 2:00 p.m.*

Veneration of the Cross & Communion 4:00 p.m.

(Spanish/English)

Veneration of the Cross & Communion 7:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil

April 16, 2022

Tenebrae 8:15 a.m.*

Service of Light (Courtyard) 9:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil Mass In the Church

*Live-streamed Events

Easter Sunday Mass Times

April 17, 2022

6:15 a.m. Sunrise Mass

St. Dominic's Cemetery

(In the event of heavy rain, Mass will be held in the parish hall at 7:00 a.m.)

7:00*, 9:00, & 11:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. Outside - Small Lot

1:00 p.m. (English/Spanish)

We are excited to welcome all of the faithful to celebrate Easter inside the church! There will also be one outside Mass offered at 11:00 a.m. This year we would especially, like to thank you all for your grace, kindness, and flexibility shown over the past two years.

Wishing all of you a very blessed and holy Easter Season.

~St. Dominic's Clergy & Staff

April 3, 2022 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

Isaiah 43:16-21

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah:

Thus says the LORD, who opens a way in the sea and a path in the mighty waters, who leads out chariots and horsemen, a powerful army, till they lie prostrate together, never to rise, snuffed out and quenched like a wick. Remember not the events of the past, the things of long ago consider not; see, I am doing something new! Now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? In the desert I make a way, in the wasteland, rivers. Wild beasts honor me, jackals and ostriches, for I put water in the desert and rivers in the wasteland for my chosen people to drink, the people whom I formed for myself, that they might announce my praise.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Psalm 126:1-6

The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

When the Lord brought back the captives of Zion, we were like men dreaming. Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with rejoicing.

Then they said among the nations, "The Lord has done great things for them." The Lord has done great things for us; we are glad indeed.

Restore our fortunes, O Lord, like the torrents in the southern desert. Those that sow in tears shall reap rejoicing.

Although they go for weeping, carrying the seed to be sown, they shall come back rejoicing, carrying their sheaves.

Philippians 3:8-14

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Philippians:

Brothers and sisters: I consider everything as a loss because of the supreme good of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have accepted the loss of all things and I consider them so much rubbish, that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having any righteousness of my own based on the law but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God, depending on faith to know him and the power of his resurrection and the

sharing of his sufferings by being conformed to his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. It is not that I have already taken hold of it or have already attained perfect maturity, but I continue my pursuit in hope that I may possess it, since I have indeed been taken possession of by Christ Jesus. Brothers and sisters, I for my part do not consider myself to have taken possession. Just one thing: forgetting what lies behind but straining forward to what lies ahead, I continue my pursuit toward the goal, the prize of God's upward calling, in Christ Jesus. The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

John 8:1-11

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John:

Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. But early in the morning he arrived again in the temple area, and all the people started coming to him, and he sat down and taught them. Then the scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery and made her stand in the middle. They said to him, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the very act of committing adultery. Now in the law, Moses commanded us to stone such women. So what do you say?" They said this to test him, so that they could have some charge to bring against him. Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with his finger. But when they continued asking him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." Again he bent down and wrote on the ground. And in response, they went away one by one, beginning with the elders. So he was left alone with the woman before him. Then Jesus straightened up and said to her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" She replied, "No one, sir." Then Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all

things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer for the Sick during the Pandemic

O God, our refuge in trials, our strength in sickness, our comfort in sorrow, spare your people, we pray, and hear our prayers for all who are sick: Grant them, we implore you, your merciful help, so that, with their health restored, they may give you thanks in the midst of the Church.

Your Only-Begotten Son took on our human nature and bore our infirmities; protect and strengthen also we pray, nurses, doctors, first responders, and all others on the front line of this pandemic, who put themselves in harm's way to serve the needs of others.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

Our Lady of Guadalupe	Pray for us!
St. Joseph	Pray for us!
St. Patrick	Pray for us!
Holy Father St. Dominic	Pray for us!