All Saints Day

Thursday, November 1 is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation

Mass Times:
7:00 am | 8:15 am
11:00 am | 7:30 pm

Friday, November 2 is All Souls Day
Our special All Souls Day Mass of Remembrance will be Friday at 7:30 pm

Mass Schedule

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Our Vision:
Be a flourishing community of intentional disciples shining as beacons of Christ.

Reconciliation
Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Thursday before 1st Friday: 3:30 p.m.
Weekdays: Call for an appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration
Perpetual Adoration is ongoing in our Governo House Adoration Chapel. Temporarily closed 9 pm–6 am.

Anointing of the Sick
1st Saturday at 11:00 a.m. All seniors and those seriously ill or anticipating surgery are invited to attend.
Next Mass November 3.

Sacraments
For Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Adult Sacraments, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick or Funeral call the office at 510-797-1660 or check out holyspiritfremont.org.

Interested in Catholicism?
Learn about Jesus, the Catholic faith, or become Catholic: (510) 456-4975.

Sunday, October 28 | Thirtieth Sunday; Priesthood Sunday; National World Youth Day (U.S.)
Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52
5:00 pm (Saturday Vigil)
For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
7:15 am Manjarrez Family †, Saenz Family †, Luis Manuel Rosas †
9:00 am Grace Gonzales †, Ememorita "Emma" Gonzales †, Eclipse Family
10:45 am Sebastian & Concetta Manzitto †, Corazon Almeda †, Anjelo Tulio
12:30 pm Rolando Rosales †, Lourdes Cangayda, Lope Magcagle
5:00 pm Tessie Seli †, Christine Vu †, Ben Calso †

Monday, October 29 | Monday of the Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
Eph 4:32 -- 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17
7:00 am Jessica Saenz Herpick, Cathy Platon
8:15 am Christine Vu †, Rita Marie Alvarez †

Tuesday, October 30 | Tuesday of the Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time
Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21
7:00 am Wilfredo Faustino †, Rita Kane Hylle †
8:15 am Victor Jose Da Silva

Wednesday, October 31 | Wednesday of the Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time; Halloween
Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14; Lk 13:22-30
7:00 am The Abia & Sanderson Families †, Lolita Punzalan †
8:15 am Lucila Concepcion †, Alberto Espiritu †
6:30 pm Roger Verducci †, Celine Domingo

Thursday, November 1 | Solemnity of All Saints
Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
7:00 am Rodolfo Mariano †, Alejandro Javier †
8:15 am Dante, Lillian, Ricardo & Joyce †, Bob & Juli Leal †
7:30 pm Jesus M. Estavillo †, Eriberto dela Cruz †

Friday, November 2 | The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls); First Friday
Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40
7:00 am Jim Sanderson †, Anne Murray †
8:15 am The Miller & Orias Family †, Lucila Montesa & William Garcia †
7:30 pm Jim Breedlove, Acoba/Brano Families †

Saturday, November 3 | St. Martin de Porres; Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday
Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11
7:00 am Leoncia Magpoc †, Carlos A. Narciso Sr. †
8:15 am Marra & Tallerico Families †, Mike Mannix †
11:00 am Cezar Buan †, Tran- Nguyen Family †

Pray for our Sick
Jun Constantino, Lilian Legier, Lydia Hauser, Marilu Radcliff, Dr. Richard Yee, Angie Cimino, Jeff O. Irene Drobick, and Rita Rodrigues

Pray for Our Recently Departed
Antonia Amaral, Norma Soliz, and Richard Morris

Birthday Blessings
Ofe Flores

Anniversary Blessings
Domingo and Linda Agbuya—53 Years

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.
Many thanks are in order...

You’re Terrific!
Thank you Holy Spirit Parishioners for supporting our Prison Ministry Bake Sale. You have enabled us to send about 50 Christmas packages to men on Death Row and Pelican Bay.

Barry an inmate writes, "I couldn't survive without your love, care and support because the condition I'm presently in leaves me being like a baby ~dependent on outside help. Thank you all so much one more time."

Thank you!
We would like to express our warmest gratitude to all of you who worked hard, participated and contributed in making our Fatima and International Rosary Celebrations successful. Our heartfelt thanks to everyone.

Filipino Society $5 meal deal
After morning Masses| Sunday, Oct. 28| Peace Center

The Filipino Society is hosting their $5 meal on Sunday in the Peace Center after Mass. Come and get a great meal at a great deal. Join us for fellowship and get a great meal at a great del. Proceeds benefit funding for the baptismal font project. We thank you for our support.

Simbang Gabi Novena Help
5:30 am | December 16-24

We invite you to join our Simbang Gabi Novena on December 16-24 at 5:30 AM. These are dawn Masses to prepare us for Jesus’ Nativity.

We would like to ask for your help and participation by contacting our committees! See page 5 for more details on our committees.
As great high priest, Jesus tried to open his disciples’ eyes to his coming death and resurrection. Their faith was not yet strong enough to accept the message of deliverance. A blind man saw with the eyes of faith. Jesus told him that his faith saved him. This is an invitation for us.

All the children are excited. Halloween comes later this week. They get to pretend they are monsters or princesses or superheroes—and get bags of treats while they do so.

Jesus, our great high priest, masked his divinity in human flesh like ours, even unto death on a cross. His disciples could not recognize who he really was. Bartimaeus, a beggar who could not see, recognized who Jesus was with eyes of faith. He saw beneath the “disguise” what the others could not see.

St. Mark places today’s Gospel story at a strategic place. Jesus has been telling the disciples that he would suffer and die. They are blind to what he is trying to tell them. The blind man sees with the eyes of faith and becomes an example to them and to us.

Like the early followers of Jesus, we are often afflicted with blindness. The trials and puzzles of life make it difficult for us to see the way. As we see what is going on in our lives and in our world, we may call out in desperation to the Lord for pity. If, at the same time, we ask for the gift of sight, we may discover that the Lord’s gift of faith has been all we needed.

As we enter the holy Eucharist, let us pray, with Bartimaeus, Lord, that I may see—beneath appearances, beneath masks, beneath costumes and obscurities. May I see with the eyes of faith how to take the next step along the way.

From the desk of Fr. Ken
We’re Open!
Parish Office:
M-F.  9:00 - 5:00
Closed Wednesday
Sat. & Sun.  9:00 - 2:00
Faith Formation/De Sousa House Office:
M-Th  8:30 - 4:30
Gift Shop:
Sun.  8:30 - 2:00
Parish Library:
Sun.  9:00 - 12:30

Kidzone
9 am, 10:45 am, & 12:30 pm Masses
We offer free care for your preschooler every Sunday.
We are located downstairs underneath the church.
Please stop by and visit us! More info call Fran at (510) 456-4974.

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Fr. Kenneth L. Sales, Pastor
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Dcn. Steve Lewellyn, RCIA
510-797-1660
Dcn. Tim Roberto, RCIA
510-598-7408
Dcn. Emeritus Richard Yee, Retired

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Paul Orella
(510) 673-3873
Safe Environment:
Keiru Bakke
(510) 456-4972
Society of St. Vincent de Paul:
(510) 797-3672

News and Events

Simbang Gabi (cont.)
If you’d like to help with our Simbang Gabi Novena, please contact the committee you are interested in serving with.

Mass sponsorship: Pat Saturnio  (510) 468-7321
Music: Nitz Agbayani  (510) 676-3212
Liturgy: Sylvia Aljentera  (510) 507-2135
Breakfast: Chito Agbayani  (510) 676-3213
Souvenir Booklet: Bella Asis  (510) 791-6121.

Looking for New Catechists!
We need you! More children and adults need our assistance growing their faith in Christ. Would you be willing to share your own faith with others for about 1.5 hours a week? Talk to Deacon Rigo and learn how you can assist others in coming to Christ! Call Dn. Rigo at (510) 456-4974 or email dcnrigo@holyspiritfremont.org

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Sister Parish Scholarships

Here is a picture of Fr. Sam (the Priest on the right) following Mass at St. Joseph the Worker in Ndungu. He interviews the families of the prospective students to coordinate how much each will contribute towards their child’s education. Because of the contributions from Holy Spirit, school for 73 children becomes a reality! 100% of your contributions go directly to these students because Fr. Sam does all the bookkeeping. The money goes from Holy Spirit directly to the Diocese of Same.
A second collection will be taken the weekend of November 10th & 11th and you can make a donation online right now! Thank you in advance!
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Bereavement Support Group
2:30 pm | Sundays, through December 16
Are you dealing with the death or illness of a loved one, a divorce, the loss of a job or other life changing loss? Join our deanery supported bereavement group.

For more information, please contact Helen Campbell at (510) 795-7958.

Next Session topics:
10/28/18—Regrets
11/4/18—Consolation

Memorial Altar
4x6 photos of departed loved ones needed!
During the month of November, we will have a memorial altar for photographs of our Faithful Departed. Bring your 4x6 or smaller framed pictures to the parish office. Be sure to include your name and phone number on the back of the frame so we can return the photo to you. Please let us know if your deceased loved one was in the Military as we would like to honor them in a designated space.

Technology Class for Seniors
2:30 pm | Sundays | Governo House Dining Room
Arnav Singhvi will teach a free class to help seniors learn functions in devices like iPhones and iPads and applications like Messaging, Facebook, Whatsapp, etc. For more information, contact (510) 298-8877 or connectseniors.org

Open Door to Returning Catholics
7:15 pm | Wednesdays
St. Matthew Room in De Sousa House
Returning Catholics is a parish program that reaches out and invites non-practicing or inactive Catholics to return home to the Catholic Church. Would you or someone you know benefit from this program. Stop in! No registration necessary.

St. Vincent De Paul Food Pantry
Heading to the store this week? Consider picking up a few items for our SVdP food pantry:
- Chef Boyardee/Canned Pasta
- Ramen Soup—Chicken
- Tuna
Thank you in advance! Please drop off non-perishable food donations at the rectory office.

Welcome to our Newly Baptized!
Ethan, Harper, Maile, Micah, Dario, and Alexander

Giving

Special Collections coming up:
World Mission Sunday—This Sunday

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Prayer after Eucharist

The Eucharist is the Christian’s deepest form of worship in the Church – the act by which we offer Thanksgiving and praise to the Father, remember the sacrifice of Christ and his Body, and acknowledge the presence of Christ by the power of his Holy Spirit which dwells in us (see CCC 1358). Our Catholic faith weighed heavily on what we believe in the Eucharist. As such, at the moment we receive the Eucharist, we are called to give our prayer in response!

Praise to the Father
We benefit greatly from the generosity of God the Father! Through His son, Jesus, God is redeeming us and making us holy. We receive the Eucharist as an expression of our thanksgiving for what God has done and is continuing to do in us through the Cross (see CCC 1360). The next time you receive the Eucharist, take time to say thank you to God the Father for blessing us with his Son, then offer up thanksgiving for any other blessings in your life.

Remembering Christ’s Sacrifice
The sacrifice of Christ and the sacrifice of the Eucharist are one single sacrifice. On the Cross, Christ offered Himself. On the Altar, Christ offers Himself in a new way (see CCC 1367-1368). As such, Christians are called to offer up their work, families, suffering, joys, and hopes in the same way Christ was offered on the Cross.

Acknowledging the Presence of Christ
As the Holy Spirit changes the simple bread and wine into Christ’s Body and Blood, so too the Holy Spirit brings about a deeper conversion in our hearts (see CCC 1375). It is through the Holy Spirit we may recognize with eyes of faith the powerful things God is doing at Mass. After receiving the Eucharist, allow Christ to tell you what new things He wants to do in your life – be open to contemplate the work God wants to continue to do in your life beyond the Mass.

This week's In Spirit and Truth is written by Joseph Nufable