Sixth Sunday of Easter

Be Spirit filled and make disciples!

Weekend

5:00 pm (Saturday Vigil)
7:15 am | 9:00 am
10:45 am | 12:30 pm
5:00 pm

Weekday

Mon. - Fri.: 7:00 & 8:15 am
Wednesday: 6:30 pm
1st Friday: 7:30 pm
Saturday: 7:00 & 8:15 am

Mass Schedule

Congratulations, Dcn. Javier, and prayers on your ordination to the priesthood!
**Our Vision:**

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

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### Confession

- **Saturday:** 3:30 pm
- **Thursday before 1st Friday:** 3:30 pm
- **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

First Saturday (except January) at 12:00 pm. All seniors and those seriously ill or anticipating surgery are invited to attend.

Next Mass: June 1.

### Sacraments

For Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Adult Sacraments, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick or Funeral, contact us at 510-797-1660 or holyspiritfremont.org.

### First Friday Mass

Next Mass: June 7, 7:30 pm

### New to Holy Spirit?

**Welcome!** To register, please visit the Rectory Office or go online at holyspiritfremont.org/join-our-community

### Interested in Catholicism?

To learn about the Catholic faith, please call 510-456-4975

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**Sunday, May 26 | Sixth Sunday of Easter**

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

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<td>Eric B. Cruzada †, Avendano Family †, Ememorita Gonzales †</td>
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<td>Souls in Purgatory †, Geoff &amp; Pat Saturino, Roberto Devera †</td>
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<td>Adam Joshua Rabinovitz, Irene Drobick †, Steve Cameron †</td>
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**Monday, May 27 | Monday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 – 16:4a

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**Tuesday, May 28 | Tuesday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

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**Wednesday, May 29 | Wednesday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Acts 17:15, 22 – 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15

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**Thursday, May 30 | Thursday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20

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**Friday, May 31 | Friday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56

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**Saturday, June 1 | Saturday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28

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**Pray for Our Recently Departed**

Enrique Garcia-Corrochano, Anastacio Juan

**Pray for Our Sick**

Rosemary Willis, Sale Aguilar, Antonio Santos, Mary Lilibeith Villareal Mabutas, Florinda Del Rio

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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.

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Please note: Our prayer list is refreshed every week. Feel free to call the office to include your loved one.
What’s Happening at Holy Spirit?

Filipino Society $5 Meal Deal
May 26, 2019 | Peace Center

The Filipino Society is hosting their $5 Meal Deal after all the morning and 12:30 pm Masses this Sunday, May 26th. Get a great meal for a great deal! Proceeds will help fund the baptismal font project. Thank you for your support!

Gift Shop is Now Open

The Parish Gift Shop is now open. Stop by, visit, look around, and shop! Hours: Saturdays, 6:00-7:00 pm and Sundays, 8:00 am-2:30 pm.

Called and Gifted Retreat

We invite all to this very revealing retreat on May 31-June 1. We are called by the Lord and gifted by the Holy Spirit. Find out your Gifts and how you’re Called to use them. You will have fun and you will be strengthened in your faith! To register or for more information, please contact Dcn Rigo at 510.456.4974

Novena to the Holy Spirit

Our Parish Festival is just around the corner. In celebration of Pentecost, we invite you to join us for the 8:15 am Mass and Novena to the Holy Spirit on May 31st through June 8th.

Holy Spirit Parish Festival

Join us on Sunday, June 9, 2019, 9:00 am to 7:00 pm to celebrate the 133rd Anniversary of Holy Spirit Church. Enjoy a day of fellowship, food, bingo, 50/50 Raffle, games, live entertainment, and more!

Don’t forget to buy your Raffle tickets—stop by the table in St. Francis Plaza after all Masses or visit the Rectory Office, $2/ticket or $20/booklet (11 tickets). Prizes: 1st-$2000; 2nd-$1000; 3rd-$500. Drawing will be during the Festival.

We’re also raffling off 6 Preferred Parking spaces—$5/ticket. Purchase a ticket after Mass for a chance to win a reserved spot.
The world is full of divisions between people. It has been this way for more years than most of us want to think about. Right-wing bigots; left-wing socialists; globalists; nationalists – these are just a few names that we are calling each other at the moment. And that is just within our own country. In the world, we have so-called Christians attacking mosques and so-called Muslims attacking churches.

Even within our own faith of Christianity there are divisions. And these divisions started out not long after the Ascension of Jesus. The first reading this week from Acts explores the dissension between the Jewish and Gentile people as to who can be saved. Thankfully the leaders of both movements came together and saw what was right.

They followed what Jesus had told the Disciples in today’s Gospel proclamation. "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him.” And this goes along with his command to the Apostles in Matthew, "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.” Notice: it was not just the baptized only, or those who had been circumcised, or even those who had a Jewish mother. No, it was all the nations.

We still have divisions within our Christian church. How many times have you heard someone say, or maybe even said it yourself – he is Christian and I am Catholic? We are all Christians! I think it’s time for us to learn from each other, to try and understand our differences, and even more importantly, to celebrate our oneness in Christ. Today’s Formed reading is a good place for us to start. It is never too late to learn something new.

FORMED pick of the week

Go to holyspiritfremont.formed.org, or go to our homepage at holyspiritfremont.org and click the link to be taken to FORMED. Our pick of the week will be on the top of the Community page.

The widely read author and philosopher Peter Kreeft presents a unique book about the important beliefs that Catholics and Protestants share in common. Inspired by Christ's prayer for unity in the Gospel of John and Saint John Paul II's encyclical Ut Unum Sint, Kreeft demonstrates that Christian reunification is possible. While he acknowledges that there are still significant differences between Catholics and Protestants, he emphasizes that they agree on the single most important issue: justification.
Kidzone
9 am, 10:45 am, & 12:30 pm Masses
We offer free care for your preschooler every Sunday.
We are located downstairs beneath the church. Please stop by and visit us! More info call Fran at (510) 456-4974.

Clergy
Fr. Kenneth L. Sales, Pastor
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Dcn. Chuck Glover, Pastoral Care
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510-797-1660
Dcn. Tim Roberto, RCIA
510-598-7408
Dcn. Emeritus Richard Yee, Retired

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

What’s Happening at Holy Spirit?

Ushers and Greeters
Holy Spirit continuously needs Ushers and Greeters to assist during our Masses. To volunteer, please stop by the Parish Office and complete an application.

Holy Spirit Office Volunteers Needed
We are looking for weekend volunteer receptionists. Tasks include: answering phones, greeting visitors, welcoming new parishioners, and other miscellaneous tasks. This is a dynamic, engaging, and positive environment to serve our parishioners. For info, call 510.456.4969

Holy Spirit Preschool
Holy Spirit Preschool offers a partnership between home and school. We are dedicated to developing the whole child by providing quality, well-rounded Catholic education for the preschool-aged child focusing on spiritual, academic, social, emotional, and physical growth in a safe, caring environment. Space limited. Schedule a tour (510) 793-2013.

Rebuild My Church
2019 Bishop’s Appeal Update
As of April 30, 2019, Holy Spirit Church has raised over $78,000. Because of the generosity of our parishioners, we are now at 78.49% of our goal. We thank you for your continued support. Money raised for the Bishop’s Appeal will assist those in need in the Oakland Diocese.

Adoration Chapel
Spend one hour with the Lord. To sign up, go to www.holyspiritfremont.org, click on the button ‘Sign up for Adoration Pro,’ choose “Weekly Commitment’ then click on ‘Sign up.’ You may also stop by the Rectory Office to sign up for Adoration.

Vocations Cross Program
We invite parishioners to receive the Vocations Cross and commit themselves to pray daily during the week for the gift of more priests, deacons, sisters, and brothers to serve in our Oakland Diocese. All are encouraged to pray for the vocations of priesthood and religious life.
News and Events

KidZone

KidZone is hiring for the Sunday Program! Applicants must be 21+ yrs., have experience working with preschool-age children, and is full of energy! Work hours are 1-2 Sundays each month, 8:30 am-2:00 pm. Please contact Fran at (510) 456-4974 for more information.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word

9:00 am and 10:45 am Sunday Masses

K-4th graders are invited to join Children’s Liturgy of the Word. We share the Gospel and have a Gospel-related activity. Join us at the banners when the Mass celebrant invites the children to come forward. Parents welcome. Children return during the Offertory. No registration or fee.

Bereavement Support

Are you dealing with the death or illness of a loved one, a divorce, a job or other life-changing loss? Sharing your story with others in a confidential environment may speed healing and lighten the burden. Your story is unique, but pain is universal. Our deanery-sponsored support group’s next series begins Sunday, May 19, 2019, 2:30-3:30 pm, in the Fireside Lounge:

**June 2 - As You Deal with Your Loss; June 9 - Anger & Regrets; June 23 - Sharing a Special Reading; June 30 - Maturing Grief; July 7 - Sharing Memories; July 14 - Ritual & Healing; and concluding on July 21 - Memorial Service.**

For more information, please contact Helen Campbell, 510.795.7958.

From our Youngest Stewards

I helped someone, I prayed, I studied my lessons:

Celestina, Langston

St. Vincent De Paul Food Pantry

Heading to the store this week? Consider picking up a few items for our SVdP food pantry:

- Canned Spaghetti Sauce
- Spaghetti Noodles—not wheat
- Canned Fruit

Please drop off non-perishable food donations at the rectory office. Thanks for your support!

Please note: All food donated must be in factory sealed packages/containers.

A/V Team

Do you like working with cameras, sound equipment, etc.? Join the A/V Team! After completing the internship, each team member receives $27.50 per Mass worked. Must be 16+ yrs. old and willing to work at the 5 pm Mass on Saturday; and/or 7:15 am, 5 pm Masses on Sunday. Space limited. For more info, contact Jeff at jeff@holyspiritfremont.org

Women’s Retreat

The Holy Spirit Women’s Fellowship is hosting a women’s retreat - “Beautiful in God’s Eyes” - on Saturday, July 27, 2019, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm, at the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Motherhouse. More information to come.

Giving Corner

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Special Collections coming up:

Catholic Communications | June 2

Our pledged weekly amount (excluding special collections): $31,963
The Regina Caeli (or Coeli) is one of four seasonal hymns or antiphons to Our Lady. It dates back to the twelfth century and is sung as a hymn of joy during Eastertide (from Easter Day through Pentecost, the seventh Sunday after Easter.) Some traditional Catholic parishes pray it after Mass during Eastertide. The Regina Caeli may also be said in place of the Angelus during Eastertide. It has several musical settings, including some by Mozart.

The Regina Caeli Prayer in Latin
V. Regina caeli, laetare, alleluia.
R. Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia.
V. Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia.
R. Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.
V. Gaude et laetare, Virgo Maria, alleluia.
R. Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.
Oremus.
Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Domini nostri Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta, quaesumus; ut per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam, perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

The Regina Caeli in English
V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
R. For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia.
V. Has risen, as he said, alleluia.
R. Pray for us to God, alleluia.
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
R. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray.
O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The author of the Regina Caeli is unknown. Legend has it that St. Gregory the Great (d. 604) heard the first three lines chanted by angels as he walked barefoot in a great religious procession and he then added the fourth line: “Ora pro nobis Deum. (Pray for us to God) Alleluia.”

During the Easter season, we are reminded that just as our Lord conquered death through his resurrection, we have much to be thankful for in the midst of our daily trials.
Theologians over the centuries have noted the role of Our Lady as our mediator and an intercessor for our salvation. We worship our Lord through Mary, who is our advocate with Jesus.

Listen to the Regina Coeli here https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a1NesSxVAZs
Or (ask Alexa to play) The Regina Caeli by John Michael Talbot on Amazon Music.