HOLY SPIRIT FREMONT

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2020 | SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TESTIFY

"Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

JOHN 1:34

WELCOME

With joy we welcome all who have gathered here with us to worship God.

"How good to sing praise to our God; how pleasant to give fitting praise." (Psalm 147:1)

Let us lift up our minds, hearts, and spirits to our loving and merciful God, from whom all good things come.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday: 7:00 & 8:15 am Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm Sunday: 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

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WORSHIP

OUR VISION

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

Confession

Saturday: 3:30 pm Thursday before 1st Friday: 3:30 pm Weekdays: Call for an appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration

Perpetual Adoration is ongoing in the Adoration Chapel, located in Governo House. Hours: 6:00 am to 9:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick

First Saturday (except January and May) at 12:00 pm. All seniors and those seriously ill or anticipating surgery are invited to attend. Next Mass: February 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: February 7

New to Holy Spirit?

Welcome! To register, please visit the Parish 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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ls 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34		
5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)	Elmon Ledesma & Family, Honrado Tengsico, Sr. †, Hermenegildo Padlan Sr. †	
7:15 am	Michael Keily †, Rogelio Cusi †, Fr. Matthew Vellankal †	
9:00 am	Sam Mitchell †, Yap Tiansu & Saludacion †, Charles & Yuan Shin Chang †	
10:45 am	Joe A. Ortiz Family †, Steven & Mariano Ladrillono †, Concepcion Bologa †	
12:30 pm	Teichert, Jonathan & Julie, Tso Family, Basant Gill †	
5:00 pm	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish	
MONDAY, JANUARY 20 MONDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME		
1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mk 2:18-22		
7:00 am	Marc & Lalaine Lanuza, Eduardo S. Cabral	
8:15 am	Alberto Espiritu †, Edward Gacerez †	
TUESDAY, JAN	UARY 21 MEMORIAL OF SAINT AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR	
1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/Mk 2:23-28		
7:00 am	Mary Huan Pham [†] , Byron Benton [†]	
8:15 am	For all the Departed Souls [†] , Rod Corella	
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22 DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN		
1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]/Mk 3:1-6		
7:00 am	Asuncion Velasquez & Family †, Maria Julita Encomienda-Ramos †	
8:15 am	Brian Ignacio, Joanne Beshanky	
6:30 pm	Basant Gill [†] , Salindong Family	
THURSDAY, JANUARY 23 THURSDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME		
1 Sm 18:6-9; 19	9:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 [5b]/Mk 3:7-12	
7:00 am	Bud Schafer †, Teichert, Jonathan & Julie	
8:15 am	James L. Herpick, Democrito Rama †	
FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 MEMORIAL OF SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH		
1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11 [2a]/Mk 3:13-19		
7:00 am	Patria Abia Baron †, Romeo Rivera	
8:15 am	Vital Silveria, Jose Elisa, Kate Abanquin	
SATURDAY, JANUARY 25 FEAST OF THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL, APOSTLE		
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18		
7:00 am	Dorothy Knowles †, Edward Gacerez †	
8:15 am	Rose Naftaly, Elodia Torres †	

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.

NOURISH





FROM THE DESK OF FR. KEN...

Who is Jesus for us? What is the name for us that would best fit him? The disciple of Isaiah called him the Servant of God. St Paul

calls him Jesus Christ. John the Baptist points him out as the Lamb of God. Jesus is all these. And these images imply what we ourselves have to be for him: servants, saviors, if necessary, victims. Let us celebrate each Eucharist with Jesus.

In the First reading, the prophet Isaiah tells us that a servant of God will come and be the light not only of Israel but of all the nations. The Christian community recognized Jesus as this servant.

In the Second reading, Paul tells us that as an apostle, he considered himself a servant whose task was to proclaim Jesus Christ as the Lord of all. Is Jesus the Lord of our lives? Do we proclaim him as our Lord?

And in the Gospel, St. John the Evangelist tells

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HOSTIA: THE POWER AND PRESENCE OF THE EUCHARIST

https://watch.formed.org/videos/hostia-the-power-andpresence-of-the-eucharist

"This powerful and inspiring film begins with the Gospel accounts of how Jesus Christ instituted the Eucharist. It explains how the sacrifices and offerings in the Old Testament prefigured the perfect and final sacrifice in Jesus Christ Himself—the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. The constant belief of Christians in the Real Presence throughout history is clearly demonstrated along with examples of heroic witnesses for the Faith. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is explained as the center of the Christian life where Jesus becomes truly present in the Eucharist. The practices of Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction are presented as the real power behind any evangelization and essential to reviving faith in every Catholic parish."

us that John the Baptist bears witness that Jesus is the Savior, the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Jesus is the promised servant of God and people.

Furthermore, John the Baptist recognizes Jesus as the Lamb of God. At every Eucharist, before Holy Communion, the priest celebrant says, "Behold the Lamb of God." Like the Hebrews in Egyptian bondage, we have been liberated from the slavery of sin through the blood of a lamb—Christ.

And like Isaiah's humble servant, Christ, with perfect submission, hands himself over for our salvation. If Christ had not become the Lamb, we would not be family members. Gratitude is the only motive for goodness. We are saved by God and then made his children. No Christmas present can match that.

For a deeper understanding of the power of the Eucharist and the Real Presence of Christ, watch my suggested FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK—Hostia: The Power and Presence of the Eucharist

> • ohn testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come and remain, he is the who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

- John 1:32-34



SERVE

Drive-Thru Prayer Ministry

"For when two or three are gathered in my name, there I am in the midst of them." (Mt 18:20) Our Drive-Thru Prayer needs Ministry more volunteers. If you can share one hour of your time each week to pray with others and for other people's intentions, please contact Debra Longarini at 510.396.7826 or debralongarini@gmail.com

Ushers and Greeters

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



Special Collection

This weekend's Special Collection benefits Holy Spirit Youth Ministry. Your donations will go towards catechist formation and youth leader training costs, and help offset youth retreat and registration fees.

From our Youngest Stewards I helped someone, I prayed, I studied my lessons:

Abbey, Adiv, Celestina, Ellie, Langston, Ohaan

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

Heading to the store this week? Consider picking up a few items

for our SVdP food pantry. Here's this week's grocery wish list:

- \Rightarrow Canned Corn
- \Rightarrow Pork & Beans
- $\Rightarrow \ \ White \ Rice$

Please drop off non-perishable food donations at the Parish Office. <u>Please note</u>: All food donations must be in factory sealed packages and/or containers. Thank you for your support!

Join Children's Liturgy of the

Word



Do you feel called to teach the littlest among us? Then perhaps Children's Liturgy of the Word is what you are looking for. If you are interested in helping at the 9:00 am or 10:45 am Mass, contact Alanna Carbis at alannab@gmail.com. Be part of this joyful ministry!

Table of Plenty

Table of Plenty is requesting donations of brand new socks, travel-size toiletries, and hand sanitizers. Please drop off items at the Parish Office (clearly marked "Table of Plenty").



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"...TO SERVE THE POOR IS TO GO TO GOD ..." SL Vipcent de Paul

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PRAY

Adoration Chapel Adorers Needed

Spend one hour with our Lord. Our Adoration Chapel is open 6:00 am to 9:00 pm everyday. All are



welcome to sit, to reflect, and to pray with Jesus. We need Adorers to be with our Lord on a regular basis especially on weekdays 12:00 noon to 3:00 pm, as well as Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays.

To sign up for a weekly commitment, please visit our Parish Office.

If you are already an Adorer, please remember to remain with Jesus for your scheduled full hour. Please do not leave our Lord unattended.

Adoration Chapel Etiquette

We would like to remind our parishioners to conduct themselves in a respectful manner while in the Adoration Chapel.

Please refrain from talking in the hallway directly outside or near the Adoration Chapel. Noise travels and permeates through the walls of Governo House.

Unless otherwise scheduled, please observe silence in the chapel while praying.

Please turn off your mobile phones. If you are using an electronic tablet or your phone to read and pray, we ask that you turn the volume down.

Food or drinks are not allowed in the chapel.

All are welcome in the Adoration Chapel, but please remember that you are in sacred space.

"Franciscan Heart of Thomas Merton" Retreat

San Damiano Retreat welcomes Franciscan Father Dan Horan on January 24-26, 2020 to reveal the "Franciscan Heart of Thomas Merton." Thomas Merton was a Trappist monk and one of the most popular spiritual writers of the 20th century. Price: \$180 (Commuter only - no bedrooms available.) Go to https:// sandamiano.org/special-events/

Reverence in the Church

Please maintain reverence and silence in the church after Mass. Please do not allow vour children to vpla inside the church. especially near or in the sanctuary. Be mindful of parishioners in prayer. You are welcome to visit with family and friends in St. Francis Plaza.



Please note: Our prayer list is refreshed every week. Feel free to call the office to include your loved one for the week: 510.797.1660

Pray for Our Sick

Les Carscadden, Eugene & Elaine Dias, Dixie Kibbee, Dcn. Rex Ehling, Letty Aguirre, Sister Pierson Frances, Ernesto H. Kong, Jr., Jun Marbella, Jean Cunningham

Wedding Anniversary Blessings Ray & Rita Rosario

Pray for Our Recently Departed

Sister Margaret McIntyre, Jess Kibbee, Jane Linggi, Roberto Basa





"A great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world. Through special initiatives and in daily prayer, may an impassioned plea rise to God, the Creator and lover of life, from every Christian community, from every group and association, from every family and from the heart of every believer."

- Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium Vitae, no. 100

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WELCOME

Friday AM Scripture Series @ 10:00 am

Walk through "The Mass" with Bishop Robert Barron and be transformed through insights on this most privileged, intimate encounter with our Lord. Join us in St. Mark's Room, de Sousa House. Goodwill offering appreciated.

Friday Movie "Knights" @ 7:00 pm

In partnership with the Knights of Columbus, the Faith Formation Department is hosting movie screenings in the de Sousa Theater: Jan. 24 - "On the Waterfront"; Jan. 31 - "Henry V"; Feb. 7 - "The Mission"; May 8 - "We Were Soldiers"; May 15 - "Liberating a Continent"; May 22 - "For Greater Glory"; and May 29 -"Shane".

Cache Creek Casino Resort Trip

The Filipino Society is hosting a fundraising casino trip to Cache Creek Casino Resort on Saturday, January 25, 2020. We will leave Holy Spirit at 7:30 am sharp for a day of fun and jackpots! Tickets are \$40 each, with a \$20 return. For tickets or info, please contact Maryanne Gacusan at 510.289.0382 or Mung Bernardo at 510.710.8007.

Retrouvaille

February 21-23, 2020

Do you feel lost, frustrated, hurt, or angry with your spouse? Retrouvaille is a Marriage



WE WELCOME OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED.

Mateo, Jayden, Andrew, Carlos program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. Couples of all faiths or no faith background are welcome. For information or registration, go to HelpOurMarriage.com. or contact Gus and Edda Rivera at 510.709.6063. Our Weekends transform marriages!

"Women of the New Testament" Tea

The Women's Ministry is hosting afternoon tea on Saturday, February 29, 1:30-4:00 pm in the de Sousa House. Learn about the women of the New Testament as we share company with each other. Cost is \$35.00. Seats are limited. Funds raised will benefit Faith Formation. For information, please contact Nancy at beautfifulhsw@gmail.com

Couples in Cana

Pan de Vida Retreat March 13-15, 2020

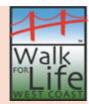
Couples in Cana Retreat is a Eucharist-centered retreat for couples to grow deeper in their relationship to each other and to Christ. The weekend will include: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession, and workshops to improve communication and deepen your understanding of Sacramental love.

The cost is \$150/couple (includes lunch and dinner on Saturday). To register: www.pandevidaretreat.com/marriage-retreat

16th Annual Walk for Life

Cathedral.

Join the 60,000 faithful on Saturday, January 25 for Walk for Life West Coast 2020 in San Francisco. We will attend the 9:30 am Mass at St. Mary's



The rally begins at 12:30 pm at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street (2 miles), and ending at the Embarcadero Plaza/Ferry Building. BART stations at both locations and ample parking available.

A charter bus will leave Holy Spirit at 8:00 am. For bus seat/ ticket information, contact Dcn. Rigo at 510.456.4974.

AROUND THE PARISH



Kidzone

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



MLK Day

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 20, 2020 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

HERE'S THE SITCH...

The Baptismal Font is still on schedule for completion at the end of January.

We have collected \$43,645.00 in sponsorships towards our goal of \$50,000 so far for the stained-glass window dedicated to Fr. Mat we're so close! Please consider being part of this beautiful tribute. Sponsorships of \$2,500 or more will receive a dedication plate on the plaque on the All Saints side of our Church.

We still have the following new stained-glass windows available for sponsorship. Individual, family or group sponsors will receive a dedication on the glass:

- Joy, Modesty, Gentleness, Self-Control, and Chastity. These are \$10,000 each.
- Southside windows next to the side entrance door (below the large "Holy Spirit" window). To sponsor—\$12,000 for the narrow window and \$15,000 for the wide window.
- Also available are the soon-to-be-installed vertical stainedglass windows flanking the St. John's side entrance doors. One tall window and two shorter windows available; \$20,000 and \$12,000 each respectively. These will contain the "Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit" (3 gifts listed on shorter window, 4 gifts listed on taller window).

With the exception of the St. John entrance windows, the new stained-glass windows have been installed. We can add the dedications at any time. Please see Jeff Van der Sluis in the Parish Office to discuss sponsorships and payment arrangements.

Blessings, Fr. Ken

We're Open!

Parish Office Mon.-Sun. | 9:00 am-5:00 pm Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Tues.-Fri. | 8:30 am-4:30 pm Gift Shop Sat. | 6:00-7:00 pm Sun. | 8:30 am-2:30 pm Parish Library Sun. | 9:00 am-12:30 pm

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