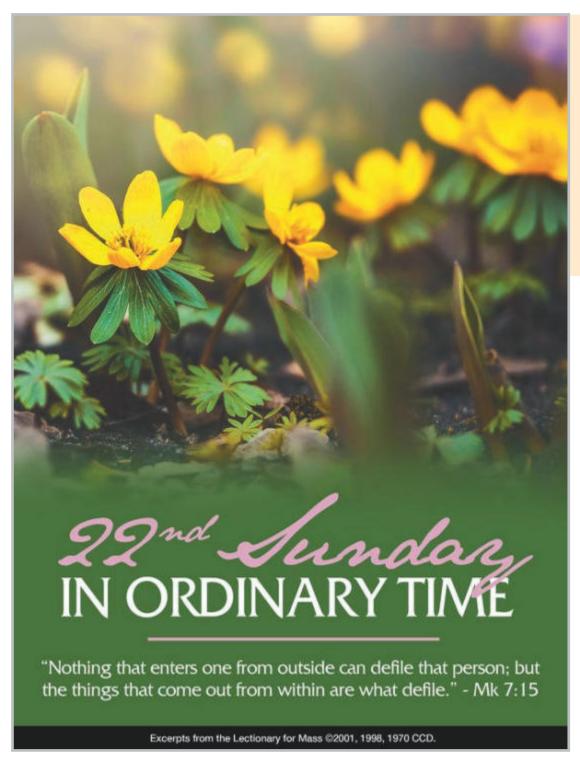


SUNDAY, AUGUST 29, 2021 | 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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* First Friday: 6:30 pm*

*Masses are livestreamed on our Facebook page and YouTube channel.



WORSHIP

OUR VISION

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

Confession

Saturday: 3:30 pm

Thursday before First Friday:

3:30 pm

Weekdays: call for an appt.

Eucharistic Adoration

Visit the Adoration Chapel in the

Governo House.

Mon-Fri, 6:00 am-12:00 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: September 4, 2021

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 5:30 pm immediately followed by Mass Next Mass: September 3, 2021

Mass Intentions

To request a Mass, contact us at info@holyspiritfremont.org or 510.797.1660

New to Holy Spirit?

Welcome! To register, contact us at info@holyspiritfremont.org or go to holyspiritfremont.org/joinour-community

Interested in Catholicism?

To learn about the Catholic faith, please call 510.456.4975

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29 | 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 [1a]/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

5:00 pm (Vigil Mass) † Renato Castaneda, † Cirilo Canlas, † Maria Laksmana

7:15 am † Danilo Mendoza, † Eugenia T. Mano, Joanne Alonzo, Clarissa Aljentera

9:00 am † Ememorita Gonzales, Charlene Aquilar Bumagat, Sylvester Vijay

10:45 am For the People of Holy Spirit Parish

12:30 pm Librodo Family, † Manuel Alvarez, Joe & Cecilia Sablan 5:00 pm † Dianne Maloney, † Mikah Azurin, Rastrullo Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 30 | MONDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30

7:00 am Hughes Family, † Timoteo Concepcion, † Janet Mary

8:15 am † Claro & Rose Andaa Gianan, Marie Fe Ricohermoso, Clarissa Alientera

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31 | TUESDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37

7:00 am † Violeta Abar, † Ruth & William Quinn Nickolson, † Hilarion Cajucom

8:15 am † Reynaldo P. Oblena, † Daisy Paiva, † Joe D' sa

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 I WEDNESDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44

7:00 am † Deacon Jim & Shirley Weeks, † Anthony Bettencourt

8:15 am † Jose Bartolo, † Delia Noveno 6:30 pm † Alicia Ong, † Joefrey Bulabon

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 | THURSDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11

7:00 am Ronald Jose, † Demetrio Domingo, † Raymundo Roque

8:15 am † Caroline Annette McLaughlin, Maria D. Concepcion, † Raymundo Roque

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT, POPE AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39

7:00 am † Joseph Tran Thach An/Anna Nguyen Thi Hanh, † Jusuf Juwana

8:15 am † Yusuf Yuwana, † Cine Vitus Chu

6:30 pm [†] Joseph Nguyen Van Nay

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 | SATURDAY OF THE 22ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5

7:00 am † Michael Keily, † Victoria C. Radam, Noah Shafaq

8:15 am † Katrina Hizon, † Jovencio Amantiad, † Truong & Cuong Pham

12:00 pm For the People of Holy Spirit Parish

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 DN. CHUCK...

We have just finished the Bread of Life discourse which we heard over the last four weeks. And now we move into the other aspect of our faith. And for one of the few times each year, our second reading corresponds closely with the Gospel.

The Letters from James are a wonderful read on our faith and what it really means. James very ardently tells us that we must do more than just respond to the spiritual side of our faith. He doesn't tell us not to go to Mass, pray, receive the Eucharist or any other spiritual acts we think of as our faith. He tells us that there is more to our faith. The last lines in the second reading sum up his thoughts.

"Religion that is pure and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to care for orphans and widows in their affliction and to keep oneself unstained by the world." In today's Gospel, Jesus is leading us to the same thought. He warns us not to get trapped by what is brought about by ourselves, but rely on what is driven by God. To do otherwise will lead us to damnation by our evil ways.

From the Bread of Life discourse, we learn the importance of attending Mass and receiving the Body of Christ. It is what we do with Christ after we leave the Mass. We receive His peace and grace in the Eucharist. Do we use that to serve others in need or do we just go back to our lives, ignoring the needs of the world?

It is our choice. I leave you today with this other quote from James: "Be doers of the word and not hearers only, deluding yourselves."

May God bless you and your families.

Dn. Chuck & Sherry



FORMED°

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

JOHN XXIII: THE POPE OF PEACE https://watch.formed.org/videos/john-xxiii-the-pope-of-peace

An inspiring feature film on Saint Pope John XXIII...this movie tells the whole life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and eventually his life as Pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the advisers around him, John XXIII proved to be his own man when he surprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Council.

beloved brothers: all good giving and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no alteration or shadow caused by change."

James 1:16-17



SERVE

Sister Parish Update

Meet Martina Yusufu! A recent graduate, she was in the Pharmacy program for 3 years at the Mtwara College of Science.



Congratulations,
Martina!
We pray
for your
continued
success.

On a separate note...

Thank you to all who supported our fundraising efforts last weekend at our Craft & Bake Sale, for donating in the pews, and for giving online!

Special thanks to our volunteers and those who donated beautiful items for our sale.

We're very grateful for the support we've received from parishioners and friends these past six years!

Special Collection: St. Vincent de Paul

August 28-29, 2021

SVdP helps our neighbors in need with food, groceries, clothing, and other necessities. This weekend's Special Collection will allow SVdP to continue their efforts in ministering to our neighbors and local families in need.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

"...TO SERVE THE POOR
IS TO GO TO GOD..."
St. Vincent do Paul

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:

- ⇒ Canned Green Beans
- ⇒ Chili
- ⇒ White Rice

Please drop off non-perishable food donations at the Parish Office during regular business hours or Governo House on Saturdays, 9:00-10:00 am <u>only</u>. Do not leave donations outside. <u>Please note</u>: We do <u>not</u> accept perishable, fresh foods (e.g., meats, produce, dairy, etc.). All food donations must be in factory sealed packages and/or containers. Thank you for your support!

St. Patrick Seminary Fundraiser

For our annual fundraiser, we are selling beautiful queensize prayer pillowcases.

Proceeds of the fundraiser will benefit seminarians in the Diocese of Oakland who are attending St Patrick Seminary & University in Menlo Park. These pillowcases are made in the USA—designed and printed in California!

www.prayerpillowcases.com. Please use the code "HSF945" at checkout. This will ensure that 50% of the proceeds will go to Holy Spirit Church.

To place your order, go to

Please place your order by September 20, 2021.

Giving

Sunday, August 15

43,351

Special Collections coming up:

Diocesan Priest Retirement Benefit Trust | September 12

Our pledged weekly amount (excluding special collections): \$31.963

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

Please visit our parish website at https://holyspiritfremont.org/give/ to enroll in Online Giving or Text-to-Give. For assistance with registration, please contact OSV at 800.348.2886 or our parish helpline at 510.456.4969.

PRAY



Our Lady of Fatima

We invite our faithful parishioners to join us for Mass in the church in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.

- Monday, September 13 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, October 13 6:30 pm
- The International Rosary** will be prayed immediately after the 5:00 pm Mass on Saturday, October 16.

**We are looking for volunteers to recite the "Hail Mary" in different languages.



If you would like to take part in the International Rosary and pray in your native tongue (language), please contact Marina at 510.792.9621 or Bella at 510.791.6121.

Adoration Chapel

Be in the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

Visit our Adoration Chapel in the Governo House! Hours are: Mondays to Fridays, 6:00 am to 12:00 pm.

To sign up as an Adorer or for more information, go to https:// holyspiritfremont.org/adorationchapel/

Drive-Thru Prayer

Need someone to pray with you in the comfort and safety of your care?

If you would like us to pray with you and lift up your intentions, please find us by the school green porch 5:00 to 6:00 pm on Fridays.

If you are interested in joining our ministry, contact Debbie Longarini at 510.745.8123.



Please note: Our prayer list is refreshed every week. Feel free to contact us to include your loved one. Go to https:// holyspiritfremont.org/request -a-prayer/ or call the Parish Office at 510.797.1660

Pray for Our Sick

Virginia De la Cruz. Carlos Villarias, Katrina Geniza, Carole Pagsanjan, Andrew P. Javier, Letty Aguirre, Charlie Glover

Pray for Our Recently **Departed**

Ioseph Kim Tran, Sid Alvarez, James Scott, Romeo Caringal, Jr., Denise Vivian Warner, Buenaventura Alberto Reposar, Ir.

Birthday Blessings

leff Van der Sluis

Wedding **Anniversary** Blessings

Phil & Michele Poma



Y ou pay God a compliment by asking great things of him.

~ Saint Teresa of Avila





INVITE

Parish Night

August 28, 2021 | Outdoor Worship Space

Welcome back, Holy Spirit Family! We invite you and your loved ones to join us after the 5:00 pm Mass for an evening of music, food, and drinks. Hosted by our Young Adult Ministry.

August Book Drive

August 28-29, 2021

Our Holy Spirit Youth Ministry, in conjunction with the Sweet Dreams Foundation, is collecting new and almost new children's books for the Children's Book Project after all the Masses.

Bring a book to Parish Night on August 28th and receive a discount on food and drinks!

Indian Society Grab & Go Meal

August 29, 2021

The Holy Spirit Indian Society is hosting their Grab & Go Meal after the morning and 12:30 Masses. Stop by the Parish Center and grab a delicious meal—or two! Proceeds benefit parish projects.

CYO Registration

Holy Spirit CYO sports registration is OPEN to Holy Spirit School students, Faith Formation students, and children who live within Holy Spirit Church boundaries.

CYO is offering Girls Volleyball, Boys Basketball, and Cross Country.

Registration ends soon. Please visit www.holyspiritcyo.com for details.

Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults

RCIA is a program for any non-Catholic and those who have received a Trinitarian baptism, and who would like to grow their relationship with God through the Catholic Church.

2021-2022 classes begin September 7. For more information, please contact:

Deacon Steve holyspiritdeaconsteve@gmail.com Deacon Tim - t.roberto@att.net Fran - frances@holyspiritfremont.org



Izayan-Logan Joelle

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS • NE

Welcome to the 2021-2022 Faith Formation year!

Registration is now open for Grades 1-8, First Communion, and Confirmation classes. Please visit our parish website - https://holyspiritfremont.org/ - to register. From the homepage, go to "Connect," choose "Faith Formation for Adults and Youth," then select the appropriate age group you would like to register for. Please send an email to faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org if you have additional questions.

AROUND THE PARISH



Feast of Our Lady of Velankanni

Our Lady of Velankanni, Mother of Good Health



The Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated on September 8 at the Shrine of Our Lady of Velankanni in the context of a nine-day festival. That date also marks the commemoration when a group of Portuguese merchant sailors were rescued by Our Lady from a violent storm which had wrecked their ship in the 17th century.

The Shrine of Our Lady of Velankanni was elevated to a Basilica on November 3, 1962 by Pope John XXIII. The apparitions of Our Lady, the Miraculous statue of Our Lady, and the countless miracles, were the

causes for the Shrine to become a Basilica. Large numbers of Catholics and non-Christians alike journey to Velankanni throughout the year.



In preparation for the feast, all are invited to the 7:00 am Mass* followed by Novena and Rosary beginning Monday, August 30 through Tuesday, September 7, 2021. The Feast will be celebrated on Saturday, September 11 at the 5 pm Mass.

To prepare our hearts to receive all the graces from this devotion, all are invited to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturcoy, August 28, 2021, 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm Thursday, September 2, 2021, 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm Saturcoy, September 4, 2021, 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

*Mass and Hosory will be livestreamed.

You are cordially invited to the Festival of Our Lady of Velankanni at Holy Spirit Church to receive blessings of good health.

Novena Days August 30 to September 7

Novena and Rosary will be prayed after 7:00 am daily Mass and Sunday 7:15 am Mass

Feast Day (observed) Saturday, September 11, 2021 5:00 pm Mass

Followed by Marian Procession & Rosary, Exposition & Benediction

Join us afterwards for dinner and fellowship. Please RSVP by September 8, 2021. http://evite.me/gbrMasmsJf

Gift Shop Grand Re-Opening: September 5, 2021

We welcome our parishioners and friends back next Sunday, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. We've just completed our inventory and are excited to show-case our offerings of religious articles and gift ideas. Come and see us!

Contact Us

In case of an emergency, call 510.797.1660 and follow the prompts.

Gift Shop

Sundays 8:30 am to 2:30 pm

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