



SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2023 | PENTECOST SUNDAY



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.

BE SPIRIT FILLED AND MAKE DISCIPLES!



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 (except if it falls on Holy Thursday)
Weekdays: call for an appt.

Eucharistic Adoration

Visit the Adoration Chapel in the Governo House.
Hours: 6:00 am to 6:00 pm daily

Anointing of the Sick

First Saturday at 12:00 pm (except if it falls on January 1 and Holy Saturday). All seniors and those who are seriously ill or anticipating surgery are invited to attend.
Next Mass: June 3, 2023

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. There is no Mass on Good Friday.
Next Mass: June 2, 2023

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/join-our-community

Interested in Catholicism?

To learn about the Catholic faith, please call 510.456.4975

SUNDAY, MAY 28 | PENTECOST SUNDAY

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
7:15 am	Fitzgerald, Lucel & East Reyes, Bobby & Ces Reyes, † Elena & Conrado Canio, † Victoriano & Magdalena Avendano
9:00 am	† Rizalina & Jesus Estavillo, † Ememorita Gonzales, † Ruben Real, † Madelyn C. Pasion, † Magdalena Gastelum
10:45 am	† Madelyn C. Pasion, Espiritu Family, † Miriam Dicristina, † Geroge Delgado, † Michael Bologna
12:30 pm	Nestor Villamor & Family, † Almeida Deceased Family Members, † Jose E. Santo & Family, † Jose Tito Pangilinan
5:00 pm	Christine Ocampo, † Aida Baruis, † Erlinda Pangan, † Corazon Cinco Rivera

MONDAY, MAY 29 | MEMORIAL OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

7:00 am	Vanessa Barrett, † Laurie Carreon, † James Sanderson
8:15 am	Salvador & Ofie Flores, Vanessa Barrett, † Aquilino Domingo

TUESDAY, MAY 30 | TUESDAY OF THE EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23/Mk 10:28-31

7:00 am	† Theresa Sementer, † Wilma & Engracio Abagat Jr., † Concepcion Canda
8:15 am	Evans Wang, † Patricia Ahern, † Lucila Concepcion

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31 | FEAST OF THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56

7:00 am	Graciela O. Montes, Lucy Shagday, † Petronila Domingo
8:15 am	† Joseph Victor Shagday, † Petronila Domingo, † Patrocinia Abregana
6:30 pm	† Andy Chan, † Ricardo Estrada, † Angeles E. Cajili

THURSDAY, JUNE 1 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT JUSTIN, MARTYR

Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 10:46-52

7:00 am	Ida Pasaoa, Dn. Timothy Roberto
8:15 am	Andy & Diana Angeles, Graciela O. Montes, † Franz Jost

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 | FRIDAY OF THE EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Mk 11:11-26

7:00 am	† Lamberto Bantad, † Elovly D'sa
8:15 am	Graciela O. Montes, † Felipe De Jesus Angeles
11:00 am	Lucian Cole
6:30 pm	† Purita Comandante

SATURDAY, JUNE 3 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT CHARLES LWANGA AND COMPANIONS, MARYTRS

Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mk 11:27-33

7:00 am	Ofelia Marquez, † Domingo Marquez, † Antonio Lopes
8:15 am	Elaine D'sa, Marissa Reyes, Graciela O. Montes
12:00 pm	Jose Jr - Letty Aguirre



FROM THE DESK OF DN. CHUCK...

There Appeared to Them Tongues
as of Fire
Pentecost 2023

We all recognize the passage from Acts that is proclaimed every Pentecost. But did you realize that we also proclaim today's Gospel every year on this the birthday of the Church?

If we did not realize that, why not? Probably because we tend to emphasize, whether right or wrong, the Acts' proclamation. Pentecost is when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, but it also signifies that the very same Spirit has come to rest in each of us. We are the beneficiaries of the Third Person of the Trinity. He comes to rest in us so we can be in Him. The Spirit brings gifts that are freely given to us to help us in our daily lives.

Those gifts are: Fortitude, Knowledge, Counsel, Wisdom, Piety, Understanding, and Fear of the Lord (sometimes referred to as Reverence to the Lord). We each have different experiences in our lives that compel us to call upon these gifts to help persevere. The gifts are freely given with no strings attached. When we use these gifts, we stay in a state of God's grace; ignore them and we fall away.

Do not be afraid of those tongues as of fire. Embrace them and take them into your life to help you be the person that Christ intended for you to be.

The Gospel proclamation? It comes from John. It is the story of Jesus coming into the locked room with the disciples and saying, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Then he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit." The Gospel is the story of the Apostles receiving the Holy Spirit; Acts is the story of all creation receiving the Holy Spirit.

As Jesus sent the Apostles to do His work, we also are called to evangelize our faith in our works and in our lives. Go forth and preach the Gospel by showing others the same love that God has for you.

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I would like to change things up a little bit. Instead of a Formed Pick of the Week, I would like to suggest the movie, "Courageous: Honor Begins At Home".

It is the story of how a group of men came together to put their faith into action. It is available on Prime streaming service from Amazon.

If you are an Amazon prime member, it is available to you. If not, you can find a family member or friend who is and ask them to stream it for you. Whichever works for you, watch it with others so you can share your thoughts.

Happy Pentecost! Alleluia!
Alleluia!

Dn. Chuck & Sherry



MEMORIAL DAY



SERVE

St. Joseph the Worker: Sister Parish Dispatch



Congratulations to Veronika Anthony who graduated from Chanjale Seminary Form VI. Her mother, along with Fr. Elipenda and a group from our Sister Parish, drove to Chanjale Seminary in Kisangani Village to support her. Please pray for Veronika as she prepares for the National Examinations.

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Festival Booth

Stop by the Sister Parish booth at the Parish Festival on June 4th and write a letter to one of our students! We will mail them to Fr. Elipenda. Hope to see you there!

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:

- ⇒ Chili
- ⇒ Ramen Soup—Chicken
- ⇒ Tuna

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 only. **Do not leave donations outside.** Please note: We do not accept perishable, fresh foods (e.g., meats, produce, dairy, etc.). All food donations must be in factory sealed packages and/or containers. **PLEASE, NO EXPIRED FOOD.** Thank you for your support! For information or assistance: 510.797.3672

Stephen Ministry

Are you looking for a way to serve our parish?

The Stephen Ministry of Holy Spirit Church prayerfully and lovingly ministers to parishioners mourning the loss of a loved one. Stephen ministers support families through the funeral rites and assist with the planning process.

When we help during funerals, each time commitment is typically about 2 hours, which includes setting up in the church, greeting guests, and

participating in the Mass. Any amount of time you can give is appreciated. If you are interested in joining the Stephen Ministry, please contact the Parish Office at 510.797.1660 or info@holyspiritfremont.org

Parish Office Ministry

Do you enjoy working with people? Are you looking for some meaningful work for a few hours a week? Then join our Holy Spirit Parish Office Ministry as a volunteer receptionist. Contact Josephine at 510.797.1660 or info@holyspiritfremont.org

Sunday, May 14

\$29,053

Special Collection coming up:
Holy Spirit School | June 4

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.

Corner



Sacrament of Reconciliation

June 1, 2023 | 3:30-4:30 pm

To prepare our hearts to receive a plenary indulgence on First Friday, Confessions are available this Thursday.

First Friday

June 2, 2023

Please join us in our devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

- 7:00 am - Mass
- 8:15 am - Mass
- 11:00 am - Mass
- 5:30 pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 6:30 pm - Mass

Mass & Anointing of the Sick

June 3, 2023 | 12:00 pm

We invite our parishioners who are ill or anticipating surgery to join us on Saturday for Mass and Anointing of the Sick.

Women Gather

Saturday, June 10, 2023

Join us for our next Women Gather. Arrive between 9:30 and 10:00 am to meet and greet one another before prayer. Prayer is followed by lunch and an afternoon of service. Space at Casa Julie is limited. To RSVP or for more info, contact Sr. Annette at 408.390.7184

Our Lady of Fatima

Through October 2023

Join us for Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima:

- Tuesday, June 13 @ 6:30 pm
- Thursday, July 13 @ 6:30 pm
- Monday, August 14 @ 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, September 13 @ 6:30 pm (in lieu of Our Lady of Perpetual Help)
- Friday, October 13 @ 6:30 pm (Mass to be followed by International Rosary)

Diocesan Eucharistic Revival Congress 2023: "I Am With You Always"

Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ, invites the faithful in the Diocese of Oakland "to join in the National Eucharistic Revival to reflect upon the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives and to reaffirm our call to be a people nourished fed, and renewed by the Eucharist itself." (Oct. 2022). Join us for what is sure to be an amazing event for youth and adults, which will include talks, Adoration, Holy Mass, and more!

- September 8-9: Spanish track
- September 15-16: English track

Registration is now open. Also seeking volunteers, sponsors, vendor participants, and donors. For more info, go to <https://oakdiocese.org/eucharisticrevival2023>



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

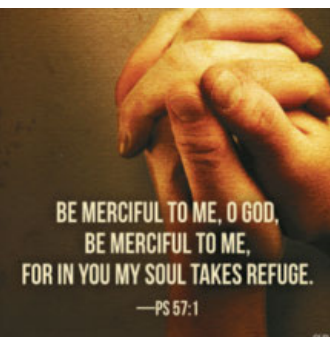
Anthony Alvarez, David Marrero, Lesli Griffiths, Cecilia Orella, Lirmana Oba

Pray for Our Recently Departed

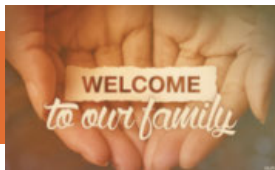
Guillermo Rara, Florentina Eugenio, Telly Sacramento, Ryan Cadiante, Perfecto Yanos, Edilberto Agas, Elovyn D'sa, Aurora de Guzman

Birthday Blessings

Dn. Tim Roberto, Dn. Rigo Cabezas



For ourselves and for our own parish community: that we may always be open to the gifts of the Spirit and accept with joy the challenges which lie ahead. *We pray to the Lord...*



INVITE

We Are Hiring!

Holy Spirit Parish is hiring for the position of Facilities Coordinator. Some responsibilities include: scheduling parish events and rentals, overseeing maintenance of facilities, and coordinating special liturgical and parish event logistics.

For more information, please contact Jeff Van der Sluis at jeff@holyspiritfremont.org. Deadline to submit your application: June 12, 2023. Job Grade: S-3.



Vacation Bible School: "Stellar" June 12-16, 2023

Kick off the summer in **stellar** fashion! We invite all children who are entering Grades 1-6 in the fall to join us. Learn how to shine Jesus' light in our world!

To register or for more information, go to the Announcements page of our website—<https://holyspiritfremont.org/announcements/>.

Registration forms are also available in the Parish Office. Stop by during regular business hours.

Bring Your Marriage into the Church: Convalidation

Couples who bring their marriage into the Church welcome God's grace and special blessings upon their marriage.

If your vows were exchanged in the presence of ministers from other religious traditions or civil officials, we invite you to bring new meaning to your relationship by embracing the vocation of marriage through Convalidation.

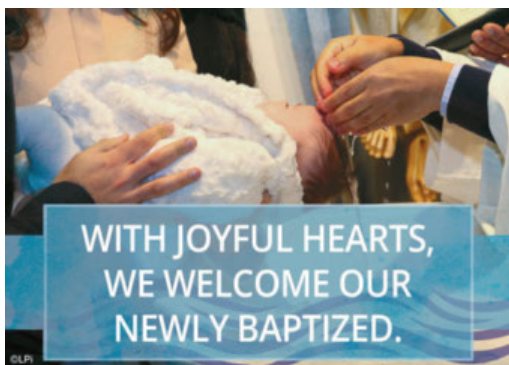
This year's Group Marriage Convalidation is on September 30, 2023. Registration is open through May 31. For more information, contact us at 510.456.4969 or marriage.convalidation@holyspiritfremont.org

Vocations Crucifix Program

We are looking for parishioners to host the Vocations Crucifix and pray for men and women discerning to enter the priesthood or religious life.

Twice monthly on the second and fourth weekend of the month, families or an individual are presented with the Vocations Crucifix and invited to pray for two weeks.

To participate in this prayer ministry, please sign up on Flocknote or call the parish office at 510.797.1660.



Amelia L., Angela,
Oliver, Amelia F.



I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS
BISHOP'S MINISTRIES APPEAL 2023

The Bishop's Ministries Appeal supports the ministries that go out into the parishes: faith formation and evangelization, CYO sports, formation of priests to serve parishioners, care of the retired priests, and meeting the unexpected needs of schools and parishes.

We invite you to learn more about how your support makes a difference, and donate in a way that works for you – be it a recurring gift, a one-time gift, or a pledge. Scan the QR code or go to <https://www.oakdiocese.org/bishops-appeal-donation-page>



AROUND THE PARISH



Holy Spirit Parish Festival - "Faith Restored, Renewed, Relived"

June 4, 2023 | 8:30 am-5:00 pm

We invite you and your family to this year's Holy Spirit Parish Festival, celebrating the 137th Anniversary of our parish.

Enjoy an array of foods, entertainment, and games. Be part of this blessed day of fellowship and fun!

Holy Spirit Parish Raffle

Raffle tickets are now on sale!

The Grand Prize is \$2000! The second and third prizes are \$1000 and \$500 respectively.

Purchase tickets at the Parish Office or through our various parish ministries. Thanks for your support!

St. Queen Isabella Coronation Mass

Join us at the 12:30 pm Mass on Sunday, June 4th, when we crown our 2023 St. Queen Isabella, Jewel Gerardo.

Festival Booth Sponsors

This year, our Parish Festival is open for business partners' booth sponsorship.

This is a great opportunity to showcase your business and services.

To reserve a booth, scan the QR code or go to <https://forms.gle/kqHMqSSDVb22sE959>.

For more information, contact Tom Garcia at tngarciajr@gmail.com



Parish Office

Mondays to Fridays
9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Saturdays
9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Sundays
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Parish Gift Shop

Sundays
8:30 am to 2:30 pm

Parish Library

Sundays
9:00 am to 12:30 pm

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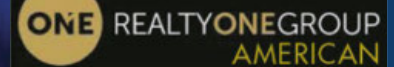
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