



# HOLY SPIRIT FREMONT

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 | 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



IF TODAY YOU  
HEAR GOD'S  
VOICE, HARDEN  
NOT *your*  
*hearts.*  
PSALM 95

## 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: October 7, 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](http://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: October 6, 2023

## Mass Intentions

To request a Mass, contact us at [info@holyspiritfremont.org](mailto:info@holyspiritfremont.org) or 510.797.1660

## New to Holy Spirit?

Welcome! To register, contact us at [info@holyspiritfremont.org](mailto:info@holyspiritfremont.org) or go to [holyspiritfremont.org/join-our-community](http://holyspiritfremont.org/join-our-community)

## Interested in Catholicism?

To learn about the Catholic faith, please call 510.456.4975

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 | TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)	Richard Cunningham, † Eliza D' Almeida, † Joseph Figuerido, † Zosima Singh Paul
7:15 am	Victoria Robino, † Wai-Hing Yu, † Ws Tam, † Renato, Edgardo & Ramon Avendano
9:00 am	† Ester Dimalanta, † Cecilia Orella
10:45 am	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
12:30 pm	† Cecilia Orella, Cesar Rabang
5:00 pm	† Maria Laksmana

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11 | MONDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Col 1:24—2:3/Ps 62:6-7, 9/Lk 6:6-11

7:00 am	† Louise C. Silva, † Zosima Singh Paul
8:15 am	Rahul Palamuttam, Fred Eclipse, † Deacon Bill Drobick

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 | TUESDAY OF THE 23RD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Col 2:6-15/Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11/Lk 6:12-19

7:00 am	† Jesus Estavillo, † Maria Tran Vu Dan Thuy
8:15 am	Don Savage, † Meetje & Dachlan Tan, † Lorna Arachea

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Col 3:1-11/Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab/Lk 6:20-26

7:00 am	† Guadalupe de Jesus
8:15 am	† Renato Diokno
6:30 pm	† Departed Salindong Family, † Rosalinda Martinez

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 | FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

7:00 am	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
8:15 am	† Richard Lewellyn, † Ramona Caluya

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 | MEMORIAL OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

7:00 am	† Andy Chan
8:15 am	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 | MEMORIAL OF SAINTS CORNELIUS, POPE, AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS

1 Tm 1:15-17/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7/Lk 6:43-49

7:00 am	Amanda Carillo, † Christa Mendiola
8:15 am	Danielle Ignacio, † Jessie Flores

*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.*



## FROM THE DESK OF DN. TIM...

The first movie Lily and I ever saw when we started dating was Disney's "Beauty and the Beast". And before you ask, neither of us are the Beast.

There is a part in the movie where it looks like the spell will finally be broken and the Beast will find true love with Belle. She asks just to see her father in the magic mirror one last time and when she does, she sees he is in distress. Racked with concern, Belle says she needs to go to her father, so the Beast allows her to leave with the full knowledge that this may be the last chance he has for true love.

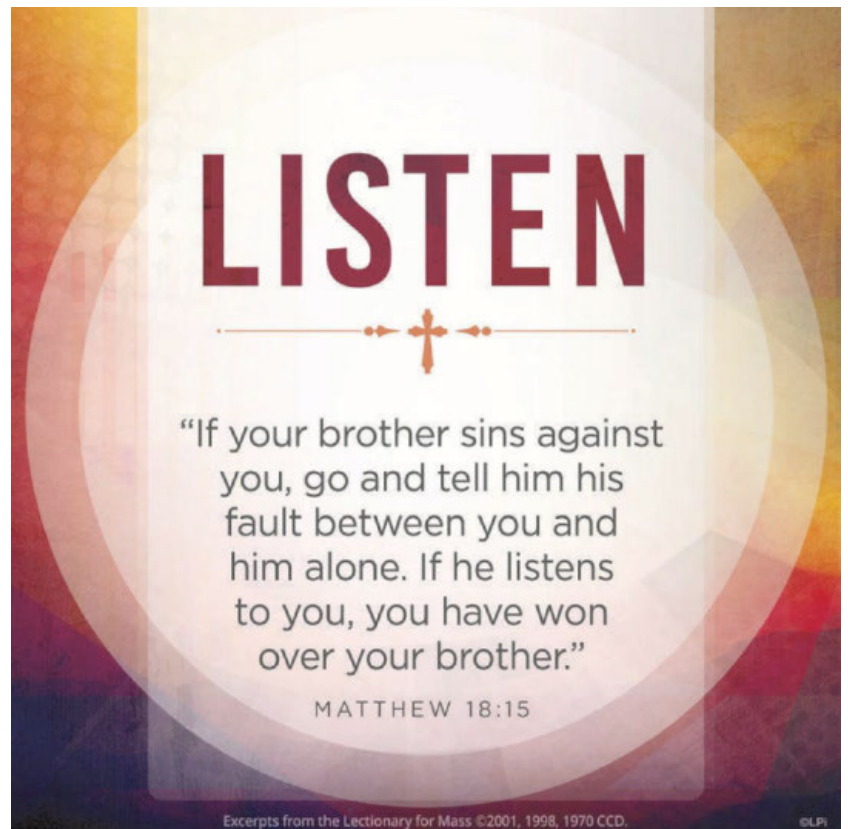
Cogsworth, the clock, asks the Beast why he let

Belle go; the Beast tells Cogsworth that he loves Belle and that is why he let her go.

In our faith life God loves us so dearly He lets us go in spiritual freedom to truly find our way to God in true love. Not because we are forced, but even in the face of our sin we recognize God's great love for us.

The readings today are not meant to frighten us; instead, they give us hope that we have a God who will always love for us and fight for us. We also learn that we have a God who will trust us more than we could ever trust Him. Unlike the movie, God gives us His Spirit in the sacraments that will always draw us back to Himself if we allow it.

Today, allow the Grace of God to draw you back into His gentle, tender embrace. Today, experience the depth of God's Mercy.





# SERVE



## Second Collection: Maui Wildfires 2023 - Relief, Recovery and Rebuild September 9-10, 2023

Bishop Michael Barber, SJ, asks us to prayerfully consider the following request for assistance from Bishop Larry Silva of the Diocese of Honolulu. (Bishop Silva, who was born in Honolulu, was raised in San Lorenzo and ordained a priest of the Oakland Diocese.) This week-end's Second Collection will go towards relief and recovery efforts.

"Today our thoughts and prayers are with all those affected by the devastating wildfires that have ravaged the island of Maui. As a community of faith, we are called to come together and provide unwavering support to those who are suffering...*Maria Lanakila (Our Lady of Victory), pray for us!*"  
-Bishop Larry Silva, Diocese of Honolulu

Hawai'i Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF) was established in 2008 as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation to support our parish and school communities. HCCF will process and distribute your gift to support Maui wildfires relief, recovery and rebuild efforts.

Donations can be made at [ti-nyurl.com/MauiCatholic](https://ti.nyurl.com/MauiCatholic).

Thank you for your prayers and your generosity!

## 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:

- ⇒ Canned Green Beans
- ⇒ Jelly / Jam
- ⇒ Peanut Butter—16 oz.

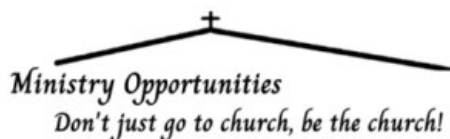
Please drop off non-perishable food donations at the Parish Office during regular business hours or Governo House on Saturdays, 9:00-10:00 am only. **Do not leave donations outside.** Please note: We do not accept perishable, fresh foods (e.g., meats, produce, dairy, etc.). All food donations must be in factory sealed packages and/or containers. **PLEASE, NO EXPIRED FOOD.** Thank you for your support! For information or assistance: 510.797.3672

## 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](mailto:info@holyspiritfremont.org)



## Flower Fund

We are accepting donations towards floral arrangements for our church sanctuary.

You may drop off your donation at the Parish Office or send by mail.

For information or special requests such as dates, colors, or events (e.g., anniversary, birthday, memorial, etc.), please text Judy Young at 510.378.1933.

## Giving

Corner

Special Collection coming up:  
Holy Spirit School | September 17

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



## Memorial Mass for Rev. Mr. William "Bill" Drobick † (1948-2023)

September 22, 2023 | 11:00 am  
Holy Spirit Fremont



Please join us for Mass in memory of Dn. Bill Drobick †.

Dn. Bill is survived by wife Joanne "Joni" (nee Reberg), daughter Holly Marsh, sons Matthew and Joseph Drobick,

their spouses, and 11 grandchildren.

On behalf of Fr. Ken Sales, our clergy and parish staff, we express our deepest condolences to Joni and the Drobick Family. May Dn. Bill † rest in peace.

## 2024 Mass Intentions

We are accepting 2024 Mass Intention requests. Download the Mass Intention request form on our website - <https://holyspiritfremont.org/mass-intentions/> - or pick up a request form at the Parish Office. Due to our large, prayerful community here at Holy Spirit, requests are absolutely FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED! We will process requests according to the date the request was received.

## Our Lady of Fatima Through October 2023

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

- 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)

## International Rosary October 13, 2023

Please join us in praying the International Rosary immediately following the 6:30 pm Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.

If you want to participate in the Rosary and recite the Hail Mary in your native language, please contact: Marina, 510.207.6395 or Bella, 510.791.6121

## MSJ Dominicans: Response to the Call

Zoom Retreat | Sept. 30, 2023  
9:30 am-3:00 pm

Come and learn practical ways to ignite insights about discernment to religious life.

If you are interested in the retreat of an individual visit, contact Sister Dulce at [dulce@msjdominicans.org](mailto:dulce@msjdominicans.org)



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

Charlie Glover, W. Presa, Stan Deeds, Lesli Griffiths, Graciela Montes, Tammy Ha

## Pray for Our Recently Departed

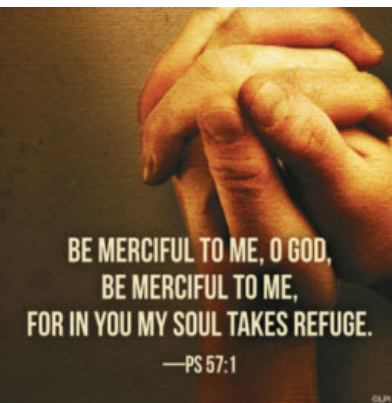
Antonio Jamir, Jr., Josef Kohlmann, Gloria C. Cunanan

## Birthday Blessings

Andrew C. Javier III, Parker & Penelope Montejano, Fernando Montejano, Sahaya Josephine

## Wedding Anniversary Blessings

Fernando & Nikki Montejano



**B**less us who find salvation in the cross of Christ; May we always recognize his glory in the weak, suffering and condemned of the world. We ask this through Christ, crucified and exalted, who is Lord forever and ever.

Amen.



# INVITE

## Filipino Society Meal Deal

September 10, 2023

The Filipino Society is hosting their \$7 Meal Deal after the morning and 12:30 Masses. Stop by the Parish Center— get a great meal at a deal! Proceeds benefit parish special projects.

## Alpha

Wednesdays | 7:00-9:00 pm  
De Sousa House

Explore our Christian faith through conversation and dinner. Everyone is welcome! Each Alpha session begins with a meal, followed by a video then small group discussion and reflection. For more information, contact us at [faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org](mailto:faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org).

## Faith Formation 2023-2024

Registration for Children's Faith Formation, First Communion, Middle School, High School Confirmation, and Adult Faith Formation (RCIA) is now open.

For information, visit our parish website - <https://holyspiritfremont.org/>. Go to the "Faith Formation" tab at the top right, then choose the appropriate learning level from the drop down menu.

You may also stop by the de Sousa House Mondays to Thursdays, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, or contact the Faith Formation Department at 510.456.4974 or [faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org](mailto:faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org).

## Grief Support

Are you dealing with the death or illness of a loved one, a divorce, the loss of a job or other life-changing loss? Sharing your story with others may speed healing and lighten the burden of loss. Your story is uniquely yours but pain is universal.

Our deanery-sponsored support group's first meeting after a 3-year hiatus will be held Sunday, September 10, 2023. Meetings are on Sundays at 2:30 pm in the Fireside Lounge (unless otherwise noted).

**9/10/23: Sharing the Story of Your Grief**

**9/17/23: As You Deal with Your Loss**

**9/24/23: Anger & Regrets**

**10/1/23: Consolation**

**10/8/23: Maturing Grief**

**10/15/23: Sharing Memories**

**10/22/23: Ritual and Healing**

**10/29/23: Memorial Service**

**11/12/23: Coping with the Holidays**

Information shared during the meetings is strictly confidential. For more information, please contact Helen Campbell at 510.795.7958.

## Cross Country Sign-Ups

All Kinder-8th graders are welcome to join CYO Cross Country. Registration is open until September 15, 2023. Go to <https://www.holyspiritcyo.com/> to sign up. For more information, email [cdcanotal@yahoo.com](mailto:cdcanotal@yahoo.com) or [tfezler@ampf.com](mailto:tfezler@ampf.com)



Rey, Marisa, Adeline,  
Prince Anthony, Raeden

## The Chosen: An Interactive Bible Study

Mondays beginning October 9, 2023

7:00 to 9:00 pm | de Sousa House Theater

"The Chosen" centers on Jesus and the different people who met and followed or otherwise interacted with him.

Join Dn. Steve and Annette Lewellyn in reflection and study on the life of Jesus as portrayed in the groundbreaking series.

Registration forms are available in the Parish Office and de Sousa House. Purchase the study guide for Season 1 through [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com/). For more info, contact us at [info@holyspiritfremont.org](mailto:info@holyspiritfremont.org).



# AROUND THE PARISH



## Feast of St. Faustina Kowalska

Novena | Sept. 26-Oct. 4, 2023

In anticipation of St. Faustina's feast day, we invite the faithful to pray the Novena with us at 6:00 pm inside the church.

**Oct. 4:** Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 5:00 pm

Adoration & Mass | Oct. 5, 2023

**5:00 pm:** Spend time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

**6:30 pm:** Join us for Mass as we

celebrate the Feast of St. Faustina. We invite you to bring Divine Mercy and St. Faustina images to be blessed. Food will be provided immediately after Mass.

Please contact Alice Gonzales, 510.378.5449 or Jennie Visitation, 650.219.6417, if you would like to join the Divine Mercy Ministry. We meet every Monday on Zoom at 6:00 pm.

## Catholic Coffee Fundraiser Support Our Seminarians of the Oakland Diocese

Purchase your favorite coffee—see form below. Proceeds go towards our seminarians' educational expenses at St. Patrick's Seminary & University.

## Parish Office

Mondays to Fridays  
9:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Saturdays  
9:00 am to 12:00 pm  
Sundays  
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

## Parish Gift Shop

Sundays  
8:30 am to 2:30 pm

## Parish Library

Sundays  
9:00 am to 12:30 pm

## Clergy

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## Departments

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St. Peter Parish Medium Roast					
St. Michael Dark Roast					
St. Joan of Arc French Blend					
All Saints Variety Pack K-Cups-Set of 12					
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