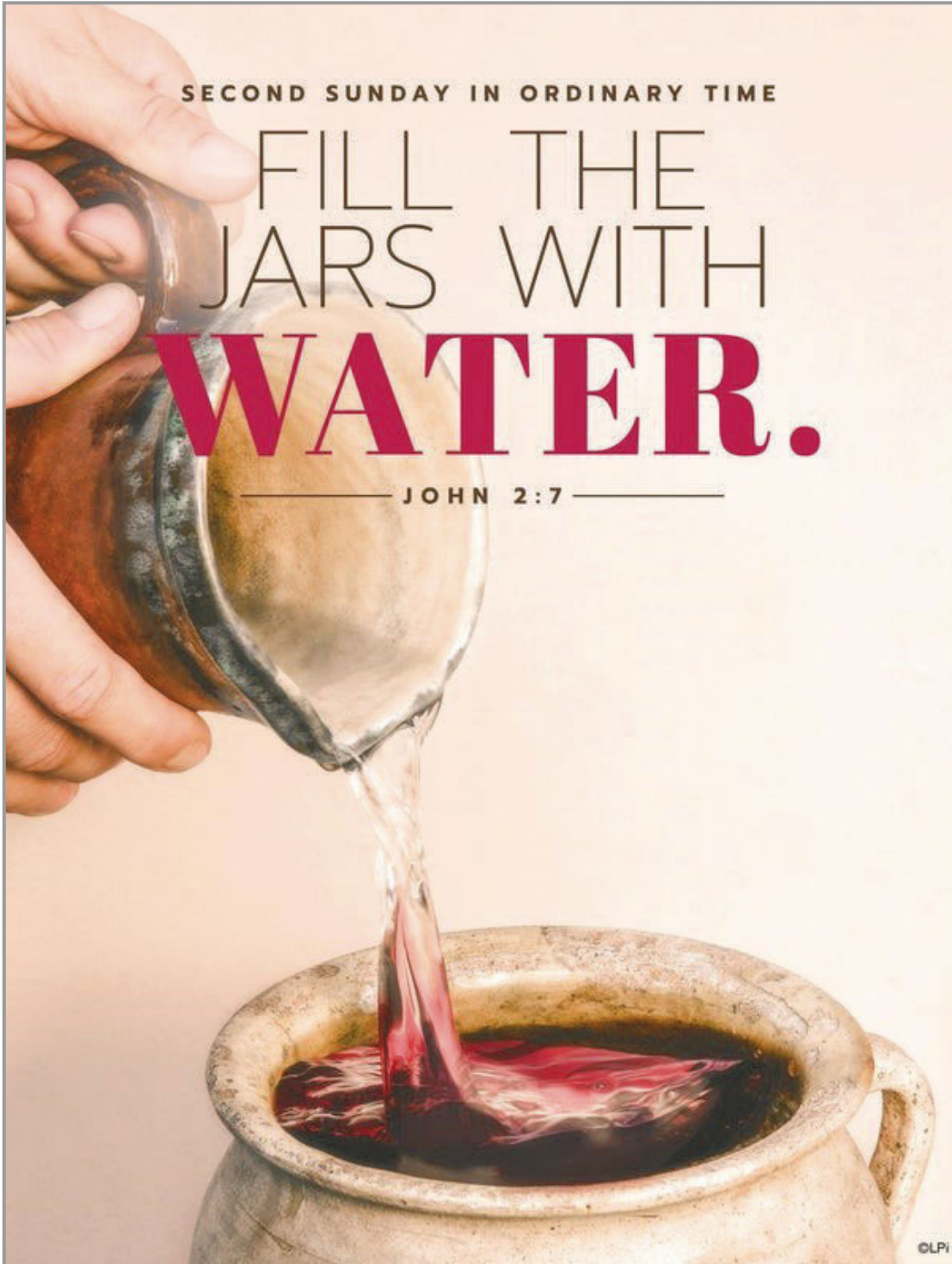




HOLY SPIRIT FREMONT

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2025 | SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FILL THE JARS WITH WATER.

JOHN 2:7

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.

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WORSHIP

OUR VISION

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

Confession

Saturday: 3:30 pm (except on Holy Saturday)

Thursday before First Friday: 3:30 pm (except if it falls on Holy Thursday)

Weekdays: call for an appointment

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: February 1, 2025

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: February 7, 2025

Mass Intentions

To request a Mass, contact us at info@holyspiritfremont.org or stop by the Parish Office.

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, JANUARY 19 | SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 (3)/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)	† Rita Kane Hylle, † Dominique Hanh Tran & Josephine Chau Truong
7:15 am	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
9:00 am	Dennice Charlene Lu, † Shirley Clark, † Kyle Vincent Lu, † Christopher Regio
10:45 am	† Hermenegildo Sr. & Lucila Padlan, † Mariano & Steven Ladrillono, † Leonardo Fernando, † Dorothy Gutierrez
12:30 pm	Marc & Jem Catapang, † Erlinda De Guzman, † Lydia A. Soriano, † Petronilo Sarong, Jr., † Petronilo Sarong, Sr.
3:00 pm	For the People of Holy Spirit Parish
5:00 pm	† Lerma Nivera, † Corazon Correa

MONDAY, JANUARY 20 | MONDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22

7:00 am	Marc & Lalaine, Graciela O. Montes, † Mario Esteves
8:15 am	Carlota Rodriguez

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR

Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c/Mk 2:23-28

7:00 am	Carlota Rodriguez, † Jaime Noguera, † Angel Sanchez
8:15 am	Michele Javier-Poma, Graciela O. Montes

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22 | DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION UNBORN CHILDREN

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6

7:00 am	† Asuncion Velasquez & Family, † Francisco P. Canieso, † Teofilo T. Bayaca
8:15 am	Brian Ignacio, Carlota Rodriguez
6:30 pm	Graciela O. Montes, † V. A. Thomas

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23 | THURSDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12

7:00 am	James L. Herpick, † Raymunda Yankiling, † Jaime Noguera
8:15 am	† Ildefonso Bernardo, † Angel M. Sanchez

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 | MEMORIAL OF SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19

7:00 am	Liza Araza, † Lorna Arachea, † Angel Sanchez, † Doris Tietze
8:15 am	Kimberly Buhay, Carlota Rodriguez, † Maximo Feliciano

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 16:15-18

7:00 am	Graciela O. Montes, † Doris Tietze
8:15 am	Carlota Rodriguez



FROM THE DESK OF ROSALYN...

Mary's words are recorded four times in the bible. At the Annunciation, the Magnificat at the Visitation, when the boy Jesus was found in the Temple after three days, and at the Wedding in Cana. Each incident teaches us something about Mary.

At the Annunciation, Mary was a shining example of humble acceptance of God's will in our lives. Mary placed more importance on obedience to God's will over the severe repercussions of being found with child before marriage in ancient Jewish culture. She surrendered completely to God's plan even when it was difficult to understand. Her unquestioning faith and trust in God's goodness allowed her to believe that God would respond to the immediate need of the newly married couple and their guests in our Gospel today.

Mary's Magnificat proclaimed God's greatness, God's power, and God's mercy. Mary recognized her place as a humble handmaid before God and willingly offered herself as God's instrument to fulfill His purpose. She expressed solidarity with those in need, the poor, and marginalized. Despite her own pregnancy, she rushed to help Elizabeth. As someone who cared about the wellbeing of others, it is easy to understand her concern for the family running out of wine.

Having lost the twelve-year-old Jesus in the temple, Mary's experience can teach us to trust

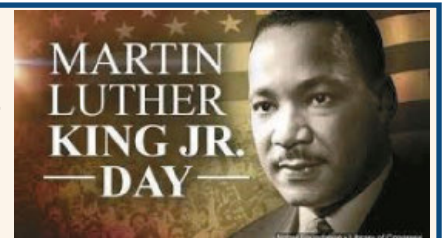
in God's plan, even when we are experiencing trials, and to pray that God may be glorified in our need. God may be teaching us through these difficulties. When the couple was faced with impending embarrassment because of the wine running out, God indeed was glorified in their need.

At the wedding in Cana, Mary's belief in God teaches us to fully trust in Jesus and to follow in His way even when we do not fully understand what God is asking of us. She demonstrated her unwavering faith when she confidently approached Jesus with a problem, believing he would solve it. Mary was actively involved, rather than being a helpless observer. She continues in that role from heaven now as an advocate for us by bringing our needs to Jesus

Mary is a model for how to respond to God's call in our lives. Mary invites us to be an instrument of God's grace to those around us, especially those in need. To always trust in God's providence to provide for our needs. When we place our complete trust in God, God always exceeds our expectations. Jesus provided drink finer than that which the hosts originally intend.

"Do whatever he tells you" signifies complete faith and confidence in Jesus. The dictionary defines whatever as something with no restrictions, no matter what happens. Mary invites us to go all in when it comes to listening to her Son. So, what does Jesus ask of us? To summarize in four words, 'Love God, love neighbor.' (Mark 12: 28-34)

In observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, all parish departments will be closed on Monday, January 20, 2025.





SERVE



St. Queen Isabella Ministry Coat+Blanket+Sock Drive

We are accepting gently used and brand-new coats, brand-new blankets, and brand-new socks through January 26, 2025. Donation bins are located in the de Sousa House, Parish Office, and the church.

Join the Altar Society

We are in need of volunteers to help with the upkeep and maintenance of the sanctuary and care for altar linens. If interested, contact our Art & Environment Ministry via text at 510.378.1933.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

We are in need of new Eucharistic Ministers for the 8:15 am Daily and Sunday 5:00 pm Masses.

Contact Dee Francisco at dee@holyspiritfremont.org if interested in joining this ministry.

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.

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:

- ⇒ Breakfast Cereal
- ⇒ Chef Boyardee / Canned Pasta
- ⇒ Spam

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

Diaconate Formation Information Meeting

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO THE DIACONATE? A new Deacon Formation class is starting in the Diocese of Oakland. For more information, interested men and their wives are invited to attend the information meeting.

Date: Sunday, January 26, 2025
Time: 2:00-3:00 pm
Location: Transfiguration Church
Parish Hall, 4000 E. Castro Valley Blvd., Castro Valley

For more information, Cielo Barroso-Branco in the Diocesan Office of Clergy Services: 510.267.8356 or CBranco@oakdiocese.org

Vocations Crucifix Program

Parishioners are encouraged to host the Vocations Crucifix for one week and pray for men and women discerning the vocation of priesthood or religious life.

The Vocations Crucifix is presented during Mass to families, individuals, or even groups of friends. Yes! Gather your friends and family together in person or on Zoom to pray for an increase in vocations.

To participate in this important prayer ministry, please contact the parish office at 510.797.1660.

Sunday, December 29	\$31,654
Second Collection coming up: Holy Spirit School January 26 Our weekly collection goal (excluding special collections): \$34,000	

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



Feast of Santo Niño

January 19, 2025

(Date/Time Change)

Join us for Mass at 3:00 pm as we celebrate the Feast of Santo Niño. Reception to follow immediately after Mass in the Peace Center.

All are welcome. Bring your children and statues or images of Santo Niño for a blessing.

We also invite you to pray the Novena with us on January 10-18, 2025, after the 7:00 daily and 7:15 am Sunday Masses.

Women Gather

February 15, 2025

Women Gather is an opportunity to pray, share faith and support one another. We begin at 10:00 am followed by potluck lunch and an afternoon of service.

Space at Casa Julie is limited. Please RSVP to Sr. Annette at 408.390.7184 or for more information or details.

Scripture Study—"Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled"

Wednesdays | 7:30-8:45 pm
de Sousa House

Join us on Wednesdays for a short eight-week program on the study of the Gospel of Luke consisting of a 15-minute daily preparation at home and a weekly small group session.

Materials will be provided. To register, please contact Rosalyn@holyspiritfremont.org



Walk for Life West Coast

January 25, 2025

Join us as we walk for the littlest among us at the 21st Annual Walk for Life West Coast. We continue to bear witness to life from conception to natural death as we peacefully walk and pray to change hearts and minds and for healing.

Mass at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption

1111 Gough Street, San Francisco

9:30 am: Walk for Life Mass celebrated by Archbishop Cordileone

Rally and Walk

Civic Center Plaza, San Francisco

12:30 pm: Walk for Life Rally

1:30 pm: Walk begins

We will hire a bus to transport parishioners to San Francisco for the Mass and the Rally, with the support of our Knight of Columbus Council.

Scan the QR code to reserve your spot. Please share the QR code and invite your family and friends to join us.

Please contact
rosalyn@holyspiritfremont.org
for more information.



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

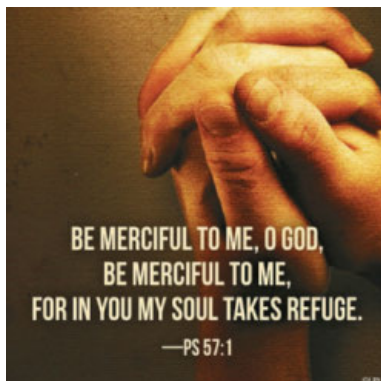
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- Raymil "Niño" Hortillosa
- Barbara Dutra
- Niovi Ordaz
- People in L.A. fires
- Evette & Michael Sandoval
- Marissa Cruzada
- Carol Robinson

Pray for Our Recently Departed

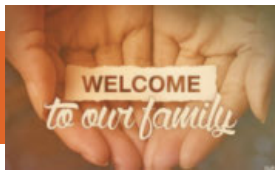
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- Ruben Herrera
- Delia Almazan
- Fortunata Convento
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- Michael Fonatello
- Salvador Alvarez
- John McGovern
- Carole Jessen

Birthday Blessings

- Michele Javier-Poma
- Michael Javier



As we honor the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., may we courageously speak out against injustice and work to bring about peace and harmony in our nation and in our communities.



INVITE

Filipino Society Food Sale

January 19, 2025 | Peace Center

The Filipino Society is hosting their \$10 meal deal after the morning and 12:30 Masses. Join us for a great meal and fellowship. We thank you for your support. Proceeds benefit parish special projects.

Holy Spirit School | Mass & Open House

January 26, 2025

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week with us! Join us for Mass at 9:00am in celebration of Catholic schools. Tour the classrooms and visit with faculty and staff at Holy Spirit School during Open House, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Math Tutor For Grades 6-8

A parishioner is volunteering his time to help middle schoolers with Math. If interested in signing up your child, please contact faithformation@holyspiritfremont.org.



The Chosen: An Interactive Bible Study

Mondays starting January 27, 2025

6:30 to 8:30 pm | de Sousa House Theater

Join Dn. Steve and Annette Lewellyn in reflection and study on the life of Jesus as portrayed in the groundbreaking series. Stop by the Parish Office to register. Purchase the study guide for Season 4 through [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com).

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life

February 2, 2025

In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd. It is a day to thank God for the gift of consecrated life and to promote the value of consecrated life.

This year, because World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life falls on a Sunday, we will have a "Meet & Greet" in St. Francis Plaza after all the (Sunday) Masses. This will be an opportunity to meet our local Sisters in person.

Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.



Valentine's Day Parents Date Night

February 14, 2025 | 5:00-9:00 pm

Parents of children ages 4-12 yrs. are invited to drop off their children at de Sousa House for a fun movie, crafts and pizza night while parents enjoy an evening out.



Scan the QR code for pricing and to reserve your spot! Hosted by Holy Spirit Faith Formation.



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Maintenance Technician Lead Needed

Holy Spirit Parish & School is seeking a qualified individual as our part-time, 23 hours per week, Maintenance Technician Lead.

The successful candidate will be responsible for providing preventative and predictive routine maintenance work, semi-skilled carpentry and plumbing work along with other minor buildings and grounds repair work throughout the campus.

For responsibilities and job classifications, visit the Announcements page our parish website. Go to <https://holyspiritfremont.org/announcements/>

Interested candidates should send their cover letter and resume to Eric Hom at eric@holyspiritfremont.org.

AROUND THE PARISH



Community Night Out

January 29, 2025 | 12:00-8:00 pm
Billy Roy's Burger Co.

All are welcome! Please join us for the Holy Spirit Church & School Community Dining Out Fundraiser. Bring your family and friends to Billy Roy's!

10% of your dining goes back to support our Holy Spirit School students. Please present the flyer at time of purchase—see below.

Holy Spirit School Crab Feed

March 1, 2025

Save the date! Holy Spirit School is hosting its annual Crab Feed & Auction. There will be lots of food, fun and fellowship.

For tickets, go to scan the QR code or go to <https://my.cheddarup.com/c/holy-spirit-crab-feed-2025/items?cart>

For more information, contact HSSCrabFeed@gmail.com



Holy Spirit School Students of the Month

Please join us in congratulating our December 2024 Students of the Month!

- Preschool:** Samuel Cuellar
- Kindergarten:** Sofia Martin
- 1st Grade:** Alexandra Paras
- 2nd Grade:** Amelia Gines
- 3rd Grade:** Alana Hoang
- 4th Grade:** Arya Reloba
- 5th Grade:** Max Reese
- 6th Grade:** Dante Ojeda
- 7th Grade:** MeKenzie Romero
- 8th Grade:** Analeiya Trinidad

CYO Track & Field

CYO Track & Field registration is now open for all athletes, regardless of experience. Kinder to 8th Graders welcome.

Registration is \$100 for the Spring 2025 season. Go to [HolySpiritCYO.com](https://www.holyspiritcyo.com) to register. Please contact Tom Fezler at Crosscountryathleticdirector@holyspiritcyo.com for more information.

Parish Office

Mondays to Fridays
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Sundays
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Pilgrimage to France

August 17-29, 2025

Join Fr. Ken Sales on a faith-filled pilgrimage. Visit holy sites in Lourdes, Toulouse, Lyon, Lisieux, and Paris!

The cost of \$5290 (dbl. occ. / additional \$680 for single occ.) includes round trip airfare (from SFO), accommodations, Holy Mass, guided tours, and breakfast and dinner daily.

Registration forms and brochures are available in the Parish Office and on the Announcements page of our website.

\$600 deposit is required with your registration and the final balance is due by May 10th.

Contact Alex Paras at 510.509.0585 or alerrparas68@gmail.com for more information.



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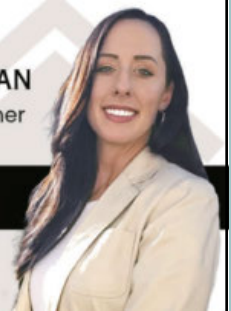


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