

ST. SEBASTIAN CHURCH

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SEPTEMBER 18, 2016

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“We give thanks to God always for all of you...”

—Thessalonians 1:2

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening.....5 PM
Sundays7AM, 9AM, & 11AM
Monday - Saturday ..7AM & 9AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays3:30 - 4:30PM

EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Mon-Fri 7:30-8:55am, 9:30-10:30, 3-4pm

Pastor Rev. Mark Taheny
Parochial Vicar Rev. Paul Perry
Deacon Rev. Mr. Bill Turrentine
Deacon Rev. Mr. David Previtali
Secretary..... Agata Konopka

Parish School of Religion / Confirmation:
Gretchen Harris: StSebPSR@gmail.com

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Deacon Dave: DcnDave@outlook.com

MASS INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 19 - 24

Mon 7AM Souls in Purgatory
 9AM Mel Santander

Tue 7AM Cincotta, Lazio & Alioto, *living*
 9AM Nancy Lampe, *living*

Wed 7AM Souls in Purgatory
 9AM Eithna Kilty

Thu 7AM Vincent Sullivan
 9AM Mary Halligan

Fri 7AM Pilar Porras
 9AM Fr. Gearoid O'Sullivan

Sat 7AM Carmen Arvisu
 9AM David Johnson

**PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING
PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Angela, Joe, Kristen, Mary, Milton & Ivette,
 Monica, Patrick, Sandra L., Stephanie, Tim, Ann
 Boeri, Judy Christadore, Cathy Connor, Elizabeth
 Cook, Tony Gallagher, Nancy Lampe, Monte
 Maroevich, Mark Piatti, Rose Tannlund, & Sherry
 Willis.

**2ND ANNUAL CRAFT FAIRE
NOVEMBER 5**

In the Parish Hall, exhibitors will sell their wares;
 people can do some Christmas shopping and have
 something delicious to eat.

Calling all crafters!

Reserve a table at our 2nd Annual Craft Faire,
 Saturday, November 5 from 9:30-1:30.
 \$35 for a large table and \$30 for a small.

BIBLE STUDY

The Bible Study led by
 Deacon Bill Turrentine
 meets on Sundays after
 the 9am Mass, down in
 the Parish Hall.

Drop in and take part!



NEXT WEEK ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

Next weekend, we have an opportunity to assist our
 Parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference through our
 2nd Collection. Your donations will help people in
 need who live within the boundaries of St. Sebastian
 Parish.

Parish BBQ Picnic

Sunday, October 2, 2016 12:30PM

*Please bring your favorite homemade cake if you would like to participate in a Bake Off.
 Prizes will be awarded. (No refrigeration available).*

Call the rectory to make your reservation and let us know if you will bring a cake.

Return this to the Parish Office with your check: \$7 ages 12 + over; \$5/younger kids

R.S.V.P.

PARISH BBQ

OCTOBER 2, 2016

by Sept. 28

NAME: _____

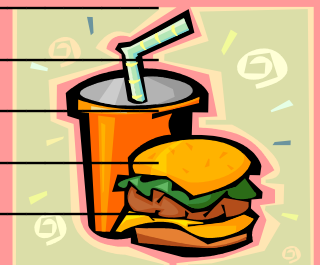
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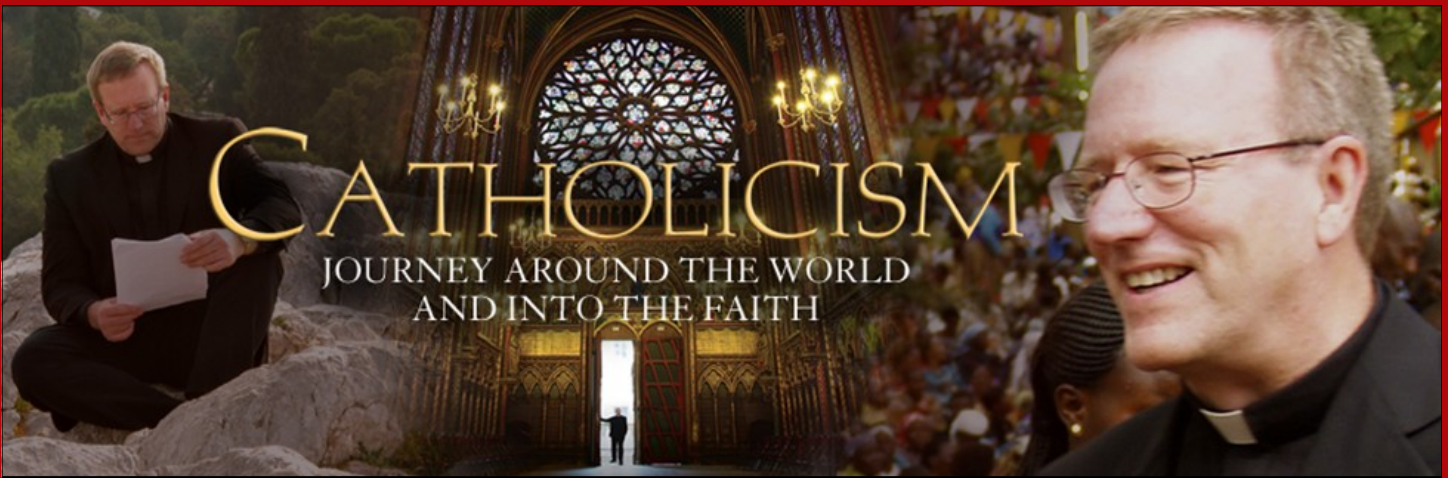
ADULTS ATTENDING _____

CHILDREN ATTENDING _____

ENCLOSED CHECK AMOUNT \$ _____

Payable to St. Sebastian Church ("Parish Picnic" on memo line)





CATHOLICISM VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE COURSE STARTING THURSDAY OCTOBER 6!

Deacon Dave will be leading an adult study of Catholicism for 6 Thursdays, in the hall, 7-8PM, beginning on Oct. 6. The course will meet weekly for 6 weeks, ending on Nov. 10. This will be a VERY unique study our Faith because it will bring us on a virtual pilgrimage (via DVD) led by Auxiliary Bishop Robert Barron of Los Angeles. We will be journeying to various shrines and sites of the Holy Land, Europe, and various other places to SEE what we are STUDYING. Participants will each have a Catholicism Pilgrimage Journal to make the lessons more personal and life-applicable.

This initial 6-week segment will cover the life and person of Jesus (Weeks 1 & 2), the Beatitudes and Gospel of Jesus (weeks 3 & 4) and the Reality & Mystery of God (Weeks 5 & 6). There will be 3 more 4-6 week courses of the Pilgrimage Study in the Winter & Spring of 2017, covering the other aspects of our Faith (Mary & the Saints. Sacraments, Church, etc).

If you want to experience the fullness of our Faith and "travels" then sign up NOW and come on this special pilgrimage-study with us! Suggested offering to cover cost of Journal is \$15, but no one is turned away for lack of payment. Signing up for the Course will be a huge help in preparation and ordering materials. To sign up email Deacon Dave (DcnDave@outlook.com) or call Agata at the parish office (415-461-0791, M/W/ F 9AM-2PM) and leave your name and contact information.

PRIESTS RETIREMENT FUND

This weekend, our parish is taking up a special collection to support our retired priests. It will help ensure the Priests' Retirement Fund stays healthy and hearty and continues to provide minimal monthly pensions as well as health insurance to our retired priests.

Please show your gratitude to those priests who have cared for and ministered to you by prayerfully reflecting on how you can best help support our priests' retirement with a gift to the Priests' Retirement Fund special collection. When you have completed the envelope you received, please return it during the collection or drop it off at the parish office.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Vehicle Program



St. Vincent de Paul of Marin is launching a new vehicle donation program in collaboration with SVDP National's vehicle vendor, CARS. If you have a car that you would like to donate for a tax deduction, you can call 800-322-8284 or go online and fill out the donation form at <http://vinnies.careasy.org/HOME.html>. Your gift supports the SVDP Free Dining Room in San Rafael which serves over 500 meals daily.

SUNDAY COLLECTION

<i>Weekly Goal</i>	\$ 4,200.
Last Weekend	\$ 4,023.

*The Discalced Carmelite
Nuns*

*cordially invite everyone to
attend the annual*

*Novena in honor of St.
Thérèse of the Child Jesus
and of the Holy Face
Sept. 23rd to Oct. 1st*



*Conducted by Rev. Robert Barcelos, OCD
Mass will be held at 6:00 PM each evening, in the
Monastery Chapel, 530 Blackstone Drive, San
Rafael.*

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: SEPT. 28 to NOV. 6

You're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 4th & H Street, San Rafael and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: Ruth Ann Cawley PH 415-383-6681 racawl@aol.com, 40daysforlife.com/sanrafael

ROSARY RALLY 2016

Call to Prayer

Saturday October 8, 12:00 noon

San Francisco's UN Plaza on Market & 7th St.

10:00 AM - Mass, St. Mary's Cathedral

11:15 AM Rosary Procession from the Cathedral

Keynote Speaker:

Most Reverend Salvatore J. Cordileone

Archbishop of San Francisco

*Celebrating the Centennial of the Apparitions
of Our Lady of Fatima (1917-2017)*

For more Information: www.rosaryrallysf.com

“In order to attract us, the Lord grants us many graces that we believe can easily obtain Heaven for us. We do not know, however, that in order to grow, we need hard bread: the cross, humiliation, trials and denials.”

—Padre Pio