



Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community

The Epiphany of the Lord

January 6, 2019

“They opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.” - Matthew 2:11b

SPECIAL NEWS

FOR THE PROTECTION OF YOUTH AND CHILDREN

The Diocese of Monterey released last week the names of all clergy who have had a credible accusation of the sexual abuse of a minor made against them over the past 60 years. Please read the enclosed letter from Bishop Wilkerson. You can also read the Diocesan report about this at <https://www.dioceseofmonterey.org>. Since the implementation of reforms in 2003, there have been only two credible accusations, so real changes have been made and will continue to be made to, insofar as it is possible, to bring that number to zero from now on. Thank you for your continued prayers as the Church worldwide seeks to reform itself and to become a more effective sacrament of God's salvation for the world.

UPCOMING EVENTS



WALK FOR LIFE: Walk for Life West Coast, an annual gathering and march in San Francisco to witness to the

sanctity of human life from conception to natural death, will take place on **Saturday, January 26**. We have a bus leaving from Resurrection parking lot at 7:30 AM. We'll attend the Mass for Life at the St. Mary's Cathedral, then join the Walk for Life rally and march. We'll return to Resurrection around 5:30 PM. Cost is \$40 for adults and \$15 for youth and children. To reserve a seat, advance, non-refundable payment is needed to Resurrection Church for "Walk for Life Bus". You may drop off or mail payment to the parish office. (Donations for the youth/children subsidy are much appreciated!) Don't delay! Seats will go quickly. For more information, contact "Deacon for Life" Patrick at 831-840-3750 or pfconway@sbcglobal.net.

UNPROTECTED - A POPE, THE PILL, AND THE PERILS OF SEXUAL CHAOS: "Unprotected" is a documentary film that looks at the prophetic witness of Pope Saint Paul VI regarding human sexuality. The Respect Life Department of the Diocese of Monterey recommends that we see the only screening in the Diocese of Monterey of "Unprotected" on **January 7, 2019 at 7:30 PM** at The Regal Santa Cruz 9, 1405 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz.

PARISH PASTORAL PLAN: After hearing all the responses to the Blessings and Dreams pastoral planning survey from this past year and prayerfully listening to the guidance of the Holy Spirit, Fr. Romeo and the Pastoral Planning Council have created our new Parish Pastoral Plan. We thank everyone who participated in the planning

process. Copies are available in the church entrance, at the parish office, and online. Please read it and pray, "God, what would you have me do?"

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS:



Sunday:

- Epiphany
- 10:15 AM RCIA (lounge)
- 11:30 AM Prime Timers (CCR)
- 11:30 AM Youth Group & Confirmation (MCC & YC)

Monday:

- 9:15 AM Faith Sharing Group (Crovo) (DMC)
- 9:30 AM Food Bagging for the Poor (hall)
- 11:00 AM Women's Guild Board Meeting (CR 3,4,5)
- 6:30 PM Youth Core Team Meeting (YC)
- 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop #609 Meeting (hall & lounge)

Tuesday:

- 9:15 AM Prime Timers Hospitality (CCR)
- 10:00 AM Gardening Group (outside)
- 5:00 PM Faith Community Shelter (MCC)
- 6:30 PM Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting (lounge)
- 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting (lounge)

Wednesday:

- 12:30 PM Chair Yoga (hall)
- 6:45 PM Pacific Voices Rehearsal (church)
- 7:00 PM Pastoral Council (YC)

Thursday:

- 9:30 AM Staff Meeting (lounge)
- 3:45 PM K-5 Faith Formation (MCC & YC)
- 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group (MCC & YC)

Friday:

- 11:00 AM Daniel Seamount Funeral & Reception (church & hall)

Saturday:

- CFCS Speaker at mass & presentation in CCR
- 8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC)
- 4:20 PM Rosary (BSC)
- 5:30 PM—9:30 PM Retrouvaille CORE (hall)

LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

If you're a Confirmed Catholic and have a deep love and reverence for Jesus in the Eucharist, then you'll love being an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist! Your parish needs you. If you're interested in learning more about this wonderful way to serve, please contact Deacon Patrick at pfconway@sbcglobal.net or 831-840-3750.

Intentions for January 5—13

Saturday 01/05

5:00 PM (EM) +Jack Kolp,
The People of the Parish

Sunday, 01/06

8:15 AM (RS) +Sarah Wardwell,
+Gene Ciabattari
10:15 AM (RS) +Dottie Miller
6:00 PM (RM) +Robert & Helen Nance,
+Diana & Warren Fischer

Monday, 01/07

8:30 AM Communion Service

Tuesday, 01/08

8:30 AM (MM&CG) +Dotty Garske

Wednesday, 01/09

8:30 AM (CG) +Jake Bregante

Thursday, 01/10

8:30 AM (RE) +Nick Mayer

Friday, 01/11

8:30 AM (RE) +Richard Williams

Saturday, 01/12

5:00 PM (RE) +Jeanne Schlup, +Dotty Garske,
+Willie Williams

Sunday, 01/13

8:15 AM (RE) +Vince Spoto,
The People of the Parish
10:15 AM (RE) +Kristine Daniel Englis
6:00 PM (MM) +Pat Combs

MM=Fr. Mike Marini, RS=Fr. Ron Shirley, EM=Fr. Edmond Monfette,
CG=Fr. Chad Green, RE=Fr. Romeo Evangelista

GOOD NEWS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-13;
Eph 3:203a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12
Monday: 1 Jn 3:22—4:6; Mt 4:12-17,23-25
Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52
Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19—5:4; Lk 4:14-22a
Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday: Is 40:1-5,9-11; Ps 104:1b-4,24-25,27-30;
Ti 2:11-14;3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16,21-22

THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED!

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (Matthew 2:1-12) and homily as we live out our Eucharist this week. Reflect upon it in your heart and mind, and discuss it with your family, friends and faith community members.

- A star led the magi to Bethlehem, to Jesus. What has led you to Jesus? In what ways do you lead others to Jesus?
- You many not have "gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh" for the Messiah-King; however, how might your sacrifice of time and willingness to serve be given as an act of homage to the Lord?
- How much of your prayer and spiritual practices entail paying homage to the Lord? How does God's glory manifest itself in your daily life?

PLEASE PRAY for ALL THOSE in NEED OF HEALING

Adam	Terry Erwin	Joleen Munoz
Cross/Boettcher/ Burghart families	Myriam Escudero	Judy Navarro
Henry S.	Dee Feci	Zoe Nink
Lorenzo Abeyta	Trent Feliss	Leo Olson
Marc Adato	Greg Finegan	Gina Orlando
Javier Anaya	Mark Emmet Fisher	Teresa Orosco
Becki Bailey	Tom Garske	Kathy Osmonson
Adeline Bautista	Sue Gibson	Connor Paulbitski
Maria Bernstein- Brumbaugh	Andre Grier	Dave Peasley
Stacy Bischoff	Avril Henderson	Gabe Ponce
Jeraldine Boger	Robert Higgins	Oliver Potts
Jim Bombardieri	Debra Hightower	Heidi R.
Vera Borroel	Rick Housouer	Pablo R.
Tracy Boyd	Allan Hughes	Chris Randolph
Michelle Brown	Fr. Derek Hughes	Dawn Renz
Basil Brunner	Jim Jackson	Mary Repetti
Betsy Burrows	Jaqueline Jacobs	Joel Rivera
Caitlin Jane Buse	Faye Jahnigen	Chellie Roberts
Carlos C.	Johnathan	Ray Rodman
Tony Cacache	Ariel Johnson	Bob Spencer
Dante Calcagno	John Jones	Jose Rufino
Ardith Campbell	D.B.K.	Valerie Ruschke
Chelsea & Family	Tony K.	John Sargetis
Mary Church	Baby Karleen	Joseph Saucier
Trish Cronin	Julie Watts Kenner	Anna Seely
Ralph Cross	Dylan Kinion	Kim Sessa
Edith Cuevas	Kathy Klapheke	Herb Silcox
Nancy Daves	Mary Klaus	Alisha Smith
Larry Davis	Joshua Kobinski	William Smith
Betty deHart	Michael Laffin	Diane Spoto
Carrie deHart	Ed Laverone	Agnes Subbiondo
Tavish deHart	Joan Lawlor	Olivia T.
Denise D.	Eric Lee	Bob Tanner
Sr. Joan Derry	Frank Leonetti	Kathleen Tavares
Ralph Desmond	Carrie Levin	Paul Thompson
Benny del Re	Donald Lowery	Alex Todisco
Margaret Detering	Matthew Ludlow	Estelle Turner
Mary Donatoni	Michael Lucas	Sharon Turner
Mark Duggan	Sylvia Lucas	Amy V.F.
Robert Duggan	Paul Madsen	Lawrence W.
Wyatt Duino	Peter Mannina	Tannis Welch
Pat Emard	Ginny Solari Mazry	Maggie Young
Peter Empson	Connie McGill- Fergus	Rosemary Zamora
Annie Enright	Bill McDow	
Sean Enright	Jackie McDow	
Alicia Enriquez	Mary McMenamy	
Irma Enriquez	Lisa McMenamy	
	George Mungai	

Please let the office know when a name can be removed from this prayer list. Thank you.

PRAYER LINE: Please call Rosalie Flores-Aguon (831-359-9799) or Mary Soltis (688-8326) if you or someone you know is in need of prayer.

IF YOU ARE HOSPITALIZED OR HOMEBOUND.....

If you or a member of your family are hospitalized or homebound, please call to let us know. We want to visit you in the hospital or home, but are often unaware of your situation. Due to HIPAA regulations, hospitals will not contact parishes unless you specifically request it.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

In today's second reading we hear Saint Paul teach the community at Ephesus that God's revelation had come, not just to their community, but to others as well; that a broader community of believers was being allowed to exercise stewardship over the Good News. Good stewards recognize that it is in our life together as a Eucharistic community that we find ever new vistas and insights into God's vast universe of love and mercy. If we take time to listen to one another, we discover stories of faith beyond our own. Pause this week to converse with others, listen to their prayers, and observe acts of kindness and generosity. See if you can gain an understanding of God and the world that you have not experienced or known before.



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE PARISH??

- Do you want to know "What's Happening in the Parish" BEFORE you see the bulletin at mass?
- Do you want a "SNEAK PREVIEW" of the bulletin before you arrive at mass or do you prefer to look at it online?
- If you answered "YES" to one of the questions above then "SIGN UP TO RECEIVE WEEKLY EMAILS FROM THE PARISH"

We send out a weekly email each Thursday or Friday about what is currently happening our parish. The bulletin is also included as a link. If you want to stay connected with the parish please consider signing up. This email is also used to communicate about other upcoming events/activities/needs. To sign up please email us at resurrectionparish@sbcglobal.net and we will sign you up.



Give to Resurrection Electronically! You can set up regular donations, or make a one time gift by simply scanning the QR Code to the right with your smart phone—it's easy!

- Give to Resurrection by clicking on the "Donate Now" link on our website, www.resurrection-aptos.org. It is a very safe and secure way to give.
- You can also click on the QR code and it will take you directly to our giving page.
- If you already give electronically you can update your own information. The email address that you provided will link to your account. Or you can call Karen in the parish office and she will update your account for you.



Welcome! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- New Parishioner New Address
 New Phone Number
 Moving—Remove from List
 Please send contribution envelopes
 Please send information on Electronic Giving

CHILDREN'S COLLECTION:

During the offertory at all the masses, we encourage the children, if they have something to offer or give, to come to the altar and place it in the basket.



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Plate Collection & Christmas Collection information will be posted in next week's bulletin.



PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY ONLINE VERSION AVAILABLE: Registered parishioners may call the office to request an access code or to make any changes in the information that is listed.

GREETERS NEEDED AT ALL MASSES:

Do you have an easy smile and a warm handshake? Would you like to get to know people's names? Have you ever thought about GREETING at the Mass you attend? Please call Bonnie Wolf - 831-684-1591- if you could greet at one Mass a month or agree to substitute on occasion, or if you have any questions about this ministry. Let your "Light Shine!"



SATURDAY MORNING MEDITATION: Do you practice some form of silent prayer frequently? occasionally? never? If your answer is "Yes!" you are cordially invited to join the multi-denominational meditation group that gathers each Saturday morning in the Daily Mass Chapel here at Resurrection at 8:30 AM. You don't need to pay anything or say anything! One of the lay leaders introduces the 25-minute period of meditation and ends it with a few inspirational words. We're finished about 9:00 AM and off to enjoy the day with a coffee or a trip to farmers' market. Contact Pat O'Brien (831)566-8234.

ROSARY GROUPS:

- Pray the Rosary, Monday through Friday, at 9:00 AM (after daily mass) in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.
- Rosary group meets every Saturday at 4:20 PM, before the 5:00 PM mass. The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy begins at 4:00 PM. All are welcome to join us.

OUTREACH



HOMEBOUND COMMUNION MINISTRY...

Each week specially-trained members of our community visit our homebound members to bring them Eucharist and loving support. More ministers are needed for this. Is God inviting you to share in this blessing? Your part would be to visit 3-5 homebound members once every five weeks. Your visits can be scheduled at your convenience on any day. For more information please call Deacon Patrick at 840-3750.

TRAVEL-SIZE TOILETRIES NEEDED! We currently have an urgent need for travel size toothbrushes, toothpaste, dental floss, and disposable razors. We often get requests for the small bottles of shampoo & conditioners. If you have some of these items, please drop them off at the assistance desk in Markey Community Center or the parish office.

RESURRECTION'S CARD CRAFTING CIRCLE is looking for additional volunteers. We meet once every 3-4 weeks to make cards – for holidays and other celebrations, plus general interest cards (such as sympathy, get well, etc.). All supplies are provided, and no special talent is needed. The Card Crafting Circle is a great opportunity to have fun, socialize with other parishioners, and do something important – helping to raise much-needed funds for our Faith Community Shelter ministry. Contact Pat Lorenzo (708-2068 or pat.lorenzo@yahoo.com) for more information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FAITH COMMUNITY SHELTER:

We are looking for 2 volunteers to work from 1:00-4:00 pm Monday- Saturday at the new St. John's Helpful Shop which is opening soon in the retail space near Manuel's Restaurant. The AFC will split profits with St. John's in the proportion to which we provide volunteers during regular shop hours. Currently, the AFC needs to raise about \$70,000 per year for the shelter's operational expenses; for our usual 18 guests, this is \$10.65 per person per night. Volunteers would wait on customers and provide other light-duty help as needed. No previous experience is necessary - training will be provided. If you are interested in this opportunity to help our shelter program or if you have any questions, please contact Pat Lorenzo (708-2068 or pat.lorenzo@yahoo.com) soon.



LET'S END MODERN SLAVERY!

Did you know that you can help reduce human slavery by purchasing products labeled "Fair Trade"? This is how we support the companies that sell us our food and other products who ensure that no human slavery was used in their supply and production chain. Yes, these items usually cost more, but that is because they are not being produced using slave or under-compensated labor.)

The US State Department estimates that 21 million men, women and children are being held in some kind of forced labor—modern slavery. (Other human rights groups put the number at 35 million.) These are some of the people who harvest our food, make our clothes, gather the raw materials made for electronics, jewelry and makeup, or who are sold for "adult pleasure". They are not only in far-off places, but right here in the Monterey Bay region. What can we do? First of all, educate ourselves. Visit the US Bishops webpage devoted to this: www.usccb.org/about/anti-trafficking-program for many resources. For action ideas visit:

www.endslaverynow.org/act

To report suspected human trafficking or to get help, call the National Human Trafficking Hotline at 1-888-373-7888. For more information about local events, contact LeeAnn Jones, Program Analyst at Monarch Services: 831-707-2206 or ljones@monarchsc.org



MANTLES OF CARING: The ministry of our knitting group, Mantles of Caring, is to provide support to those suffering loss, illness or other sorrows with the gift of a hand-knitted or crocheted shawl or lap robe. These beautiful items have been made with loving prayer for the receiver who may be a shut-in, undergoing medical treatment, or has a life-threatening or chronic illness. If you are such a person or know of someone who would benefit from one of these items, we offer it to you. In addition, Mantles of Caring, offers lovely handmade gifts such as scarfs, hats, ponchos and baby items, for sale at very reasonable prices to support our ministry. You are welcome to knit or crochet with us in the church conference room on the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 2:00—3:30 PM. Contact Pat O'Brien at 685-8639.



Many Hands

Embracing a sense of
community
Easing burdens
Enhancing quality of
life

The Many Hands Program is staffed by volunteers and is intended for minor solutions. Referrals for professional services will be provided when possible.

Volunteers currently provide:

- Occasional Transportation
- Minor Household Tasks
- Handyman referrals
- Household Safety and Risk Assessment
- Friendly Visitors Program
- Friendly Phone Calls

The Senior Resource Ministry will refer seniors with financial need to appropriate resources. The Senior Resource Directory is available for free in the parish office.

Volunteers are needed for these services to continue. Please contact Erma Coty, RN in the parish office at 831-688-4300 x17.

**NEED NOT BE A SENIOR
TO VOLUNTEER!**



CHAIR YOGA WITH SUZI MAHLER

Wednesday's at 12:30 PM
Markey Community Center

No classes on:
March 13



PRIME TIMERS INFORMATION 2019 HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We are hoping to kick start 2019 by meeting to deciding how to best meet the needs of the senior community at Resurrection. Those who wish to participate with a decision making committee should attend the meeting on January 6 after the 10:15am mass. Those who are unable to attend, please call or email suggestions to Erma Coty.

Prime Timers have had several successful functions in 2018, however, the need for a more effective approach has been identified. Come help us figure out what will work best in the coming year. The following are possible areas for change:

- Name change
- Date and time of meeting change
- Informal meetings during a social gathering
- Quarterly events with or without any other meeting

All suggestions will be reviewed by members of the core group of seniors who wish to participate in planning.

God Bless you all for your input and prayer in making this a successful transition.



PRIME TIMERS MEETING

There will be a meeting for those interested in being on a steering committee for Prime Timers, on Sunday, January 6 from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM in the church conference room. No regular Prime Timer meeting is scheduled.

HOSPITALITY

Hospitality, on Tuesday mornings, will resume on January 8, 2019.



FAITH FORMATION

BIBLICAL SPIRITUALITY:

We're on break this week, and will resume on Thursday, January 17th at 12:30 PM in the daily mass chapel to reflect on the readings for the upcoming Sunday. It's a fact that regular doses of God's Word make you happier. Come and see!

STRENGTHS FINDER

We invite everyone age 15 and older to do the Strengths Finder online survey as a way of discovering our God-given strengths and gifts. Here's how:

1. Email Barbara Smith at barbshank08@yahoo.com and let her know you'd like to take the online StrengthsFinder survey. (If you don't have internet access, call the parish office at 688-4300.)
2. Pay the \$15 fee (Barbara will explain how) and she'll send you an online log-in code. (If \$15 is a hardship, let us know & pay what you can.)
3. Take the online survey and email your 5 top strengths back to Barbara.
4. Contact Deacon Patrick at pfconway@sbcglobal.net to schedule an appointment to get your *Living Your Strengths* book and learn more about your top 5 strengths and how you can better use them.
5. Enjoy greater fulfillment in knowing and living your strengths!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU to everyone who helped beautify the church for Christmas. We couldn't have done it without you.

THANK YOU TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS for providing the parish with the books, "The Biggest Lie in the History of Christianity" which were given out as Christmas gifts to the parish. It was a greatly appreciated.



ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS:

Resurrection Women's Guild is accepting applications for their Annual "Pat Garske Memorial Scholarship". The \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior girl who is a member of Resurrection parish. Are you involved in your community, school and/or parish—have good grades (honor roll not a requirement) and are you committed to entering college (including Community College) in 2019? If you answered "yes", you may be in line for the Resurrection Women's Guild Award! Applications are due March 1st and may be acquired on our website www.resurrection-aptos.org under "Resource Center"—"Events" or in parish office. For more information, contact Resurrection Women's Guild scholarship coordinator, Jan Finney at (831) 684-2879 or email jannyg38@yahoo.com



ALTAR LINENS: We are looking for a few volunteers to help launder and iron our altar linens in 2019! This would require a one month commitment. We need help in the months of **August and September**. Please call the office if you are able to help.

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL

Deborah Rovick 688-4300 x 22 or darovick@att.net
Director of Faith Formation for Children, Youth & Young Adults

Middle School (Grades 6-8):

- January 10, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- January 13, 10:15 AM, Youth Mass
- January 17, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- January 24, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- January 31, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- February 7, No Middle School Youth Group
- February 14, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- February 21, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group
- February 24, 10:15 AM, Youth Mass
- February 28, 6:30—8:00 PM, Middle School Youth Group



High School (Grades 9-12):

- January 6, 11:30 AM—1:30 PM, High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- January 13, 10:15 AM—1:30 PM, Youth Mass & Confirmation 1st Year Rite of Welcome followed by High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- January 20, No High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- January 26, Pizza Sales begin after mass
- January 27, 11:30 AM—1:30 PM, High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- February 2, 9:00 AM—1:00 PM, High School Youth Group & Confirmation Pizza Making
- February 3, 8:00 AM—12:00 Noon and 5:30—6:30 PM, Pizza Distribution
- February 10, 11:30 AM—1:30 PM High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- February 17, No High School Youth Group & Confirmation
- February 24, 10:15 AM—1:30 PM Youth Mass followed by High School Youth Group & Confirmation

MAKING YOUR WISHES KNOWN:



Community Outreach Staff from Catholic Funeral & Cemetery Services, a Ministry of the Diocese of Monterey, will be here on January 12 and 13

after all the masses to discuss the spiritual and practical reasons for learning about end-of-life arrangements for yourself and loved ones. Please take advantage of this opportunity to better understand the importance of a Catholic funeral and burial. Please join us after mass in the church conference room (behind the altar).

KITCHEN TOWELS:

We are looking for volunteers to help launder our kitchen towels in 2019! This would require a one month commitment—washing the kitchen towels once a week during that month. We currently need help in the months of **July & September**. Please call the office if you are able to help.



THANK YOU TO OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS! On the back of this bulletin you will find many advertisers who have been faithfully advertising for a number of years. We appreciate their support and want to support their businesses in return. Please take a look at our advertisers and if you are looking for a product or service please consider our bulletin advertisers first. And let them know you saw them in the bulletin. Advertising income contributes vital funds to our parish. In addition, there is an opportunity to purchase a "Memorial" space at the cost of \$230 per quarter. Ad spaces are available for the next quarter (Apr/May/Jun) and the deadline is March 1. Information on ad rates and sizes is available at <https://resurrection-aptos.org/> If you have any questions or know of a business that might be interested in advertising, contact Ann Fitts, 818-1417, ann@growingupsc.com. Thank you!



MARRIED SINGLES LIFESTYLE –The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages.

This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress from disillusionment to deep misery. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on January 18th call 831-479-1260 or email: Monterey@RetroCA.com or visit the web site at HelpOurMarriage.org

HEALING MASS: St. John's Catholic Church in Felton will have 2 upcoming healing masses, January 9 and February 13, both at 6:30 PM. Questions, please contact Dave Butler at 234-9911.

RESPECT LIFE:



The annual Respect Life Mass celebrated by Bishop Gerald Wilkerson will take place on Wednesday, January 23rd 2019 at 7:00 PM at Madonna Del Sasso Pro-Cathedral in Salinas.. Bishop Wilkerson invites all parishioners in the Monterey diocese to come and attend this annual mass.

RECYCLING: Do you know that any recycling that you bring in to the parish hall's designated containers (aluminum cans, glass bottles, plastic bottles) benefits our youth ministry? Please bring in your recyclables with lids removed and help our youth. It's a win-win—we help our youth and protect our environment. The recycling container is in the hall. Please do not leave items outside the youth center building. Thank you for your generosity.

WOMEN, WANT TO TRY SOMETHING NEW IN 2019?

Want to deepen your faith? Come join our Holy Cross Women's Ministry study Believing God, By Beth Moore. Based on Isaiah 43:10, We will explore what it means not only "to believe in God" but "to believe Him." Through studying the lives of Abraham, Moses, and others as examples of persons who believed God, Beth encourages women to deepen their own trust in God. Fridays, Starting January 4, Holy Cross Pastoral Center Room 206, 9:15 to 11:00 AM. Call Kathy Pappas 831-818-3034 for more information.

**Celebrate 50 Years as a Parish
at our Mardi Gras style
Golden Anniversary Dinner Dance
Saturday, February 16, 2019
at Seascape Resort**



Featuring dinner, dancing
and for the
brave...Karaoke!

We will also have our annual 50/50 raffle drawing and a few other fun activities to help raise vital funds for the parish.

If you or your business would like to help sponsor the event please contact Karen in the parish office. There are several sponsorship levels.

Further information and ticket sales will be coming soon.

Women's Retreat

Sponsored by Resurrection Women's Guild

Feb 6, 2019

10:00 to 3:30

Villa Maria Del Mar



"In Him We Love"

Presented by Father Larry Percell

Cost is \$60.00 and includes refreshments and lunch

For further details or to register call Susan Crovo (831) 429-1785

Christmas Flower Donations 2018

In Memory of:

- ◆ Anna & Daniel Marsilio by Maria Marsilio
- ◆ Sylvia & Vincent Cordoni, George & Cathy Chinchar and Shirley Hughes by Al & Bella Hughes
- ◆ Doug McDaniel, Bunka Austin & Leonora Swain by Gayland & Donna Swain
- ◆ Mike Springer, Mark Mickelson and Bob Walter by Kristina Hagemeyer
- ◆ Art Schmidt by Carolyn Schmidt
- ◆ Deno & Joan Bonacorsi by Doris Duncanson
- ◆ Mom– Marie Dias & Daughter—Joan Feci by Dee Feci
- ◆ Miguel Avelar, Mark Gonzalez, Gwen Molinaro, Gerald Fitzgerald & Lynn Fitzgerald by Lidia Avelar
- ◆ Bernadette Meziere by Yvette Meziere-Gai
- ◆ Ken Boettch & Jesus Espinosa by Maggie & Ralph Cross
- ◆ Joseph & Vivian Zimmatore by Jeanette Summa
- ◆ Jeanne Davis by Marilyn Walsh
- ◆ Robert & Lorriane Dromgoole, Alfred & Elizabeth Young, James & Catherine Morgan, Herold & Marie Scott, Daniel Tavares, Glen & MaryLou Williams by Deanna & Larry Young
- ◆ Ernest & Julia Victorino, Jack & Pat Stocker, Jim Bosso, Krissy Taylor & Kyle Gagnon by Karen Victorino
- ◆ Roy & Phyllis Forman, Edward & Sophia Bystran, & Don Jackson by Sharon & Ed Bystran
- ◆ Elizabeth De Souza (mom) by Faye Jahnigen
- ◆ Herbert Kain by Margaret Kain
- ◆ John Czarnecki, Lucille McGuire, Gary Brett &



- Marian Czarnecki by Kendra & Jason Rickwald
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Thank you to everyone who donated towards our Christmas Flower Fund.



January 2, 2019

To the People of God in the Diocese of Monterey

My dear sisters and brothers in Christ:

Today, we released the list of priests, deacons and religious who have been credibly accused of sexual misconduct with a minor while serving for the Diocese of Monterey. We engaged an outside law firm to review our clergy files and to make an independent decision as to whether any file contains a credible allegation of sexual misconduct involving a child. The files of all known allegations against priests, deacons, religious and seminarians were reviewed as well as the files of all active priests, deacons, religious and seminarians. All the names included in the list are those determined by the outside law firm. The Diocese of Monterey's Independent Review Board (composed of lay people and one priest) also reviewed the list of names and has concurred in the result.

This has been a painful process for all involved. Sexual misconduct with a minor is a heinous sin and crime and something that should never happen -- especially by a trusted person such as a priest, deacon or religious. I deeply apologize to every victim of sexual misconduct by anyone associated with the Diocese of Monterey and I extend the offer of counseling to you. To access these services, please contact our Victims' Assistance Coordinator, Rio Castillo, at 800-321-5220 or rcastillo@dioceseofmonterey.org.

We have been working and continue to work hard to ensure the safety of the children and young people under our care. Their physical and emotional safety is our top priority. As you will see from the list released today, nearly 95% of the sexual misconduct occurred before the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People was implemented in the Diocese of Monterey in 2003. Since 2003, there have been only two credible allegations against a priest, deacon, religious or seminarian involving sexual misconduct with a child. Even so, those two instances should not have occurred, and I am profoundly sorry for them.

Over the past sixteen years since the Bishops of the United States promulgated the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, the Diocese of Monterey has embraced the Charter and has implemented policies and procedures to protect children including the following:

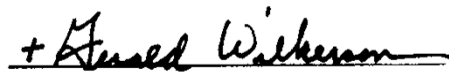
1. We require everyone who works with children or young people or who such children would see as a "safe church person" to be fingerprinted and to undergo training in child abuse prevention. Since 2003, we have completed criminal background checks on

26,000 people. This number includes every priest, deacon, and all employees and volunteers who work with children;

1. We have a Code of Pastoral Conduct in place that outlines the expectations when working with children and, we have trained everyone who works with children in this Code of Conduct;
2. We immediately turn over all cases of suspected child abuse to law enforcement and have provided extensive training on mandatory reporting of child abuse to our employees;
3. We train our children (both in religious education and Catholic Schools) in how to stay safe from child abuse and what to do if they are being abused;
4. We have a Pastoral Outreach Coordinator to respond to victims of clergy sexual misconduct. Her toll-free number is 800-321-5220; and,
5. The Diocese has an Independent Review Board to advise the Bishop on child abuse whether it involves priests, deacons or lay people.

If you feel you are the victim of sexual misconduct involving anyone associated with the Church in Monterey or anywhere, please report to law enforcement and then to us. You may report it to the Moderator of the Curia, Fr. Peter Crivello, the Chancellor, Deacon Hugo Patino or to the Victim's Assistance Coordinator, Rio Castillo. Fr. Crivello and Deacon Patino may be reached at 831-373-4345 or via email to pcrivello@dioceseofmonterey.org or hpatino@dioceseofmonterey.org. Ms. Castillo may be reached at 1-800-321-5220 or rcastillo@dioceseofmonterey.org.

Sincerely yours,



Most Reverend Gerald Wilkerson, D.D.
Apostolic Administrator

The Report of Credible Allegations is available on the Diocese of Monterey's website at www.dioceseofmonterey.org

January 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		New Year's Day - Parish Office Closed 10:00 AM Solemnity of Mary Mass (Church)	12:30 PM Chair Yoga (Hall) 6:30 PM Youth Core Team Meeting (YC) 6:45 PM Pacific Voices Rehearsal (Church)	6:30 PM Music Rehearsal (Church & CCR)	10:00 AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (BSC) 11:00 AM Richard Williams Funeral & Reception (Church & Hall) 7:00 PM Dotty Garske Vigil (Church)	8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC) 11:00 AM Dotty Garske Funeral & Reception (Church & Hall) 4:20 PM Rosary (BSC)
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Epiphany 10:15 AM Baptisms (Church) 10:15 AM RCIA (Lounge) 11:30 AM Prime Timers (CCR) 11:30 AM Youth Group & Confirmation (MCC & YC)	9:15 AM Faith Sharing Group (Crovo) (DMC) 9:30 AM Food Bagging for Poor (Hall) 11:00 AM Women's Guild Board Mtg. (CR 3,4,5) 6:30 PM Youth Core Team Meeting (YC) 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop #609 Meeting (Hall & Lounge)	9:15 AM Prime Timers Hospitality (CCR) 10:00 AM Gardening Group (Outside) 5:00 PM Faith Community Shelter (MCC) 6:30 PM Knights of Columbus Officer's Mtg. (Lounge) 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus Mtg. (Lounge)	12:30 PM Chair Yoga (Hall) 6:45 PM Pacific Voices Rehearsal (Church) 7:00 PM Pastoral Council (YC)	9:30 AM Staff Meeting (Lounge) 12:30 PM Bible Study (DMC) 3:45 PM K-5 Faith Formation (MCC & YC) 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group (MCC & YC)	11:00 AM Daniel Seamount Funeral & Reception (Church & Hall)	CFCS Speaker at mass & presentation in CCR 8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC) 4:20 PM Rosary (BSC) 5:30 PM -9:30 PM Retrouvaille CORE (Hall)
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GS to speak at mass (TBC) 10:15 AM RCIA (Lounge)	Martin Luther King Day - Parish Office Closed	9:15 AM Prime Timers Hospitality (CCR) 10:00 AM Gardening Group (Outside) 5:00 PM Faith Community Shelter (MCC) 6:30 PM Youth Core Team Meeting (YC)	12:30 PM Chair Yoga (Hall) 6:00 PM Finance Council (Lounge) 6:45 PM Pacific Voices Rehearsal (Church)	9:30 AM Staff Meeting (Lounge) 12:30 PM Bible Study (DMC) 3:45 PM K-5 Faith Formation (MCC & YC) 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group (MCC & YC) 7:30 PM 1st Eucharist Parent Meeting (DMC)		Pizza Sales after mass 7:00 AM Walk for Life (Offsite) 8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC) 11:30 AM -6:30 PM Retrouvaille POST (Hall) 4:20 PM Rosary (BSC)
27	28	29	30	31		
Catholic Schools Week Begins Pizza Sales all masses 10:15 AM Catholic Schools Mass (Church) 10:15 AM RCIA (Lounge) 11:30 AM 1st Reconciliation Practice (Church) 11:30 AM Youth Group & Confirmation (MCC & YC)	9:15 AM Faith Sharing Group (Crovo) (DMC) 11:30 AM Women's Guild Mtg. (CRs & Hall) 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop #609 Meeting (Hall & Lounge)	9:15 AM Prime Timers Hospitality (CCR) 10:00 AM Gardening Group (Outside) 5:00 PM Faith Community Shelter (MCC)	12:30 PM Chair Yoga (Hall) 6:45 PM Pacific Voices Rehearsal (Church)	12:30 PM Bible Study (DMC) 3:45 PM K-5 Faith Formation (MCC & YC) 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group (MCC & YC) 6:30 PM Music Rehearsal (Church & CCR)		