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APRIL 21, 2024



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep." - Jn 10:14-15

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Morning Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday, 7:30am

Confessions

Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30pm or by Appointment

Saturday Vigil, 5:00pm

Sunday, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30am

First Friday of the Month

Holy Hour & Benediction, 8:00 - 9:00am

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Through the Gospel Message of Jesus Christ, St. Patrick Parish is the hands, feet, body and heart of Christ, that serves, loves and enlightens others to make God better known.



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Kelly Stevens, Principal
 Preschool through 8th Grade
 Nursery Infant Care Center
 (6-weeks to 2.5 years)

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www.stpatrickschoolrodeo.org

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Masses in the Church, 7:30am 9:30am, 11:30am

One Collection

Hospitality, 7:30am and 9:30am

Gift Shop, 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30am

Last Day Confirmation Session, 1:30pm - 2:30pm

Youth Ministry, 3:00pm - 4:00pm

MONDAY, APRIL 22

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

Fr. Larry's Scripture Class, 8:15am - 9:15am

For Sunday, April 28th, Fifth Sunday of Easter

St. Patrick Pastoral Council Meeting, 7:00pm

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

CYO Picture Taking in the Hall, 3:30pm

Fr. Larry's Scripture Class, 7:30pm - 8:30pm

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena, 8:00am

School Mass (TK-2), 8:30am

CYO Picture Taking in the Hall, 2:00pm

Stewardship Zoom Meeting, 7:00pm

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

FEAST OF ST. MARK, EVANGELIST

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

Edge, 5:30pm

Faith Formation, 5:45pm

Parish Finance Council Meeting, 7:00pm

Stewardship Committee Meeting, 7:15pm Hall

FRIDAY, APRIL 26

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

Santo Niño Novena, 8:00am

St. Patrick School, 6:00 - 8:00pm

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

Mass in the Church, 7:30am

Legion of Mary Rosary, 8:00am

Confessions, 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Vigil Mass, 5:00pm

One Collection

Parish Stewardship Fair after 5:00pm

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Masses in the Church, 7:30am 9:30am, 11:30am

One Collection

No Children's Liturgy of the Word

Parish Stewardship Fair after all Masses

Last Day of Youth Ministry class, 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Children's Choir Practice, 6:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

APRIL 21 - 28, 2024

Sun	04/21	7:30a	For the People of St. Patrick Parish	
		9:30a	Luis Santos, Sr. †	Santos Family
		11:30a	Potenciano Larrazabal, Jr. †	Linda Tuason
Mon	04/22	7:30a	Nopracio Malonzo †	Myrna Tamanaha
Tues	04/23	7:30a	Teodoro Alvarez †	Suzette Romero
Wed	04/24	7:30a	Barcemia Lauder †	Jenny Lauder
Thurs	04/25	7:30a	Angel P. Benitez †	Edna de Mesa
Fri	04/26	7:30a	Aleli Bandong †	Aileen Valentine
Sat	04/27	7:30a	Arvil D. Reyes (Thanksgiving)	Vilma Reyes and Family
		5:00p	Jared Viray †	Viray Family
Sun	04/28	7:30a	For the People of St. Patrick Parish	
		9:30a	Macaria Santos †	Santos Family
		11:30a	Felipa Laganao †	Agnes Lapatha

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Please note that we are counting on the weekly collection of \$11,200.00 to meet our 2024 budget. Please give your part to help us reach our goal.

*Please continue to send your offering by mail, via online or bring them to the parish office,
Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm
Thank you.*

Regular Parish Collection

Plate Collection	\$7,792.35
Online Giving	<u>\$2,278.43</u>
	<u>\$10,070.78</u>

Online E-Giving



A Message from our Pastor

Dear People of St. Patrick Parish,

In our second reading from 1 John, *“Beloved: see what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. Yet so we are.”* John points out to us that as children, one day we will see the Father and Jesus and the Holy Spirit forever in the joy of eternal life in heaven.

Today, we the children ask ourselves, is this what living my Catholic Faith means to me?

In the Gospel, John has used the words of Jesus, *“I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”* As good children of God and following Jesus the Good Shepherd, we have the tools we need to get to heaven.

Yes, Jesus laid down His life for all people on the cross and after His Resurrection continues to guide us, forgive us and help us to take the right path that will lead us to Heaven.

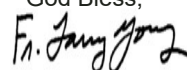
Let us hear Jesus tell us that, *“He has other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice and there will be one flock, one shepherd.”*

In these readings, we are made to think, am I following Jesus the Good Shepherd, do I understand, how He feeds me in Holy Communion?

With this knowledge am I am doing my part to lead others to Christ by my actions and pride in being a child of God.

Please reflect on these thoughts as we make our contributions to the Bishop’s Ministry Appeal 2024, to be used in the Diocese of Oakland. Also, our contributions to the Be the Light, to help all the people of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Rodeo-Hercules.

We are very proud of our young people who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last week and are now fully initiated Catholics. If we are not confirmed, let us make it happen.

God Bless,


Fr. Larry Young
Your Pastor

News ~ Information ~ events

ALTAR SOCIETY/ENVIRONMENT

For information purposes, please note that both the Environment Committee and the Gift Shop are both part of the Altar Society. We welcome new and former members to join our Altar Society and help with all our endeavors. More information about us will be provided at the Stewardship Fair to be held in the Church Hall April 27-28.



GIFT SHOP OPEN TODAY

Please stop by and see our various items, including Confirmation and First Communion gifts. We can only accept cash or checks in payment. Thank you.

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ENVELOPE USERS

2023 Tax Donation statements are now available. Please call the office at 510-799-4406 or email:

parishoffice@stpatrickrodeo.org



Join us for our Stewardship Fair on April 27-28, following all Masses! This is a wonderful opportunity to explore the various ministries and groups we offer. Stop by to discover how you can get involved and enrich our community!

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Wyatt Christopher Marieiro
April 13, 2024
who received the Sacrament of Baptism.
We welcome you to the Catholic faith.



ALTAR SOCIETY WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

ST. PATRICK CHURCH WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

The Altar Society has a Women's Support Group that gathers together monthly, usually during the week at about 1:00 p.m. We invite our women parishioners who would like to join with us for some support they feel a need for in their daily lives. This includes if you are widowed, live alone, a caretaker, having difficulties making decisions or just being able to get some help by conversations with our group. (Been there- done that!) For further information, please complete the following and drop this off at the ministry center, so someone can contact you.

NAME _____

PHONE NO. _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

WEEK DAYS AVAILABLE TO MEET _____



ST. PATRICK SCHOOL PTG FAMILY NIGHT FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024 6:00PM - 9:00PM

St. Patrick School PTG is taking you back to the 90's. Family dance party, food trucks & dessert vendor, lip sync battle, 90's trivia, photo booth, face painting, balloon art and more.

St. Patrick Catholic Church
Altar Society and Environment Group
YOU ARE INVITED
To a Pre-Mother's Day Faint Party

Date: May 4, 2024
Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM
Venue: St. Patrick's Church Hall
825 Seventh St., Rodeo, CA 94572
Price: \$40.00 (all materials included)

*Participants must be at least 13 years of age
*Max 100 participants
*For inquiries: may call or text (510)417-0514 / (510)309-1362

Women's Sacred Healing Circle
Effective Self-Healing Techniques and Practices

Center and be part of a sacred healing circle, meeting monthly to learn and share in new ways of connecting science and spirituality. A "spectrum field of possibilities" and co-creating pathways to higher consciousness that lead to healing. Together we will seek ways to become the transformational change which can lead to oneness in the world, increasing hope, love, joy, peace and gratitude on earth. You are invited to come together to share and vibrate the Light of Christ out into the cosmos.

Sister Juana is a Dominican, Sister of Mission San Jose and a professional Energy Medicine therapist, with extensive training and experience in the field of Mind-Body Healing.

Jan. 12: Overview of Human Energy System
Feb. 16: Cultivating Soulevents of Light Within
Mar. 15: Cultivating Soulevents of Light Among
Apr. 19: Cultivating Soulevents of Light Beyond
May 27: Integrating Utility Consciousness and Oneness

Time: 10 am - 12 Noon
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Motherhouse Wellness Room, 42324 Mission Circle, Entrance Off Mission Trail, Fremont, CA 94539
www.mdcdaughters.org For more information, call (510) 935-1548

Search & Serve Retreat
May 22 - 27, 2024
San Francisco Bay Area
July 6 - 11, 2024, Evansville, IN

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FOR SINGLE CATHOLIC WOMEN 18-40.

Life at St. Patrick Parish

PARISH FUND RAISING COMMITTEE - Thank you to Tita Escalada and the Parish Fund Raising Committee for making us all aware of the Parish needs and caring about our total Parish.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - Congratulations to all those who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Thursday, and to their families who made it possible for them.

STEWARDSHIP FAIR - April 27 and 28, the Parish will host the Stewardship Fair that helps us all to know how we can better serve all the people of St. Patrick Parish as our Faith Filled Parish Family.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING - Just a reminder that anyone may attend the Regular Parish Council meetings to observe or share your thoughts. Monday, April 22 at 7:00pm, in the Parish Hall.

HOW CAN I HELP TO MAKE SURE THAT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH HAS WHAT IS NEEDED TO SHARE AND SPREAD THAT FAITH?

- Give to Bishop's Ministries Appeal 2024
- Give to "Be the Light"
- Support "Mrs. Saint Patrick Event"

EARTH WEEK - This week is to celebrate Earth Week to enjoy the earth God has given to us and to renew our efforts to protect it and also to enjoy it. Take some time to thank God and smell the flowers.



Reminder

St. Patrick Children's Choir

WE HAVE PRACTICE
APRIL 28 6:00pm
JUNE 23 6:00pm

We are Singing JUNE 30
Sunday Mass
10:30 am practice

NO PRACTICES:

MAY 26, JULY 28 AND AUGUST 25

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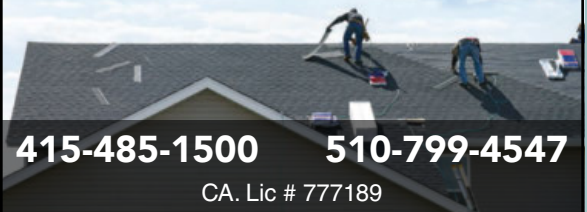
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