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**MAY 05, 2024**



**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

"It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you. This I command you: love one another." - Jn 15:16-17

**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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## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

### SUNDAY, MAY 05

#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Masses in the Church, 7:30am 9:30am, 11:30am  
 Two Collections - Regular Sunday and Maintenance Collection  
 Hospitality, 7:30am and 9:30am  
 Gift Shop, 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30am  
 Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30am, 11:30am  
 Cinco de Mayo

### MONDAY, MAY 06

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Fr. Larry's Scripture Class for next Sunday, The Feast of the  
 Ascension of the Lord, 8:15am - 9:15am

### TUESDAY, MAY 07

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Fr. Larry's Scripture Class, 7:30pm - 8:30pm

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 08

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena, 8:00am  
 School Mass (Gr.3-5), 8:30am

### THURSDAY, MAY 09

#### THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD, WILL BE CELEBRATED ON SUNDAY

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Edge Class, 5:30pm  
 Faith Formation Class, 5:45pm

### FRIDAY, MAY 10

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Santo Niño Novena, 8:00am - 9:00am  
 Family Night (School Yard), 6:00 - 9:00pm

### SATURDAY, MAY 11

Mass in the Church, 7:30am  
 Legion of Mary Rosary, 8:00am  
 First Holy Communion Mass, St. Patrick Catholic School, 9:00am  
 First Holy Communion Mass, Parish Faith Formation class, 11:00am  
 Confessions, 3:30pm - 4:30pm  
 Vigil Mass, 5:00pm  
 Two Collections - Catholic Charities

### SUNDAY, MAY 12

#### THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mother's Day  
 Masses in the Church, 7:30am 9:30am, 11:30am  
 Two Collections - Catholic Charities  
 Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30am, 11:30am

## MASS INTENTIONS

### MAY 05 - 12, 2024

Sun	05/05	7:30a	<b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a	<b>Leonor Tioseco †</b>	Tioseco Family
		11:30a	<b>George Villavicencio</b> (Birthday)	Teresita Villavicencio
Mon	05/06	7:30a	<b>Sandra Durish †</b>	Durish Family
Tues	05/07	7:30a	<b>Joshua Aguila Saeyang</b>	Maria Corazon Aguila
Wed	05/08	7:30a	<b>Pablo Cañadido, Sr.</b>	Maria Corazon Aguila
Thurs	05/09	7:30a	<b>Teresa Spry</b> (Thanksgiving)	Spry Family
Fri	05/10	7:30a	<b>Ma. Lourdes Carpio-Rigo †</b>	Lynette Ravenera
Sat	05/11	7:30a	<b>Gloria Pacumio</b> (Birthday)	Family
		5:00p	<b>Felix Lachica †</b>	Rosita Lachica
Sun	05/12	7:30a	<b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a	<b>Nopracio Malonzo †</b>	Myrna Tamanaha
		11:30a	<b>Addie Kramer †</b>	The Kramer Family

## 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	8,381.75
Online Giving	2,148.48
	\$10,530.23

Online E-Giving



## A Message from our Pastor

Dear People of St. Patrick Parish,

The readings today bring our minds to reflect on the word LOVE, strong affection for another arising out of kinship or personal ties.

The whole law of God is to love God with our whole heart and soul and mind and with all our whole strength. That applies to our God whom we should love.

But that same God tells us to love our neighbors as ourselves.

We love God because He is good.

We love God because He loves us.

We love God because He created us.

We love God because He created the people we love in our lives:

e.g., Parents, brothers and sisters, husbands and wives, children, people who care for us in so many different ways.

One who loves God is united with Him and we try to always follow His Commandments.

Since this loving God loves us, we must respect that love by taking good care of our own lives. Live with respect for our body that we hope will one day be with God in heaven forever.

We must also love our neighbors. When we are angry or hating our neighbors, we must remember that, that person is a child of God, made in the image of God. God loves him so much that He died to redeem him.

Perhaps the person is sinning, but God is his judge and wants to forgive him. We should pray for that person to turn to God and seek forgiveness and stop sinning.

Well, we see that God the Father and God the Son showed love in so many ways, let us follow their example.

I love you is easy to say, but do I really mean those words in my actions.

God love you,  
Fr. Larry Young  
Your Pastor

# News ~ Information ~ events

**ST. PATRICK, RODEO, FLORES DE MAYO 2024**  
 San Lorenzo Ruiz/Pedro Calungsod Ministry of St. Patrick Church Rodeo-Hercules  
 22nd Annual Flores de Mayo Celebration

**YOU ARE INVITED!**

**SATURDAY- MAY 18, 2024**

5:00PM - ASSEMBLY OF PARTICIPANTS AT THE PARISH HALL  
 6:00PM - PROCESSION FOLLOWED BY A MASS AT THE CHURCH  
 8:00PM - CELEBRATION AT ST. PATRICK HALL



**2024 FLORES DE MAYO- QUEEN APPLICANTS**  
 The Flores de Mayo Committee of St. Patrick is looking for female ages **16-20** years old to participate as 'Queens' in the Santacruzan 2024.

**Candidates must meet the following requirements.**

1. Family must be a REGISTERED parishioner at St. Patrick Parish.
2. Applicants must be ACTIVE in Church activities and events, and continuously share their time and talents in the Parish and Community.

**NOTE:** There will be 3 applicants to be considered candidates to Crown the Blessed Virgin Mary image. They will be interviewed, and ONE will be chosen to be 2024 crowner.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

List of activities and events applicant is active in: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

**FORMS ARE DUE BY SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024 TO PARISH OFFICE.**  
**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:**  
 Luz Winkler (510) 734-1039; Tita Escalada (510) 375-7772; Josie Gonzales (510) 224-0364;  
 Romel Chozas (415) 939-4939; Emily Delane (510) 417-6226; Alma Yee (510) 375-2880;  
 Gina Gross (415) 806-4582

**Questions to Queen Applicants**

1. What is your current involvement to St. Patrick's church? (YM, Confirmation, Choir, etc.)  
 \_\_\_\_\_

2. Why would you like to be one of the queens and/or crowner of Mother Mary?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

3. Why is this an important event in our Catholic faith to honor Mary?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Note: The Contact persons are committee members and together with the Pastor will interview the candidates and parents.

**WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR SAGALAS (Maidens) AND CONSORTS TO PARTICIPATE. THEY ARE ESSENTIAL PARTS OF SANTACRUZAN.**

Age preference for Sagalas and Escorts: 6 – 20 years old

**Attire for Sagalas and Escorts:**

**Sagalas (Maidens):** white or light-colored gowns (preferably) or long dresses.  
**Consorts -** suits (preferably) or barong or white shirts with dark pants.  
 NO Rubber Shoes

**Sagalas (Maidens) ages 11 to 20 –** please bring your own bouquet

**Sagalas (Maidens) ages 6 to 10 –** please bring small basket with flowers

We highly recommend all participants and parishioners to wear their native/cultural attire. **FEEL FREE** to bring the statue or picture of the Blessed Virgin Mary and flowers to offer as well.



**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.



**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 \_\_\_\_\_

**WEST CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**  
**126TH YEAR CELEBRATION OF**  
**PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE**  
**JUNE 15, 2024**  
**SATURDAY, 11:00AM - 3:00PM**  
**ST. PATRICK CHURCH**



# Life at St. Patrick Parish

**Stewardship Fair** - Thank you to Ron Asuncion and the Stewardship Committee and all those who worked so hard to put on our very successful Stewardship Fair last weekend. A special thank you to our Parish Youth Ministry students for their help. And most of all a big thank you to everyone who stopped in at the Fair and signed up, there is still the opportunity to sign up and get involved in our Parish activities.

**Month of the Blessed Virgin Mary** - The month of May is a time to honor and pray to the Blessed Mother by saying the Rosary and praying for world peace.

**The Feast of the Ascension of the Lord** - Will be celebrated at all the Masses at the Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses on May 12th here at St. Patrick Parish.

**May 18th** - Flores De Mayo will be celebrated here at St. Patrick Parish on Saturday, May 18th with a procession to honor the Blessed Mother around the Parish Property and then a celebrated Mass, Crowning of Mary and presentation of Flowers followed by dinner and fun. We especially invite all ethnic groups to wear their cultural attire for the event and we especially want the children of the Parish to be a part of the event.

**First Communion** - Please pray for the children of the Parish who will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 11th. The children are well prepared for this Sacrament.

**May 12th** - Mother's Day, May 12th, invite your family to come to Mass with you and to honor our mothers.

**First Quarter Statement** - Please see the Parish First Quarter Statement of Activity on the next page of this bulletin and don't be afraid to ask questions.



**ST. PATRICK PARISH - RODEO AND HERCULES**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITY**  
**For the three months ending March 31, 2024**

	ACTUAL	BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
<b>Parish Operating Income:</b>			
Plate Collections Sundays and Holy Days	150,087.84	142,800.00	7,287.84
Easter	6,728.80	9,250.00	(2,521.20)
Parish Maintenance	12,635.05	17,343.00	(4,707.95)
Other Plate Collections (CV, F&MF)	76.78	1,900.00	(1,823.22)
Sacramental Services	3,645.00	9,150.00	(5,505.00)
<b>Special Events-Unrestricted (Net of Expense) :</b>			
Dinner Dance	21,894.51	5,000.00	16,894.51
Pageant	(666.51)	7,500.00	(8,166.51)
Tree of Life Current Year	1,675.00	5,000.00	(3,325.00)
Fund Raising Event #3	-	1,000.00	(1,000.00)
Fund Raising Ministry - Be the Light	4,651.52	7,500.00	(2,848.48)
Likha Music Ministry Memorial Service	-	2,500.00	(2,500.00)
Education, Programs, Ministries	1,635.00	2,000.00	(365.00)
Votive Candles	3,215.74	4,000.00	(784.26)
Other Income	13,919.74	14,000.00	(80.26)
<b>Total Operating Income</b>	<b>219,498.47</b>	<b>228,943.00</b>	<b>(9,444.53)</b>
<b>Parish Operating Expense:</b>			
<b>Personnel (Wages &amp; Benefits)</b>			
Staff Expense	107,805.20	111,955.50	(4,150.30)
Priest Expense	32,249.00	37,246.50	(4,997.50)
Diocesan Assessment	19,496.50	19,496.50	-
Insurance	1,405.73	5,834.75	(4,429.02)
Other Administrative Expense	9,391.87	10,846.25	(1,454.38)
Parish Property	28,856.33	23,185.50	5,670.83
Rectory Living	2,079.11	2,681.50	(602.39)
Liturgy, Music, RCIA	999.80	1,643.75	(643.95)
Education, Programs, Ministries	-	2,000.00	(2,000.00)
Sacramental Services Expense	-	162.50	(162.50)
Depreciation	16,882.36	13,840.25	3,042.11
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>219,165.90</b>	<b>228,893.00</b>	<b>(9,727.10)</b>
<b>Income Over/Under Expense</b>	<b>332.57</b>	<b>50.00</b>	<b>282.57</b>

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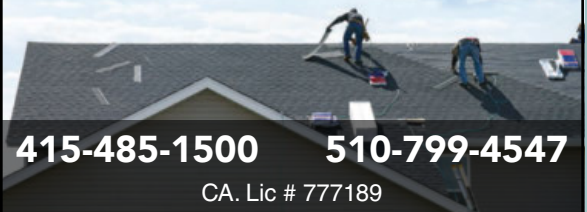
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