



DECEMBER 28, 2025

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Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**  
Daily Mass: Monday - Saturday, 7:30am

Saturday, Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

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

Confessions: Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30pm

**FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH**  
Holy Hour & Benediction: 8:00 - 9:00am

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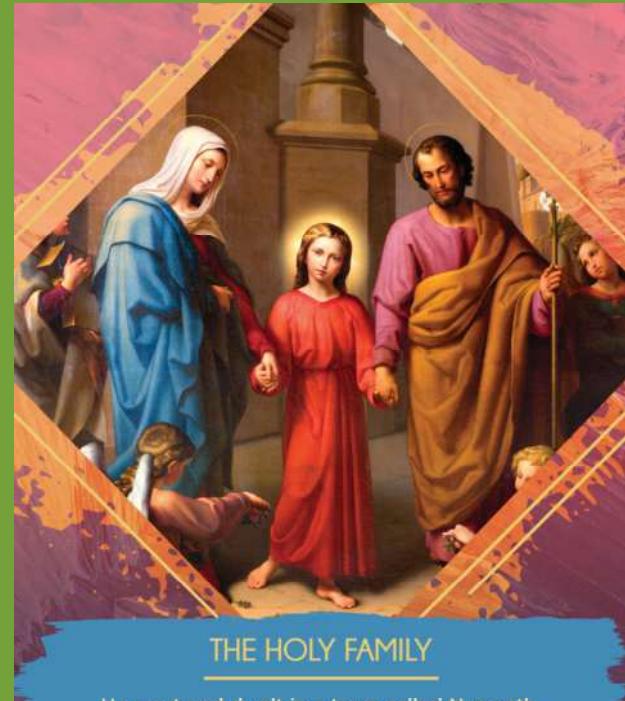
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#### THE HOLY FAMILY

He went and dwelt in a town called Nazareth,  
so that what had been spoken through the  
prophets might be fulfilled. - Mt 2:23

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*Through the Gospel Message of Jesus Christ,  
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## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28

#### THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

Masses: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am

One Collection

No Children's Liturgy of the Word

No Confirmation and Youth Ministry classes

End of the Jubilee Year

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 29

Daily Mass: 7:30am

No Bible Class, next class January 5, 2026

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30

Daily Mass: 7:30am

No Bible Class, next class January 6, 2026

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Daily Mass: 7:30am

Parish Office Closed

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 01, 2026

#### THE OCTAVE DAY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

Masses: 7:30am, 9:30, 11:30am

World Day of Prayer for Peace

One Collection

Parish Office Closed

No Faith Formation & Edge classes

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 02

#### FIRST FRIDAY OF THE YEAR

Daily Mass: 7:30am

Holy Hour and Benediction, 8:00am

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 03

#### FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS

Daily Masses: 7:30am

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary, 8:00am

Confession, 3:30 - 4:30pm

Vigil Mass, 5:00pm

Two Collections - Parish Maintenance

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 04

#### THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Masses: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am

Two Collections - Parish Maintenance

No Gift Shop for the month of January

Hospitality Sunday, 7:30, 9:30am

Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30, 11:30

Confirmation classes, 1:30 - 2:30pm

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

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	12/28	7:30a <b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a <b>Alvarez &amp; Romero Family</b>	Suzette A. Romero
		11:30a <b>Cresencio Rivera †</b>	Norma Rivera & Family
Mon	12/29	7:30a <b>Romeo Abillar †</b>	Nick & Luz Winkler
Tues	12/30	7:30a <b>Katherine Wilbert †</b>	Jullie Underwood
Wed	12/31	7:30a <b>Teresa Miranda †</b>	Arnold & Haydee Reyes
Thurs	01/01	7:30a <b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a <b>Ruben Panaligan †</b>	Banagan Boys & Family
		11:30a <b>Mel Banagan, Sr. †</b>	Rose & Boys Banagan
Fri	01/02	7:30a <b>Harold &amp; Helen Grangoff †</b>	Mary Grangoff
Sat	01/03	7:30a <b>Erik C. Silva †</b>	Doris Henderson
		5:00p <b>Ben &amp; Danny Ting †</b>	Muyargas Family
Sun	01/04	7:30a <b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a <b>Katherine Wilbert †</b>	Julie Underwood
		11:30a <b>Thanksgiving</b>	Ernesto & Prescilla Felaire

## SACRIFICAL GIVING

**Please note that we are counting on the weekly collection of \$12,600.00 to meet our 2025 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.*

**DUE TO AN EARLY BULLETIN SUBMISSION  
DEADLINE FOR  
DECEMBER 28, SACRIFICAL GIVING AMOUNTS  
WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE JANUARY 11, 2026 BULLETIN.**

**REGULAR PARISH  
COLLECTION  
DECEMBER 14, 2025**

**RETIREMENT FUND  
FOR RELIGIOUS  
DECEMBER 14, 2025**

Plate Collection	7,830.00	Plate Collection	3,044.25
Online Giving	2,971.63		
Total:	\$10,801.63		



# A Message from our Pastor



Dear People of St. Patrick Parish,

Today, the Church celebrates the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph and urges us to follow their wonderful example by how we live in our own families today.

God chooses a man and a woman to fall in love and out of that love God asks them to bring new life into the world, love, and care and teach their young about God and to give good example.

How happy God the Father and Jesus His Son is when they look upon a modern family today, where the parents really love each other and commit their love in the Sacrament of Marriage and in the Church.

How happy, when they Baptized, the children that God sends them and makes sure the children receive the Sacrament of Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion and Confirmation.

How happy when there is love, respect, no mean, harsh words spoken in the house.

How happy when they see the whole family come to Sunday Mass together.

A Catholic Parish is also a family, and we please God when we show our love by obeying God's Laws and requests.

Recently our family of St. Patrick Parish came together and made the Bishop's Appeal happen above and beyond.

We watched, ate, and enjoyed so many people cooking, serving, and taking precious time at Simbang Gabi, to provide for our people coming together for nine days.

We watched so many people being kind and loving to each other at Mass and other Parish activities.

As we look forward to the New Year of 2026, let us all pull together and raise the weekly funds needed in our weekly Sacrificial giving. This year we will need \$13,200.00 per week to be able to pay all the Parish financial needs.

Some people may look at me as the great-great grandfather of St. Patrick Parish and that makes me feel so proud of all of you working so hard to make St. Patrick Parish, Rodeo-Hercules a wonderful happy family, proud of our Catholic Faith.

Let our wonderful family come together for Mass on Thursday, January 1st, 2026, to pray and ask the Lord to continue our wonderful family with love and peace.

God Bless,  
Great Great Grandfather  
Fr. Larry Young

# News ~ Information ~ events



## ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

Membership in the Altar Society is open for all men, women and youth parishioners. We meet once a month in the Ministry Center after morning Mass. As part of our fundraising for church projects we ask for yearly dues in the amount of \$15.00 for individuals and \$25 for families, due in January of each year. All of our fundraisers, including the Gift Shop proceeds, are used only for items for the church. In the past we have used all monies raised for items such as the new Tabernacle, Baptism Font, Stations of the Cross, funeral cover and vestment, Altar Server garments, baptism bibs, Holy Oil Cabinet and Chrism and many more. We also coordinated and contributed to the redo of the Altar and Ambo in wood and carpeting and for new flooring in the Chapel..

Now we are planning on contracting with a professional cleaning service for weekly, thorough cleanings of the church. This is a great need, We are asking for new members to join and assist us so that we can better afford to keep up with some of the church needs, which helps with the church budget. Dues envelopes are available in the entry of the church and will serve as your application for membership and your name will be added to the roster so we can contact you.

Thank you for your interest.  
Bettyanne Westover, Altar Society President

**Annual Crab Feed**  
**February 7, 2026**  
**6:00 Doors Open - 7:00 Dinner Served**

Sponsored by  
Knights of Columbus - St. Patrick Church, Rodeo-Hercules

**Salad - Pasta - Dinner Roll  
CRAB!! - Dessert**



**\$85 per person**  
deadline: Feb. 1  
NO tickets sold at the door  
Raffle Prizes  
50/50 Card Game



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## COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

St. Patrick Parish Ministry for the homebound is back. We have ministers to visit them and bring Communion. If you know someone who could benefit from this ministry, please contact the Parish Office at **510-799-4406**. Anybody interested in joining this ministry, please contact the parish office.



## ALTAR FLOWER DONATIONS 2026

The 2026 Altar Flower list is now available in the entry of the church to request a certain date for donating flowers for a memorial or special occasion. Please sign in the booklet at your chosen date AND complete the form and envelope provided. Both the form and envelope with your check can be placed in the collection basket or sent to the Ministry Center to confirm your selected date. Thank you.



## TREE OF LIFE ROOTED IN HAPPY MEMORIES FOR ALL TIME

St. Patrick Catholic Church established a beautiful tree with golden leaves upon which names and events could be engraved in the Church Chapel. A lasting memorial to families, friends and important events. For \$625 per leaf (installment plans available.) Please mail or drop off at the St. Patrick Ministry Center, Attn: Tree of Life for more information, please call Judith Snow at 415-948-4052 or the office 510-799-4406.



# Life at St. Patrick Parish

**Early Submission of Bulletin** - Fr. Larry is writing this bulletin due for December 28th, today, Friday, December 19th. I am hoping for a full Church the last five days of Simbang Gabi. Long lines of Confessions, full Church for all our Christmas Masses. \$42,000 and above for our Christmas Collections. Lots of happy smiling faces these final weeks of 2025.

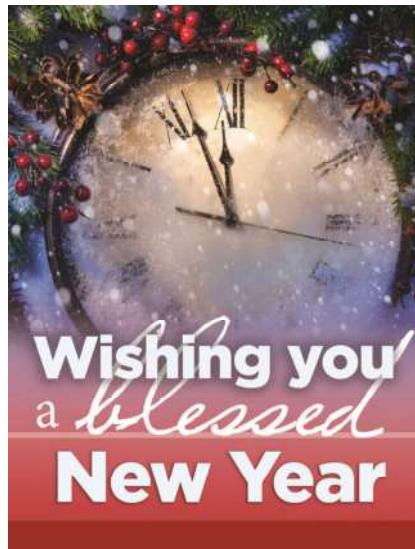
**Thank You!** - A great thank you to everyone who helped in so many ministries during Advent and Christmas. A great family spirit here at St. Patrick Parish.

**Sacraments** - As January 1, 2026, arrives, we look forward to lots of Sacraments of Marriage, Baptism, converts to the Catholic Faith, all our Sacraments increasing in numbers. A continued full enrolment in our Parish Catholic School and Faith Formation and Youth Ministries and yes, even Catholic Funeral for our beloved dead. We all need to work together to make this happen.

**St. Joseph Cemetery & Funeral Center** - Every first Saturday of each month, there is a Mass at St. Joseph Cemetery and Mausoleum at 2540 Church Lane, San Pablo. On Saturday, January 3rd at 11:00 there will be a Mass. We gather to pray for all our beloved dead.

**Holy Day of Obligation** - Please remember Thursday, January 1st 2026 is a Holy Day of Obligation and Catholics are required to attend Mass. Masses here at St. Patrick will be at 7:30am, 9:30 and 11:30. Let us begin the New Year praying as a family for Real Peace and Love in our world during 2026.

**Approved Parish Budget** - Be sure to look at the approved Parish Bulletin for 2026, next page of this bulletin. You are always free to ask questions about the Parish Budget approved by the Parish Finance Committee and the Pastoral Council.



**ST. PATRICK PARISH - RODEO AND HERCULES 2026 BUDGET**

	2025	2026	DIFFERENCE
<b>Parish Operating Income:</b>			
Plate Collections Sundays and Holy Days	642,600.00	673,200.00	30,600.00
Easter	37,000.00	37,000.00	-
Christmas	42,000.00	42,000.00	-
Parish Maintenance	68,900.00	70,000.00	1,100.00
Other Plate Collections (F&MF)	3,830.00	4,000.00	170.00
Sacramental Services	36,600.00	33,700.00	(2,900.00)
<b>Special Events-Unrestricted (Net of Expense) :</b>			
Dinner Dance	45,000.00	45,000.00	-
Tree of Life Current Year	5,900.00	6,000.00	100.00
Special Fundraising	4,000.00	4,000.00	-
Fund Raising Ministry - Be the Light	35,000.00	35,000.00	-
Likha Music Ministry Memorial Service	10,000.00	18,000.00	8,000.00
Wine & Dine	30,000.00	35,000.00	-
Education, Programs, Ministries	16,870.00	40,200.00	23,330.00
Votive Candles	16,000.00	16,000.00	-
Other Income	18,000.00	10,420.00	(7,580.00)
<b>Total Operating Income</b>	<b>1,011,700.00</b>	<b>1,069,520.00</b>	<b>57,820.00</b>
<b>Parish Operating Expense:</b>			
Personnel (Wages & Benefits)			
Staff Expense	471,117.03	490,805.57	19,688.54
Priest Expense	157,022.00	168,579.66	11,557.66
Diocesan Assessment	81,053.23	86,513.00	5,459.77
Insurance	25,440.08	30,593.41	5,153.33
Other Administrative Expense	47,628.00	46,548.00	(1,080.00)
Parish Property	124,375.66	118,836.36	(5,539.30)
Rectory Living	11,200.00	11,200.00	-
Liturgy, Music, RCIA	6,575.00	6,575.00	-
Education, Programs, Ministries	16,870.00	40,200.00	23,330.00
Sacramental Services Expense	650.00	650.00	-
Depreciation	68,819.00	68,819.00	-
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>1,011,500.00</b>	<b>1,069,320.00</b>	<b>57,820.00</b>
<b>Income Over/Under Expense</b>	<b>200.00</b>	<b>200.00</b>	<b>-</b>

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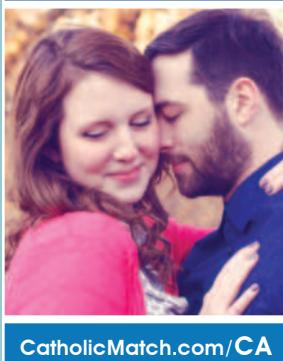
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