

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/ INTENCIONES SEMANALES

Sat:	5:00 PM	Mathew & Mary Coelho
Sun:	8:30 AM	Minnie Koller
	10:30 AM	Sal Ramirez
	12:30 PM	Miembros Vivos y Difuntos de Sta Ana
Mon:	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
Tue:	9:00 AM	Youth of St. Anne
Wed:	9:00 AM	Families of St. Anne
Thurs:	9:00 AM	Elders of St. Anne
Sat:	5:00 PM	Cathy Colomb-Campbell
Sun:	8:30 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
	10:30 AM	Donald A. Kubik
	12:30 PM	Miembros Vivos y Difuntos de Sta Ana

SCRIPTURE READINGS/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 01/25/16-01/31/16

Mon:	The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle/La Conversión de San Pablo, Apóstol Acts 22:3-16 Ps 117:1bc-2 Mk 16:15-18 Hch 22:3-16 Sal 116:1bc-2 Mc 16:15-18
Tue:	Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops/Santos Timoteo y Tito, Obispos 2 Tm 1:1-8 Ps 96:1-10 Mk 3:31-35 2 Tm 1:1-8 Sal 95:1-10 Mc 3:31-35
Wed:	Weekday; St. Angela Merici, Virgin/Día de la Semana; Santa Angela de Merici, Virgen 2 Sm 7:4-17 Ps 89:4-30 Mk 4:1-20 2 Sm 7:4-17 Sal 88:4-30 Mc 4:1-20
Thurs:	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor of the Church/Santo Tomas de Aquino, Presbítero, Doctor de la Iglesia 2 Sm 7:18-29 Ps 132:1-14 Mk 4:21-25 2 Sm 7:18-29 Sal 131:1-14 Mc 4:21-25
Fri:	Weekday/Día de la Semana 2 Sm 11:1-17 Ps 51:3-11 Mk 4:26-34 2 Sm 11:1-17 Sal 50:3-11 Mc 4:26-34
Sat:	Weekday/Día de la Semana 2 Sm 12:1-17 Ps 51:12-17 Mk 4:35-41 2 Sm 12:1-17 Sal 50:12-17 Mc 4:35-41
Sun:	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time/IV Domingo Ordinario Jer 1:4-19 PS 71:1-17 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lk 4:21-30 Jr 1:4-19 Sal 70:1-17 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lc 4:21-30

PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

Jack Thomas, James Ewing, Anna Bella Mok, Jutta Michaelis, Elizabeth Ehlert, Pauline Brochu, Michael Clow, Will, Kayla, Blake Bartling, Tani, Woody Tyler, Don Cromwell, Ruthann Takakuwa, John Marciano, Bob Sharp, Nina Brochu, Mike Baker, Linda Nunn, Marlene Layden, Pedro, Jonathan Price, Patty Price, Logan Price, Sylvia Lynn, Shawn, Jeanette, Ron Molina, Felice Underwood, Joe Sigala, Eleno Delgado, Kathryn Copley, Elsjie, Tracy Bye, Matt Catutido, Enzo, Rudy Silva, Juanita Estrellas, Dennis Murray **Occasionally names are taken off the prayer list. If we have taken off the name of a person still in need of prayer, please call the office and we will gladly put them back on the list.**

PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS
IN YOUR PRAYERS

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

01/30-01/31

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Madonna Leeper & Peter Baylacq

Lector 1: Marie Hall

Lector 2: Art Meyers

Euch. Min: **Cup** – Anne & Greg Schmit

Altar Servers: Team 8

SUNDAY 8:30 AM -

Greeters: Barbara Stoiber, Catherine & Dennis Kutsuris

Lector 1: Lucy Peterson

Lector 2: Pat Weber

Euch. Min: **Bread** – Ken Luke, Mathilda Rizkalla & Sr. Barbara

Cup – Pete DuBois, Carol Luke, Matt Nobriga & Sue Wright-Broughton

Altar Servers: Team 11

Hospitality:

A/V: Denise Gavello

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Catrina Mygrant, Dawn Burks & Jane Perry

Lector 1: Buzz Pedrotti

Lector 2: Lisa Promani

Euch. Min: **Bread** – Bob Carone, Suzanne Gillick & Toni Schulte

Cup – John Dyer, Amy Muse, Mindy Naylor, Will Schulte, Cathy & Bob Sanocki

Altar Servers: Team 4

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Diana Lamaestra

Hospitality:

A/V: Pete Evans

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Bienvenidas: Adriana y Mónica Rodriguez

Lector 1: Araceli Campos

Lector 2: Elizabeth Zenteno

Ministros de Eucaristía:

Pan – Esther Herrera

Taza – Jose Luis Herrera, Pilar Aguilar, Eduardo y Leonor Romero

Ofrendas: Sergio y Marina Aguilar

Colecta: Noema Peña, Ignacio Chávez, Jorge y German Romero

Acólitos:

A/V: Jose Becerra

PLEASE NOTE: Ministry Schedules for Jan-Mar are on the website. It is your responsibility to find your replacement if you cannot serve when scheduled.

WORSHIP

Please remember to
**BRING YOUR BLESSED PALMS TO
CHURCH**

and place in the basket at the Baptismal Fount so they
can be made into the ashes we use to mark the begin-
ning of our Lenten practice



Favor de recordar trae
SUS PALMAS BENDITAS A LA IGLESIA
y ponerlas en la canasta de la Pila Bautismal para que
puedan hacerlas cenizas que usaremos para esta
cuaresma.

Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday is February 10th. Distribution of ashes
will be at 9:00 AM Morning Mass, 4:00 PM Family
Service and 7:00 PM bilingual Mass all in the Hall.
Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Season of
Lent. It is a season of penance, reflection, and fasting
which prepares us for Christ's Resurrection on Easter
Sunday, through which we attain redemption.

Miércoles de ceniza

El 10 de Febrero es Miércoles de ceniza. La ceniza se
distribuirá a la misa de 9:00 AM, el servicio familiar
de 4:00 y misa de 7:00 PM en el salón principal. El
Miércoles de ceniza marca el principio de la cuaresma.
Es una temporada de penitencia, reflexión y ayuno que
nos prepara para la Resurrección de Cristo el Domingo
de Pascua, por medio del cual obtenemos la redención.

CONNECT

45th Annual Ladies Crab Feed

The Women's Fellowship All Ladies Crab feed for Friday, Janu-
ary 29, 2016, is nearly sold out. Tickets are \$50. We are still
looking for waitresses, raffle basket donations, and food dona-
tions. For more details please stop by the crab feed table after
mass, or contact Lucy Peterson, at lucyp44@gmail.com.

CONNECT

THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/

ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 01/23/16- 01/31/16

- Sat:** Vigil - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 PM Baptism - Frank Maggiore
- Sun:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
8:30 AM RCIA Dismissal/Fireside
9:30 AM 10:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
9:30 AM 1st Communion Prep/Room 1A & 2
10:30 AM Baptism - Caleb Blanchard
11:15 AM Primero Comunion Preparación-Anos 1-2/Aula 1A/2
11:15 AM Faith Formation/Fireside
6:30 PM Edge & Life Teen/CLC
- Mon:** 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Offsite
4:00 PM Food Pantry Prep/Kitchen
6:30 PM Faith Formation/CLC
- Tues:** 9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution/Methodist Church
6:00 PM Confirmation Teen/Parent Meeting/Fireside
6:30 PM 10:30 Choir Practice/Fireside
7:00 PM 8:30 Choir Practice/Room 1B
- Wed:** 3:00 PM Faith Formation/CLC
7:00 PM Men's Reflection Group/Fireside
7:00 PM Adult Confirmation/Room 1B
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul/Room 2
- Thurs:** 6:00 PM Boy's Ranch
7:00 PM Practica del Coro/Fireside
- Fri:** 6:00 PM Women's Fellowship Crab Feed/CLC
6:30 PM La Sagrada Familia/Capilla
7:00 PM Confirmación de Adultos/Aula 2
- Sat:** Vigil - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
2nd Collection - St. Vincent de Paul
ME 25
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Women's Fellowship

Upcoming Events:

Women's Fellowship meets the 2nd Tuesday of each
month in the Room 2.

NEXT MEETING:

February 9, 2016

6:30 PM - Social; 7:00PM - Meeting starts

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**For membership information contact**

**Anne Doran** at [adoran712@comcast.net](mailto:adoran712@comcast.net) or

**Patty Bristow** at [pattybristow@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pattybristow@sbcglobal.net)

Women's Fellowship of St. Anne Catholic Church welcomes  
and strives to serve the needs of all women, offering opportuni-  
ties to share gifts and talents and encourage and strengthen  
faith and friendships within our community.

## CONNECT

### Upcoming Events at St. Anne

**Weekend of January 30/31**  
ME 25

**Thursday, February 4th & 11th**  
Islam & Muslim Our Neighbors Series

**Wednesday, February 10th**  
ASH WEDNESDAY

**Friday's February 12th, 19th, 26th, March 4th, 11th & 18th**  
Knight's "Friday Nite Fish Fry's"

**Saturday, February 13th**  
RCIA Lenten Discernment Retreat

**Saturday, February 20th**  
Healing Mass

**Saturday, March 12th**  
Ministry Head/Parish Retreat

**Tuesday, March 22nd**  
Seder Dinner

**Thursday - Saturday, March 24th - 26th**  
TRIDUUM

**Sunday, March 27th**  
EASTER

## GROW

### Adult Confirmation

Our Adult Confirmation class continues on Wednesday January 27, 2016. The class will meet twice a month ending in April with Confirmation. If you are over 18 and have not received the sacrament of Confirmation and are interested in receiving this sacrament please join us on January 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in room 1B. To sign up for the class or for more information please contact Lisa at 634-6625 ex.225 or [lisap@stannechurchbyron.com](mailto:lisap@stannechurchbyron.com).

### Confirmación para Adultos

Nuestra clase de Confirmación de Adultos continúa el viernes, 29 de enero de 2016. La clase se reunirá dos veces al mes terminando en Abril con la confirmación. Si usted es mayor de 18 años y no ha recibido el Sacramento de la confirmación y esta interesado en recibir este Sacramento por favor acompañenos el 29 de enero a 19:00 en la sala 2. Para inscribirse o para mas información póngase en contacto con Vicente Vázquez al 925-202-1518 o el [elpatron205@yahoo.com](mailto:elpatron205@yahoo.com).

Celebrating 100 years!!



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## SERVE

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

The US Bishops' pastoral on stewardship reinforces today's reading from I Corinthians: "Because its individual members do collectively make up the Body of Christ, that body's health and well-being are the responsibility of the members – the personal responsibility of each one of us. We all are stewards of the Church."

### PENSAMIENTO ADMINISTRATIVO

La Pastoral de los Obispos de EU acerca de la Mayordomía refuerzan las lectura de hoy de Corintios i: "porque sus miembros individuales componen colectivamente el cuerpo de Cristo, la salud y bienestar de ese cuerpo son la responsabilidad de los miembros, la responsabilidad personal de cada uno de nosotros. Todos somos mayordomos de la iglesia."

### OFRENDAS DE LA SEMANA

En el pasado la parroquia iba a publicar las ofertas semanales y compararlos con un monto presupuestado, basado en "Ofrendas parte justa." La publicación de esta información fue suspendido por recomendación de la diócesis debido a una serie de robos que se han producido en algunos las parroquias de la Diócesis. Sus ofrendas semanales son muy importantes a la parroquia con el fin de cumplir con nuestras responsabilidades operativas. Pedimos que cada feligrés continuar en oración consideren una oferta consistente que ayude en el cumplimiento de esas responsabilidades. Su generosidad es su retorno al Señor todo el bien para ti. Hacer una inversión en el reino de Dios hoy!

### WEEKLY OFFERING

In the past the parish would publish the weekly offerings and compare them to a budgeted amount, based on "Fair Share Offerings." The publishing of this information was discontinued at the recommendation of the Diocese due to a number of burglaries that have occurred at some parishes in the Diocese. Your weekly offerings are very important to the parish in order to meet our operational responsibilities. We ask that each parishioner continue to prayerfully consider a consistent offering that will assist in meeting those responsibilities. Your generosity is your return to the Lord for his goodness to you. Make an investment in the reign of God today!



## Jubilee of Mercy

The mission Jesus received from the Father was that of revealing the mystery of divine love in its fullness. "God is love" (1 Jn 4:8, 16) John affirms for the first and only time in all of Holy Scripture. This love has now been made visible and tangible in Jesus' entire life. His person is nothing but love, a love given gratuitously.

The first two videos in the Mercy Project series are available on the Jubilee of Mercy website: <http://jubileeofmercy-cb.org/> the videos focus on the Corporal Work of Mercy – Feed the Hungry and the Spiritual Work of Mercy – Forgive all injures. Take some time to visit the website to view the videos and reflect on these two Works of Mercy by clicking on the links below the video.

## Jubileo de la Misericordia

La misión que Jesús recibió del padre fue la de revelar el misterio del amor divino en su plenitud. «Dios es amor» (1 Jn 4:8, 16) Juan afirma por primera y única vez en toda la Santa escritura. Este amor ya se ha hecho visible y tangible en la vida entera de Jesús. Su persona es más que amor, un amor que se da gratuitamente.



Como parte de nuestra celebración del Jubileo de la misericordia, nos complace compartir con ustedes esta introducción a nuestra serie de video Proyecto de Misericordia. El objetivo del Proyecto de Misericordia es inspirar y motivar aún más de nuestro pueblo a participar en obras de misericordia durante este jubileo extraordinario. Toda la serie de videos sobre las obras de misericordia se extenderá en pagos regulares, a partir del Martes 12 de Enero. Serán presentados en el nuevo sitio web: [JubileeOfMercy-cb.org](http://JubileeOfMercy-cb.org)

**New to the Parish?** Welcome! We extend our hearts and hands in Christian fellowship, as you join with us in worship. If you are new to the parish, registration forms are available in the foyer, online through our website or fill out this form, drop in the collection plate or mail to the office and we will mail a registration packet to you.

**Long-time parishioner who would like to update their address, phone or email?** In the box to the left, please put a check next to what you are updating, fill out this form and drop in the collection plate.



- New Parishioner
- New Address
- New Phone
- New Email
- Send Envelopes only

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## SERVE

### *Nurses Notes*

#### **Upper airway resistance syndrome**

##### Things You Can Do to Help With UARS

Over-the-counter products can be effective. Many people benefit from using breathing strips.

To see if breathing strips might work for you, try this simple test: Looking in a mirror, press the side of one nostril firmly to close it off. Then close your mouth and try to breathe. If you feel resistance as you inhale through the open nostril, try holding it wider open with your pinky finger or the flat side of a toothpick. Try this on both sides. If you notice that you breathe more easily with your nostril propped open, you're a good candidate for breathing strips.

Some people also find great benefit from the nasal dilator No-zovent, available online. Other steps to try include irrigating the nasal passages with a saline nasal spray and taking a non-sedating allergy medication such as Claritin if you suspect congestion from allergies. You can also ask your doctor for a prescription nasal spray.

##### When to See an ENT for UARS

With the help of an ENT, you'll have access to a number of treatments, including dental devices and Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP), a specially designed nasal mask that prevents your nasal passages from collapsing and delivers air directly into your airway.

Getting a good night's sleep is absolutely essential in order to be at your best during the day, so if any of this sounds like it might apply to you, take action. Once you experience what it feels like to sleep deeply again, you'll look back and be thankful you got help.

Adapted from [caring.com](http://caring.com)

Next Week: 2015-2020 Dietary guidelines

### *Faith Community Nursing*

*Serving the community is our passion.*

#### **IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY**

**PLEASE** use the phone at the AV booth or in the office to call 911. Do not use your cell phone it will reach Sacramento CHP and precious time will be lost.

### **Counseling Ministry**

Jeff McIntosh, MFT, is a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist who is offering professional therapy for individuals, couples and families at St. Anne on Thursdays. He can be reached at 925-813-0528 or through the church office at 925-634-6625 ext. 228 for more information.

### **Despensa de la Comunidad Cristiana Delta**

(Iglesias Sta. Ana-Methodista-Presbiteriana)

#### **Empacan comida:**

Lunes a las 4:00 PM en Sta. Ana

#### **Distribución de bolsas de Comida:**

Martes 9:00 a 10:00 AM

En la Iglesia Metodista de Byron

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

En la Knightsen centro de jardinería

Sirviendo 120-130 familias semanalmente

Proveyendo: Comida – Ropa – Cosas para la casa -Ayuda personal (lugares)

Los voluntarios son bienvenidos. Apreciamos donaciones de dinero y comida.

### **Solicitamos para el mes de ENERO** **LAS CONSERVAS DE ATÚN Y CONSERVAS DE** **FRUTAS**

### **Delta Christian Community Food Pantry**

(St. Anne-Methodist-Presbyterian Churches)

#### **Food Packing:**

Mondays at 4:00 PM at St. Anne

#### **Distribution of Food Bags:**

Tuesdays 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

At Byron United Methodist Church on Byron Highway.

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

At the Knightsen Garden Center

Serving 120-130 Families Weekly

Providing: Food - Clothing - Household goods - Self Help Resources

Volunteers are welcome. Donations of Food and Money are appreciated.

### **Donation request for JANUARY** **CANNED TUNA AND CANNED FRUIT**



### Meals on Wheels and Senior Outreach Services Urgently Needs You!

Help us deliver hot, nutritious meals to seniors  
living in Pittsburg, Antioch or Bay Point

#### ***Become a Volunteer Driver***



- \* Choose to drive 1 day each week Monday – Friday, based on your availability
- \* Only 2-3 hours each week for a minimum of six months
- \* An orientation and background screen are required

For more information, please contact  
Carol Louisell, Director of Community Engagement  
[clouisell@mowsos.org](mailto:clouisell@mowsos.org)  
925-954-8736

Or go to [www.mowsos.org/volunteers/volunteer-form](http://www.mowsos.org/volunteers/volunteer-form) to fill out an application now

## OPPORTUNITIES

2016-2017

Now Enrolling

Pre-School, Pre-K, K-5

School Starts August 1st

Call today to sign up for a parent tour!

(925) 513-8006

1900 Willow Lake Rd., Discovery Bay

Email: [agcschool8@gmail.com](mailto:agcschool8@gmail.com)

• Christian based Preschool and Pre-K program since 2003 & Elementary Program since 2008

• Low Student to Teacher Ratio 7-1

• Full-time child care for enrolled students

Jesus said, "Let the children come to me, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:14



### Physicians Needed!

#### Medical Missionary Work in Your Own Backyard!

We are in desperate need of Physicians & RN's to join our Professional Medical VOLUNTEER team at the RotaCare Pittsburg Free Medical Clinic at St. Vincent de Paul. 4 years and 4000 Patient Visits later we need your help to meet the needs in the Contra Costa Community. We need volunteers (Physicians & RN's) a few hours every other month at our adult clinic. All malpractice insurance provided; fully licensed clinic.

**Schedule a tour for a Wednesday or Saturday by emailing Drea Riquelme at: [pittsburg@rotacarebayarea.org](mailto:pittsburg@rotacarebayarea.org) or call her at (925) 439-2009**



### Retrouvaille

Marriage Help - Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information or to register for the upcoming program beginning with a weekend on February 26, 27 & 28, 2016. Call 510-276-4118, email [Oakland@retroCA.com](mailto:Oakland@retroCA.com) or visit the website at [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com)

### St. Bernard's Catholic School

165 W. Eaton Ave.

Tracy, CA 95376

(209) 835-8018

[www.st-bernardschool.org](http://www.st-bernardschool.org)

Open House

Sunday, January 31, 2016

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Visit our Preschool and K through 8<sup>th</sup> classrooms.

Teachers and students will be available to answer any questions you may have about our school.

### Holy Rosary School Now Enrolling for the

### 2016-2017 School Year!



Holy Rosary School is now accepting applications for grades Pre-K through 8<sup>th</sup> for the 2016-2017 school year beginning January 5, 2016.

Visit us at our OPEN HOUSE on

Sunday, January 31, 2016 from 10:00 until Noon.

Come see all the wonderful things happening at Holy Rosary.

If you would like additional information, call the school office at (925) 757-1270 or visit us at our website:

[www.holyrosarycatholicsschool.org](http://www.holyrosarycatholicsschool.org)

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Jesus came into the world to bring the good news, to proclaim liberty, give the recovery of sight, and free the oppressed. Are you letting Him proclaim the good news to you in your marriage? Let the Lord strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on February 26-28 or August 5-7. Early registration, 4 to 6 weeks out is highly recommended. For more information contact Mike & Jeanne @ 925.672.2016 or Joe & Sue @ 925.680.7767 now or go to [oak-landwwme.org](http://oak-landwwme.org) Weekends are presented in the Pleasanton/Dublin area.

### Director of Children's Catechesis – St. Jerome Parish, El Cerrito

Fr. Fernando Cortez [saintjeromechurch@comcast.net](mailto:saintjeromechurch@comcast.net)

St. Jerome Parish, El Cerrito seeks a coordinator for Children's Catechesis who will be responsible for implementing a religious education program to provide formation education and sacramental preparation for children in Grades 1-8, which include Reconciliation and First Communion. Together with the Pastor, the coordinator will ensure that the curriculum, volunteers, and implementation of all aspects of the program support the teachings of the Church and the parish education goals.

The candidate must be a practicing Catholic with an informed understanding of Vatican II and its application to the mission of the parish, hold a BA in Religious Studies or strong minor in this field, and have a current Master Catechist Certification. The candidate must have 3 – 5 years of experience in Parish Children's Catechesis. Skills must include the ability to generate enthusiasm and interact with a variety of age groups, which include parents, young children and middle school teens; familiarity with programs in Microsoft Office, such as Word, Excel, and Outlook; and excellent management, communication, and presentation skills.

This position requires flexible hours and is classified as an M-2, non-exempt, part-time position (20 hours per week). For more information and a complete job description, contact the Pastor, Fr. Fernando Cortez, see above.

## OPPORTUNITIES

### Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico:

Por una Familia Más Feliz

Estados hermanos en Cristo y María. Todos los retos y dificultades que enfrentamos los matrimonios hoy en día, no sería posible superarlos sin la ayuda de Cristo y María. El MFCC nos ofrece las herramientas para enfrentar esas dificultades inspirados en la palabra de Dios. Únete a nosotros! Estamos aceptando aplicaciones para el ciclo 2015-16. Para mis información comuníquense con Antonio Rodriguez: (925)565-2015 o Yolanda Rodriguez: (925)783-3442

### From The Catholic Voice

If you're a parishioner in the Oakland Diocese and are not receiving your free copy of The Catholic Voice through the mail, let us know and we'll start your subscription. For 48 years, The Catholic Voice has been the East Bay's trusted source of news, commentary and information about the Church and its people from your neighborhood and throughout the world. It's easy to stay informed. Start your free subscription\* to 21 issues a year with a phone call or an e-mail to Sandi Gearhart, (510) 893-5339 or [sgearhart@oakdiocese.org](mailto:sgearhart@oakdiocese.org)

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### Pastoral Associate for Parish Faith Formation—St. John Vianney, Walnut Creek

*Debbie Mellin 925-939-7911, ext. 103 dmellin@sjvianney.org SJVianney.org*

Saint John Vianney Catholic Church currently has an opening for a Pastoral Associate for Parish Faith Formation, which includes the responsibilities building and developing a comprehensive Faith Formation program that includes children, youth, adults and intergenerational religious formation. Immersion in Parish Faith Formation, experience with intergenerational Faith Formation and suitable educational qualifications are necessary to continue development of these programs.

This position is full-time and includes full benefits. The salary is set according to Diocesan guidelines, and is classified as M 4-5. Please submit a cover letter and resume before February 4. For information or to submit the application, please contact Debbie Mellin, Pastoral Associate for Administration, see above.

### Accompanist—St. John Vianney, Walnut Creek

*Debbie Mellin 925-939-7911, ext. 103 dmellin@sjvianney.org SJVianney.org*

St. John Vianney is in search of an accompanist to play for three Masses each weekend and one day a week for two choir rehearsals. Holy Days, feast days, and other special events would also be scheduled on an as-needed basis. Applicants should have experience playing piano and organ in Catholic Mass settings (organ lessons can be made available if necessary). Other qualifications include the following: excellent sight-reading skills, the proficiency to read and play standard notation and lead sheets, and the ability to assist with choral groups. This is a part-time position, classified as a Liturgical Musician according to the Diocesan Salary Guidelines. For additional information about the position or application process, please contact Debbie Mellin, Pastoral Associate for Administration, see above.

### Want to listen to some GREAT stories?

We all have a "life story" to tell. Imagine if no one was there to listen?

As a **Caring Hands** volunteer, YOU have the opportunity to help someone who has a LIFETIME of stories to tell. The heart of our program is connecting a senior to an appropriate volunteer so you really get the chance to know each other well. As a Caring Hands volunteer you make a significant impact on dispelling the loneliness and isolation that affects so many seniors.

Volunteer hours are flexible. We do our best to find a senior who lives close to you and who meets your day and time requirements. John Muir Health offers comprehensive training and ongoing support so you feel supported as a volunteer.

For more information about volunteering for this unique Caring Hands Volunteer Program, call Linda Groobin at 925-952-2999 or visit our website [www.johnmuirhealth.com/caringhands](http://www.johnmuirhealth.com/caringhands).

We have trainings scheduled:

Friday January 29, 2016 in Brentwood

Friday March 25, 2016 in Concord



### Director of Human Resources—Chancery Office, Oakland

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The Diocese of Oakland seeks applicants for a full-time Director of Human Resources. The Director of Human Resources leads a dynamic, proactive HR function that includes employment, employee relations, education and training, compensation, benefits, policies and compliance. The director develops, administers and coordinates the HR systems for the Diocese and related organizations in support of achieving the mission of the Church. The director consults throughout the Diocese regarding HR policies, practices, and dispute resolution to ensure consistent, high quality HR management. Over the next 18-24 months, an added focus on compensation and benefits is an important element to meet business objectives and goals. The Director of Human Resources effectively articulates diocesan HR perspectives and HR best practices to the bishop, pastors, parish administrators, school principals, and other managers and supervisors. A **full job description** can be found at <http://www.oakdiocese.org/offices/human-resources/employment/>

Interested applicants should submit his or her resume to one of the recruiting partners listed above.

### Communications Manager—Catholic Charities of the East Bay, Oakland Debra Gunn, Director of Development 510-768-3142 dgunn@cceb.org

Catholic Charities of the East Bay (CCEB) seeks a full-time Communications Manager, who will proactively seek opportunities to increase CCEB positive branding through various media channels in order to create awareness and engagement with our various partners. This person will lead the planning, development, and implementation of all of Catholic Charities' marketing strategies, marketing communications, and public relations activities, both external and internal. The **full job description** is available at <http://www.oakdiocese.org/offices/human-resources/communications/>

For more information about the position please contact Debra Gunn, see above