

5th Sunday of Lent • V Domingo de Cuaresma
March 13, 2016 • 13 de Marzo de 2016

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/ INTENCIONES SEMANALES

Sat:	5:00 PM	Sandi Grewe
Sun:	8:30 AM	Henry Inglese
	10:30 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
	12:30 PM	Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana
Mon:	9:00 AM	Youth of St. Anne
Tue:	9:00 AM	Elders of St. Anne
Wed:	9:00 AM	Families of St. Anne
Thurs:	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
Sat:	5:00 PM	Mathew & Mary Coelho
Sun:	8:30 AM	Youth of St. Anne
	10:30 AM	Elders of St. Anne
	12:30 PM	Jose Barajas

SCRIPTURE READINGS/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 03/14/16-03/20/16

Mon:	Lenten Weekday/Día de la semana de Cuaresma Dn 13:1-62 Ps 23:1-6 Jn 8:12-20 Dn 13:1-62 Sal 22:1-6 Jn 8:12-20
Tue:	Lenten Weekday/Día de la semana de Cuaresma Nm 21:4-9 Ps 102:2-21 Jn 8:21-30 Nm 21:4-9 Sal 101:2-21 Jn 8:21-30
Wed:	Lenten Weekday/Día de la semana de Cuaresma Dn 3:14-95 (Ps) Dn 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42 Dn 3:14-95 (Sal) Dn 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42
Thurs:	Lenten Weekday; St. Patrick, Bishop/Día de la semana de Cuaresma; San Patricio, Obispo Gn 17:3-9 Ps 105:4-9 Jn 8:51-59 Gn 17:3-9 Sal 104:4-9 Jn 8:51-59
Fri:	Lenten Weekday; St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop, doctor of the Church/Día de la semana de Cuaresma; San Cirilo de Jerusalén, Obispo, Doctor de la Iglesia Jer 20:10-13 Ps 18:2-7 Jn 10:31-42 Jr 20:10-13 Sal 17:2-7 Jn 10:31-42
Sat:	St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary/San José, Esposo de la Virgen María 2 Sm 7:4-16 Ps 89:2-29 Rom 4:13-22 Mt 1:16-24a 2 Sm 7:4-16 Sal 88:2-29 Rom 4:13-22 Mt 1:16-24a
Sun:	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord/V Domingo de Cuaresma Is 50:4-7 Ps 22:8-24 Phil 2:6-11 Lk 22:14-23:56 Is 50:4-7 Sal 21:8-24 Flp 2:6-11 Lc 22:14-23:56

PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

Catherine Clark, 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, Elsie, 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

03-19-03/20

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Lori & Tom Biggam

Lector 1: Art Meyers

Lector 2: Al Fleischer

Euch. Min: Cup – Anne & Greg Schmit

Altar Servers: Team 8

SUNDAY 8:30 AM -

Greeters: Barbara Stoiber, Tim & Connie McCabe

Lector 1: Pat Weber

Lector 2: Stephanie Moore

Euch. Min: Bread – Bryan Lohrengel, Mathilda Rizkalla & Lynn Tiemeyer

Cup – Glenda DuBois, Carol Luke, Sr. Barbara & Matt Nobriga

Altar Servers: Team 15 w/Riley Lee & Kaitlynn DeSimone

Hospitality:

A/V: Don LaPerle

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Mindy Naylor, Barbara & Phil Mora

Lector 1: Lori Johnson

Lector 2: Anne Marie Evans

Euch. Min: Bread – Joanne Ramsel, Karen Randle & Cathy Sanocki

Cup – Agnes James, Rosana Navarro, Claudia Ramirez, Bob Sanocki, Ken & Marian Landoline

Altar Servers: Team 1 w/Ashley Jerome & Alyssa D'Ambrogia

Children's Liturgy of the Word: School Break

Hospitality:

A/V: Denise Gavello

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Bienvenidas: Adriana y Mónica Rodriguez

Lector 1: Ignacio Chávez

Lector 2: Elba Chávez

Ministros de Eucaristía:

Pan – Maribel Ochoa

Taza – Noema Pena, Delfino Perez, Rita Jurado y Elizabeth Zenteno

Ofrendas:

Colecta: Alfonso Cisneros, Yesenia Cuevas, Ignacio Chávez y Marisol Romero

Acólitos:

A/V: Isidro Flores

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.

FAVOR DE NOTAR: Es su responsabilidad buscar su reemplazo si usted no puede servir cuando está programado.

**There is no morning mass on Holy Thursday,
March 24th and no 5:00 pm mass on Holy Satur-
day, March 26th.**

WORSHIP

Lent Days of Fast and Abstinence

Fridays in Lent are obligatory days of complete abstinence (from meat) for all who have completed their 14th year. **Good Friday** is an obligatory day of fast and abstinence. Fasting is obligatory for all who have completed their 18th year and have not yet reached their 60th year. Fasting allows a person to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may be taken, not to equal one full meal. Abstinence (from meat) is obligatory for all who have reached their 14th year.

"No one should be scrupulous in this regard; failure to observe some penitential day is not considered serious; rather it is failure to observe any penitential days at all or a substantial number of such, which is considered serious." -U.S. Bishops Conference

Días de Ayuno y Abstinencia durante la Cuaresma

Los Viernes de Cuaresma obliga a no comer carne desde los 14 años de edad. **Viernes Santo** esta día obligatorio de ayuno y abstinencia. Ayuno es obligatorio para todos los mayores de 18 años hasta los 6°. Ayuno permite a la persona solo comer una comida completa al día. Con dos porciones menores que equivalen a una comida completa. Abstinencia de comer carne es obligación desde los 14 años de edad.

"Nadie debe ser escrupuloso si no puede cumplir con algo en día de penitencia, no es considerado serio; mejor dicho si no puede cumplir con ninguna penitencia entonces si es considerado serio" -U.S. Bishops Conference

Caminata de Laberinto Ecumenical

CINCO jueves de 25 de febrero a 17 de marzo al mediodía
Iglesia modificada de Byron

Viva de experiencia de la disciplina espiritual de oración contemplativa recorriendo el laberinto en nuestro jardín sagrado

Ecumenical Labyrinth Walk

FIVE Thursdays February 25 - March 17 at Noon
Byron United Methodist Church

Experience the spiritual discipline of contemplative prayer by walking the Labyrinth in our sacred garden.

Bilingual Communal Reconciliation will be held at St. Anne on Tuesday, March 15th at 7:00PM.

Reconciliation Schedule for Deanery Parishes

Holy Rosary - Monday, March 14th 7:00 PM

St. Ignatius of Antioch - Thursday, March 17th 7:30 PM

Our Lady Queen of the World - Monday, March 21st 7:00 PM

La reconciliación Comunal Bilingüe se llevará a cabo en Santa Ana el Martes 15 de Marzo a las 7:00PM en el salón.

Parroquia del Santo Rosario - Lunes 14 de Marzo 7:00PM

San Ignacio - Jueves 17 de Marzo 7:30PM

Reina del Mundo - Lunes 21 de Marzo 7:00 PM

Annual Chrism Mass

Wednesday, March 16, 6:30 pm

The Cathedral of Christ the Light, 2121 Harrison St., Oakland

All parishes and members of the Diocese are invited to come celebrate the annual Chrism Mass on Wednesday, March 16 at 6:30 pm. Join with us as the chief shepherd of our Diocese, Bishop Michael Barber, S.J., blesses the Oil of the Catechumens and the Oil of the Sick and consecrates the Sacred Chrism, all of which are taken back to the parishes for the celebration of the Sacraments. This year's celebration begins with the Musical Prelude and procession of the Parishes at 6:30 pm.

Also, in a sign of unity and fidelity, the priests of the diocese concelebrate the Mass with their Bishop and recommit themselves to their priestly ministry. This is the one time, each year, when the local church gathers as one family in faith to celebrate as one Church, called by Christ to know Christ and make Him better known.



CONNECT

THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/

ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 03/12/16- 03/20/16

- Sat:** **Vigil - 5th Sunday of Lent**
4:00 PM Live Stations Rehearsal/Hall
Second Collection - Catholic Relief
6:00 PM Adoration/Adoración al Santísimo/Chapel/Capilla
- Sun:** **5th Sunday of Lent**
Second Collection - Catholic Relief
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
- Mon:** 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Offsite
4:00 PM Food Pantry Prep/Kitchen
6:00 PM AED/CPR Training/Room 2
- Tues:** 9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution/Methodist Church
7:00 PM Lenten Reconciliation Service/Hall
7:00 PM La reconciliación Comunal Bilingüe/Salon
- Wed:** 10:00 AM Deep River Group/Fireside
7:00 PM Stations of the Cross/Hall
- Thurs:** 6:00 PM Boy's Ranch
7:00 PM Practica del Coro/Fireside
- Fri:** 5:00 PM Friday Nite "Fish Fry"/Hall
6:30 PM vía crusis/Capilla
7:00 PM La Sagrada Familia/Capilla
7:00 PM Confirmación para Adultos/Aula 2
- Sat:** **Vigil - Palm Sunday**
4:00 PM Live Stations Rehearsal/Hall
Tamales on Sale
- Sun:** **5th Sunday of Lent**
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
10:00 AM Choir Practice/Fireside

Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday March 27, 2016 - After 10:30 am Family Mass - Bring your own basket, collect empty eggs, and turn the eggs in for a bag of Easter candy!

Candy Donations – Bring bags of individually wrapped candy to mass and put them in the basket by the font or to the office during the week.

Volunteers -

Make candy bags: Wednesday, March 23 @ 9:30am in the kitchen

Easter morning: Set-up: Before 10:30am mass;

Clean-up: After Hunt

RSVP to Andrea DeSimone at stayhomemom67@gmail.com for details!

Búsqueda De Huevos De Pascua Para Niños

Domingo 27 de Marzo, 2016 - Después de la misa familiar de 10:30 - traigan su propia canasta, recogen huevos vacíos y entrenemos por una bolsa de dulces de pascua

Donaciones de dulces - Traigan bolsa de individualmente envueltos a las misas de los Domingos y colóquenlos en las cajas de donaciones

Voluntarios – Ayúdenos a hacer bolsas de dulces: Miércoles 23 de Marzo a las 930am en la cocina

Pascua -Preparación: Antes de la misa de 1030

Limpieza: Después de la búsqueda de huevos

Conteste a Andrea DeSimone a stayhomemom67@gmail.com para mas detalles!

Celebrating 100 years!!



ST. ANNE
Fish Fry

Feb 19, 26, Mar 4, 11, 18

~ 5:00 to 7:30 ~

St. Anne Community Life Center

2800 Camino Diablo Rd., Byron, CA

Tickets on sale after mass or at the door

Eat In or Take Out



\$12 Adult / \$5 Child



Sponsored by Knights of Columbus St. Anne Council #13899

CONNECT

Upcoming Events at St. Anne

Thursdays March 10th & 17th - Noon
Ecumenical Labyrinth Walk/
Byron United Methodist church

Monday, March 14th
CPR/AED Training 6:00 PM

Wednesday March 16th
Deep River Group I Series

Wednesday 16th
Stations of the Cross/ Hall 7PM

Viernes, Marzo 18th
Via Crusis/Capillo 6:30 PM

Friday March 18th
Knight's "Friday Nite Fish Fry's"

Tuesday, March 22nd
Seder Dinner

Thursday - Saturday, March 24th - 26th
TRIDUUM- see Schedule in Bulletin

Sunday, March 27th
EASTER

Wednesday, April 6th
St. Anne Blood Drive

Saturday, April 16th
Confirmation Mass

Weekend of April 16th/17th
Knight's of Columbus Recruitment

If your Ministry has an event coming up that is not listed, please contact the office.



Women's Fellowship

Upcoming Events:

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

NEXT MEETING:

April 12, 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 opportunities to share gifts and talents and encourage and strengthen faith and friendships within our community.*

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Scholarship Applications

Women's Fellowship is offering two \$250 scholarships to high school/college worthy applicants. Forms can be obtained at the church office or by emailing Susan Pastorini at susanl-akeww@gmail.com. Forms need to be returned by **May 6th**.

Las solicitudes de becas

El grupo Mujeres de Santa Ana está ofreciendo dos becas de \$ 250 para aspirantes que estén en la escuela secundaria o universidad. Los formularios se pueden obtener en la oficina de la iglesia o por correo electrónico a la dirección Susan Pastorini at susanlakeww@gmail.com. La formas tienen que ser devueltos antes del **6 de mayo**.

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## GROW

### **Faith Formation, Edge & Lifeteen Programs**

We follow the Byron-Brentwood School calendar so there will be **NO CLASSES** for K-12<sup>th</sup> students from March 13<sup>th</sup> through March 31<sup>st</sup>. Remember to live Lent during these days.

Bring your RICE BOWL money or check back on Palm Sunday, March 20th

**ALL CLASSES RESUME the week of April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

#### **LENTEN SOUP SUPPER THANK YOU**

Last Sunday's Lenten Soup Supper-Silhouette Stations of the Cross was a beautiful prayer and a tasty soup supper for all. Thank you to all who provided soups and rolls.

Thank you for our EDGE leaders Suzanne Clement, Kyle Roman, Buzz Pedrotti, and Paula Castronuevo who nurture our 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders every Sunday night and who produced this prayerful Silhouette Stations of the Cross.

Thank you EDGE members; you were amazing! Thank you to our LIFETEEN team leaders Mikayla Balogh, Dennis Desmond, Jen Evans, Danette Jolly, Becky Packard, Susan Pastorini, Steve Rojek who guided our teens to setup, serve and cleanup the Soup Supper for all to enjoy.

Our teens were amazing; they are the Church; they are leading us in the right direction. Thank you teens!

### **Formación de Fe, Edge y Lifeteen**

seguimos el calendario escolar de Brentwood y Byron así que **NO** habrá clases para los estudiantes de K-12<sup>th</sup> del 13 de marzo al 31 de marzo. Recuerde de vivir la Cuaresma durante estos días. Traer su dinero o cheque para el plato de arroz o en domingo de Ramos, 20 de Marzo.

**Todas las clases reanudarán el 3 de abril.**

#### **CENA DE SOPA CUARESMA GRACIAS**

Nuestra cena de sopa cuaresmal y las estaciones de la Cruz en siluetas del pasado domingo fueron una hermosa oración para todos. Gracias a todos los que donaron sopa y pan.

Gracias a nuestros líderes de EDGE Suzanne Clement, Kyle Roman, Buzz Pedrotti y Paula Castronuevo que nutren a los estudiantes del grado 6-7-8 cada domingo por la noche y que produjeron esta oración en silueta de las estaciones de la Cruz. Gracias a los miembros de EDGE; Estuvieron increíbles!

Gracias a nuestros líderes del equipo de LIFETEEN Mikayla Balogh, Dennis Desmond, Jen Evans, Danette Jolly, Becky Packard, Susan Pastorini, Steve Rojek que guiaron a nuestros adolescentes para acomodar, dar servicio y limpieza al evento para que todos pudieran disfrutar.

Nuestros jóvenes fueron de lo mejor; ellos son la iglesia; nos están conduciendo en la dirección correcta. Gracias adolescentes!

## SERVE

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In today's second reading, St. Paul says, "For his sake I have forfeited everything; I have accounted all else rubbish so that Christ may be my wealth." Does my stewardship suggest that I could say the same?

### PENSAMIENTO ADMINISTRATIVO

en la segunda lectura de hoy, San Pablo dice, "por su causa he dejado todo; y todo lo considero como basura con tal de que Cristo sea mi riqueza" ¿Mi Mayordomía sugiere que podría decir lo mismo?

### OFRENDAS DE LA SEMANA

En el pasado la parroquia iba a publicar las ofertas semanales y compararlas 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!

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

### Jubilee of Mercy



The practice of pilgrimage has a special place in the Holy Year, because it represents the journey each of us makes in this life. Life itself is a pilgrimage, and the human being is a *viator*, a pilgrim travelling along the road, making his way to the desired destination.

The videos in the Mercy Project series are available on the Jubilee of Mercy website:

<http://jubileeofmercy-eb.org/> the videos focus on the Corporal Works of Mercy and the Spiritual Works of Mercy. 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 práctica de la peregrinación tiene un lugar especial en el año santo, ya que representa el viaje que cada uno de nosotros hace en esta vida. La vida es una peregrinación, y el ser humano es un *viator*, un peregrino que viaja a lo largo de la carretera, haciendo su camino hacia el destino deseado.

Los videos en la serie de proyecto de misericordia están disponibles en el sitio web:

<http://jubileeofmercy-eb.org/> todos los videos se centran en la obra Corporal de misericordia, alimentar al hambriento y el trabajo espiritual de la misericordia – Tómese su tiempo para visitar el sitio web para ver los videos y reflexionar sobre estas dos obras de misericordia haciendo clic en los enlaces debajo del video.



JUBILEO AÑO DE LA MISERICORDIA  
DE 10 DE ENERO DE 2015-20 DE NOVIEMBRE 2016



## SERVE

### *Nurses Notes*

#### Physical Activity Guidelines for Americans Recommendations

| Age            | Recommendations                                                                                                                                                          |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 18 to 64 years | All adults should avoid inactivity. Some physical activity is better than none, and adults who participate in any amount of physical activity gain some health benefits. |

For substantial health benefits, adults should do at least 150 minutes (2 hours and 30 minutes) a week of moderate-intensity, or 75 minutes (1 hour and 15 minutes) a week of vigorous-intensity aerobic physical activity, or an equivalent combination of moderate- and vigorous-intensity aerobic activity. Aerobic activity should be performed in episodes of at least 10 minutes, and preferably, it should be spread throughout the week.

For additional and more extensive health benefits, adults should increase their aerobic physical activity to 300 minutes (5 hours) a week of moderate-intensity, or 150 minutes a week of vigorous-intensity aerobic physical activity, or an equivalent combination of moderate- and vigorous-intensity activity. Additional health benefits are gained by engaging in physical activity beyond this amount.

Adults should also include muscle-strengthening activities that involve all major muscle groups on 2 or more days a week.

*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 MARZO**  
**SALSA DE ESPAGUETI Y ESPAGUETI**

### 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 MARCH**  
**SPAGHETTI AND SPAGHETTI SAUCE**



### 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 Luisell, 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**



### Worldwide Marriage Encounter

The Gospel today is the story of the prodigal son, which is really all of our stories, because we have all fallen short of the mark at times. God always waits for us with open, loving arms. Sign up today to attend our Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on **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 [oaklandwwme.org](http://oaklandwwme.org) Weekends are presented in the Pleasanton/Dublin area.

### Volunteer Board Candidate—Ed Join, Richmond

**EdFundWest.org**

The Ed Fund is a nonprofit organization that works with community based organizations that provide services to West Contra Costa County to create educational environments where our students thrive and succeed in their chosen endeavors. They are currently seeking passionate, driven, and talented candidates to join the Board of Directors and make a difference for this vital educational organization. Find the **volunteer board candidate description** online at <http://edfundwest.org/support-us/volunteer/>

### Contra Costa Interfaith Housing:

Interested in helping run a summer day camp for one week? We are currently putting together summer programming for kids (toddler through middle school), and we need your help. Many of these kids are formerly homeless or very low-income. In the past, volunteers (teens and adults) have organized small groups to host different "camps". These activities take place at our housing sites (Pleasant Hill, Concord and Pittsburg) for a couple hours/day for 1-4 days during the week. Some examples include: hosting a four day dance camp; art camp; putting on a science camp; hosting a music camp. Feel free to call and discuss ideas or just offer general help to an already formed camp week. All camps are supervised by on-site CCIH staff.

Like us on Facebook!



### What is human trafficking?

Guest speakers will be informing our community of the signs of trafficking and how to protect our children. This problem is occurring in our own city. It is estimated that 200-300,000 children are at risk of being trafficked every year. We must not turn our backs and ignore this problem. Come and be educated. If you have any questions, contact Kate Friend (925) 522-9244.

**Saturday, April 16, 2016**

*2 pm to 5 pm*

Location: Father Garcia Hall

Immaculate Heart of Mary

500 Fairview Avenue, Brentwood

*This event is sponsored by the IHM Ministry of Caring.*

## 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

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### Director of Music Ministry—St. Theresa Parish, Oakland

**Fr. Robert McCann** [rjmccann@sttheresaokland.org](mailto:rjmccann@sttheresaokland.org)  
[StTheresaOakland.org](http://StTheresaOakland.org)

St. Theresa Parish in Oakland seeks a Director of Music Ministry. Primary responsibilities include coordinating all choirs (adult and children), training cantors, and working collaboratively with liturgical committee and pastoral staff planning liturgical celebrations. The Director will be the primary contact for music for all weddings and funerals. This position may also include duties and assume responsibilities as mutually agreed upon with the pastor and school principal for the school.

Successful candidate will have a vision for the further development of multi-generational programs and assist at school liturgies. The qualified applicant should have a thorough knowledge of Catholic music and liturgy. Accompaniment skills are a plus. This position is classification is M-3 or M-5, depending on other duties/responsibilities as agreed upon as well as and the candidates' experience and qualifications.

The position begins April 1. Please submit resume, letter of intent, and inquiries to:

Fr. Robert McCann, Pastor  
30 Mandalay Road  
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### Elementary School Principal—St. Joseph Basilica, Alameda

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Applications must be completed before March 5. To apply, send Letter of Intent and Application to:

Penny Pendola, Ed.D.

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