

Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parent of the Blessed Virgin Mary •
San Joaquin y Santa Ana, Padres de la Santísima Virgen Maria
July 26, 2015 • 26 de Julio de 2015

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/ INTENCIONES SEMANALES

Sat:	5:00 PM	Grandparents Living & Deceased of St. Anne
Sun:	8:30 AM	Grandparents Living & Deceased of St. Anne
	10:30 AM	Grandparents Living & Deceased of St. Anne
	12:30 PM	Abuelos Vivos & Difuntos de Sta. Ana
Mon:	9:00 AM	John Raymond Case
Tue:	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
Wed:	9:00 AM	Elders of St. Anne
Thurs:	9:00 AM	Families of St. Anne
Sat:	5:00 PM	Youth of St. Anne
Sun:	8:30 AM	Bill & Madeline Marra
	10:30 AM	Tom McMahon
	12:30 PM	Josephina Rodriguez

SCRIPTURE READINGS/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 07/27/15-08/02/15

Mon:	Weekday/Día de la Semana Ex 32:15-34 Ps 106:19-23 Mt 13:31-35 Ex 32:15-34 Sal 105:19-23 Mt 13:31-35
Tue:	Weekday/Día de la Semana Ex 33:7-34:5b-28 Ps 103:6-13 Mt 13:36-43 Ex 33:7-28 Sal 102:6-13
Wed:	St. Martha/Santa Marta Ex 34:29-35 Ps 99:5-9 Jn 11:19-27 Ex 34:29-35 Sal 98:5-9 Jn 11:19-27
Thurs:	Weekday; St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church/ Día de la Semana; San Pedro Crisólito, Obispo, Doctor de la Iglesia Ex 40:16-38 Ps 84:3-11 Mt 13:47-53 Ex 40:16-38 Sal 83:3-11 Mt 13:47-53
Fri:	St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest/San Ignacio de Loyola, Presbítero Lv 23:1-37 Ps 81:3-11b Mt 13:54-58 Lv 23:1-37 Sal 80:3-11b Mt 13:54-58
Sat:	St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop, Doctor of the Church/ San Alfonso Maria de Ligorio, Obispo, Doctor de la Iglesias Lv 25:1-17 Ps 67:2-8 Mt 14:1-12 Lv 25:1-17 Sal 66:2-8 Mt 14:1-12
Sun:	18th Sunday in Ordinary Time/XVIII Domingo Ordinario Ex 16:2-15 Ps 78:3-54 Eph 4:17-24 Jn 6:24-35 Ex 16:2-15 Sal 77:3-54 Ef 4:17-24 Jn 6:24-35

PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

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, Nate Rice, Pam Russell, Georgia Minshall, Jim Doran, Bob Nixon, Dorothy, Ralph Randle, Norman Randle, Alex Sherman, Baby Marina, Kristine Jones, Henry Sukovaty, Frankie, 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.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

08/01-08/02

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Greeters: Tom & Lori Biggam

Lector 1: James Wagner

Lector 2: Pat Weber

Euch. Min: Cup – Kathy & Larry Green

Altar Servers: Team 12

SUNDAY 8:30 AM

Greeters: Judy Baker, Catherine & Dennis Kutsuris

Lector 1: Peggy Ann Valley

Lector 2: Lucy Peterson

Euch. Min: Bread – Jennifer Blake, Darrell Packard & Sue Wright-Broughton

Cup – Bev Fondacabe, Matt Nobriga, Lynn

Tiemeyer & Ernie Zuccato

Altar Servers: Team 2

Hospitality: Madonna Leeper & Bev Jardin

A/V: Don LaPerle

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

Greeters: Rosana Navarro, Jane Perry & Ro Sweet

Lector 1: Jose Cruz-Zamora

Lector 2: Buzz Pedrotti

Euch. Min: Bread – Jennifer Evans, Bob Sanocki & Carol Luke

Cup – John Dyer, Ron Kapphahn, Dick

Macdonald, Cathy Sanocki, Raj & Agnes Arokiaraj

Altar Servers: Team 5

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Elizabeth & Andy Sherman

Hospitality: Sherry Kulling & Sue Mikla

A/V: Pete Evans

SUNDAY 12:30 PM

Bienvenidas:

Lector 1:

Lector 2:

Ministros de Eucaristía:

Pan –

Taza –

Ofrendas:

Colecta:

Acólitos:

A/V: Isidro Flores

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

FAVOR DE NOTAR: Horarios Ministerio de Jul -Sept está en el sitio. Es su responsabilidad buscar su reemplazo si usted no puede servir cuando está programado.

PRAY FOR THE REPOSED SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Darrell Baird (Lourdes Baird's Husband)

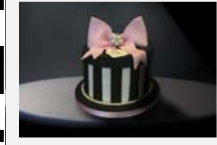
PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS

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**THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/
ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 07/25/15- 08/02/15**

- Sat:** Vigil - Feast of St. Joachim & Anne, Parents of Blessed Virgin Mary
Baptism - Dominic Crivello
- Sun:** Feast of St. Joachim & Anne, Parents of Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
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
6:30 PM La Sagrada Familia/Capilla
- Tues:** 9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution/Methodist Church
- Wed:** 11:00 AM St. Anne Interfaith Blood Drive
7:00 PM Grupo de Oración españoles Reunión de Planificación/Capilla
- Thurs:** 6:00 PM Boy's Ranch/Offsite
- Sat:** Vigil - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
2nd Collection - Parish Insurance
- Sun:** 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
2nd Collection - Parish Insurance
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
9:30 AM 10:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B
12:30 PM Bautismo -Brianna & Tiffany Munguia



**SAVE THE DATE
NITE OF ELEGANT FUN**

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Our Greeter ministry is in need of volunteers, especially at the 8:30 AM Mass. If you enjoy meeting new people, helping visitors and your fellow parishioners feel welcome please consider joining our Greeter Ministry. For more information or to join please contact Sue Wright-Broughton at 513-6654 or rjwb@comcast.net



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Covenant Corner

The **Covenant Corner** is an opportunity for us to recognize those who use their gifts in service for others. We want to give regular thanks to those who do so much for all of us. So we invite you when you see someone doing something worth noting to let us know, by

mail or email office@stannechurchbyron.com. Please keep the note 4-5 short sentences (maximum). Then we can get it in the bulletin.

Upcoming Events at St. Anne

- Wednesday, July 29th**
St. Anne Interfaith Blood Drive
- Saturday, August 15th**
Women's Fellowship "Wine in the Bay"
- Sunday, August 16th/Monday, August 17th**
Edge Teen Ministry/Faith Formation Begins
- Sunday, August 23rd - 10:30 Mass**
Indian "Our Lady of Good Health" Celebration
- Friday, September 18th**
Fall Festival Spaghetti Feed/Bingo Nite
- Saturday, September 19th**
St. Anne Fall Festival
- Friday, November 6th**
Nite of Elegant Fun
- Weekend of November 14th-15th**
Covenant Sunday

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

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GROW



Women's Fellowship

Upcoming Events:

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

NEXT MEETING:

August 11, 2015

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

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## 12th Annual Wine in the Bay

**August 15, 2015**

**4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (Byron)**

There will be wine, beer and olive oil tastings, great music, artisans, silent and live auctions. Wine is available for sale that day from our vintners who will donate 15% of the sales to St. Anne Parish. Tickets are being sold after all masses for \$45.00, Please contact Peggy Ann Valley at [925/890-5255/peggy.valley@comcast.net](tel:925/890-5255) or Linda Thomas at [925/634-3439/lstthomas@sbcglobal.net](tel:925/634-3439) to purchase tickets. Tickets can also be purchased via PayPal at <http://www.stannechurchbyron.com> and they will be held at Will Call for you. Come join us for this fun event that supports St. Anne Parish and it's outreach and support programs in the community.

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For membership information contact Anne Doran at adoran712@comcast.net or Linda Humbert at calmhumbert@comcast.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.

Welcome! We extend our hearts and hands in Christian fellowship, as you join with us in worship. If you are new to the parish, Scan the QR code with your smart phone to access our website. No Smart Phone -Registration forms are also available in the foyer and on our website.



Si es usted un Nueve Feligrés, le damos la Bienvenida, extendiéndole nuestras manos y nuestro Corazón como hermanos en Cristo. Escanear el código QR con tu teléfono inteligente para acceder a nuestro sitio web. O hay formas Phone-Registro inteligentes también están disponibles en el vestíbulo y en nuestra página web.

ST. ANNE FAITH FORMATION 2015-2016

All are welcome! We want your child/teen to be here! Parental involvement gives your child the best experience. You are the primary teacher and model. **Here is what we have to offer:**
Pre K-5th Grade Program offers BASIC Catholic prayers, teachings, Jesus stories, moral education and life applications at each age level. To love Jesus and to celebrate community at our Sunday Mass is a primary goal.

First Reconciliation and First Communion

are offered to all baptized children 1st grade and older. First Communion preparation is a 2 year preparation beginning earliest at 1st grade.

Sacramental Baptism for children older than 7 years of age, requires two years of preparation through our regular programs.

Edge Program is our 6th-7th-8th grader's program for personal growth, spiritual challenges, and service to the community.

Life Teen gathers high school believers for community, spiritual growth, fun and service. All are welcome!

CONFIRMATION preparation is a two year program welcoming 9th graders or older to deepen their understanding and integration of their Catholic faith for life as a mature Catholic.

REGISTER NOW ... Come to St. Anne OFFICE

Hours: Monday – Thursday 9:00am-12:30 and 1:30pm-5:00pm

Friday: 9:00am-12:30pm

To register bring: Copy of Baptismal Certificate

Registration Fee

Registration Form (in Office or on Website)

Classes begin the week of August 17th!

FORMACION DE FE DE SANTA ANA 2015-2016

Todos son bienvenidos! Queremos que su niño/adolescente esté aquí! La Participación de los padres da a su niño una mejor experiencia. Eres el maestro y modelo a seguir principal. **Aquí está lo que ofrecemos:**

Programa Pre K-5to Grado

ofrece BASICAS oraciones católicas, enseñanzas, historias de Jesús, educación moral y aplicaciones de la vida en cada nivel de edad.

Amar a Jesús y celebrar la comunidad en la Misa del Domingo es un objetivo primordial.

Primera Reconciliación Y Primera Comunión

es ofrecido a todos los niños bautizados de 1er grado y mayores.

La preparación para la primera comunión es un inicio de preparación de 2 años comenzando desde el primer grado.

Bautismo Sacramental

Se requieren dos años de preparación en nuestros programas regulares para niños mayores de 7 años.

Edge Program

Es nuestro programa de crecimiento personal, desafío espiritual y servicio a la comunidad para Grados 6, 7 y 8.

Life Teen

Reúne a creyentes de High School para el crecimiento espiritual de la comunidad, para divertirse juntos y ofrecer servicio

Confirmación

La preparación para la Confirmación es un programa de dos años que da la bienvenida a estudiantes de grado 9 o mayores para profundizar su entendimiento e integración de su fe católica para vivir una vida como católico maduro.

REGISTRESE AHORA ... venga la OFICINA de Santa Ana

Horario: Lunes – Jueves 9:00am-12:30 y 1:30pm-5:00pm

Viernes: 9:00am-12:30pm

Para registrarse traiga consigo: Copia del Certificado Bautismal

Cuota del Registro

Forma de Registro (en Oficina o Página web)

Clases comienzan la semana del 17 de Agosto!

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

"The hand of the Lord feeds us," says the Psalmist, "he answers all our needs." Both Elisha's servant in the first reading and the disciples in the Gospel story who witnessed the feeding of the five thousand saw this happen and know it to be true.

PENSAMIENTO ADMINISTRATIVO

"La mano del Señor nos alimenta" dice el Salmista, "él responde a todas nuestras necesidades." Ambos siervos de Eliseo en la primera lectura y los discípulos en el relato del Evangelio que fueron testigos de la alimentación de los 5 mil vieron esto y saben que es verdad.

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.

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!

Counseling Ministry

I have been serving the parishioners of St. Anne for the last three years by providing counseling services. As of July 1st, St. Anne Counseling Services will be temporarily suspended. We hope to have a therapist to join this ministry in the near future. If you need counseling services, there are several in the Brentwood area. One is Sylvia Ching, LMFT. Her number is 925-301-5369. The other is River Counseling Center. Their number is 925-757-4837. It has been my pleasure to serve you.

God Bless, Marie Hall, LCSW

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 AGOSTO
FRUTA ENLATADA, VERDURA ENLATADA Y
ARTICULOS ESCOLARES**

Gracias, Barbara Mora, Women's Fellowship, Tony Hicks, Voluntario camareros y modelos para una "fantástica" Fashion Show y almuerzo. El evento fue disfrutado por todos. La despensa de alimentos y su comunidad apreciamos su apoyo

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 AUGUST
CANNED FRUIT, CANNED VEGGIES & SCHOOL
SUPPLIES**

Thank you, Barbara Mora, Women's Fellowship, Tony Hicks, Volunteer Bartenders & Models for a "fantastic" Fashion Show and Lunch. He event was enjoyed by all. The Food Pantry and its community appreciate your support.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY

Donation Bags will be given out next week after Masses, August 1 and 2nd. If we run out, please use you own plastic bags.

DOMINGO DE BULTO de SAN VICENTE de PAUL

Las bolsas para donar serán dadas la próxima semana después de las misas el 1ero y 2do de Agosto. Si se nos agotan por favor usen sus propias bolsas de plástico.

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Nurses Notes:

When & How to Wash Your Hands

Keeping hands clean through improved hand hygiene is one of the most important steps we can take to avoid getting sick and spreading germs to others. Many diseases and conditions are spread by not washing hands with soap and water. If soap and water are unavailable, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol to clean hands.

When should you wash your hands?

- Before, during, and after preparing food
- Before eating food
- Before and after caring for someone who is sick
- Before and after treating a cut or wound
- After using the toilet
- After changing diapers or cleaning up a child who has used the toilet
- After blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing
- After touching an animal, animal feed, or animal waste
- After handling pet food or pet treats
- After touching garbage

How should you wash your hands?

Wet your hands with clean, running water (warm or cold), turn off the tap, and apply soap.

Lather your hands by rubbing them together with the soap. Be sure to lather the backs of your hands, between your fingers, and under your nails.

Scrub your hands for at least 20 seconds. Need a timer? Hum the "Happy Birthday" song from beginning to end twice.

Rinse your hands well under clean, running water.

Dry your hands using a clean towel or air dry them.

What should you do if you don't have soap and clean, running water?

Washing hands with soap and water is the best way to reduce the number of microbes on them in most situations. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Alcohol-based hand sanitizers can quickly reduce the number of microbes on hands in some situations, but sanitizers do **not** eliminate all types of germs.

Hand sanitizers are not as effective when hands are visibly dirty or greasy.

How do you use hand sanitizers?

Apply the product to the palm of one hand (read the label to learn the correct amount).

Rub your hands together.

Rub the product over all surfaces of your hands and fingers until your hands are dry.

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.

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MARCH 14-24, 2016



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FOR A BROCHURE & MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Teresa Bustos at (925) 240-1944

or Email: erbustos@pacbell.net



Digital Communications Assistant (Part-Time/Temporary) - Communication Department, Chancery Office

The Digital Communications Assistant duties include website content management and training; assistance with social media content generation and backup management; online reputation monitoring/ management and online calendaring of events; production of a weekly digital newsletter; development of photo and video resources; and other general administrative duties. This position requires a very high level of attention to detail and accuracy.

Qualifications: excellent written and oral English communication skills; strong interpersonal skills; professional demeanor with internal and external constituents; customer-service driven; deadline-compliant; Microsoft Office and internet proficient; experience with CMS, social media, graphics and video editing. For a full description of the responsibilities/duties, click [here](#)

This is a temporary, part time (20 hours per week) position. Please submit resume and cover letter to Jan Potts, jpotts@oakdiocese.org by July 24.

Now Enrolling

St. Peter Martyr School is accepting fall applications for Pre-school, PreKindergarten, Kindergarten, and grades 1-8. The Catholic school offers extended care, extra-curricular programs, faith development, and a strong academic program. Applications are available at the school or www.stpetermartyrschool.org. Located at 425 West Fourth St. in Pittsburg, the school is fully accredited and welcomes families from all parishes and surrounding communities. For information about our affordable rates call the school at [925-439-1014](tel:925-439-1014) or visit www.stpetermartyrschool.org.

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Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico:

Por una Familia Más Feliz

Estados hermanos en Cristo y Maria. Todos los retos y dificultades que enfrentamos los matrimonios hoy en día, no sería posible superarlos sin la ayuda de Cristo y Maria. 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



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CARING HANDS AT WORK

Your "caring hands" can be put to good use helping our local seniors remain independent and in their own homes as long as safely possible!

Caring Hands volunteers provide friendly visits, transportation and friendship to our ever increasing senior population. Caring Hands volunteers are beacons of light in what otherwise might be a bleak and lonely existence.

Please consider giving your time to assist a deserving senior. Caring Hands has training classes bi-monthly. You are invited to contact Linda Groobin, Caring Hands Program Manager at 925-952-2999, check the web at www.johnmuirhealth.com/caringhands or email linda.groobin@johnmuirhealth.com to get more information and consider signing up for the next available training class!

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

St. Jerome Parish in El Cerrito is searching for 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 1st – 8th grade, including 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.

Qualifications: Must be a practicing Catholic with an informed understanding of Vatican II and how it applies to the mission of the parish; BA in Religious Studies or strong minor in this field; current Master Catechist Certification; 3-5 years of experience in parish children's catechesis; an ability to generate enthusiasm and interact with a variety of groups, including parents, young children and middle school teens; flexibility in work hours as well as familiarity with computer applications including Microsoft Office, Excel, Outlook; can use email as a normal means of contact with families as well as the office phone; good management, communication and presentation skills.

This position is classified as an M-2, non-exempt, part-time, 20 hours/week.

More information and a complete job description can be obtained from the pastor, Fr. Fernando Cortez, saintjromechurch@comcast.net.

Accompanist - St. James the Apostle Parish, Fremont

St. James the Apostle Parish in Fremont is seeking a part-time accompanist to play for their Youth Choir Mass each weekend, in addition to one weeknight choir rehearsal. Pianist must be comfortable playing traditional Mass settings and hymns and have good improvisational and sight-reading skills. This part-time position is classified as a Liturgical Musician according to the Diocesan Salary Guidelines and will be determined upon experience and qualifications.. To submit a resume or for more information please email Dr. Kaia Richards, kaia.e.richards@gmail.com.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

In the second reading, St Paul tells us to live in a manner worth of the call you have received, having humility, gentleness and patience and to bear with one another through love. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are August 7-9 or November 20-22. 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 Weekends are presented in Dublin.

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Assistant Controller - Chancery Office

The Chancery Office of the Diocese of Oakland is seeking an Assistant Controller to assist in planning, directing, and coordinating the financial accounting and reporting activities of Diocesan Central Services. In addition, this position is an integral component to ensuring the parishes' compliance with various fiscal and operational policies and procedures of the Diocese of Oakland.

For a complete job description, go to <http://www.oakdiocese.org/offices/human-resources/employment/assistant-controller>. This position is full-time, E-7 classification, with full Diocesan benefits. Position is open until filled. If interested please submit letter of intent, resume and application to: Helen Giuntoli, Controller, 2121 Harrison Street, Suite 100, Oakland, CA 94612 or email hgiuntoli@oakdiocese.org.

Office Manager - St. Callistus Parish, El Sobrante

St. Callistus Parish office is seeking a part-time Office Manager. The Office Manager assists the Pastor in the leadership, personnel, facility and financial management of the parish by managing the implementation and maintenance of policies and procedures required by the Diocese and by civil law. Responsibilities include but are not limited to bookkeeping; direct and supervise other employees; and attend parish staff, financial council and diocesan meetings. Good organizational and multi-tasking skills required. This position part-time, 18 hours per week, non-exempt and is classified as S-3 according to the diocesan salary guidelines. Please send resume to Pastor, St. Callistus Church, 3580 San Pablo Dam Road, El Sobrante, CA 94803 or by email: st.callistus@sbcglobal.net.

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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.

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Funeral Assistant - Holy Angels/St. Joseph Cemetery, San Pablo

Catholic Funeral and Cemetery Services is seeking a Catholic individual to assist with the delivery of funeral services to families. This position is part-time and includes some evening and weekend work. Candidate must be professional, detail oriented and well organized. Strong communication skills are also required; bilingual (English/Spanish) preferred. Valid driver license is required. Please email letter of interest and resume to JoAnnaD@cfcoakland.org.



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Ministry Coordinator – St. Augustine Parish, Oakland

St. Augustine Parish is seeking a full-time Ministry Coordinator. Candidate must have strong spiritual leadership skills; excellent interpersonal, management, communication, public speaking, presentation and writing skills as well as ability to multi-task. Candidate must be able to organize and implement events and have flexibility in work hours. This position requires weekend work. A more detailed job description can be obtained from the parish. This position is classified as M-2 or M-3, depending on experience/qualifications, with benefits. Position is open until filled. Please send your cover letter, application and resume to: Pastor, Saint Augustine Parish, 400 Alcatraz Ave, Oakland 94609 or email to pastorachurch@comcast.net. Go to <http://www.oakdiocese.org/offices/human-resources/employment/Dioceseapplication2.pdf> for the application form.

Business Manager - St. Perpetua Parish, Lafayette

St. Perpetua Parish in Lafayette is seeking a full-time business manager. Responsibilities include assisting the pastor in the leadership, personnel, facility and financial managements of the parish. Candidate must be proficient in Microsoft Office, have good organizational and multi-tasking skills and may perform some technical work such as accounting. Familiarity with Parish Data Systems program is a plus. Candidate must have good and effective communication skills and be an active, practicing Catholic.

Salary is based upon the Diocesan Scale classification M-4 and to be determined depending on experience and qualifications. This is an exempt, 40 hours/week, 12 months position. Position begins September 2015,

Send resume and cover letter to St. Perpetua Church, 3454 Hamlin Rd. Lafayette, CA 94549, Attention: Fr. John Kasper, or e-mail to jkasper@stperpetua.org.