

## WORSHIP

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK/ INTENCIONES SEMANALES

<b>Sat:</b>	5:00 PM	Ruth M. Schmit
<b>Sun:</b>	8:30 AM	Carol Freund
	10:30 AM	Sr. Ruth Faisca, SHF
	12:30 PM	Gil Arqueta
<b>Mon:</b>	9:00 AM	Elsa Inglese
<b>Tue:</b>	9:00 AM	Ron Puccinelli
<b>Wed:</b>	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Anne
<b>Thurs:</b>	9:00 AM	Jim Gibbons
<b>Sat:</b>	5:00 PM	Youth of St. Anne
<b>Sun:</b>	8:30 AM	Ron Puccinelli
	10:30 AM	Sr. Ruth Faisca, SHF
	12:30 PM	Miembros vivos y difuntos de Sta. Ana

### SCRIPTURE READINGS/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA 10/19/15-10/25/15

<b>Mon:</b>	<b>Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Martyrs/San Juan de Brébeuf y San Isaac Jogues, Presbíteros</b> Rom 4:20-25 (Ps) Lk 1:69-75 Lk 12:13-21 Rom 4:20-25 (Sal) Lc 1:69-75 Lc 12:13-21
<b>Tue:</b>	<b>Weekday; St. Paul of the Cross, Priest/Día de la Semana; San Pablo de la Cruz, Presbítero</b> Rom 5:12-21 Ps 40:7-17 Lk 12:35-38 Rom 5:12-21 Sal 39:7-17 Lc 12:35-38
<b>Wed:</b>	<b>Weekday/Día de la Semana</b> Rom 6:12-18 Ps 124:1b-8 Lk 12:39-48 Rom 6:12-18 Sal 123:1b-8 Lc 12:39-48
<b>Thurs:</b>	<b>Weekday; St. John Paul, II, Pope/Día de la Semana; San Juan Pablo, II, Papa</b> Rom 6:19-23 Ps 1:1-6 Lk 12:49-53 Rom 6:19-23 Sal 1:1-6 Lc 12:49-53
<b>Fri:</b>	<b>Weekday; St. John of Capistrano, Priest/Día de la Semana; San Juan de Capistrano, Presbítero</b> Rom 7:18-25a Ps 119:66-94 Lk 12:54-59 Rom 7:18-25a Sal 118:60-94 Lc 12:54-59
<b>Sat:</b>	<b>Weekday; St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop/Día de la Semana; San Antonio Maria Claret, Obispo</b> Rom 8:1-11 Ps 24:1b-6 Lk 13:1-9 Rom 8:1-11 Sal 23:1b-6 Lc 13:1-9
<b>Sun:</b>	<b>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time/XXX Domingo Ordinario</b> Jer 31:7-9 Ps 126:1-6 Heb 5:1-6 Mk 10:46-52 Jr 31:7-9 Sal 125:1-6 Heb 5:1-6 Mc 10:46-52

### PLEASE PRAY FOR/POR FAVOR REZAN POR:

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, Nate Rice, Pam Russell, Georgia Minshall, Jim Doran, Bob Nixon, Ralph Randle, Norman Randle  
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

10/24-10/25

#### SATURDAY 5:00 PM

**Greeters:** Lori & Tom Biggam  
**Lector 1:** Anne Schmit  
**Lector 2:** Greg Schmit  
**Euch. Min: Cup** – Kathy & Larry Green  
**Altar Servers:** Team 8

#### SUNDAY 8:30 AM - Knights of Columbus Mass

**Greeters:** Mike Stoiber, Brad Moran, Jack Freschi & Dennis Pachucki  
**Lector 1:** Dennis Desmond  
**Lector 2:** Buzz Pedrotti  
**Euch. Min: Bread** – Ken Landoline, Chris Delgado & John Jolly  
**Cup** – Rick Pierce, Jay McLaughlin, Bob Carone, TBD

**Altar Servers:** Team 3

**Hospitality:**

**A/V:** Don LaPerle

#### SUNDAY 10:30 AM

**Greeters:** Dawn Burks, Rosana Navarro & Lisa Plasch  
**Lector 1:** Carol Luke  
**Lector 2:** Matthew Evans  
**Euch. Min: Bread** – Suzanne Gillick, Claudia Ramirez & Karen Randle  
**Cup** – Agnes James, Joanne Ramsel, Raj & Agnes Arokiaraj, Cathy & Bob Sanocki

**Altar Servers:** Team 5

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** Diana Lamaestra

**Hospitality:**

**A/V:** Pete Evans

#### SUNDAY 12:30 PM

**Bienvenidas:** Eduardo & Leonor Romero  
**Lector 1:** Enrique Magaña  
**Lector 2:** Evangelina Magaña  
**Ministros de Eucaristía:**  
**Pan** – Hilda Romero  
**Taza** – Pilar Aguilar, Maribel Ochoa, Delfino Perez & Armando Delgadillo

**Ofrendas:**

**Colecta:** Noema Pena, Ignacio Chávez, Jorge & German Romero

**Acólitos:**

**A/V:** Isidro Flores

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

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

PLEASE KEEP OUR MILITARY FAMILY  
AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS

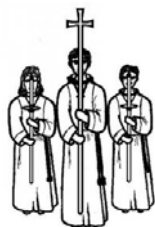
## WORSHIP

## CONNECT



### Altar Server Training

Altar Server training will continue Monday, October 19th at 5:30 – 6:15pm. Training is open to all who have received their 1st Communion (ages 8 to adult). Family teams are welcome! To sign up for the training or for more information please contact Debbie Strauss at (925) 216-5552 or email [debbies906@mac.com](mailto:debbies906@mac.com) If you are a current Altar Server this training is for you too! You can use it as a refresher course and as a way to help new altar servers become comfortable with their duties.



### Entrenamiento de monaguillos o servidores del altar

El entrenamiento para monaguillos continua el Lunes 19 de octubre de 5:30pm a 6:15pm. El entrenamiento es para todos aquellos que ya hicieron su Primera Comunión (de 8 años de edad a adultos). Son bienvenidos los equipos familiares! Para registrarse o para mas información favor de comunicarse con Debbie Strauss al (925)216- 5552 o [debbies906@mac.com](mailto:debbies906@mac.com). Si tu ya eres monaguillo también tenemos entrenamiento para ti. Puedes usarlo como un recordatorio o para ayudar a nuevos candidatos a sentirse mejor en sus tareas de servidores del altar.

### November Remembrance of the Dead

November begins with All Saints Day and the Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed. All through the month we invite you to enter or re-enter your loved ones in the Book of the Names of the Dead which is placed near the font. The book will be out the entire month. Also you are invited to bring in pictures of your loved ones to place in the chapel and hall. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord!

### Noviembre el Mes para Recordar a los Muertos

El mes de Noviembre empieza con el Día de todos los Santos y la Conmemoración de todos los que ya han partido de este mundo. Durante todo este mes los invitamos a escribir el nombre de sus amados muertitos en el Libro de los Muertos que está cerca de la fuente. También los invitamos a traer fotos de sus parientes que ya se han ido para ponerlos en la capilla y en el salón. Descansen en Paz!

#### ALL SOULS DAY/Día de Muertes)

Mass: 9:00 AM English  
Misa: 7:00 PM Español

## Women Fellowship's Annual Ladies Only Crab Feed

Friday, January 29, 2016

### St. Anne Community Life Center

Doors open at 6pm, and dinner starts at 7pm. Tickets are \$50 each for unlimited crab, salads, bread, wine, cookies, and of course there's our basket raffle.

**Tickets go on sale on**

**Wednesday, November 4, 2015.**

To purchase tickets you must contact Linda Thomas, (925) 634-3439, or [lsthomas@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lsthomas@sbcglobal.net).

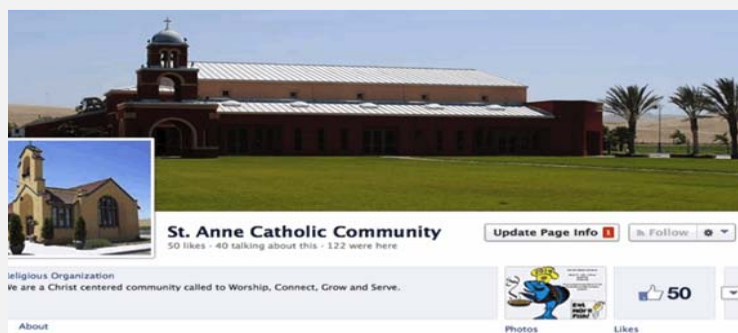
We suggest you purchase tickets early – we sold out by Thanksgiving last year.

### Viernes, 29 de enero de 2016 en Santa Ana.

Las puertas abrirán a las 6PM y la cena comienza a las 7PM. Los boletos son \$50 por ilimitada cantidad de cangrejo, ensaladas, pan, vino, galletas y por supuesto habrá nuestras rifas de canastas.

### **Las entradas se pondrán a la venta el Miércoles, 04 de noviembre de 2015.**

Para comprar boletos, debe comunicarse con Linda Thomas, (925) 634-3439, o [lsthomas@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lsthomas@sbcglobal.net).



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# CONNECT

**THIS WEEK AT ST ANNE/  
ESTA SEMANA A ST. ANA 10/17/15- 10/25/15**

- Sat:** Vigil - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
*2nd Collection - World & Home Mission*
- Sun:** 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
*2nd Collection - World & Home Mission*  
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B  
8:30 AM RCIA/Fireside  
9:30 AM 1st Communion Prep/Room 1A & 2  
9:30 AM 10:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B  
*10:30 AM Baptism - Maura Ruiz*  
11:15 AM Primero Comunion Preparación-Anos 1-2/Aula 1A/2  
*12:30 PM Baptismo - Cesar Castillo Casillas*  
6:30 PM Edge & Life Teen/CLC
- Mon:** 9:00 AM Hospital Communion/Offsite  
4:00 PM Food Pantry Prep/Kitchen  
5:30 PM Altar Server Training/Hall  
6:30 PM Faith Formation/CLC
- Tues:** 9:00 AM Food Pantry Distribution/Methodist Church  
6:30 PM 10:30 Choir Practice/Hall  
7:00 PM Finance Committee/Room 2
- Wed:** 3:30 PM Faith Formation/CLC
- Thurs:** 6:00 PM Boy's Ranch/Offsite  
7:00 PM Practica del Coro/Fireside
- Fri:** 6:30 PM La Sagrada Familia/Capilla
- Sat:** Vigil - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Sun:** 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:00 AM 8:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B  
*8:30 AM Knights of Columbus Mass*  
9:30 AM 1st Communion Prep/Room 1A & 2  
9:30 AM 10:30 AM Mass Choir Practice/Room 1B  
*10:30 AM CYO Blessing*  
11:15 AM Primero Comunion Preparación-Anos 1-2/Aula 1A/2  
6:30 PM Edge & Life Teen/CLC



**Knights of Columbus St. Anne Council  
10th Anniversary Celebration  
October 25, 2015**

Next Sunday, the Knights of Columbus St. Anne Council will be celebrating their 10 year anniversary by attending a special 8:30 mass where brother Knights will serve as greeters, lectors, Eucharistic ministers and the 4th Degree Color Corp will lead the procession. At the conclusion of mass, the parish will receive an image of the Holy Family by 18th century engraver Giovanni Balestra.

**Caballeros de Colón Consejo St. Anne  
10ma celebración del aniversario  
25 de octubre 2015**

El próximo domingo, los Caballeros de Colón Consejo St. Anne estará celebrando su aniversario de 10 años asistiendo a una misa especial en 8:30 hermanos Caballeros servirá como anfitriones, lectores, ministros de la Eucaristía y el cuarto grado de color Corp llevarán a la procesión. A la conclusión de la masa, la parroquia recibirá una imagen de la Sagrada Familia por el grabador del siglo 18 Giovanni Balestra.

## Upcoming Events at St. Anne

**Weekend October 24th/25th**  
Giving Wreath Distribution begins

**Monday, November 2nd**  
**ALL SOULS DAY**  
Mass: 9:00 AM English  
Misa: 7:00 PM Español

**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.



## **Women's Fellowship Upcoming Events:**

Women's Fellowship meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month in the Room 2.

**NEXT MEETING:**

**November 10, 2015**

**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  
Linda Humbert at [calmhumbert@comcast.net](mailto: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.*

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## **Women's Fellowship Boutique**

Baptism, wedding and confirmation items are available. For Assistance please contact Peggy Ann Valley at 925.890.5255

## SERVE

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Good stewards must not argue about who is the most important. Today's Gospel says clearly that those who aspire to greatness must humbly serve the needs of all. Even Jesus came not to be served, but to serve.

### PENSAMIENTO ADMINISTRATIVO

Los buenos Mayordomos no deben discutir acerca de quién es el más importante. El evangelio de hoy dice claramente que los que aspiran a la grandeza con humildad deben servir las necesidades de todos. Incluso Jesús vino no para ser servido, sino para servir.

### 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!

### 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.

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.



### 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 OCTUBRE PASTA, SALSA DE ESPAGUETTI Y MACARRONES CON QUESO

### 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 OCTOBER PASTA, SPAGHETTI SAUCE AND MAC & CHEESE

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.

## SERVE

### *Nurses Notes*

## October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Breast cancer is the second most common kind of cancer in women. About 1 in 8 women born today in the United States will get breast cancer at some point.

The good news is that many women can survive breast cancer if it's found and treated early. A mammogram – the screening test for breast cancer – can help find breast cancer early when it's easier to treat.

If you are a woman age 40 to 49, talk with your doctor about when to start getting mammograms and how often to get them.

If you are a woman age 50 to 74, be sure to get a mammogram every 2 years. You may also choose to get them more often.

*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.**

### **Mission Collection**

#### World Mission Sunday

In Scripture, we read that St. Paul asked the Gentile Churches to take up a collection to support the Church in Jerusalem. Now we are asked to reach out and support the young churches throughout the world. Our prayers and generous gifts will help missionaries offer the poor of these areas practical help as they share the mercy of God. It will ensure the development of local dioceses, and support the work of priests, religious and lay leaders who serve those on the margins and in most need.

#### Home Mission Appeal

Many dioceses right here in the US do not have enough priests and trained lay ministers to serve their parishes. These dioceses are known as home missions. The Catholic Home Mission Appeal supports these dioceses by funding essential ministries, including seminary education and lay ministry training. Please be generous in this appeal.

## OPPORTUNITIES

### **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**

Allow God to strengthen, renew and rekindle your marriage sacrament so that it can flourish and reflect His love. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is 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 [oak-landwwme.org](http://oak-landwwme.org) Weekends are presented in the Pleasanton/Dublin area.

### **St. Vincent de Paul of Contra Costa County**

*Melanie Anguay 925-439-5060 [jobs@svdp-cc.org](mailto:jobs@svdp-cc.org)*

St. Vincent de Paul of Contra Costa County has several open positions, including Communications & Development Associate, Floating Assistant Manager, Driver and Security Guard, all in Pittsburg, and Store Manager and Store Clerk in Pleasant Hill. For details and more information, please contact Jessica Romeo, see above. **Specific job announcements are located on the Kiosk in the foyer:**  
Communications & Development Associate, Pittsburg  
Floating Assistant Manager, Pittsburg  
Driver, Pittsburg  
Security Guard, Pittsburg  
Store Manager, Pleasant Hill  
Store Clerk, Pleasant Hill

### **Mission Collection**

#### Mundial de las Mundo

En las escrituras, leímos que San Pablo, les pidió a las gentiles Iglesias que realizaran una colecta para apoyar a la iglesia de Jerusalén. Tus plegarias y regalos generosos ayudaran a los misioneros a ofrecer a los pobres de estas áreas, ayuda practica mientras comparten la piedad del Señor.

#### Llamado para las Misiones Católica

Muchas diócesis, aquí mismo, en los Estados Unidos no cuentan con suficientes sacerdotes y ministros laicos capacitados para server en sus parroquias. A estas diócesis se les conoce como diócesis misioneras. El Llamado para las Diócesis Misioneras se realizara este fin de semana durante la segunda colecta y da apoyo a estas diócesis otorgando fondos para los ministerios básicos, incluyendo la educación de seminaristas y capacitación para el ministerio laico. Por favor, sean generosos en este llamado y comparta sus recursos para fortalecer la Iglesia en casa.

## 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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### Refugee Crisis – You Can Help

As Catholics, Pope Francis has called special attention to the refugee crisis in Europe. Did you know that through *your* Catholic Charities of the East Bay, *you* have helped resettle refugees to the United States since 1975? Together, we have welcomed over 1,300 people fleeing persecution and violence since 2001. This month alone we will welcome 27 refugees from Afghanistan, Iran, Myanmar and Nepal.

Your parish can help. If you are interested in “Welcoming the Stranger” through our Family to Family Program, please contact Jude Stevens at (510) 439-4269 or [jstephens@cceb.org](mailto:jstephens@cceb.org).

### 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](http://www.johnmuirhealth.com/caringhands) or email [linda.groobin@johnmuirhealth.com](mailto:linda.groobin@johnmuirhealth.com) to get more information and consider signing up for the next available training class!



**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



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

**Debbie Mellin, Pastoral Associate for Administration**

**925-939-7911, ext. 103 [dmellin@sjvianney.org](mailto:dmellin@sjvianney.org)**

St. John Vianney Parish in Walnut Creek is seeking 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 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, see above.

### Retreat Center Director—Villa Maria del Mar, Santa Cruz

Villa Maria del Mar Retreat Center is seeking a Director. The director provides vision and strategic and operational leadership using strong management skills to support the vitality of the Villa, a ministry of the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary.

The Director should be a practicing Catholic and have at least a bachelor's degree or equivalent experience or certification in business or hospitality management. Experience should include certification in religious studies, spirituality, pastoral education or their equivalent. At least five years' experience is required in management and promoting/marketing a values-based organization, including employee management/supervision with experience in building and leading a team.

We offer a competitive salary and benefits package including medical/dental, group life and disability coverage, a 401k plan, and a paid time off program. Go to <http://snjmusontario.org/find-us/employment>

to review the complete job description. For immediate consideration, email your resume and cover letter to [jobs@snjmuson.org](mailto:jobs@snjmuson.org).

## OPPORTUNITIES

### Accompanist — St. Theresa, Oakland Conway Tan 510-547-2777, ext. 11 con- way@sttheresaoakland.org

St. Theresa Parish in Oakland is currently seeking a piano accompanist. Ability to play the organ is considered a plus but not a requirement. Candidates should be experienced in playing both contemporary and traditional Catholic Mass settings and hymns. Excellent sight-reading skills in addition to the ability to play from chord symbols and standard notation is also required. The successful candidate will support in leading the liturgy for 9:00 am Mass every Sunday as well as Holy Days, feast days, and other special occasions on an as-needed basis. This part-time position is classified as a Liturgical Musician according to the Diocesan Salary Guidelines and will be determined upon experience and qualifications.

Submit your resume and cover letter to Conway Tan via email, see above.

Applications will also be accepted by mail:

Attention: Conway Tan  
30 Mandalay Road,  
Oakland, CA 94618

### San Damiano Retreat Center

710 Highland Dr., Danville  
925-837-9141, ext. 315 katerik@sandamiano.org

Www.SanDamiano.org

The Committed Life

October 23 - 25

Grief

October 30 – November 1

### Jesuit Retreat Center

The Jesuit Retreat Center, 300 Manresa Way, Los Altos  
650-917-4000 retreat@jrclosaltos.org

jrclosaltos.org/retreats

The Eucharist of Spirituality

October 23-25

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### Human Trafficking Awareness Event

Wednesday, October 21, 7:00 pm

St. John Vianney Parish, Mullen Commons, 1650 Ygnacio Valley  
Rd., Walnut Creek

St. John Vianney Parish in Walnut Creek and the Soroptimist International of 24-680 will host a Human Trafficking Awareness event on October 21 at 7:00 pm. The event will address Pope Francis' statement that "The human person ought never to be sold or bought as if he or she were a commodity" and the role Catholics play in preventing human trafficking. There will be a video, speakers on labor trafficking and Super Bowl 50, care of victims, and law enforcement. Free event. Doors open at 6:30 pm.

### St. Mary's Cathedral

1111 Gough St. at Geary, San Francisco

415-456-2020, ext. 213

[StMaryCathedraSF.org](http://StMaryCathedraSF.org)

The following Sunday Recitals are free to the public and begin at 4:00 pm unless otherwise indicated, with ample free parking:

10/18 John Cannon (Colorado), Organist

10/25 Diana Stork and Portia Diwa, Harpists

### Forty Days for Life Campaign

October 1 - November 1

Office for Life and Justice

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October is Respect Life Month. The 40 Days for Life campaign, which began on October 1 and will continue until November 1, is a community-based campaign that shows local communities the consequences of abortion through peaceful approaches, such as prayer and fasting, constant vigil, and community outreach.

Pope Francis has stated his appreciation for the campaign's mission to promote respect for the lives. Their website [40DaysFor-Life.com](http://40DaysFor-Life.com) has several activities and resources ministries and entire parishes can lead and resources to use.