



ST. CHARLES PARISH COMMUNITY

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We are people of Faith, Community, & Service, centered in Jesus, we celebrate and worship through Roman Catholic traditions. As a community we welcome all cultures of God's people. We serve God's people through outreach and social justice.

Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time • July 18, 2021

THE DAYS ARE COMING

Often, we are too familiar with separation, isolation, and hostility in our modern lives, whether we look at world events, occurrences in our neighborhoods, or happenings within our families. All three readings today refer to these unhappy human conditions. The prophet Jeremiah describes world conditions as if the people of his time were sheep who had been scattered by poor leadership and corrupt shepherds. But “*the days are coming*,” he assures us (Jeremiah 23:5), when a new shepherd, a just king, will arrive. We meet that king in both the second reading and the Gospel. St. Paul reminds us in his Letter to the Ephesians that all divisions can cease in Christ Jesus, who has brought us together through His blood. In Mark’s Gospel we see Jesus himself, looking with pity on those searching for him as if they were sheep without a shepherd.

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St. Charles Church

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday evening vigil, 5:00pm

Sunday, 8:30 & 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday-Friday

5:00pm

St Matthias Church

1685 Cordilleras Road, Redwood City

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday evening vigil, 5:00pm

Sunday, 9:45am

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Office Hours Mon - Fri., 9:00am - 1:00pm

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday, 3:30 - 4:00pm, or anytime by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday, 9:00am - 10:00am - Parish Center Chapel



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS
July 19 ~ July 25

Mon.	5:00pm	Lt. Colonel Roger Woods †
Tues.	5:00pm	Maria Carmen Esquivel Rosselli †
Wed.	5:00pm	Susan Rosselli Lee †
Thurs.	5:00pm	Nicholas Peters †
Fri.	5:00pm	Nicholas Peters †
Sat.	5:00pm	Francesca Paragas (L)
Sun.	8:30am	Wojciech & Krystyna Zalewski (L)

Please pray for the faithful departed of our St. Charles community.



Remember in your prayers...the people of our parish community who are sick, awaiting surgery, recovering or homebound: Susan Welsh, Greg Camp, Lorraine Murphy, Isobel Englert, Mercedes Saliguero, Hugh Francis, Jill Leader, Barbara Peters, Bill Eppler, Peggy Saunders...and for all that are impaired by Covid19.

TOGETHER IN HOLINESS
CONFERENCE SERIES

Presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Archdiocese of San Francisco Office of Marriage and Family, **Together in Holiness** is a marriage conference series that inspires spouses to grow together in holiness and empowers parents to form their children in the Catholic faith.

Featuring: Damon Owens, Founder of Joyful Ever After

Saturday, September 18, 2021,

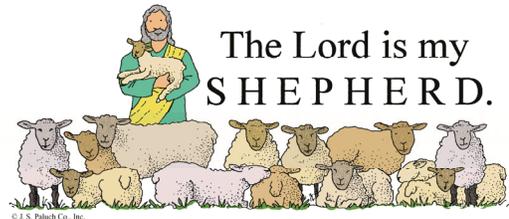
Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Belmont, CA

Registration: \$59/couple and \$35/individual. Early Bird discount available until August 2nd. At-Home option also available, \$15. Scholarships available upon request. On-site childcare (4-12yrs), pre-registration required. For more information, please visit togetherinholiness.org or email erin@forlifeandfamily.org.



The Women's Catholic Scripture Study of San Mateo County invites you to the 2021-2022 Bible study, **Thus Says the LORD: God Speaks Through His Servants the Prophets, Volume II: Restoration and Redemption.** Meetings are held from 9:45am-Noon, at St. Mark Catholic Church, Belmont on Thursdays, 9/16/21- 3/31/22 (with holiday breaks). For more information, visit the website www.cssbelmont.com.

To register, please contact Martha Rubio at msr.rubio@gmail.com, or 650-743-0949.



"He had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd." Will you respond to the needs of Christ's sheep as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at (415) 614-5684 or email: vocations@sfarch.org.

Vallombrosa Retreat Center is open and accepting bookings—we look forward to seeing you all again!

Pre-Cana event: Engaging the Heart—August 21, 2021, 9:00 am-3:30 pm. Register on <https://Vallombrosa.org/calendar>.

Private Retreats: We offer private retreats for those who want private rooms for alone time, with Spiritual Direction available. Guests can enjoy the walking trails, shrines, and gardens.

Vallombrosa Update: Everyone coming on campus must check-in upon arrival and follow safety guidelines to ensure the health of all. We are following San Mateo County reduced-capacity guidelines and COVID protocols, including proper social distancing and wearing masks. Hand sanitizers and disinfectants for cleaning are provided. The Shrine to Our Lady of Lourdes is complete, but we are still accepting donations for bricks and benches. We have upgraded to high-speed WI-FI capabilities throughout the campus.

For group reservations call Jaynie 650-325-5614 or jaynie@vallombrosa.org.

For private retreats contact davidl@vallombrosa.org.

Minister of the Clicker

We are once again able to sing during Mass! St. Charles Parish now has the capability to project the words to songs and prayers on the church walls. We need volunteers for this new ministry—people who would manage the display by "clicking" for each new slide of the words for prayers, responses, and songs throughout the Mass. Please contact the parish office if you are interested, 650-591-7349.



Please be sure to wear a mask when you are in church.

Music for Today
16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Gathering: *Gather Your People* BB#313
Prep of Gifts: *Because the Lord is My Shepherd* BB#470
Communion: *Bread of Life* BB#362
Final: *Lead Me Lord* BB#728

Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, We bless you, We adore you, We glorify you, We give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. *Amen*

1st Reading

Jer 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock of my pasture, says the LORD. Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, against the shepherds who shepherd my people: You have scattered my sheep and driven them away. You have not cared for them, but I will take care to punish your evil deeds. I myself will gather the remnant of my flock from all the lands to which I have driven them and bring them back to their meadow; there they shall increase and multiply. I will appoint shepherds for them who will shepherd them so that they need no longer fear and tremble; and none shall be missing, says the LORD. Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David; as king he shall reign and govern wisely, he shall do what is just and right in the land. In his days Judah shall be saved, Israel shall dwell in security. This is the name they give him: *"The LORD our justice."*

Responsorial Psalm

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul.

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage.

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for years to come.

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2nd Reading

Eph 2:13-18

Brothers and sisters: In Christ Jesus you who once were far off have become near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace, he who made both one and broke down the dividing wall of enmity, through his flesh, abolishing the law with its commandments and legal claims, that he might create in himself one new person in place of the two, thus establishing peace, and might reconcile both with God, in one body, through the cross, putting that enmity to death by it. He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.

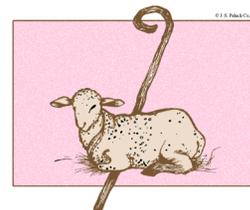
Gospel

Mk 6:30-34

The apostles gathered together with Jesus and reported all they had done and taught. He said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." People were coming and going in great numbers, and they had no opportunity even to eat. So they went off in the boat by themselves to a deserted place. People saw them leaving and many came to know about it. They hastened there on foot from all the towns and arrived at the place before them. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the Resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. *Amen.*



Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. *Amen.*