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CHAPEL OPEN: 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M. EVERYDAY

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Special Associate
Rev. Kieran McCormick

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BEARING THE RIGHT KIND OF FRUIT

Today’s readings focus our attention on vineyards. Isaiah’s song concerning his friend’s vineyard begins with inspiring and poetic images of an idyllic vineyard where the choicest harvest is expected. Instead, the vineyard yields wild grapes, which causes the owner to abandon it. The psalmist cries out to God, asking that God once again take care of the vineyard, which is the house of Israel. The parable told in today’s Gospel offers a stern warning that those who commit treachery in the hopes of attaining personal wealth will be “put . . . to a wretched death” (Matthew 21:41). Jesus warns his listeners not to act like the murderous tenants in the vineyard. Instead he exhorts them to produce the kind of fruit that will lead them to the kingdom of God.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Before long, as we’ve seen, the four newly constructed Eucharistic Prayers became two. The old Roman Canon faded away into relative disuse after 1600 unbroken years, sometimes heard only at Christmas Midnight Mass or the Easter Vigil. The new Eucharistic Prayer IV, at least in its English form, grates a bit on most hearers, and besides is meant only for Ordinary Time. The reconstruction of the ancient prayer of Hippolytus, Eucharistic Prayer II, is the most familiar, but its brevity sometimes creates an imbalance with the Liturgy of the Word. No wonder that as soon as the creative juices began to flow at the Vatican, people worldwide were trying their hands at new prayers.

In 1967, even before the final shape of the new Mass was announced, bishops were asking to adapt that celebration for the needs of children. They wanted to clarify what ought to happen when large numbers of children are at Mass: what could be adapted, omitted, or shortened. Experimentation had already begun. Separate Liturgies of the Word for children were by this time commonplace in Holland and elsewhere in Europe. Catechists were saying that many of our liturgical forms were too complex for the children in their charge, and priests were making adaptations on their own. Clearly, the Vatican had to take this seriously.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

**Come Let Us Adore our Lord Jesus**

in the Blessed Sacrament every

**Thursday**, after the 8:30AM Holy Mass and on the **First Friday** of the month. Benediction is at 7:30PM.

“*Spend some time in perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and allow Jesus to embrace you and rest in His Sacred Heart.*”

Fr. Patricio Hileman

**Holy Mass Celebrants**

**Saturday, October 14, 2017**

5:00 pm Fr. Jonathan  Michelle

**Sunday, October 15, 2017**

7:30 am Fr. Kengah  Children’s Choir

9:00 am Fr. Kieran  Emmaus Choir

10:30 am Fr. Kieran  Emmaus Choir

5:00 pm Fr. Ma. Joseph  Kevin’s flock

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**Mass Intentions for October 9 — October 15**

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Legend: † - Deceased, SI-Special Intention, BD-Birthday

**TODAY’S READINGS**

| First Reading | The vineyard of the LORD is the house of Israel (Isaiah 5:1-7). |
| Psalm         | The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel (Psalm 80). |
| Second Reading| God’s peace will guard your hearts and minds (Philippians 4:6-9). |
| Gospel        | The kingdom of God will be given to those who will produce its fruit (Matthew 21:33-43) |

October 8, 2017

Please pray for our recently deceased, especially, **Joshua Loren Paderna, Regina Sieber, Jehu Batara and Soledad Guerrero** that they may rest in peace in God’s Kingdom.

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**May they be strengthened and comforted by their trust in the Lord.**

Keri Ables, Juris Arcilla, Rori Arcilla, Patrick Banks, Jose Barcelona Jr., Michael Carmody, Gail Castro, John Copeland, Cynthia Connor, Marge Cowart, Marvin Crockett, Elizabeth Fong, Marie Ghiozzi, Cora B. Huang, Dennis B. Huang, Mary Lou Kaufer, Nini Kuzmich, Elizabeth Liwag, Veronica Maguire, Arturo & Natividad Martin, Katie McNamara, Bozidar Mihelcic, Bridgette Negar, Ken Parker, Kathy Raymor, Josephine Rea, Connie Rojas, Jason Sahayaraj, Kathy Sampson, Rosa Santos, Jameson Sham, Sally Stevens, Sue Techlin, Priscilla Touchstone, Lana Vorris, Vallery Washington & George Zughbaba.

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**A Friendly Reminder…**

If you have not filled out your pledge form or have not yet submitted your contributions to the **Archdiocesan Annual Appeal**, please do so. We need everyone’s support to meet our goal. Forms are available on the table in our community center.

*Your loving sacrifices and commitment to the AAA allows the Archdiocese of San Francisco to continue serving the Universal Church and the local community.*

**Thank you very much for your generous response to our appeal. God bless you for your kindness.**

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**Pray for Pope Francis’s Intention**

**General: Workers and the Unemployed**

That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.

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The **ADULT FAITH FORMATION** program is ongoing. We meet every **Tuesday at 7:00p.m.** here at the Church. This program addresses enhancement of your spiritual growth and increases your knowledge of the teachings of the Catholic Church. Refreshments are provided. Contact Kevin Lucia at 650-740-9071 for further information.

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** St. Denis and Companions; St. John Leonardi; Columbus Day; Canadian Thanksgiving Day

**Wednesday:** Saint John XXIII

**Saturday:** St. Callistus I; Blessed Virgin Mary

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37

**Tuesday:** Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42

**Wednesday:** Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4

**Thursday:** Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13

**Friday:** Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26

**Saturday:** Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28

**Sunday:** Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]
October 2017

Religious Education Class Days

Grades One - Eight
First Three Wednesdays
October 4th, 11th and 18th
5:30PM to 6:30PM, Grades 1 - 4
6:45PM to 7:45PM, Grades 5 - 8

Confirmation Two Class

First Three Sundays
3:30PM - 6:00PM including Youth Mass
October 1st, 8th and 15th

Liturgy of the Word
With Children (LWC)

The Children’s Liturgy of the Word is offered at our 9:00AM Mass on Sundays. This is an opportunity for children to listen and interact with the Sunday morning Scripture Reading in their own level. There is no fee or registration and it is open to all children at Mass who are pre-schoolers (4 yrs. old) through children in 2nd grade.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word starts when the priest presider at Mass invites the children to gather in front of the altar after the opening prayer. With the dismissal blessing, the children process out of the Church and proceed to the Religious Education Office for their own Scripture Readings. The children return to their families at Mass in time for the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

“Go to the Madonna. Love her! Always say the Rosary. Say it well. Say it as often as you can! Be souls of prayer. Never tire of praying, it is what is essential. Prayer shakes the Heart of God, it obtains necessary graces!” — St. Padre Pio

Please silence your cell phone before entering our Chapel or Church. Thank you for your cooperation.

ATTENTION: The Knights meet every 1st Monday of the month at 7:30 PM in the St. Luke community center. All Knights are invited to attend. Please contact Tom Consunji at: (650) 892-3312 or email: tconsunji@gmail.com

Office will be closed
Monday, October 9, 2017 in observance of Columbus Day and will resume service hours on Tuesday, October 10th, beginning at 9:00 a.m.
Have a safe and blessed holiday!

St. Luke Pastoral Parish Council

All parishioners are welcome to attend the parish council meetings held on the 3rd Monday of most months in the Church community center at 7:00PM. Parishioners wishing to speak or make a presentation to the council must register to do so at least one (1) week prior to the meeting. Please fill out the request form available at the parish office, indicating the topic you are wanting to discuss. Your presentation will be the first order of business under our “open forum” session.

Welcome to the Family of Christ!

Caelus Fung Lee
Asher Pratik Soares
Audrey Tolentino
Violet June Ward
Bella Marie Wurzbach

Our Newly Baptized Infants and Members of the St. Luke Community

Eucharistic Ministers & Readers

We at St. Luke are appealing to our parishioners who might be interested in serving as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion or Readers. There will be training sessions at St. Charles Church in San Carlos (SM County) on October 21 (10am-3pm) and October 28 (10am-12pm). St. Luke will shoulder the registration fee. If you are interested, please contact the parish office on or before October 10th.

Every Sunday, all are invited for Fellowship after the 9:00am and 10:30am Holy Masses (except for secular holiday weekends)
**Prayer to Our Lady of the Rosary**

O Virgin Mary, grant that the recitation of thy Rosary may be for me each day, in the midst of my manifold duties, a bond of unity in my actions, a tribute of filial piety, a sweet refreshment, an encouragement to walk joyfully along the path of duty. Grant, above all, O Virgin Mary, that the study of thy fifteen mysteries may form in my soul, little by little, a luminous atmosphere, pure, strengthening, and fragrant, which may penetrate my understanding, my will, my heart, my memory, my imagination, my whole being. So shall I acquire the habit of praying while I work, without the aid of formal prayers, by interior acts of admiration and of supplication, or by aspirations of love. I ask this of thee, O Queen of the Holy Rosary, through Saint Dominic, thy son of predilection, the renowned preacher of thy mysteries, and the faithful imitator of thy virtues. Amen.

**Parish Events**

**October 9 – October 16, 2017**

**Monday**

Offices are closed – Columbus Day

**Tuesday**

7:00 p.m. Faith Formation
7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Conference

**Wednesday**

Religious Ed Classes (Refer to Page 4)

**Thursday**

9:00 a.m. All Day Eucharistic Adoration/Chapel
9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary
7:30 p.m. Solemn Benediction

**Friday**

7:00 p.m. Children’s Choir Rehearsal

**Saturday**

10:30 a.m. Junior Legion of Mary

**Welcome in Jesus’ Name!!**

If you wish to join the parish, or if you want to update your information, please fill out this form and either return it to the parish office, or drop it in the collection basket.

**Register**

Name: (First) ______________________  (Last)_____________________________

Address: _________________________________________

City: ______________________ Zip:_______________

Telephone No. ______________________

**Update Member Information**

Name: (First) __________________ (Last) __________________

Address: _________________________________________

City: _______________________ Zip: _________________

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**Travel Plans**

Go to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) to find local Mass times at Catholic churches wherever your travels may take you. Simply enter the city and country and nearby Mass times will be displayed.

**Contact People**

**Altar Linens:** Mary True (650) 571-8783

**Altar Servers:** Tony Belo (650) 345-6660

**Anointing of the Sick:** If you know of any parishioners who are sick or hospitalized or are unable to attend Mass due to illness or age, please call the office.

**Archdiocesan Pastoral Assistance Coordinator:**

For persons who have suffered sexual abuse from members of the Catholic clergy. Call (415) 614-5506.

**Baptism:** Saturdays only, at 11:00AM. Contact office for preparation class information – prior registration required.

**Christian Burial:** Kindly call the parish office before meeting with the funeral director.

**Cursillo:** Duncan Fife: (650) 345-3345

**Faith Formation:** Kevin Lucia (650) 740-9071

**Filipino Cursillo:** Deacon Mar Tano (650) 867-5542

**Finance Council:** John Bernat (650) 341-4045

**Grief Support Ministry:** Ellen Six (650) 341-0683

**Jr. Legion of Mary:** Sat.10:30am, Sally Lucia (650) 349-3090

**Knights of Columbus:** Call Tom Consunji (650) 892-3312

**Legion of Mary:** Thurs. 9:00 am Georgie Unson (650) 345-2613

**Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Eucharist**

Peggy Simkins (650) 573-5370

**Marriages:** Contact the office at least 8-12 months before the desired date.

**Music Groups:** Michelle; Couples for Christ; Mario & Co., Children’s Choir & Kevin’s Flock - Kevin Lucia (650) 740-9071; Emmaus Choir - Elysabeth Allen (650) 578-0123; Youth Ministry Choir - Jana Cadiz (650) 572-1216; Angels; Pastoral Council: Dan Linkhorn ~ dlinkhorn@comcast.net

**Sandwiches on Sunday:** Peg Culver (650) 349-1408

**SVdP Conference:** Peggy Simkins (650) 573-5370

**Youth Ministry:** Amabel Goell (650) 740-7751