# St. Peters Catholic Church


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## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

**Saturday** Vigil 5:00 p.m. (English)
7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

**Sunday**
8.30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. (English)
7:00 am , 1:00 & 7:00 pm. (Spanish

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May 12, 2019

Heavenly Father, source of all good things, one of the greatest goods you have given us is in this life is a Holy Catholic Mother. Bless all Holy Mothers who have made so many sacrifices for us during our lives. Thank you for the mothers who have taught us how to be Holy Catholics and happy children. Bless them for insisting on us living holy, pure and blameless lives. Bless and help all mothers to continue to be holy examples to us their children.

## *TARJETAS PARA OFRECER MISA EN HONOR DE LAS MADRES DURANTE MAYO*

*Si deseas que tus seres queridos vivos o difuntos sean incluidos durante todas las misas de mayo en celebración del día de las Madres, por favor lleve una tarjeta y anote las intenciones en el sobre, regrésalo para que se ponga en el altar.*

## PASTORES COMO JESÚS

Cada año en este Cuarto Domingo de Pascua celebramos a Jesús como el Buen Pastor. El Evangelio de hoy parece especialmente oportuno, para los cristianos de todo el mundo que sufren por ser perseguidos como Pablo y Bernabé, Jesús promete a sus ovejas una seguridad duradera y fortalecida. "No perecerán. Nadie puede quitármelos de la mano". Pero nosotros que somos libres para vivir nuestra fe de forma pacífica algunas veces damos por hecho nuestra pertenencia al rebaño de Jesús, vagando por el mal camino buscando nuestro propio placer y prosperidad. La cruz simple que el Papa Francisco lleva puesta parece mostrarnos cómo Jesús responde a eso. La cruz del Papa Francisco muestra una imagen de Jesús, que fue a buscar y encontró a una oveja perdida, luego la coloca alegremente sobre sus hombros para llevarla gentilmente a casa. Que el Domingo del Buen Pastor nos inspire, frecuentemente perdidos y encontrados, para asistir a Jesús a buscar, encontrar y gentilmente llevar a casa a nuestros compañeros corderos preciosos.

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## Cuarto Domingo de Pascua
## 12 de mayo de 2019

*"Yo te he puesto como luz de los paganos,*
*para que lleves la salvación*
*hasta los últimos rincones de la tierra".*
*— Hechos 13:47b*

## ESTUDIO DE BIBLIA EN VERANO ST. JOSE VACAVILLE (VSB)

Nadar, Volar, Sumergir, felicidad con Dora Y Nemo
Inscripción abierta, para niños de 5-12 años de edad para una semana divertida y emocionante con VBS del 24 al 29 de Junio. Inscripciones cierran Mayo 19. Para Mas información llame a Phoebe Fernández ( 628) 333-5832 o envié un correo electrónico a stjv.events@gmail.com

## MAY MONTH OF MARY

May devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary we would like to invite you to pray the Rosary Monday –Friday during May at 7:30 Am.

## AYUDA R

Si usted tiene las mañanas libres, Le invitamos a ayudar a limpiar la parroquia los lunes a las 8:30 de la mañana . Es una manera de servir a Dios y a la comunidad.

## TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Hoy celebramos a una mujer potente e importante en nuestras vidas; la madre. La historia del día de la madre se originó en las fiestas griegas en honor de Rhea, la madre de los dioses. A lo largo de la historia los cristianos también hemos recordado a la Madre de Dios, María, en varias solemnidades, pero hace sólo 100 años, el 10 de mayo de 1907 en los Estados Unidos se empezó a promover la idea de un día de reconocimiento del amor que tenemos como humanos por nuestras propias madres. Eventualmente se paso a muchas naciones latinoamericanas.

Muchas culturas latinoamericanas son matriarcales, es decir, el papel de la madre en la familia es algo esencial. Para los latinos, no hay amor más grande que el de una madre. Sin olvidar la función del padre, ella es la que nos da la vida, nos enseña como vivirla y nos da alimento. Su amor nos recuerda al de Cristo, quien con sacrificio y amor da vida a la Iglesia. Su amor sostiene y cuando las cosas se ponen difíciles emocionalmente, nuestro deseo secreto es de estar en los brazos de mamá.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## MASSES DURING MAY

If you want your loved ones alive or deceased to be included in all May Masses in celebration of Mother's Day, please take a card and note the intentions in the envelope, return it to be placed on the altar.

## *St. Joseph Parish Vacation Bible School*

*Swim... fly ...Immerse...Trust... happiness.*
*With Nemo and Dory*

*OPERN REGISRATION : Children 5-12 old for fun and exciting week of VBS on June 24-29, 2019.*
*Registration end , May 19, 2019*

*for details, call Phoebe Fernandez ,(628) 333-5831 or email l stjv.events@gmail.com or visit us www.stj v.org*

## LITURGY OF THE HOURS

"Do you want to go to daily Mass, but are not able to? Have you ever wanted to learn to pray the Liturgy of the Hours ~ the Morning Office? Please consider joining us Mondays through Fridays in the church from 6:45 am - 7:15 am to pray the Morning Office. No experience necessary. Prayer books are provided. Please join us. All are welcome."

## LAY MISSION PROYECT

Join other Catholics who seek to deepen their understanding of the faith, and participate in Jesus' mission to the world in the ordinary circumstances of daily life. Bring Scripture to life. Make the Faith relevant and life-giving for you and your family. Learn how to effectively use your gifts to influence your work, society, and your relationships for the good, and draw others to our Lord. Whether you are a young adult, middle aged, or elderly, single or married, professional, retired, or a homemaker, the Lay Mission Project offers an engaging formation that's accessible to the average busy layperson. Visit www.scd.org/laymission or contact Lauralyn Solano at LSolano@scd.org, (916) 733-0153

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The reception of Holy Communion at Sunday Mass is such an expected feature of the Mass these days that it is surprising to realize that for many centuries, receiving Communion was a relatively rare event in the life of a faithful Christian. "Easter duty" means that Catholics must celebrate reconciliation if aware of serious sin, and receive Holy Communion during the Easter season. For a while, this was a requirement of Easter week, and later extended to the whole season of fifty days, and even beyond that by a few weeks. For the majority of people long ago, this meant Communion was a once-a-year moment. A rather complex bureaucracy grew up around this rule in the Middle Ages. Amazingly, people received a kind of token at confession admitting them to Communion in their home parish, which then kept careful records and reported them to the bishop.

Surviving records can tell us a great deal about our ancestors. In fact, people were encouraged to journey to the church of their baptism in order to fulfill their duty, and therefore the Easter duty includes in its origins a grateful pilgrimage to the font in which you were first embraced by Christ. If your "Holy Mother Church" is within a drive, why not make a pilgrimage to that font a feature of your Easter celebration of these fifty days?

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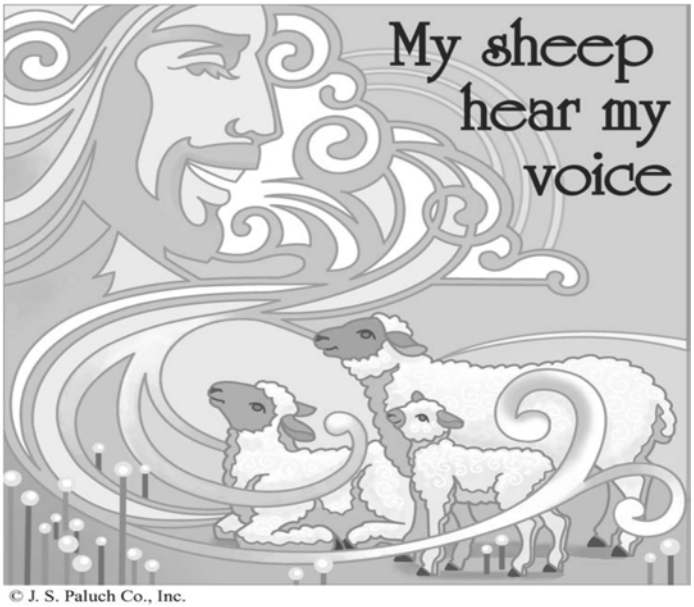


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### Prayer for an End to Infanticide

The U.S. Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act, but that is not the end of the story. This bill, rooted in our most fundamental human values, is worth fighting for. It would prohibit infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to any other child born alive at the same gestational age.

## SHEPHERDS LIKE JESUS

Each year this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrates Jesus the Good Shepherd. Today's Gospel seems especially timely, for as Christians worldwide suffer persecution like Paul and Barnabas, Jesus promises his sheep enduring, invincible safety: "They shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand." But we who are free to live our faith peacefully sometimes take our membership in Jesus' flock for granted, wandering astray to seek our own pleasure and prosperity. The simple cross that Pope Francis always wears seems to show us how Jesus responds to that. Francis's cross features an image of Jesus, who has sought and found a lost sheep, then joyfully set it on his shoulders to carry it gently home. May Good Shepherd Sunday inspire us, so often lost and found ourselves, to assist Jesus in seeking, finding, and gently carrying home our fellow precious lambs.

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## MOTHER BLEST

Though she was the Mother of the Lord, yet she desired to learn the precepts of the Lord, and she who brought forth God, yet desired to know God.

—St. Ambrose

## MOTHERHOOD

Mothers hold their children's hands for a short while, but their hearts forever.

—Anonymous

## *MASS INTENTIONS*

***Saturday May 11, 2019***
***5:00pm*** *+ Maria Tercero*

***7:00pm*** *+ Clementina & Victoria Álvarez*
*+ María Moreno & Luis Navarro Sr.*
*+Martina Gradilla*
*+Rubén Alberto Colmenares*
*+ Eleonor y Octavio Barjas*
*B-day Mónica Colmenares*
*Fernando Moreno ( salud)*

***Sunday May 12***
***7:00am*** *Todas las Madres vivas y difuntas*
***8:30am*** ***All mothers living and deceased***
***11:00am All mothers living and deceased***
***1:00pm*** *Todas las Madres vivas y difuntas*
***7:00pm*** *Todas las Madres vivas y difuntas*

***Monday May 13***
***8:00am*** + Josefina Chávez
María Dolores Hernández
*All mothers living and deceased*

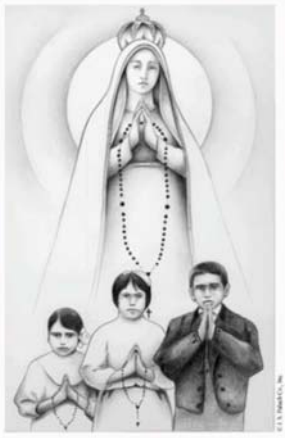
***Tuesday May 14***
***8:00*** *All mothers living and deceased*

***Wednesday May 15***
***8:00 am*** *Santiago Veneration (sp.Intention)*
*All mothers living and deceased*

***Thursday May 16***
***8:00am*** *+Carmen Villegas*
*All mothers living and deceased*

***Friday May 17***
***8:am*** *+All mothers Living and Deceased*

## 102 ANNIV.OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA



The story of a famous miracle in Fátima, Portugal, began in May 1917, when three children (ages 7, 9, and 10) claimed to have encountered the Virgin Mary on their way home from tending a flock of sheep. The oldest girl, Lucia, was the only one to speak to her, and Mary told the children that she would reappear to them on the thirteenth day of the next six months.