



*Saint Eugene's Cathedral  
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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Entrance is located at SW corner of Rectory

### WEBSITES

Parish: [www.steugenes.com](http://www.steugenes.com)  
School: [www.steugenesch.org](http://www.steugenesch.org)

### REGISTRATION IN THE PARISH

Our warmest welcome to all who worship in our community. If you are not registered in the parish, please complete a registration card. Cards are available at church entrances or at the parish office.

### MARRIAGES & BAPTISMS

Please contact the office at least 6 months in advance for weddings and 3 months in advance for baptisms. Check the parish website for more information.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the parish office when a parishioner is home bound or hospitalized to arrange for Holy Communion and Anointing of the Sick.



### MASS TIMES

Daily Mass: 6:45 and 8:00 a.m.  
Saturday: 8:00 a.m.; 4:30 p.m. & Sp. 6:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.  
12:00 noon and 5:30 p.m.  
Tuesday Latin Mass: 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday Latin Mass: 1:30 p.m.

### CONFESSIONS

3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Saturday or by appointment

### PERPETUAL ADORATION

**Perpetual Adoration** is in the Chapel of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. To sign up for your hour with our Lord, call 539-2772.

**Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament** is held in the chapel every First Friday following 8:00 a.m. Mass.

### DEVOTIONS

**Recitation of the Rosary** is Monday – Saturday at 7:30 a.m. in the Cathedral

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy** is Saturday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the Cathedral

### CATHEDRAL SHOPS

**Cathedral Thrift Shop** is open Tues & Wed 9:30 – 2:30  
**Cathedral Books & Gifts** Hours: Wed-Sat 8:30-4:30  
& Sun 8:30-1:30, Closed Mon/Tues - Phone: 542-0250

## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD – JANUARY 5, 2020

### PARISH CALENDAR

#### SUNDAY JANUARY 5

Knights Epiphany Breakfast - Becker Ctr. – 8:00 am – 12:00  
Masses – Cathedral – 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00, 1:30  
pm (Latin) & 5:30 pm

#### MONDAY JANUARY 6

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am  
Rosary for Life – Chapel - 9:00 am

#### TUESDAY JANUARY 7

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am  
Women of the Word – PLC (Hope Rm) – 9:30 am  
Latin Mass – Cathedral - 5:30 pm

#### WEDNESDAY JANUARY 8

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am  
Legion of Mary – PLC – 5:30 pm

#### THURSDAY JANUARY 9

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am  
Golden Opportunities Luncheon – PLC – 11:30 am  
Chant Schola – PLC – 5:30 pm  
Knights of Columbus Bible Study – PLC – 6:00 pm

#### FRIDAY JANUARY 10

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am  
Bible Study – PLC – 9:30 am – 11:30 am

#### SATURDAY JANUARY 11

Morning Mass – Cathedral – 8:00 am  
Confession - Cathedral - 3:00 – 4:30 pm  
Mass – Cathedral - 4:30 pm; 6:30 pm (Spanish)

### SECOND COLLECTION

#### ~HOMELESS APPEAL NEXT WEEKEND~

Next weekend is St. Eugene's annual appeal for the Homeless – specifically for Catholic Charities Family Support Center. St. Eugene's sponsors a room at the Center and your generous donations to this collection support families and individuals housed in "our" room. Your donations help purchase beds, linens and upkeep of the room, as well as help fund programs that provide education and assistance to those housed in the room. More than 80% of families who graduate Family Support Center move into homes of their own. We appreciate your generosity to this important cause. There's no second collection this weekend, January 4 & 5.

### Hearing Aid Users, Switch to T-Coil

#### ADMINISTRATION

#### For the Weeks of: 12/15/19

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| Sunday Donations Received:   | \$ 16,080 |
| Collection Revenue Received for:<br><i>School Tuition Assistance</i> | \$ 2,992  |

#### ~CATHEDRAL BOOKS & GIFTS~

During the month of January, we have 2 sales! The book "Soul of the Apostolate" is 25% off. According to the publisher "Author Dom Chartraud demonstrates that the very foundation of all apostolic work must be the Interior Life. When one is involved in works of spiritual or corporal charity, his work can only be efficacious when he anchors his Interior Life to Christ. Without Christ we can do nothing." Also, our Advent/Christmas clearance sale is on! 25% off all Advent and Christmas items, during the first 2 weeks in January only. Stop in and see us! The shop hours are: Wed-Sat from 8:30 am-4:30 pm & Sun 8:30 am-1:30 pm. We are closed Mon/Tues. Call us at 542-0250.

### ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

#### ~ICF SCHOLARSHIPS~

The Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) will be awarding scholarships to high school graduates. If the candidate is Catholic, has a GPA of at least 3.2 and any Italian ancestry, s/he is eligible to apply! See your high school counselor for an application or contact Robert Acquistapace at 545-7376 before Jan. 31, 2020.

#### ~PARKING LOT REMINDERS~

The parking lot is very busy. Please be safe when coming and going. Here are some reminders to keep us all safe! *We appreciate your efforts.*

- Observe all parking lot rules – directional signs, **no parking in reserved spaces**, fire lanes (red zones) and driving lanes.
- Keep disabled spaces available for the disabled.
- Drive slowly & carefully and watch for pedestrians – especially young children
- Walk children through the parking lot to keep them safe.
- Avoid blocking the flow of traffic.
- Hold conversations in safe areas rather than in the parking lot.
- Lock your vehicle and keep valuables out of plain sight.

## MASS INTENTIONS

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| <b>Saturday</b>             | <b>January 4</b>   |
| 8:00 am                     | In honor of and in reparation for the offenses against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and the Sacred Heart of Jesus and for the living and deceased members of the Russell and Rinaldi families. |
| 4:30 pm                     | Devlin and Reilly Families, living and deceased  |
| 6:30 pm                     | All Souls in Purgatory   |
| <b>Sunday</b>               | <b>January 5</b>   |
| 7:30 am                     | Stephanie Buettner, deceased   |
| 9:00 am                     | William Avilla, deceased   |
| 10:30 am                    | People of St. Eugene's   |
| 12:00 pm                    | Kelly & Annette Righetti, living   |
| 1:30 pm                     | Henry & Regina Arend, deceased   |
| 5:30 pm                     | The Wagner Family  |
| 6:00 pm (SSU Newman Center) | For the conversion and just punishment of the perpetrators and concealers of clergy abuse..  |
| <b>Monday</b>               | <b>January 6</b>   |
| 6:45 am                     | Jovencio Sanchez, deceased   |
| 8:00 am                     | Fernando & Mason Sarmiento, living   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>              | <b>January 7</b>   |
| 6:45 am                     | EMHB Clients, deceased   |
| 8:00 am                     | Betty Bjornstrom, living   |
| 5:30 pm (EF)                | All Souls in Purgatory   |
| <b>Wednesday</b>            | <b>January 8</b>   |
| 6:45 am                     | Maria Mullen, living   |
| 8:00 am                     | J. Stanley Russell, Jr. & Michael Russell, Sr., deceased   |
| <b>Thursday</b>             | <b>January 9</b>   |
| 6:45 am                     | People of St. Eugene's   |
| 8:00 am                     | Henry & Regina Arend, deceased   |
| <b>Friday</b>               | <b>January 10</b>  |
| 6:45 am                     | Lisa Tran, living  |
| 8:00 am                     | O/B Nguyen Tinh, deceased  |
| 12:00 pm Hosp.              | Maria Hong Tran, deceased  |
| <b>Saturday</b>             | <b>January 11</b>  |
| 8:00 am                     | In Thanksgiving  |
| 4:30 pm                     | Meghan McCurry, living   |
| 6:30 pm (Sp)                | Tuan Nguyen Family, living   |

## IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

### ~IN NEED OF PRAYERS~

Those who are ill need your support and prayers: Tristan Humble, Samuel Agius, Sandy Torti Wilcox, Marjorie Miles, Amelia Lansangan, Gail Brown, Luigi Fabiano, Leo Del Santo, Daniel Velasquez, Emeline Jane Smith, Rosalind Britto, Ken Davis, Rita Wyatt, Karen Mills, Eileen Carol, Nancy Amador, Patrick Welter, Cristeta Marentes, Jesus Navarro, Michael Boland, Stephen Warner, Thomas Patrick, Aida Catapang, Hike Kazarian, John Bugbee, Bob Goldman, Pat Dav-

## SPIRITUAL ACTIVITY

### ~SANCTUARY LAMP~

**Lighting Candles for Love Ones:** The sanctuary lamp burns continuously to remind visitors that Jesus is present in the Tabernacle. The **Commemoration for the week of January 5th:**



†JAMES ERNST†

### ~WALK FOR LIFE~

The Knights of Columbus is organizing a bus trip to the 2020 "Walk for Life" in San Francisco on Saturday, January 25th. The Bus will leave St. Eugene's at 8:00am and drop us off at St. Mary's Cathedral for 9:30am Mass celebrated by Archbishop Cordileone. After Mass we will walk to the SF Civic Center for the rally. There are restaurants along the way. The Rally begins at 12:30pm, followed by 'The Walk for Life' down Market Street at 1:30pm. We will board our bus at the end of 'The Walk' around 3:30pm and we will arrive back at St. Eugene's before 5pm. Bus Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office and will be sold on a first come/first served basis. The cost is \$25.

### ~MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER~

Married Couples: are you looking for a New Year's resolution? Why not make a commitment to do something to improve your marriage - like attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend? The next Marriage Encounter Weekends include: February 14-16, 2020 in Sacramento and March 20-22, 2020 in Reno, NV. For more information and/or to apply for a Weekend, visit the Marriage Encounter website at: [www.sacramentowwme.org](http://www.sacramentowwme.org) or send an email or make a phone call to: Terry & Janet at [applications@sacramentowwme.org](mailto:applications@sacramentowwme.org) or 916-489-3464.

## SOCIAL ACTIVITY

### ~EPIPHANY BREAKFAST~

The Knights of Columbus annual Epiphany Breakfast is taking place this Sunday, January 5, 2020, in the Becker Center, from 8am till noon. Menu includes pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, coffee, hot chocolate & orange juice—all for \$9.00. Kids can whack the piñata at 10:15 and 11:45am.

### ~CATHOLIC BOOKS SALE~

Find some great Catholic used books at low prices and support wonderful causes at the same time on January 5th and 12th! Fifty percent of proceeds collected will go toward St. Eugene Homeschool Academy and fifty percent toward purchasing coats for needy families this winter. Come check out our table on January 5 (set up in the Gym during the Knights of Columbus Epiphany Pancake Breakfast until noon, and then moved near--or in, if raining--the Parish Life Center until 3:30) and on January 12 (near or in the Parish Life Center after the 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, and 12:00 Masses).

The bulletin item deadline is Thursday @ 3:00pm for the Sunday after next bulletin. E-mail items to: [office@steuigenes.com](mailto:office@steuigenes.com). We reserve the right to edit or omit items.

## CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF

|                           |                                     |                       |                          |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Jesus Ornelas             | Lynne Gaggero                       | Alice Ludlow          | Daniel J. Galvin, Jr.    |
| Grace Menke               | Joseph Horrigan                     | Anna Horrigan         | F.J. Oser                |
| Edith Oser                | Jeff Oser                           | Dodie Hogan           | Giuseppe Garfagnoli      |
| Rolando Burgos, Sr.       | Raymando Bargos, Sr.                | Roy & Kathryn Stewart | Anne Brown               |
| Charles Brown             | Barbara & Ed Graves                 | Victims of Abortion   | Luis Co                  |
| Teofila Co                | Marcelo Biala                       | Pablito Marentes      | Cristera Marentes        |
| Elsa Marentes             | Danilo Co                           | Artemio Co            | Federico G. Resurreccion |
| Tomas De Guzman, Jr.      | Bernard Joseph Gilson, Sr.          | The Varnum Family     | Raymond A. Varnum        |
| The Villanueva Family     | All of our Priests                  | Regina Jarrett        | Anna & Joe Guglielmini   |
| Wara & Maladroka Families | Bougaiwuille & Seicove/ Thi & Chris |                       |                          |



# MY CATHOLIC FAITH

## EPIPHANY, Q&A & THE MAGI

### ~FROM THE PASTOR~

Let us look back today on some of our past articles telling us more about Epiphany. Also, a quick look at the Church calendar and the Magi. I wish you all a happy and blessed New Year!

## EPIPHANY

### ~WHAT IS THIS FEAST?~

EPIPHANY, which in the original Greek signifies appearance, is a festival principally solemnized in honor of the discovery Jesus Christ made of himself to the Magi, or wise men; who, soon after His birth, by a particular inspiration of Almighty God, came to adore Him and bring Him presents.

### ~BAPTISM & FIRST MIRACLE~

Two other manifestations of our Lord are jointly commemorated on this day in the office of the church: that at His baptism, when the Holy Ghost descended on Him in the visible form of a dove, and a voice from heaven was heard at the same time: "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." The third manifestation was that of his divine power at the performance of His first miracle, the changing of water into wine, at the marriage at Cana, "by which He manifested his glory, and His disciples believed in Him." Upon so many accounts ought this festival to challenge a more than ordinary regard and veneration; but from none more than us Gentiles, who, in the persons of the wise men, our first-fruits and forerunners, were on this day called to the faith and worship of the true God.

## CATHOLIC Q&A

### ~WHEN DOES CHRISTMAS END?~

Q: In the secular world, Christmas is over by December 26th. I know that this is not what we Catholics believe, so when does Christmas really end?

A: Liturgically speaking, when Christmas ends depends on the Rite (Latin or Eastern), the liturgical calendar (Ordinary or Extraordinary), and whether you're looking for the end of the Christmas 'feast' or the end of the Christmas 'season'. With that in

- The Christmas feast itself ends on the final day of its octave, which is the feast of Mary, the Mother of God, on January 1st. Keep your feasting and merriment going for the full 8 days.

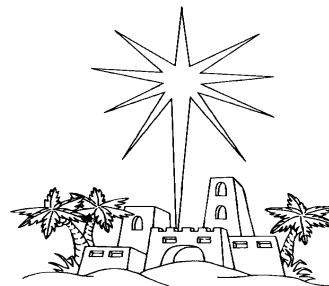
- The 'peak' of the Christmas 'season' is Epiphany, the end of the 12 Days of Christmas. Jesus is now revealed as a light to the Gentile nations. Keep your Christmas decorations, especially your Christmas lights, up at least until this day is over; or better, 8 days for the full octave.

- The official end of the Christmas season is the Baptism of the Lord the following weekend (the end of the octave of Epiphany), after which Ordinary Time begins. Keep your nativity scene displayed up through this day or until the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd.

[www.catholiccompany.com/blog/does-christmas-end-on-epiphany](http://www.catholiccompany.com/blog/does-christmas-end-on-epiphany)

## THE THREE WISE MEN

### ~ABOUT THE MAGI~



"If the Magi had come in search of an earthly King, they would have been disconcerted at finding that they had taken the trouble to come such a long way for nothing. Consequently they would have neither

adored nor offered gifts. But since they sought a heavenly King, though they found in Him no signs of royal pre-eminence, yet, content with the testimony of the star alone, they adored: for they saw a man, and they acknowledged a God." St. John Chrysostom

*GOD BLESS THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. EUGENE, OUR BISHOP, PRIESTS, RELIGIOUS AND ALL OF US IN THE NEW YEAR. Amen*

## CATEDRAL DE ST. EUGENE'S — 5 de Enero del 2020

### ORACION A SAN MIGUEL ARCANGEL

SAN MIGUEL ARCÁNGEL, defiéndenos en la batalla. Sé nuestro amparo contra la perversidad y asechanzas del demonio. Reprímele Dios, pedimos suplicantes, y tu príncipe de la milicia celestial arroja al infierno con el divino poder a Satanás y a los otros espíritus malignos que andan dispersos por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amen.



#### **Nota:**

*Por recomendación de nuestro Obispo R. Vasa aprender de memoria esta oración y hacerla después de que termina la Santa Misa. (claro que usted puede rezarla lo mas seguido posible)*

### ~ CAMINATA POR LA VIDA ~

Los Caballeros de Colón están organizando un viaje en autobús al "Walk for Life" o caminata por la vida del 2019 en San Francisco que se llevara a cabo el Sábado 25 de Enero.

El autobús saldrá de St. Eugene's a las 8:00 am y nos dejará en la Catedral de St. Mary's para la Santa Misa de 9:30 am celebrada por el Arzobispo Cordileone.

Después de la Santa Misa caminaremos hacia el Centro Cívico de San Francisco para el rally. Hay restaurantes en el camino por si necesitas comer o puedes llevar tu propia comida y comer antes de que comience el rally. El rally comienza a las 12:30 pm, seguido de 'The Walk' o caminata por la vida por Market Street a la 1:30 pm.

Abordaremos nuestro autobús al final de 'The Walk' alrededor de las 3:30 pm y regresaremos a St. Eugene's antes de las 5pm.

Los boletos de autobús se pueden comprar en la oficina parroquial y se venderán por orden de llegada. El costo es de \$ 25.

### CALENDARIO PARROQUIAL

**Lunes** -Legión de María: Nuestra Señora del Carmen Presídium PLC 5:00pm.

Legión de María: Nuestra Señora de Fátima Presídium en el PLC 7:00pm.

Cursillos: Ultreya PLC 7:00pm.

**Martes** -Grupo de Oración Shalom en el salón del Brinker a las 7:00pm.

**Viernes** -Grupo de Oración Carismática Familias Unidas en el Espíritu Santo, en el salón del Brinker a las 7:00pm.

-Armada Blanca 7:00pm.

**Sábado** -Confesiones de 3:00pm a 4:30pm

Santo Rosario 6:00pm.

Santa Misa 6:30pm.

Confesiones después de Misa

### PLANIFICACION FAMILIAR

*Quieres Mejorar tu matrimonio!*

Curso de Planificación Natural de la Familia

Para Parejas Casadas o Comprometidas

Parish Life Center en la Catedral de St. Eugene, 2323 Montgomery Drive

Santa Rosa, CA 95405

Sábados en 2020: 8 de Febrero, 7 de Marzo, 18 de Abril 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Hay cuidado para niños y bocadillo

Para registrar, llama a Maria Sanchez al:

542-6984 x0

Hemos invitado a unos instructores de Alameda a venir para darnos la oportunidad de tener clases en español. Es un gran oportunidad para crecimiento

### CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES

Preparación Pre-Bautismal en Español, Para Padres y Padrinos. Cada Primer Jueves de cada mes en el Salón Parroquial (PLC) La próxima será: el 6 de Febrero a las 7:00pm.

*NO NIÑOS.*

Antes de hacer preparativos tienen que hablar a la oficina mínimo 2 meses antes de la Ceremonia.

Si los padrinos son una pareja (matrimonio) necesitamos copia del certificado de Matrimonio a la Iglesia. (La Iglesia nos pide a una persona para que sea el padrino o madrina, no precisamente una pareja, siempre y cuando esta tenga la moral católica es decir que practique la Fe)

## Vida de San Juan Cancio / Juan de Kanty

Para comenzar a redactar sobre este gran Santo voy a repetir estos consejos que él les daba a sus alumnos: *“Cuídense de ofender, que después es difícil hacer olvidar la ofensa. Eviten murmurar, porque después resulta muy difícil devolver la fama que se ha quitado”*. Ahora bien, si somos personas de Fe, debemos llevar este consejo que les daba a sus estudiantes a nuestras propias vidas porque dañamos a otras personas con nuestras lenguas y forma de actuar. Debemos evitar los pecados de ofender y murmurar.

El nombre de nuestro Santo es Juan de Kanty / Juan Cancio, nació entre los años de 1402 y 1403, en una aldea llamada Kety, en Polonia. Sus virtuosos padres fueron Estanislao y Ana quienes fueron humildes campesinos. Su educación primaria la recibió en el pueblito donde había nacido.

Al terminar sus estudios con maestría y doctorado, fue ordenado sacerdote y lo nombraron profesor de teología de la universidad de Cracovia, cargo que no le duro mucho tiempo ya que habían personas que sentían envidia, por lo que hicieron lo posible para que fuese enviado como párroco a un alejado pueblo, destacándose allí por su caridad y ganándose el cariño y el amor de su feligresía, era tanto así que cuando es trasladado de nuevo a la capital las personas se entristecieron, así que les dijo que la tristeza no era provechosa y les pidió que siempre estuvieran alegres y contentos porque así lo quería Dios.

Ya instalado en Cracovia lo nombraron nuevamente profesor de la Universidad de dicha ciudad, allí se encargó de dar clases de la cátedra de Santas Escrituras o explicación de la Santa Biblia, cargo que ocupó ya sin interrupción hasta su muerte, acaecida el 23 de diciembre de 1473. Fue un hombre de oración practicando así las virtudes cristianas, en sus tiempos libres se dedicaba a visitar pobres y enfermos, distribuyendo todo lo que poseía ropa, dinero, solo conservaba lo necesario para su sustento, fue llamado el padre de los pobres, por sus constantes obras de caridad con los desamparados. Fue formador espiritual de cientos de Sacerdotes. Dormía poco, y siempre en el suelo, comía solo lo necesario para vivir. Era muy rígido en sus ayunos y muy disciplinado conservando así su pureza y en sus últimos treinta años se inhibió de comer carne.

Durante sus predicaciones acerca del pecado lloraba al recordar la indiferencia de los pecadores hacia Dios, al verlo llorar las personas se arrepentían y cambiaban su conducta. Extenuado por el deseo de sufrir el martirio realizó cuatro peregrinaciones a Roma y una a Jerusalén a pie, predicando a Jesús Crucificado a los turcos.

Ya siendo muy anciano y sintiendo que se aproximaba la muerte, se dedicó a prepararse bien antes de morir, muriendo santamente después de recibir los santos sacramentos. Intercesor ante Dios en vida y después de muerto, sus oraciones y milagros fue beatificado en Roma y finalmente canonizado en 1767 por el papa Clemente XIV. Fue proclamado en el año 1737 patrono de Polonia y Lituania, Celebra su fiesta litúrgica todos los 23 de diciembre.

