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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

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 12 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: 8:00a.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 Annette (English) at: (707)542-3635 or Maria Vega (Spanish) at: (707)710-5094

Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament is held in the chapel every First Friday following 8:00 a.m. Mass. *During this time of Covid-19, Benediction is not being held.*

DEVOTIONS

Recitation of the Rosary is Monday – Saturday at 7:25 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 Hours: Tues & Wed. 9:30 am– 2:30 pm

Cathedral Books & Gifts Hours: Wed-Sat 8:30 am- 4:30pm & Sun 8:30am-1:30pm, Closed Mon/Tues - Phone: (707)542-0250

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – MAY 14, 2023

PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY MAY 14

Masses – Cathedral – 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 noon,
1:30 pm (Latin) & 5:30 pm
RCIA – PLC – 10:30 am
Coffee Social – PLC – 8:00 am – 12:00 noon

MONDAY MAY 15

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am

TUESDAY MAY 16

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am
Women of the Word – PLC – 9:00 am
PSR – School – 3:45 pm
Latin Mass – Cathedral – 5:30 pm

WEDNESDAY MAY 17

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am
Outdoor Rosary – Fatima Grotto – 6:00 pm
Bible Study – PLC – 7:00 pm

THURSDAY MAY 18

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am
Latin Mass – Cathedral – 5:30 pm

FRIDAY MAY 19

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am

SATURDAY MAY 20

Morning Mass – Cathedral – 8:00 am
Confession – Cathedral 3:30 – 4:30 pm
Sunday Vigil Masses – Cathedral – 4:30 pm & 6:30 pm
(Spanish)

~PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION~

Register your child now for the Parish School of Religion (PSR) 2023-2024 school year! The Parish School of Religion partners with the Cathedral of St. Eugene families to bring the youth of the parish to Christ through authentic catechesis in the Beauty, Goodness, and Truth of the Catholic Faith. We offer: Ongoing Catholic formation for students 1st grade through high school; preparation for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confession, 1st Communion & Confirmation; dedicated teaching by the Marian Sisters of Santa Rosa & lay catechists. **Where:** St. Eugene's School **When:** Tuesdays from 3:45 - 5:00pm; September through May. Pick up registration forms in the vestibules, at the parish office, or register online at our parish website (www.steugenes.com). ***Last day to register is Monday, July 31st.*** Contact Sr. Mary Emmanuel, MSSR with any questions at 707-326-3408 or srmariyemmanuel2@gmail.com

Hearing Aid Users, Switch to T-Coil

ADMINISTRATION

For the Week of: 4/30/23

Sunday Donations Received:	\$12,744.
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Second Collection: <i>St. Vincent de Paul</i> :	\$4,385.
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~ CATHEDRAL BOOKS & GIFTS ~

May is the month of Mary, so our Special is 25% off all statues, pictures, and books of the Blessed Mother (sorry, no rosaries this month!). Stop in our store and get great deals! 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: 707-542-0250.

SECOND COLLECTION INFORMATION

~NO SECOND COLLECTION~

This weekend, May 13 & 14, there will be no Second Collection. There will also be no Second Collection next weekend, May 20 & 21. Thank you for your continued generosity!

SCHOOL NEWS

~REGISTRATION HAS STARTED~

St. Eugene's Cathedral School has started its registration process for the 2023-24 school year. We are proud of our students and our school. We offer an excellent academic education with a challenging curriculum integrated with gospel values. We are accepting applications for all grades. Come by the school office to pick up an application or call 545-7252, and we'll send an application to you. You can also go to: www.steugenesch.org -"Admissions". For those who would like to tour the school, please come to the school office at 9:00 am on May 12th.

~CATHEDRAL ROOF UPDATE ~

During the week of May 15, the old roof will be removed. The front entrance to the church (Montgomery Dr. side) will be blocked off and inaccessible. Please use the East entrance (Fatima grotto side). Beginning on May 22, the new roof will be installed. **As of May 22, the small parking lot by the Adoration Chapel will be closed until the work is complete.** Please park in the main lot. Crews will not be working during daily morning masses or on weekends, but the closures above will remain in effect.

The bulletin submission deadline is Thursday @ 3:00pm for the Sunday after next bulletin. We reserve the right to edit or omit items. E-mail items to: office@steugenes.com.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	May 13
8:00 am	Daniella Pelaez, living
4:30 pm	George & Chris Schirle, deceased
6:30 pm (Sp)	Ricardo Olvera Galvan, deceased
Sunday	May 14
7:30 am	Victor Whiteley, deceased
9:00 am	William Avilla, deceased
10:30 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
12:00 pm	People of St. Eugene's
1:30 pm (EF)	Abarca-Ortiz Family, living & deceased
5:30 pm	Teresa Emmendorfer, deceased
6:00pm Newman Ctr.	Finn & Green Families, living & deceased
Monday	May 15
6:45 am	Valentine Nevis, living
8:00 am	Fidelia Chavez, deceased
Tuesday	May 16
6:45 am	Apostolos Stamoulis, deceased
8:00 am	Leo Pimentel, deceased
5:30 pm (EF)	Fr. Daniel Roa, living
Wednesday	May 17
6:45 am	Brother Mikhael Mihic, living
8:00 am	Anthony Maria Tran, deceased
9:20 am (Sch)	John Patrick McGuire, deceased
Thursday	May 18
6:45 am	William & Gladys Moura, living & deceased
8:00 am	McShane & Stronge Families, living & deceased
5:30 pm (Latin)	Franz & Mina Jost, deceased
Friday	May 19
6:45 am	Joseph Chiappelone, deceased
8:00 am	Familia Cervantes Razo, living
12:00 pm (Hosp)	Michael Tran, living
Saturday	May 20
8:00 am	Fabiano Monterroso, living
4:30 pm	Patrick Grace, deceased
6:30 (Sp)	Francisco Paniagua & Eleno Aguilera Castro, deceased

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

~NFP CLASSES~

The next series of Natural Family Planning (NFP) classes will begin Saturday, **May 27, 2023 from 1-3pm**. All engaged and married couples are invited. To register, go to: <http://www.ccli.org>. Questions? Call Annette at (707)542-3635.

SPIRITUAL ACTIVITY

~THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD~

The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord on Thursday, May 18, is one of the great Solemnities in the Christian liturgical calendar, and commemorates the bodily ascension of Jesus into heaven. The obligation to attend Mass on this day has been transferred to Sunday, May 21. (For those who exclusively attend the Latin Mass, we will be offering Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Latin) at 5:30 pm on Ascension Thursday.)

~VESPERS & BENEDICTION~

Please join us on Ascension Sunday, May 21, at 4:00 pm, in the Cathedral, for Vespers & Benediction. Light refreshments will be offered in the Parish Life Center afterward. For more details, please go to: www.soldiersofchrist.info and click the "Vespers and Benediction" link.

~LAKE COUNTY PASSION PLAY~

All are invited to come and watch this amazing outdoor production of the Passion of Christ on May 20 & 21, from 4:00-6:00 PM. The destination is located off of Highway 29, about 4 miles north of Lakeport on 7010 Westlake Rd, Upper Lake. For directions or more information, please call: 707-263-0349. This has been rated the best outdoor Passion Play in the world by various spectators. The Passion Play is a prayerful expression of the faith of the people involved. There is no charge, but donations are gratefully accepted. • Bring your own chair. • No smoking, food, drink, or pets on grounds. • Water available. • Facilities for the handicapped.

SAVE THE DATE

~UPCOMING ORDINATION~

On Friday, June 9, at 6:00 pm, Bishop Robert F. Vasa will ordain Seminarians Christopher Girolo and Mauricio Rodriguez to the Transitional Diaconate at the Cathedral. Men who are to be ordained priests are ordained deacons prior to priesthood. These men are referred to as "transitional" deacons, because they are in the process of transition to the priesthood. All are invited to attend Holy Mass for this joyous occasion followed by light refreshments in the Parish Life Center.

~PLEASE PRAY FOR~

Those who are ill need your support and prayers: Tristan Humble, Samuel Agius, Marjorie Miles, Amelia Lansangan, Gail Brown, Leo Del Santo, 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, Aida Catapang, Bob Goldman, Pat Davenport, Paulita Castro, Jean L. Alfano, Theresa Pham, Rainey Olson, Michele Otten, Pauline Goslovich, Mary Gonzales, Nick Sidjakov, Margaret Keifer, Joan Cosgrove, Denise Ealy, Becky Harber, Ernest Lanford, Daniel Bruce Moore, Megan Ingrassia and Art Haake.

*Happy Mother's Day to all of our Mothers!
We honor these mothers, living & deceased.*

<i>Paula Epperson</i>	<i>Martha Keyes</i>	<i>Kathy Keyes</i>	<i>Maria McCall</i>	<i>Meta McCall</i>
<i>Ann Webb</i>	<i>Miriam Lasko</i>	<i>Sylvia Cook</i>	<i>Agatha Radosevich</i>	<i>Dalana Veremalua</i>
<i>Irene Forkner</i>	<i>Elizabeth M. Coscia</i>	<i>Alberta Moore</i>	<i>Jennie Dale</i>	<i>Barbara Rossi</i>
<i>Mary Figoni</i>	<i>Soledad Mata</i>	<i>Angeles Calzada</i>	<i>Olga Resendiz</i>	<i>Anne Deabenderfer</i>
<i>Anne Lapham</i>	<i>Lena Flanery</i>	<i>Sylvia Lapham</i>	<i>Mary Lee Casey</i>	<i>Suzanne Schaefer</i>
<i>Lilly Fridley</i>	<i>Sally Baldridge</i>	<i>Claudette Schadey</i>	<i>Martha Lopez</i>	<i>Clara Miller</i>
<i>Ida Grace Armor</i>	<i>Benita V. Humble</i>	<i>Louise E. McCauley</i>	<i>Edith M. Oser</i>	<i>Alice Parreira</i>
<i>Tamra L. Oser</i>	<i>Florence Fechko</i>	<i>Albina Dragovina</i>	<i>Sofia Hervatin</i>	<i>Anita Boyko</i>
<i>Christina Fable</i>	<i>Alice Whitney</i>	<i>Mary Tillman</i>	<i>Elma Radosevich</i>	<i>Jeniffer Wanjuzi</i>
<i>Klaswas Sole</i>	<i>Bernice Panoski</i>	<i>Patricia Hess</i>	<i>Kathleen Pavlich</i>	<i>Joan Clark</i>
<i>Mary Foley</i>	<i>Valerie Duffy</i>	<i>Katie Vidosh</i>	<i>Mary Pfaff</i>	<i>Grandma Pfaff</i>
<i>Mary Schirle</i>	<i>Josephine Gaddie</i>	<i>Blanche Triske</i>	<i>Nell Carroll</i>	<i>Claudia Skrypka</i>
<i>Maria & Gloria</i>	<i>Socorro & Edna</i>	<i>Maria Plascensia-Lopez</i>	<i>Juana Torres Moreno</i>	<i>Teodosia Gonzalez-Orozco</i>
<i>Barbara Meyn</i>	<i>Irene Kiboone</i>	<i>Odette Bailey</i>	<i>Elizabeth Tumwesigye</i>	<i>Virginia Putko</i>
<i>Iola Olson</i>	<i>Linda Crandall</i>	<i>Kristin Heystek</i>	<i>Patricia E. Lister</i>	<i>Martha Anguiano</i>
<i>Maria de los Angeles Garcia-Torres</i>	<i>Maria Isabel Zuniga Placensia</i>	<i>Carolina Torres-Navarrete</i>	<i>Perpetua Veracruz</i>	<i>Christa Wendler</i>
<i>Rosina Varnum</i>	<i>Anna Garcia</i>	<i>Sharon Evans</i>	<i>Our Blessed Mother</i>	<i>Rochelle Kelso</i>
<i>Veronica Newton</i>	<i>Angelina Ortiz</i>	<i>Kay Plagge</i>	<i>Jane Plagge</i>	<i>Maria Santiago</i>
<i>Janet Plagge</i>	<i>Nona Egipciano</i>	<i>Kiri Egipciano</i>	<i>Felicita Cruz</i>	<i>Alma Miranda-Bayron</i>
<i>Emilie Avera</i>	<i>Bernice Coragliotti</i>	<i>Ginger McClain</i>	<i>Reina Mota</i>	<i>Kaoru Nakamura</i>
<i>Marisela Sanchez</i>	<i>Ida Seemann</i>	<i>Regina Schummer</i>	<i>Anita Cerri</i>	<i>Irene Paolini</i>
<i>Alice Moratto</i>	<i>Ana Dang</i>	<i>Ana Nguyen</i>	<i>Marie Tran</i>	<i>Martha Liu</i>



Happy Mother's Day

MY CATHOLIC FAITH

MOTHER'S DAY

~FROM THE PASTOR~

I would like to wish a happy and blessed Mother's Day to all of the mothers of this parish. Motherhood is a most difficult, and yet, most rewarding, vocation. We remember to honor our mothers in this month of May because May is the month of Mary, Mother to us all. Let us take a look at some brief biographies of saintly mothers who gave their all to God and to their families. We will begin with the Mother of God.

SAINTLY MOTHERS

~THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY~

The Blessed Mother offers us the perfect example of a virtuous mother. Her will was always perfectly aligned with God's will. She faced many hardships and difficulties. She had to travel to a strange land (Egypt), far away from family and friends, when she was a very young mother. She also had to endure watching her beloved Son suffer so greatly. Mary does understand the struggles we face as mothers, and her intercession is especially powerful since she is so close to Jesus. Pope Paul VI noted, "We believe that the Holy Mother of God, the new Eve, Mother of the Church, continues in heaven to exercise her maternal role on behalf of the members of Christ." There are many feast days devoted to Mary throughout the year, but she is especially honored as the Mother of God on January 1st.

~ST. GIANNA MOLLA~

We often think of saints as men and women who lived long ago, but St. Gianna is a modern day saint who was not only a mother but also a pediatrician, athlete and tireless volunteer in her community. Born on October 4, 1922, in Magenta, Italy, Gianna Beretta Molla made the ultimate sacrifice by giving her life so that her child could live. Diagnosed with a tumor on her uterus, she refused to have an abortion or hysterectomy and endured a painful and difficult pregnancy and childbirth. She died on April 28, 1962, shortly after giving birth to her fourth child, also named Gianna, who is still alive today and very active in the pro-life movement. Her feast day is celebrated on April 28th.

~ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON~

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, born August 28, 1774, is the first saint to be born in the United States. She was raised in the Episcopal church, married a wealthy businessman and had five children. Sadly, her husband's business went bankrupt, and he died of tuberculosis. Now a widow and single mother, Elizabeth became a Catholic and started a school in order to support her family. She continued to endure hardships, including the death of two daughters and difficulties in her mission to lead a religious order, yet she's remembered as being cheerful and hopeful. Like her husband, she contracted tuberculosis and died at age 46, on January 4, 1821. Her feast day is celebrated on January 4th.

~ST. JUDITH~

St. Judith lived in the thirteenth century. She was born in Thuringia. This was in what is now central Germany. Judith was married at fifteen to a wealthy young nobleman. Judith tried to be a good Christian wife. She was especially generous with the poor. Her husband was a good man, but he was satisfied with his wealthy lifestyle. He expected his wife to dress and live like a rich woman. He felt that their well-dressed look would win them respect. But Judith gently persuaded him to live and dress more simply. By doing this, they would have more to give to people less fortunate than themselves. Judith's husband died suddenly while on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The young widow raised her children alone. When the children grew up, Judith listened to a longing that had been in her heart during the busy, happy days of her life. She gave away everything and lived as a hermit. She moved to Prussia where people would not know that she was from a wealthy family. There she spent her time praying and taking care of weary travelers who passed by her little hut. She prayed especially for the conversion of nonbelievers. She prayed also for the newly baptized Christians to be true to their faith. "Three things can lead us close to God," she once said. "They are painful physical suffering, being in exile in a foreign land, and being poor by choice because of love for God." St. Judith died of fever in 1260.

~ZELIE MARTIN~

Blessed Zelig Martin and her husband, Louis, will be canonized by Pope Francis in October. Zelig is best known as the mother of St. Therese, but all five of her living children entered the religious life. This gives us insight into the emphasis on living a life for God that was present in the Martin home. Virtue: Piety. Role Model for: Mothers who suffer from headaches; Mothers with cancer; Mothers who have lost a child (4 of the Martin's children died during childhood); Stay at home moms.

~ST. EMILIA~

Not much is known about the life of St. Emilia, but we do know that she must have been doing something right. Five of her ten children would be named Saints by the Catholic Church: Saints Macrina, Basil, Peter of Sebaste, Gregory of Nyssa, and Theosebia. St. Emilia is a beautiful example of creating a culture of prayer and holiness in the home. Virtue: Piety. Role Model for: Mothers of Large Families; Mothers of children in religious vocations Quote: "To you, O Lord, I give the first fruits and the tithe of the fruit of my womb. The first fruit is my first-born daughter, and the tithe is this, my youngest son. Let these be for you a rightly acceptable sacrifice, and let your holiness descend upon them!" - St. Emilia

~HANNAH—MOTHER OF SAMUEL~

Hannah waited for many years to have a child, but she never gave up faithfully praying to God. After many years of yearning for a baby of her own, we know it must have been with great difficulty that Hannah presented her child in the temple and dedicated his life to God. She is an example of what every mother must do. We must trust that when we submit to God's plan for our child that He will provide for them better than we can. Virtue: Obedience Role model for: Mothers who face anxiety about their children; Mothers who live apart from their grown children. Quote: "Oh, my lord! As your soul lives, my lord, I am the woman who stood here beside you, praying to the Lord. For this boy I prayed, and the Lord has given me my petition which I asked of Him. So I have also dedicated him to the Lord; as long as he lives he is dedicated to the Lord." <https://catholic-link.org/10-saints-who-were-mothers/>

~MOTHERHOOD QUOTES~

"Whatever you do for your family, your children, your husband, your wife, you do for God. All we do, our prayers, our work, our suffering, is for Jesus." - St. Teresa of Calcutta

"Motherhood involves a special communion with the mystery of life, as it develops in the mother's womb. The mother is filled with wonder at this mystery of life, and 'understands' with unique intuition what is happening inside her. In the light of the 'beginning', the mother accepts and loves as a person the child she is carrying in her womb. This unique contact with the new human being developing within her gives rise to an attitude towards human beings - not only towards her own child, but every human being - which profoundly marks the woman's personality." - St. John Paul II

"When we had our children, our ideas changed somewhat. We lived only for them. They were all our happiness, and we never found any except in them. In short, nothing was too difficult, and the world was no longer a burden for us. For me, our children were a great compensation, so I wanted to have a lot of them in order to raise them for Heaven." - St. Zelig Martin

"One earns paradise with one's daily task." - St. Gianna

"The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother." - St. Thérèse of Lisieux:

"The Most Important Person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honour of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent than any cathedral—a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby's body....The angels have not been blessed with such a grace. They cannot share in God's creative miracle to bring new saints to Heaven. Only a human mother can. Mothers are closer to God the Creator than any other creature; God joins forces with mothers in performing this act of creation....What on God's good earth is more glorious than this; to be a mother?" - József Cardinal Mindszenty

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/247583/mothers-day-12-catholic-quotes-on-the-beauty-of-motherhood>

CATEDRAL DE ST. EUGENE'S — 14 de Mayo del 2023
Sexto Domingo de Pascua

DIA DE LAS MADRES

~DEL PÁRROCO~

Quisiera desear un feliz y bendecido Día de la Madre a todas las madres de esta parroquia. La maternidad es una vocación muy difícil y, sin embargo, muy gratificante. Recordamos honrar a nuestras madres en este mes de mayo porque mayo es el mes de María, Madre de todos nosotros. Veamos algunas biografías breves de madres santas que lo dieron todo por Dios y por sus familias. Comenzaremos por la Madre de Dios.

MADRES SANTAS

~LA SANTÍSIMA VIRGEN MARÍA~

La Santísima Virgen nos ofrece el ejemplo perfecto de una madre virtuosa. Su voluntad siempre estuvo perfectamente alineada con la voluntad de Dios. Se enfrentó a muchas penurias y dificultades. Tuvo que viajar a una tierra extraña (Egipto), lejos de su familia y amigos, cuando era una madre muy joven. También tuvo que soportar ver sufrir tanto a su amado Hijo. María comprende las luchas que afrontamos como madres, y su intercesión es especialmente poderosa por estar tan cerca de Jesús. El Papa Pablo VI señaló: "Creemos que la Santa Madre de Dios, la nueva Eva, Madre de la Iglesia, continúa en el cielo ejerciendo su función maternal en favor de los miembros de Cristo." Hay muchas fiestas dedicadas a María a lo largo del año, pero se la honra especialmente como Madre de Dios el 1 de enero.

~SANTA GIANNA MOLLA~

A menudo pensamos en los santos como hombres y mujeres que vivieron hace mucho tiempo, pero Santa Gianna es una santa moderna que no sólo fue madre, sino también pediatra, atleta y voluntaria incansable en su comunidad. Nacida el 4 de octubre de 1922 en Magenta (Italia), Gianna Beretta Molla hizo el sacrificio supremo de dar su vida para que su hijo pudiera vivir. Diagnosticada con un tumor en el útero, se negó a someterse a un aborto o a una histerectomía y soportó un embarazo y un parto dolorosos y difíciles. Murió el 28 de abril de 1962, poco después de dar a luz a su cuarta hija, también llamada Gianna, que sigue viva y muy activa en el movimiento próvida. Su fiesta se celebra el 28 de abril.

~CITAS DE MATERNIDAD~

"Todo lo que haces por tu familia, tus hijos, tu marido, tu mujer, lo haces por Dios. Todo lo que hacemos, nuestras oraciones, nuestro trabajo, nuestro sufrimiento, es por Jesús." - **Santa Teresa de Calcuta**

"La maternidad implica una comunión especial con el misterio de la vida, tal como se desarrolla en el seno materno. La madre se llena de asombro ante este misterio de la vida, y 'comprende' con una intuición única lo que sucede en su interior. A la luz del "principio", la madre acepta y ama como a una persona al niño que lleva en su vientre. De este contacto único con el nuevo ser humano que se desarrolla en ella nace una actitud hacia el ser humano -no sólo hacia su propio hijo, sino hacia todo ser humano- que marca profundamente la personalidad de la mujer". - **San Juan Pablo II**

"Uno se gana el paraíso con su tarea diaria". - **Santa Gianna**

"La obra maestra más hermosa del corazón de Dios es el corazón de una madre". - **Santa Teresa de Lisieux:**

"La persona más importante de la tierra es una madre. No puede atribuirse el honor de haber construido la catedral de Notre Dame. No es necesario. Ella ha construido algo más magnífico que cualquier catedral: una morada para un alma inmortal, la pequeña perfección del cuerpo de su bebé Los ángeles no han sido bendecidos con tal gracia. No pueden participar en el milagro creador de Dios de traer nuevos santos al Cielo. Sólo una madre humana puede hacerlo. Las madres están más cerca de Dios Creador que cualquier otra criatura; Dios une sus fuerzas a las de las madres para realizar este acto de creación....¿Qué hay en la buena tierra de Dios más glorioso que esto: ser madre?". - **József Cardenal Mindszenty**

BAUTIZO

Preparación Pre-Bautismal en Español, Para Padres y Padrinos En el Salón Parroquial (PLC)

Segundo Sábado de cada mes a las 4:30pm.

No niños. Antes de hacer preparativos tienen que hablar a la oficina por lo menos 2 meses antes. (707) 542-6987 ext. 100

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"The miracle is not that we do this work, but that we are happy to do it" ~ Mother Teresa

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