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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Entrance is located at the North end of the 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.

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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

DEVOTIONS

Recitation of the Rosary takes place Monday – Saturday at 7:25 a.m. in the Cathedral

Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed every 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

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD - JANUARY 7, 2024

PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY JANUARY 7

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

MONDAY JANUARY 8

Morning Masses - Cathedral - 6:45 am, 8:00 am

TUESDAY JANUARY 9

Morning Masses — Cathedral — 6:45 & 8:00 am Women of the Word — PLC — 9:00 am Parish School of Religion — 3:45 pm — Becker Ctr. Latin Mass — Cathedral — 5:30 pm

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 10

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

THURSDAY JANUARY 11

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am Golden Opportunities Meeting – PLC – 10:00am

FRIDAY – JANUARY 12

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

SATURDAY JANUARY 13

Morning Mass — Cathedral — 8:00 am Little Flowers — PLC — 9:30 am Confession — Cathedral - 3:30 — 4:30 pm Sunday Vigil Masses — Cathedral — 4:30 pm & 6:30 pm Spanish

CATHEDRAL BOOKS & GIFTS

The bookstore will be closed from January 1st until January 9th. If we are able to open sooner, we will.

This January our store is switching to a new Point of Sale program. We will be able to accept all credit cards, do lay-away sales, have a customer loyalty program (you will earn points every time you purchase something from our store, and you can redeem those points whenever you decide), gift cards and more! January's special of the month is the book "Padre Pio the Stigmatist" by Father Charles Carty. Does your faith need a little boost at the beginning of this new year? Padre Pio's amazing life will lift your faith and your spirits. All month it is 25% off. Padre Pio reminds us "Remember that God is within us when we are in his grace, and outside of us when we are in sin."

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: <code>office@steugenes.com</code>.

Hearing Aid Users, Switch to T-Coil

ADMINISTRATION

For the Week of: 12/24/23

Sunday Donations Received: \$ 11,223 Christmas: \$ 15,660

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, January 6 & 7 there will be no second collection. The Second Collection for January 13 & 14, is for Homeless Assistance. Family Support Center offers a room sponsored by St. Eugene's. Your generous donations support families and individuals housed in "our" room.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Happy Epiphany to one and to all! In our culture Epiphany is not that big of a deal, but I once got to experience the holiday in Spain. In Spain, the Magi are the ones who bring gifts which makes sense. They brought Our Lord gifts, why not the little ones among us now? They are special feasts based on local seafood and spent time with their family in addition to giving gifts. It was a special time.

We can make it a special time here too by celebrating the day with our family. We could give a small gift and recognize the specialness of the first Gentiles entering into the mystery of Jesus come in the flesh. Of special note, is the fact that these wise men were most likely not that familiar with Jewish customs and traditions, they probably had not read the Old Testament. No one really knows why they were looking for the coming of Our Lord in the stars. That is a mystery known to God. But what we do know is that they were welcomed, not because they brought gifts, but because they came in faith. That is the same faith that we should all bring now when we come to Mass.

Also, we recognize the truly special nature of the gifts that they brought, each one was symbolic. The gold symbolized the kingly nature of Jesus: Lord at His Birth. The myrrh symbolized the death that Jesus would endure. The frankincense was widely used in the worship of deities, and thus appropriate for Jesus who was God in the flesh.

Lastly, this year the Baptism of the Lord will be celebrated on January 8.

Happy Epiphany

Fr. Samuel Moses Brown

ST. EUGENE'S CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

The school enjoyed their Christmas break and are back to work. Remember that St Eugene's School is a faith based alternative to local public schools. Catholic schools exist to form young persons in Christ and in culture. The formation in culture entails building the intellectual, emotional, and physical capacities of each student for responsible life in society. Contact Daisy at (707) 545-7252 or go to our website steugenesch.org to reserve your place for the 2024-2025 school year.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	January 6	
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 mem-	
	bers of the Russell and Rinaldi families	
4:30 pm	Scott Harrelle, deceased	
6:30 pm (Sp)	Ricardo Olvera Galvan, deceased	
Sunday	January 7	
7:30 am	Kathy Cole Henn, deceased	
9:00 am	People of St. Eugene's	
10:30 am	People of the Diocese	
12:00 pm	Betty Bjornstrom, living	
1:30 pm (EF)	Tina Green & Family, liv and dec	
5:30 pm	Jon Stark, deceased	
Monday	January 8	
6:45 am	Elizabeth Camacho Lopez, living	
8:00 am	Vince Buettner, living	
Tuesday	January 9	
6:45 am	Barbara Wold, living	
8:00 am	Mariano Camacho Lopez, living	
5:30 pm	Caleb Shuck & Family, liv & dec	
Wednesday	January 10	
6:45 am	Robert & Margaret Churchill, deceased	
8:00 am	ICF Members, living and deceased	
Thursday	January 11	
6:45 am	Ed Schwartz, deceased	
8:00 am	Brad & Corime Bollinger, living	
Friday	January 12	
6:45 am	Daniel Kearney, deceased	
8:00 am	Sharon Wold, living	
12:00 pm (Hosp)	Fr. Epperson, living	
Saturday	January 13	
8:00 am	Scott Lorbeer, living	
4:30 pm	Mike Warden, deceased	
6:30 pm (Sp)	Miguel de Jesus Carrillo de la Cruz, dec	

ICF SCHOLARSHIPS

The Italian Catholic Federation is awarding scholarships to the Class of 2024 high school graduates. Applicants must be Catholic and have achieved a total cumulative GPA of at least 3.20. Applications are available online at www.icf.org/scholarships/ or call 888-ICF-1924.

2023 CHARITABLE DONATION STATEMENTS

St. Eugene's greatly appreciates your generous donations. A year end list of your donations suitable for tax purposes is available to **registered** parishioners upon request. To receive a tax statement, e-mail <u>office@steugenes.com</u> or leave your information with Eileen at 707-852-0376. Mention your envelope number if you have one. Indicate how you want to receive your statement: mail, email or pick up.

SOCIAL ACTIVITY

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES

There will be a Golden Opportunities luncheon on Thursday January 11 at 11:30 AM in the Parish Life Center. The members will provide the food and beverages for the luncheon. A \$ 3 donation is requested. We will play Bingo with Bob Acquistapace being our caller.

CALLING ALL MOMS

Calling all moms who have children from the newborn stage to the teenage years! Come meet other like-minded Catholic moms who seek friendship and who strive to live out their Catholic faith. Our gatherings happen on the last Wednesday of each month. Join us for a Blessed is She Mothers Brunch on Wed, Jan. 31 from 10 AM-12 PM. For more info: srdiocese.catholicmoms@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF

Julio Cesar Moreno	Jeff Vancleve
Marian Moreno and Sanchez	Kay and Raymond Kaderabek
Debbie Kaderabek	Jessica Solano
Richard and Kaoru Nakamura	Daniel, Elizabeth, Matthew Walker
Octavio Moreno	Delia Lomas
Stan Janiak	Dan Maloney

SPIRITUAL ACTIVITY

WALK FOR LIFE

The Knights of Columbus is organizing a bus trip to the 2024 "Walk for Life" in San Francisco on Saturday, January 20th. Two buses will begin boarding at 7:45 am and 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. 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. The cost is \$30.

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, 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, Sandi Picconi, Joan Cosgrove, Denise Ealy, Becky Harber, Ernest Lanford, Daniel Bruce Moore, Megan Ingrassia, Art Haake, Rosalie Elliott and Eric Oser.



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