

## **PASTORAL STAFF**

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## **TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

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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.

## 2323 Montgomery Drive Santa Rosa, CA 95405 (707) 542-6984



## **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

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — JANUARY 21, 2024

## PARISH CALENDAR

## **SUNDAY JANUARY 21**

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 22**

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

## **TUESDAY JANUARY 23**

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 24**

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

## **THURSDAY JANUARY 25**

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

## FRIDAY – JANUARY 26

Morning Masses – Cathedral – 6:45 & 8:00 am Bible Study – Parish Life Center (Hope Rm) - 9:00 am

## **SATURDAY JANUARY 27**

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

## **CATHEDRAL BOOKS & GIFTS**

This January our store is switching to a new Point of Sale program. We will be able to accept all credit cards, do layaway 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 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 following Sunday after the next bulletin. We reserve the right to edit submissions. E-mail items to: office@steugenes.com.

## Hearing Aid Users, Switch to T-Coil

## **ADMINISTRATION**

For the Week of: 01/07/2024

Sunday Donations Received: \$13,354

## **SECOND COLLECTION**

This weekend, January 20 & 21, the Second Collection is for St Eugene's School Tuition Assistance. Our school depends on your generosity to continue to educate the next generation into the Catholic faith. Next week, January 27th & 28th, the second collection will be the Church in Latin America. This money helps fund Catholic education and foster religious vocations from Mexico to the Caribbean to the Southern tip of South America.

### **PASTOR'S CORNER**

Dear People of God,

As we continue our journey into the Gospel of Mark, we will very quickly see certain themes. In today's gospel reading, we have a very interesting line: the time of fulfillment is at hand; repent and believe in the Gospel. This line from Mark 1:15 sets out Jesus' basic message to the people listening to His preaching. He wants us to know several things: the time of the Messiah's coming is fulfilled, we should repent of our sins, and we need to put our faith in the Gospel. First, we have to remember that the ancient Jews had waited a long time for the coming of the Messiah. The prophets foretold the coming of the Messiah, but they did not say exactly when it would happen. Thus, people were waiting for it to happen. Jesus is saying that that time has come to an end because He has come. Second, we need to repent of our sins. We commonly associate repentance with the feeling of contrition, but the Greek sense of the word means to turn oneself around. In other words, we should walk away from sin, turn around, and walk toward the Lord. Third, Jesus wants us to believe in the Good News of His coming and His payment for our sins. We can have freedom, only by His Blood.

On another note, it is interesting to compare and contrast Mark 1:15 with John 3:16. While John 3:16 is the most memorized verse in the Bible, we can also see how Mark 1:15 also encapsulates the general Gospel message. They both communicate the saving message, but with different words which is a good reminder for us to use our words in the service of the Catholic Faith. We should always be ready to give an explanation of our faith to those who would ask. This should include knowing John 3:16 and Mark 1:15 in addition to knowing other key areas of Scripture.

God bless you, Fr. Samuel Moses Brown

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday	January 20	
8:00 am	Robert E. Cook Family, liv & dec	
4:30 pm	Graham Mann & Family, deceased	
6:30 pm (Sp)	Jane Gutierrez, deceased	
Sunday	January 21	
7:30 am	Robert Macbeth, deceased	
9:00 am	Marilou Keller, deceased	
10:30 am	John Stronge, deceased	
12:00 pm	People of St. Eugene's	
1:30 pm (EF)	James & Mary Murphy, deceased	
5:30 pm	Timothy Cagwin, deceased	
6:00 pm	Diego Granadas Luna, living	
(Newman)		
Monday	January 22	
6:45 am	For all who work for the Respect Life cause	
8:00 am	For the Unborn Children	
Tuesday	January 23	
6:45 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory	
8:00 am	Bailey & Held Families, liv & dec	
5:30 pm	Roberto M. Marapao, deceased	
Wednesday January 24		
6:45 am	George Skikos, deceased	
8:00 am	Roberto Gomez, deceased	
Thursday January 25		
6:45 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory	
8:00 am	Timothy Cagwin, deceased	
9:20 am (School	Cruz & Luna Family Intentions, living	
Families Only)	-	
Friday	January 26	
6:45 am	Epifanio M. Marapao, Jr., dec	
8:00 am	John McShane, deceased	
12:00 pm (Hosp)	Joshep Son Tran, living	
Saturday January 27		
8:00 am	John McShane, deceased	
4:30 pm	Ernst Family, liv & dec	
6:30 pm (Sp)	Mercedes Loza, living	

## 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.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

### **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 office@steugenes.com. If email doesn't work for you, leave a voicemail with 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.

#### **UPDATE YOUR RECORDS**

Have you changed your mailing address or phone number? Do you have a new email address? If so, please contact the office and let us know. Send an email with your updated information to <a href="mailto:maria@steugenes.com">maria@steugenes.com</a>, or call her at 542-6984 ext. 10.

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

Our Bookstore/Gift Shop is looking for volunteers with retail experience, who are customer-service oriented, self-starters (but willing to take direction) and able to work a minimum of 4 hours/week. We are a ministry as well as a retail store, so compassion and the ability to listen are highly recommended. Interested? Stop in the bookstore during business hours (see hours above) and an interview will be scheduled.

#### **PRAY THE ROSARY**

Just a reminder that every morning, Monday-Saturday, the Rosary is prayed in the Cathedral at 7:25 am. We also gather every Wednesday, at 6:00 pm, at our Fatima Grotto to pray this most powerful of prayers. Please join us!

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Please join us in acknowledging Catholic Schools Week starting Sunday, January 28th. After the 10:30 mass, the school will host an open house from 11:30 – 12:30. Catholic Schools are a ministry of the church. They are a means to evangelize. The Diocese of Santa Rosa educates over 3,000 students in the Catholic faith.

#### **CELEBRATING MARRIAGE MASS**

The 5th Annual Diocese of Santa Rosa's Mass to Celebrate Marriage. Sunday, February 4th. 10:30 am Mass Cathedral of St. Eugene Santa Rosa.

"Christian marriage, as a reflection of the union between Christ and his Church, is fully realized in the union between a man and a woman who give themselves to each other in a free, faithful and exclusive love, who belong to each other until death and are open to the transmission of life, and are consecrated by the sacrament, which grants them the grace to become a domestic church and a leaven of new life for society."

~ Pope Francis



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