**Parish Office Hours**
Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm.
Please note: Rectory Closed 12:30-1:30 pm
Email address: Good.Shepherd.Pac@sbcglobal.net

**Pastoral Staff**
Fr. Luello Palacpac, Pastor
Suzanne Chinn, Lay Pastoral Associate
Rev. Mr. Joseph LeBlanc, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Mr. Benjamin Salvan, Permanent Deacon (ret.)
Mr. Leo Alvarez, School Principal
Juliet Kalotkin, Office Assistant
Colleen Durkin, Bookkeeper
Sr. Emelita Cinco, OP Office Volunteer (Mon).
Colette Grady, Office Volunteer (Tues, Wed)
Ger Farrell, Office Volunteer (Tues., Wed.)
Jenise Dormann, Office Volunteer (Thurs)
Lorna Poespovidjojo, Office Volunteer (Fri)

**Mass Schedule**
Monday-Friday: 7:00 am. (Tuesday 8:00 am.)
Saturdays: 8:00 am & 5:00 pm.
Sundays: 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 pm.
First Fridays Mass: 7:00 pm
Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

**Sacraments**

**Baptism**
Baptisms are celebrated each Sunday at 1:00 pm.
Please contact the rectory by phone or email for more information.

**Reconciliation**
Saturdays: 3:45 pm- 4:45 pm and by appointment

**Marriage**
Please contact the Rectory at least six months before the desired date in order to prepare properly for the celebration of the Sacrament.

**Sacrament of the Sick**
If you know of anyone who is seriously ill at home or in the hospital, please call the Rectory for the anointing of the Sick. If you know of any parishioner who is unable to come to Mass, please call the Rectory so that one of the Ministers of the Eucharist may bring Communion to the home.
POST-SUMMER CHALLENGES

With any luck, summer delights will continue a while past last weekend’s Labor Day: refreshing recreation (with maybe an occasional swim) or enjoyable relaxation on the deck (with tasty outdoor grilling). Truth is, for some of us, this year’s Labor Day came way too early. With many schools back in session for a while already, mealtimes and driving schedules needed readjustment to coordinate youth sports with adult commitments. Some religious education and parish programs resumed, too. No surprise, then, that this weekend’s scriptures sound a little like post-summer challenges. For instance, Wisdom reminds us that believers in God can never be content with “timid deliberations” and “unsure plans.” Paul challenges longtime friend and follower Philemon to “let the good you do be voluntary.” Jesus instructs “great crowds” traveling with him—including us—on three things necessary for all true disciples to accomplish. On this early autumn weekend, our scriptures describe disciples’ lifelong labors.

Liturgical Ministers— Sept 14 & 15

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Eastern Catholic and Orthodox Christians share a love for the Byzantine liturgy because it is during the Eucharist that the Church is most true to its identity, expresses its integrity, and discovers its vocation. Eastern Catholic and Orthodox Christians celebrate essentially the identical liturgy, with only very slight variations. It is a fairly complex ritual weaving together three separate layers of prayers: a liturgy prayed in the sanctuary by priests, often hidden by a curtain or screen; a liturgy sung by the assembly and led by a deacon in front of a screen formed of painted icons; and a third layer of private prayer by the priest, who prays in support of the deacon and the faithful. It is an eyes-wide-open experience, gorgeous in visuals, and filled with the sound of God’s people singing prayer. The energy of the worship centers on the presence of Christ, largely through an awareness of heaven touching earth when the Church gathers to celebrate.

In the late twentieth century, Latin Rite Catholics were encouraged to embrace a style of worship that was “full, conscious, and active,” a value that has never been lost in the East. The liturgy has great impact in its beauty, in its poetry and contemplation, and by the actions of bowing, signing with the cross, and chanting that are required of the assembly. Contact with the Eastern Church reveals some key values that have been obscured in our own Church and are slowly being recovered.

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LEGION OF MARY CORNER
Legion of Mary Handbook study report by a Legionary

The Actual Work in Hands

The Legion aims not at the doing of any particular work, but the primary object is the sanctification of its members.

In order to attain this, each member's attendance at its various meetings is of primary importance as the prayer and devotion help develop apostleship.

The Legion imposes in each member, as an essential obligation, the weekly performance of active work prescribed by the Presidium. Obedience to work assigned is our obligation as members. The legion will strive to generate in its members a worthy objective. Trivial work will not do especially if members are all ready to serve Christ by saving souls.

The Legion of Mary invites you to attend our meetings to check out what the Legion is all about. We meet at 5:30 pm on any Thursday at St. Rita’s Hall.

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PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Please pray for our sick and infirm, for those in the hospital or nursing homes and for those recovering at home.

Delta Santa Teresa
Rev. Mickey McCormick
Deacon Ben Salvan
John Eaves
Madeline Sherry
Arleen Peyton
Nelia Canossa

Virgin, most holy, Mother of the Word Incarnate, Treasurer of graces, and Refuge of sinners, I fly top your motherly affection with lively faith, and I beg of you the grace ever to do the will of God. Into your most holy hands I commit the keeping of my heart, asking you for health of soul and the body, in certain hope that you, my most loving Mother, will hear my prayer. Amen.

Parish Mission Statement

We are grateful disciples of Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd, striving to be a faith-filled community through the prayerful celebration of the liturgy and sacraments. We welcome all embracing our diversity and seeking to grow as a loving and nurturing community serving others with our God given talents and gifts.

Prayer for a Successful Parish Renewal

God of Love, our Good Shepherd,
You are with us in every transition and change.
As we enter into this new era of parish renewal with excitement and even some anxiety, we recall your deep compassion, presence, and abounding love.
We thank you for the gifts, talents and skills with which you have blessed us.
We thank you for the experiences that have brought us to this moment.
We thank you for the work of others that gives breadth and depth to our own work. Be with us as we move forward, rejoicing with you and supporting one another.
We ask this in your Holy Name.
Amen.
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