“To know Christ better, live as He calls us to live, and make Him better known.”

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF PLEASANTON

FEBRUARY 3, 2019

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME


Gospel Reading

He said to them,

“Today this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.” And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, “Isn’t this the son of Joseph?” He said to them, “Surely you will quote me this proverb, ‘Physician, cure yourself,’ and say, ‘Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.’” And he said, “Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe

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famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon. Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian.” When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong. But he passed through the midst of them and went away.

Office Hours
St. Augustine
Monday - Friday: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: Closed
Sunday: 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

St. Elizabeth Seton
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Tuesday: 8:00 AM - 6:30 PM
Friday: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Saturday: Closed
Sunday: 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Faith Formation
Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
| SUNDAY | February 3 | 8:00 AM | Claud & Leona Moll  
Ron & Mark Nelson  
Elmira & Manuel Luis | 9:00 AM | Knights of Columbus Donut Social  
Children's Liturgy of The Word | 8:00 AM | 10:00 AM | Chapel  
Room 17 |
| SUNDAY | February 3 | 9:00 AM | Tony & Mary Pallotta  
Jose & Elena De Mesa  
Monica Lee | 9:00 AM | Children's Liturgy of The Word  
Knights of Columbus Donut/Cookie Social  
RCIA Inquiry  
Children's Liturgy of The Word  
January Adult Education Series | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | Chapel  
Vestibule  
Room A  
Chapel  
Room B |
| MONDAY | February 4 | 8:30 AM | Edith & Marcel Dos Santos | 8:00 AM | Rosary  
Hispanic Prayer Group  
St. Vincent de Paul | 8:00 AM | 7:00 PM | Church  
Chapel  
Rectory |
| TUESDAY | February 5 | 8:30 AM | George Taylor | 8:00 AM | Rosary  
Infant & Toddler Playgroup  
Al-Anon Tuesday PM  
Adult Choir Rehearsal | 8:00 AM | 10:00 AM | Church  
Room 13  
Room 8  
Church |
| WEDNESDAY | February 6 | 8:30 AM | K.K. Matthew | 8:00 AM | Rosary | 8:00 AM | 12:00 PM | Church |
| THURSDAY | February 7 | 8:30 AM | Ray Garon | 8:00 AM | Rosary  
Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting | 8:00 AM | 6:00 PM | Church  
Rms. 4 & 5 |
| FRIDAY | February 8 | 8:30 AM | Kusumo Indra | 8:00 AM | Rosary  
Al-Anon - Friday AM  
AA—Words of Wisdom  
Hispanic Prayer Group | 8:00 AM | 11:00 AM | Church  
Room 8  
Rms. 4, 5 & 7 |
| SATURDAY | February 9 | 8:30 AM | Maria & Ramon Vieras  
John Bahmiller | 8:00 AM | Rosary  
Al-Anon Saturday AM  
Individual Reconciliation  
Knights of Columbus Crab Feed | 8:00 AM | 12:30 PM | Church  
Room 8  
Church  
Hall |
| SUNDAY | February 10 | 8:00 AM | For the People  
Jesus Navarro  
Isaias Crisostomo | 10:00 AM | Children's Liturgy of The Word  
Baptismal Rehearsal  
Baptism Class II | 10:00 AM | 11:00 AM | Church  
Room 17  
Chapel  
Rms. 4, 5 & 13 |

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

| SUNDAY | February 3 | 9:00 AM | Tony & Mary Pallotta  
Jose & Elena De Mesa  
For the People  
Monica Lee | 9:00 AM | Children's Liturgy of The Word  
Knights of Columbus Donut/Cookie Social  
RCIA Inquiry  
Children's Liturgy of The Word  
January Adult Education Series | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | Chapel  
Vestibule  
Room A  
Chapel  
Room B |
| SUNDAY | February 3 | 11:30 AM | Rosary & Angelus  
Eucharistic Adoration  
Employment Connections  
RCIA | 11:30 AM | Rosary & Angelus  
Eucharistic Adoration  
Legion of Mary  
Teen Choir Rehearsal  
Social Justice/Outreach | 11:30 AM | 12:30 PM | Chapel  
Chapel  
Church  
Church  
Cryroom |
| MONDAY | February 4 | 12:10 PM | Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Leitch | 12:10 PM | Rosary and Angelus  
Chapel  
Church  
Cryroom |
| TUESDAY | February 5 | 12:10 PM | Joseph Hamilton | 11:30 AM | Rosary and Angelus  
Cantor Rehearsal  
Adult Education Series | 11:30 AM | 12:00 PM | Chapel  
Chapel  
Church  
Cryroom |
| WEDNESDAY | February 6 | 12:10 PM | Minda Rivera (L) | 12:10 PM | Rosary and Angelus  
Social Justice/Outreach | 12:10 PM | 1:00 PM | Chapel  
Room A  
Chapel  
Church |
| THURSDAY | February 7 | 12:10 PM | Jongtai Ignatius Park (L) | 11:30 AM | Rosary and Angelus  
Social Justice/Outreach | 11:30 AM | 12:00 PM | Chapel  
Room A  
Chapel  
Church |
| SUNDAY | February 10 | 9:00 AM | Ralph O. Rodrigues  
Harvey Doty  
Djoni Kusuma  
Arlinda Rodrigues | 9:00 AM | Children's Liturgy of The Word  
RCIA Inquiry  
Children's Liturgy of The Word  
January Adult Education Series | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | Chapel  
Room A  
Chapel  
Church |
Scripture Readings

February 10
Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8
1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or 15:3-8,11

Grief Ministry

We invite you to participate in our grief support meetings. We will be meeting at St. Elizabeth Seton, on February 12 and 28, March 14 and 28. There are two Tuesday evening meeting dates, January 22 and February 12. Contact Eleanor at (925) 846-8708 for more information. All are welcome regardless of religious affiliation.

Employment Connections

Our focus is on where you as an individual are in your job search today. We address those issues you need direction on today and offer job search guidance, resource information, networking, inspiration and support in a safe environment. We welcome everyone in need of help with their job search to join us. Meetings are held on the 1st Monday each month at 7:00 PM in Room B at St Elizabeth Seton Church. Join our LinkedIn Group: Employment Connection CCOP or contact Mike Machi at (925) 462-9765.

Infant & Toddler Playgroup

Tuesdays at 10:00 AM
St. Augustine Hall, Room 13

Giving Pre-K children in our community a casual setting to play, learn and socialize in a Christ-centered environment while providing a forum of support, friendship and fellowship for parents/caregivers.

Concern America

The Social Justice Committee wishes to thank parishioners for their generous support of the Concern America Fare Trade Handicraft Sale: We sold $4,007 in Fair Trade handicraft products this year, all of which goes to Concern America artisans and cooperatives in Bangladesh, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Mexico. Make purchasing fair trade products a year-round practice to assist people in their struggle against material poverty in developing countries.

Eucharistic Adoration

Seeking quiet time for prayer and meditation? Come join us for Eucharistic Adoration at St. Augustine and St. Elizabeth Seton. This is a great opportunity during these hectic times to sit quietly, clear your mind of all busyness and be present to Our Lord – let Him minister to you.

ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH
1st Friday Every Month
9:00 AM–11:30 AM
Coordinator: Ernie (925) 846-7831

Last Friday of Each Month (Spanish)
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Coordinator: Ernesto (925) 640-1595

ST. ELIZABETH SETON CHAPEL
Mondays and Wednesdays
12:45 PM – 6:30 PM
Coordinators: Linda (925) 462-0974
Sharon (925) 462-8625

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Kellie Beaty
John Marsh
Jack Greene
Raju Rajendra
Fred Krichbaum
Agnes Fuentes
Lydia Fuentes
Thelma Lich
Milagros Fernandez
Adriana Caldwell
Boilen De Souza

Robert Riley
Mary & Fred Shaw
Ruth Coronado
Teresa Grande
Steven Zarza
Cindy Zarza
Fanne Mannino
Bella Collins
Marie Minnihan
Marilu Radcliff
Rose Holmes

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Amalia Paszkolovits
Juanita Victoria
Adolfo Haro
Angelo Paradiso
Margaret Wipfli
Joey Jacinto
Orlando Garcia
Kenneth Roy Green
Louis Rinaldi
Lucrecia Fernandez
Celia Ann Ryan
Fr. Dan Danielson
Florenza D’Orazio
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Women In God’s Spirit

WINGS members meet at St. Elizabeth Seton Church Chapel one or two Monday evenings a month through April from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM to seek and deepen their faith, and grow in their relationship with God and one another. Meetings include wonderful guest speakers, small group sharing, fellowship and refreshments. The next WINGS meeting is **Monday, February 11. Mary Fair** will speak on “Social Justice – What it’s all about.” For more information, please contact Sandra Ryan at (925) 487.3289 or visit www.catholicsofpleasanton.org (under Living).

Hidden Treasure In Closets?

The Knights of Columbus have been accumulating prizes for their Silent Auction during their Crab Feed on **February 9**. If your household is like most, there’s an item in your closet gathering dust for one reason or another. Please consider converting your dormant treasure to a needy person’s “hope or need” by donating it to this event. They are also seeking airline miles to attach to a prize already donated by generous parishioner of a week in Hawaii. Contact Lou Santero at (925) 846-5124 or lpsantero@yahoo.com.

RCIA: Come and See

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process that adults complete to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Contact Matt Gray, (925) 202-5425 or mgray@catholicsofpleasanton.org.

Giving Made Easy (GME)

Make your Arise & Build, Sunday and Special offerings via Credit Card or Checking Account.

1. Go to the CCOP website.
2. Click on Giving/Giving Made Easy.
3. Click on “Enroll and Update Account” and set up your account.

If your credit card changes, please remember to update your account information using the same login. Thank you!
Why We Do What We Do At Mass

For some Catholics, Mass is comfortable because of its “routine.” At the same time, that “routine” is downright boring for others and doesn’t do ANYTHING to keep them motivated. For both groups, the larger question, “What are we doing at Mass?” goes unanswered. Or if answered, the common response is, “that’s the priest’s job.”

Today, religious ignorance – regardless of religion or denomination – is no longer acceptable. If we cannot explain why Mass IS different than other Christian services, then we have missed the essence of our identity. Catholics need to be formed to understand the central mystery of our identity. That is revealed and shared at Mass.

We shall unpack the Mass, explain the Mass, and focus particularly on the responsibility that we all have – especially those who are not ordained – as the laity. There will be homilies and formation opportunities for learning and conversation.

February 3 & 7  
Liturgy of The Word
February 10 & 14  
Liturgy of The Eucharist
February 17 & 21  
Communion Rite and Concluding Rite

Two sessions per week

Every Sunday @ 12:30 PM  
St. Elizabeth Seton Church (Child care will be provided)
Every Thursday @ 7:30 PM  
St. Elizabeth Seton Church

Rev. Paul D. Minnihan

Fr. Paul D. Minnihan was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Oakland in 1993. After an additional year of graduate studies, he was assigned to the Catholic Community of Pleasanton in 1994 as parochial vicar (associate pastor). In 2006, the Bishop of Oakland invited Minnihan to serve as first Provost for the yet-to-be-built Oakland Cathedral of Christ the Light and be the Bishop of Oakland’s master of ceremonies.

In addition, he was named Director of Worship for the diocese in 2010. At that time, Father oversaw the preparation and implementation of the new translation of the Roman Missal in Oakland. He coordinated programs of formation for parishes on the celebration of the Mass and to pray the new missal.

Prior to this particular ministry, Fr. Paul was the Pastor at St. Paschal Baylon Parish in Oakland, St. Monica Parish in Moraga and St. Jerome Parish in El Cerrito. He served on Priest Councils for the Diocese of Oakland. He was also appointed a member to the United States Bishop’s Commission on Evangelization.

Father Minnihan has a Bachelor’s degree in philosophy, Master’s in Theology and an STD/PhD in Systematic Theology from the Catholic University in Louvain, Belgium.