

### Mass Schedule:

### Sunday

8:00am, 9:45am, 11:30am, 5:00pm

Monday-Friday 8:00 am

### Saturday

8:00 am, 5:00 pm (Vigil)

### Adoration Schedule:

First Friday of the Month

8:30 am - 8:00 pm

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- Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 until 11:30am
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- Address: 7200 Auburn Folsom Road, Granite Bay, CA 95746

Mass Intentions		
19/24	8am	Lora Kong Witkowski
	5pm	Hannah Grehm
20/24	8am	+Teresa Doleschal
	9:45am	+Diane Hamilton
	11:30am	Susan Fischer
	5pm	Devin Montoya
21/24	8am	+Orland Cepeda
22/24	8am	+Gabriella Kam
23/24	8am	+Julie Thayer
24/24	8am	Susie McCollum
25/24	8am	+Buzz & +Buddy Homsy
26/24	8am	+Fr. Art Wehr
	5pm	Stan and Pat Neves
	20/24 20/24 21/24 22/24 23/24 24/24 25/24	19/24 8am 5pm 20/24 8am 9:45am 11:30am 5pm 21/24 8am 22/24 8am 23/24 8am 24/24 8am 25/24 8am 26/24 8am

To have an intention mentioned at Mass, please e-mail Georgette Schofield at sjmarelloparish@yahoo.com.

A \$10 donation is suggested.

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ADOPT A FAMILY

Please consider hosting a family in need this holiday season! Sign-ups for the SVDP Ministry Team's Adopt a Family Christmas program will take place at all Masses on October 19/20. Families are referred by SVDP-Roseville and Placer County Head Start pre-school program. We also serve self-referred and parish families in need. Host families provide gifts and out Ministry team provides gift cards for food purchase. The Giving Tree also serves families at Christmas time and will be set up in the lobby next month. Parishioners may choose an ornament or two tohelp support our families in need. If you have any questions, please contact the SVDP Team at

916/797-1974 or via email at tas916@hotmail.com. Thank you for your kind blessings and support!

### SIM PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers. We will update the list monthly. If you would like to add/remove a name from the list, contact Suzanne Renda at 916-837-3541 or at

prayerintentions5@gmail.com.
In the case of an illness, please be sure that the individual or family has given

Please pray for those who are sick, in pain or recovery, or in need of spiritual healing.

permission to submit his/her name.

Please pray for the recently deceased. Helen Peel, Sharon Peek

Kenny Peel, Tim Garrett

Please pray for our Military Personnel wherever duty calls them to serve:

Chad D. Alvarez Tyler Kong
Beckett Calvert Gavin Muenzberg
Joseph Conron Joseph Mugno
Alex Cooke Tristan Romuk
Stevan George Nathan Fischer
Audrey Jane Kong Jonathan Kasel
Roland DeMarco, Jr. Andrew Pecha
Joey Lynch



Let us go forward one day at a time as God wills it, and thanks be to God for all that he disposes.

-St. Joseph Marello

### October: Month of the Holy Rosary

The Church dedicates the entire month of October to the Holy Rosary so that individuals, families, and communities would pray the Holy Rosary, if possible, daily, for peace in the world. Rosaries and instructions for how to say



the rosary are in the vestibule. Help Yourself to a rosary in the vestibule, they have been blessed. Prayer makes a difference - pray, pray, pray.

#### St. Pio of Pietrelcina (1887-1968)

One of the most beloved of contemporary saints, "Padre Pio" became a Capuchin novice when he was 16. He was ordained a priest in 1910, and in 1918 he became the first

priest in history to bear the stigmata (the visible wounds of Christ). He often is quoted as saying: "Love the Madonna and pray the Rosary, for her Rosary is the weapon against the evils of the world today." The Padre Pio Foundation of America has more information about Padre Pio.

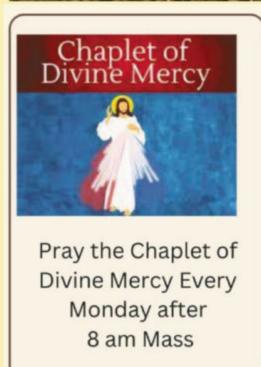


TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call - to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity.



October is Respect Life Month

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Bunco is played every 4th Wednesday at 10:00AM at LaBou (Douglas Blvd./next to Hobby Lobby) All are welcome! We would love to see you there! (sponsored by Ladies Social Outreach)

# DEADLINE

Please submit your bulletin listings by Monday 13 days prior to the weekend you want it listed. Please send to sjmarellobulletin@gmail.com or call (916) 786-5001. Thank you!



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### 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE BISHOP WANTS TO HONOR THE MOST IMPORTANT PEOPLE IN OUR PARISH -WHO SHOULD WE CHOOSE? Ozog LPI WWJD



I'D START WITH THE CLEANING WOMAN, THEN THERE'S THE COOK, AFTER THAT, THE CUSTODIAN, AND ET'S NOT FORGET THE GARDENER. THEN THERE ARE ALL OUR LAY VOLUNTEERS...

### Faith Sharing - Dave Cadden

CCC32. {Catechism of the Catholic Church} "Ever since the creation of the world His invisible nature, namely His eternal power and deity have been clearly perceived in the things that have been made.'

When I was young, I enjoyed playing with magnets. I would take a couple of small magnets, put them on a table and move one of them very slowly towards the other and see that the one not touched would move on its own towards the one I was holding. I



was too young to know or understand at the time the nature of a magnetic field. But I was fascinated by seeing that I could cause something to move without touching it. I would move one magnet closer than the other magnet would move on its own closer until suddenly the untouched magnet would crash into the one I was holding. God's nature exists in all that He has created even in the property of two small magnets. For it's in these created things that we see in the nature of a magnetic field His invisible love drawing us ever closer to Him through the action in prayer, the Eucharist, and reconciliation. He continues to move closer to us and we continue to move closer to Him until suddenly our hearts touch and like the action of magnets that upon which we come to experience an inseparable bond within His embrace.

Saint Thomas Aquinas on the presence of God in created things states "God is in all things not indeed, as part of the essence, nor as an accident, but as an agent is present to that upon which it works, {God created magnets and magnets point to His reality) for an agent must be joined to

that wherein it acts immediately and touch it by its power. {God's invisible field of love drawing us to Him}. Hence the thing moved {us}, and the mover {God} must be joined together." {our hearts are joined to God's} God exists in all forms of creation and it holds the essence of divine revelation. For me it is comforting to know that no matter how much I reach for the compete knowledge of our Lord's presence in His creation from the smallest to the greatest objects I will always fall short of the grasp of Him, but I know that in turn He is using created things to reach out and grasp me.

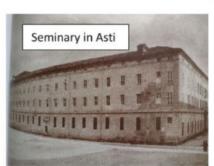




# From the Desk of Fr. Brian

ST JOSEPH MARELLO: DID YOU KNOW?

After the requisition of the seminary building in the Diocese of Asti by the army, the decision was made to have many of the seminarians transfer to Turin and to study with there with St. Don Bosco at his oratory. Many of these were companions of Marello, which begs the question: Did he also go to Don Bosco? He did not go, but instead remained in Asti. This was because he had been allowed to take the exam for entering into his philosophy studies early and had passed. He was allowed to do this because of his good grades and his good conduct. A model seminarian, it would seem...however, the summer before this his hometown pastor, Mons. Torchio, had written to the seminarian authorities expressing some concerns about Marello and another seminarian from San Martino, Michele Rabezzana. Mons. Torchio wrote that he did not find anything immoral in their conduct but a lack of



expressing love for the Church and the observance of her rules. It would seem that the lack of a proper formative environment in the seminary due to the requisition of the building itself was having a negative effect. This negative effect would continue as Marello continued his studies in Asti.

The seminarians who remained in Asti for their philosophy studies were forced to take up lodging with families in the city while attending

classes in the bishop's residence during the day. As one can imagine, this left much room for idle time and idle thoughts. In this environment, our Giuseppe passed two years of philosophy studies, 1860-1862. His marks were always excellent but his commitment to becoming a priest began to waver.

This was caused certainly by the lack of a true formative environment and the political and social movement for the unification of Italy which was ongoing. We find indications of a certain fascination with this movement in the writings of Marello. There were also some serious accusations of misconduct by clergy, many of which were false. However, this led Marello to believe that he might be better off as a good layperson rather than a bad priest! His uncertainty of being called to the priesthood was enhanced by his father's desire, always present, that Giuseppe pursue a career in the world and be a good layperson. This desire of his father has at times been seen as undue pressure on Marello to leave the seminary. The fact is that Vincenzo never put such pressure on his son, as attested to by his other son, Vittorio. Whatever the reasons, the fact is that after finishing his second year of philosophy studies in 1862, Giuseppe Marello decided to leave the seminary and to pursue business studies in the city of Turin. What would this new adventure bring for our Marello? Turn in next time!



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