

Dear Divine Savior Parishioners,

We are still in need of some items as we begin Winter Sanctuary THIS Sunday. Details are in the bulletin.

RECYCLE SUNDAY is THIS Sunday, January 14th from 7:30am - Noon in the back parking lot.

The 2024 parish calendars are available in the vestibule this weekend. Please one per family.

The Parish office will be closed on Monday, January 15th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Parish Pasta Feed Fundraiser is looking for donations for the Raffle and Silent Auction. See bulletin for details.

Be on the Look Out! Avoid Vehicle Burglaries. Please remember to lock and secure all windows and doors when leaving your vehicle. Also, do not leave items of value in your vehicle such as laptops, cell phones, purses, briefcases, etc.

For those unable to attend Mass in person, we continue to livestream our 9am Daily Mass and the 4:30pm Vigil Mass on Saturday evening, with drive-Thru Communion after the 9:30am Sunday Mass in the back parking lot.

Prayers for a blessed weekend,

Fr. Octavio, Fr. Patric and Parish Staff



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Mission Statement

We, the people of Divine Savior Catholic Church, empowered by our Baptism, dedicate ourselves to living the Gospel of Jesus. Inspired by the love, justice and mercy of Christ, we are called to share His message in service so that all may know the Savior.

Schedule of Masses:

Saturday Evening 4:30pm

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am,

11:30am

Sunday Afternoon 2:00pm (Spanish)

Daily Monday-Friday 9:00am

Holy Days 9:00am & 6:30pm

Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:00-4:00pm &

every Friday 9:30-10:30am or by

appointment through the parish office.

Anointing of the Sick: Please Call

(916) 989-7400 (any time)

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THINKING of BECOMING CATHOLIC

Do you have questions regarding Catholicism and what it takes to become a Catholic? If so, join us in a warm and accepting environment as we answer your questions. For more information or to join in a session contact jennifer@divinesavior.com.



CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

An Open Door for Returning Catholics

No matter how long you have been away and no matter the reason, we invite you to consider renewing your relationship with the Catholic Church.

Please join us for six informal sessions beginning in January. The sessions will include



sharing, and updates on the Church today. For additional info, contact Kathleen at 916-989-7400 or email **kathleen@divinesavior.com**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr. Octavio Trejo-Flores, S.D.S.

John 1: 35-42 | The First Disciples

We read in our first reading and Gospel for the Second Sunday in Ordinary that it is always God who calls first. In fact, it is God who reveals Himself first and calls the one who has been chosen. This revelation from God has always felt like a mysterious call perceived in the depths of the heart. And in response to this call from the Lord, we find Eli who advises us to be open to what the Lord asks: "Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening."

We also read in today's Gospel that the Evangelist John emphasizes that it was four o'clock in the afternoon when Andrew and John saw Jesus passed by, and they followed Him. Then, Jesus asked them, "What are you looking for?"

Note that Jesus is not requesting information, He is calling them. The two disciples reply with their own question, "where are you staying?" They are not asking Jesus for His address. They want to know more than just where Jesus lives, they want to know the place where He 'dwells,' the place of His heart. And Jesus replies, "Come and you will see." And their lives were forever changed.

God does not wait until we are perfect to follow Him. God knows that we are all human beings with faults and defects. God knows we are going to make mistakes along the way. And yet, God still calls us in the tranquility of your workplace, in your kitchen, in the classroom, in the garden, or on the road God calls us: "Come and you will see." Amen.

EMAIL/TEXT SCAM

We have now started to receive reports of emails and texts sent from spammers impersonating Fr. Octavio, Fr. Patric, staff members and parishioners. If you receive an email or text asking for a favor appearing to be from Fr. Octavio, Fr. Patric, Divine Savior staff or parishioners please do not respond to it. NONE of our priests, past or present will EVER ask for money, or gift cards. If you receive an email or text it will be SPAM...and please ignore.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

PLEASE NOTE: We will not have Eucharistic Adoration or Confessions on the Fridays when the church office is closed.

SCHEDULE for the WEEK of January 15th – 19th

Monday - January 15th

All Day Office Closed, MLK Day

9:00 am Daily Mass Church

Tuesday - January 16th

9:40 am Centering Prayer St. Cecilia rm.

Wednesday - January 17th

9:45am Tai Chi Chih Gym Lobby 12:30pm Games & Gab (Bingo) Hospitality

Thursday - January 18th

9:45am Rosary Group St. Cecilia rm. 6:00pm Community Meal Halls

<u> Friday - January 19th</u>

8:00am Men's Prayer Group M 4
9:40am Adoration & Benediction Church

The church office is closed Mon - Fri from 12:30 - 1pm for lunch

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WINTER SANCTUARY 2024

We are still in need of the following items as we begin Winter Sanctuary THIS Sunday:

- * Snacks (individually wrapped) like crackers, cookies, nuts, bars, cuties.
- * Boxes of Handwarmers
- * Weatherproof (non-knit material) gloves for men and women.
- * New sweatpants/sweatshirts (in dark colors) for women.

You may also give a monetary donation for the team to purchase what may be needed.

We are the Hands of Christ

Questions, or for more info email **jenvearwood@divinesavior.com**

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RECYCLE SUNDAY

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7:30am - Noon

Where: In the back parking lot (Look for orange cones)

What: CA CRV aluminum cans, water bottles and bev-

erage containers. Glass containers not Accepted.

CENTERING PRAYER

The Divine Savior Centering Prayer group is meeting on Tuesday, January 16th after morning Mass in the



St. Cecilia room. If you have questions or would like to participate in this form of prayer, contact Joyce at

joycean@sbcglobal.net or 916-990-0546.

Parish FUNDRAISE

SAVE the DATE for our Pasta Feed on March 16, 2024

Ticket sales begin on February 3rd!

We are looking for donations to be used in our Raffle and Silent Auction! Do you have a NEW Christmas or Birthday gift you might consider re-gifting? Own a timeshare or vacation house? Willing to donate a gift card or gift certificate for a particular service? Are you a Season ticket holder who might be willing to offer tickets to a game? We are inviting all parishioners (and your friends, family & neighbors) to consider donating to this important parish fundraiser. Please email Marcus Arnold at mtcomponents1@gmail.com or call the parish office 916-989-7400. Looking for all donations to be in by March 3rd at the latest!

SENIOR OUTREACH

TAI CHI CHIH—Beginners Always Welcome



The Tai Chi Chih class is in the Gym Lobby on Wednesdays at 9:45am. For more info contact Sue at idagene@yahoo.com.

GAMES and **GAB**

This Wednesday from 12:30-2:30pm **in Y 1.** For more info, call 916-989-7400

or email kathleen@divinesavior.com



FAIR TRADE COFFEE and CHOCOLATE

NEXT weekend, January 20th/21st, Fair Trade coffee and chocolate will be available for sale in

the vestibule after Mass.



Questions, or to volunteer once a month after Mass

selling coffee please contact Lisa & Bill Smith at lsmft1023@gmail.com

SEEKING TO GROW IN YOUR FAITH?

Throughout 2024, we plan to offer different Just Faith series and we are determining interest for such. Topics include: Faith & Poverty-a biblical response; Sacred Water-oceans and ecosystems; and Want to Talkcommunication for divided times.

Please email jenyearwood@divinesavior.com and indicate which of these topics you would be interested in learning more about.

Every January, attention is given to the sanctity of life. The Sacramento Life Center has provided thousands of women with clinical and diagnostic services during pregnancy SINCE 1972. Most of these women have limited or no family support or financial resources. Through the generous support of individuals and parishes, the Life Center is able to provide the Post Pregnancy critically needed child care essentials we are asking for be-

Diapers Up To Size 6, Infant and Baby Formula, New Clothes, Socks, Toys, Wash Cloths, Sanitary wipes and **Swaddles**

Seeking your support, the Divine Savior Knights of Columbus council has organized a **BABY SUPPLY DRIVE** to collect the requested donations of supplies in the vestibule after Mass for the next two weekends, Jan. 20/21 & 27/28.

PRAYERS OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS		
Jan. 13th 4:30p	om Sybil Miller (D)	
	David Miller (D)	
Jan. 14th 8:00a	m People of the Parish	
9:30a	m Paul & Gerrie Parker	
	Rex Baldonado	
11:30p	m Eleanor Van O. Veren (D)	
	Mark Curry	
2:00p	m People of the Parish	
Jan. 15th 9:00a	m	
Jan. 16th 9:00a	m	
Jan. 17th 9:00a	m	
Jan. 18th 9:00a	m Fortunato Pichardo (D)	
Jan. 19th 9:00a	m	
Jan. 20th 4:30p	m Joseph Barbato (D)	
	Rosalie Whiteman (D)	
	Joseph D'Arienzo (D)	
Jan. 21st 8:00a	m	
9:30a	nm People of the Parish	
11:30a	nm People of the Parish	
2:00p	om	

Please pray for all the souls of those who have died:

Nancy Bingham Naida Effinger

Tom Sekel

For those and all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God,

Please pray for those wh	o are sick, in pain or	
recovery, or in need of spiritual healing.		
Sheldon Anderson Jr.	Eva Kelley	
Rosana Anthony	Jackie Labate	
Ligay Apalit	Dee Larson	
Emily Arno	Summer Lemmon	
Robert Beviacqua	Georgia Leonard	
Dexter Bezayiff	Rose Lipka	
Darlene Burger	Monique Lopez	
Julie Bouse	Jeff McAlpine	
Eduardo Bravo	Mary McCormick	
Maryanne Burriesce	Linda McKay	
Loida Cabana	Candie & George Maisano	
Stephanie Capodanno	Betty Marmon	
Patrick Carter	Vince Meno	
Anai Cruz	Glen Mueller	
Larry Culler	Jeff O'Connor	
Anja Dangelmaier	Bob & Winifred Neill	
Elizabeth Davis	Gerrie & Paul Parker	
Noreen Davis	Linda Parker	
Tisha Donahue	Gladys Reilly	
Dorothy Feldman	Jamie Reynolds	
Richard Forsyth	Roxanne Rosales	
Mary Frontiera	Gerry Ryden	
Max Haban	Donna Schulte	
Bill Hadwen	Veronica Schwalbach	
Sandra Harris	Shari Sigl	
Bryan Haupt	Sue Poppen	
Joe Hellen	Liz Springer	
John Herzog	Pete Torres, Jr.	
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Marilyn Ulbricht

Denise Verbeck

Karen Vincent

Pray for our Military Personnel wherever duty calls them to serve, homeland or overseas.

Bo Alberghini, Adrienne Aleschus, John Aleschus, Logan Amos, Tyler Ayala, Sean Amos, Jordan Biasotti, Anthony Brooks, Jonathan Brooks, Jacob Camarillo, Aimee Chabot, Ephrem Choi, Elsie Cruz, Matt David, Travis Dardis, Derek Deatherage, David DeLaCruz, Alisen Dowell, Joe Downey, Andrew Durham, Brian Eberhard, Trevor Engle, Katharine Ernst, Kyle Evanski, Tom Feyoe, Mathew Fox, Timothy Fox, Kyle Garcia, Tyler Gedstad, Michael Haug, Jeremy Herbert, Susan Hocker, Yutaro Hosaka, Ben Isla, William Kraintz, Tyler Kraintz, Andy Kuehn, Dayne Landry, Charles Lopez, Kelly Mancini, Doran Martin, John Masterson, Bennet McGrane, Garrett McMann, Aaron McMurray, Joseph Paddock, Nathan Paddock, Joshua Paige, Chris Payant, Freddie Perez, David Petisor, Darin Pillman, Rachael Portoman, Logan Rasmussen, Trey Rasmussen, Tim Reid, Neal Ridge, Tony Rodriguez, Nicholas Roha, Ryan Roux, Matthew Sandoval, A.J. Smith, Jacob and Nikki Steeb, James Thatche, Jadyne Trujillo, Aimee Vigil, Noah Villarreal, David Wentling, Kyle William, Davis Wood, Brian Wright, Alexander Wrinkle. If your loved one is out of the military, call Mary at 916-802-9404 to have them removed.

Bernie Hetzler

Amaure Juarez

Frances Jones