HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

All Saints Day ~ October 31-November 1, 2026



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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass: Mondays through Fridays 9 am

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 5 pm

Sunday Masses: 8 am, 10:30 am

1st Saturday of the Month: 9 am

Video Mass: The Saturday Mass is recorded each week and uploaded to our Youtube channel, ***Holy Spirit—Santa Rosa.***

SACRAMENTS: Please call the office 707.539.4495

Reconciliation: Call the office for times.

Marriage: Call 6 months in advance.

Baptism: Call 3 months in advance.

PARISH REGISTRATION: In person, online, or by email

ONLINE DONATING Go to www.holyspirit-sr.org

HOME COMMUNION Please contact the office.

CHOIR PRACTICE Thursdays at 7 pm in Church.

VOLUNTEERING Please contact the office.

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From the Pastor's Desk…

All Saints Day and all Souls Day

Sunday, November 1st is All Saints Day. A day in which we celebrate all those countless persons who are in heaven, but do not have a special "feast day." They are of all kinds and varieties: young and old, jolly and reserved, introverted and extroverted, active and contemplative, slim and not-so slim, and so on. They have one thing in common: They loved God above all things, and tried to serve Him in every aspect of their lives.

This is our calling as well. All of us are called to be saints. So then, let us pledge that we shall be loyal to the Lord at all times in order that we may join all the saints in heaven.

Monday, November 2nd, is the Feast of All Souls, the day the whole church throughout the entire world honors its beloved dead. We pray for the souls in Purgatory who will one day pray for our souls when they are in heaven and we are in Purgatory.

There is a long-standing (and honorable) practice of submitting the names of your beloved deceased to be included in the masses of that day. I take that one step further and keep them on the altar during the entire month of November. Envelopes by the doors are available upon which to write their names.

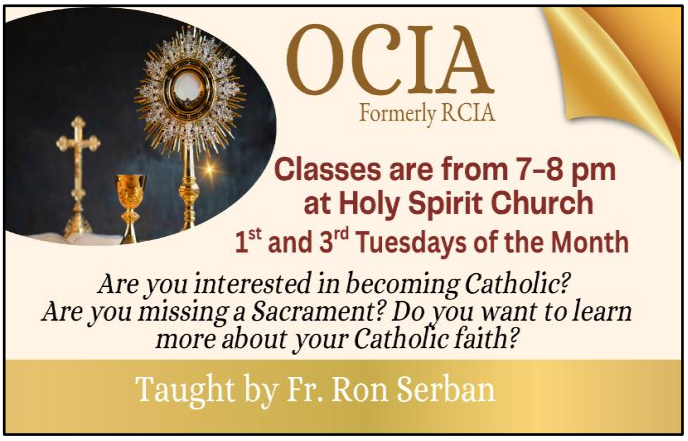
Some of you might wish to include an offering in the envelope, but that is not necessary, but please still do submit the names of deceased family and friends you wish included on our list. That is what is most important to me so I can pray for them by name. You can use the envelopes provided or one of your own.

Please put the envelopes in the basket in front of the altar or in the collection basket with your weekly offering, or drop them by the office. You can submit names any time this coming month, either at Mass or by dropping your envelope by the office or in the office mail slot.

As happens every year, some of the names on this year's list, were people who wrote names on last year's list. Let us remember them.

Grace and Blessings,

Father Ron



OCIA – November 2nd at 7 pm - What are the Sacraments?

I mean we can name them, but what are they really and how do they really work?

To begin with, Sacramental Reality is a mystery. It is not a mystery in the sense that we cannot understand it, but, rather, a TRUTH about which we cannot know everything.

Like all articles of faith – our understanding is unfolding. In our ever-expanding understanding of the mysteries of our faith we have come to ways to explain, at least, parts of this reality.

This Tuesday evening, we will delve into that mystery a well as look at each of The Seven as far as their institution and development over the centuries, and how we 'celebrate' them today. And how we might…tomorrow.
We meet on Tuesday, November 2nd in Church.

Come journey with us. All are welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS: Oct. 31—Nov. 8, 2026

10/31	Sat	5:00 pm	† Brian Milano
11/01	Sun	8:00 am	*For the People*
11/01	Sun	10:30 am	† Teresa Catelani
11/02	Mon	9:00 am	† All Souls
11/03	Tue	9:00 am	† Fr. Robert Castro
11/04	Wed	9:00 am	*Gracie Canniff*
11/05	Thurs	9:00 am	† Jean Wells
11/06	Fri	9:00 am	† Jim Cooney
11/07	**Sat**	**9:00 am**	*For the People*
11/07	Sat	5:00 pm	† Ann & Ted Stashak
11/08	Sun	8:00 am	† Barry Ahern
11/08	Sun	10:30 am	*For the People*

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Nov. 7--Nov. 8

Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. 5:00 pm	#1— Mary H. #2— Rosalinda B.	Cheryl D. Ann R. Steve R.
Sun. 8:00 am	#1— Bob A. #2— Kathy L.	Pauline B. Robin K. Martie S.
Sun. 10:30am	#1— Don F. #2— Therese M.	Loyde J. Sherry J. Mike W.

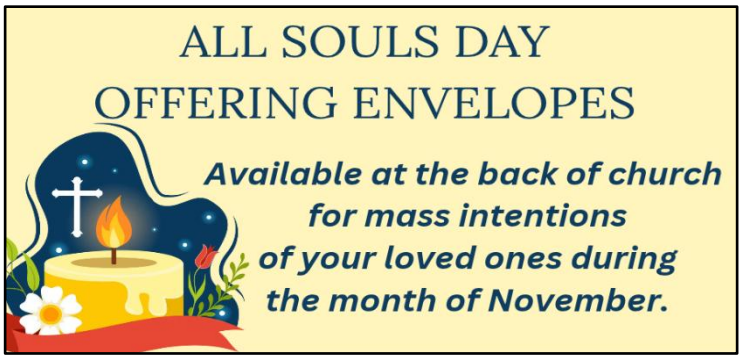
HOMEBOUND EUCHARISTIC MIN.—Nov. 4

Route 1 — Terri B.
Route 2 — Joanne L.
Route 3 — Pauline B.

Last Week's General Collection	$ 6,167
Online General Collection	$ 2,173
World Mission Sunday	$ 2,783

Thank You!

This week's second collection is for our Building and Maintenance Fund. Please write separate checks.



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THOSE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS

Francis Cummings, Susanna Young, Alfonso Gonzalez, Jamsal Aguirre, John Bussi, Chona Durham, Bill Brown, David Larkin, Donna McMullen, Mark Gardner, Jo Eandi, Nicole Murray, Lois Callas, Leroy Perry, Margie Edson, Sister Maureen Carroll, Greg Macy, Lynn Connolly, Derek O'Leary, Anthony and Beth Donato, H. Vincent McNally, Jessica Berlo, Sister Noreen Duffy CSJ, Betsy Crook, Danny Ruckman, Cindi Doell, Deb Stucke, Jordyn P. , Richard LaRussa, Tristan Humble, Larry Kubo, Yolanda Farias, Marie Mahoney, Gary Mahoney, Diana Rives, Charles Marchese, Mollie Nichols, Roland Thibault, John Guth, Eliana Pavlicka, Ellie Steffens, John May, Janice Wright, Joe Turdo, Russ Dieter, Francis Dolan, Scott Humble, and the Holy Spirit Phone Tree.

FOR THE SOULS

James Devine, Jim Cooney, Rosella Rhine, George Fiori, Bill Serban, Theresa Stachow-iak, Ralph Sobieski, Paola Badano, Charles Paul, Leeza Larrance, Paul Higdon, Mark Higdon, John Paul "JP" Lisciandro, Jr, Joey Mesa, Manuel Martinez, Eleanor Travaglini, Josephine Poni, Lynette Mulert, Jenny Lemp, Mike Murray, Diana Magri, LuAnn Capps, Suzanne Borgert, Mary Davis, Teresa Resende, Shari Brown, Don Linch, Jerry Williams, Jim Codding, Emilio Ricci, Rhio Reigh, Bob Spau ding, Bob Crozier, John Scott, Patricia Crook, Millie Jaskola, Mike Cusack, Julie Caruso, Karen Panoski, Benjamin and Jessica Stone.



Please call the office if you wish to add, remove or keep someone on the prayer list. Each name will remain for 3 months from the time we receive a request unless we hear otherwise.

UPCOMING EVENTS



11/02_Men's Faith Sharing Group 6:30 pm
11/03_ Scripture Study Tuesdays 1 pm
11/03_OCIA at 7 pm
11/04_Youth Group meets at Epicenter
11/7-8_Bethlehem Holy Land items for sale
11/10_Men's Club Thanksgiving Dinner
11/11_ *NO Classes or Youth Group*
11/12_Women's Club Dinner
11/14_Canned Food Drive 10-2 pm
11/21_Surviving the Holidays Grief Support 1-3:30pm
11/21_Labath Landing Collection of specific items
11/23-25_ *NO Study, Classes or Youth Group*

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Wednesdays 4:30-5:30 pm

* Year 1 — First Communion / Whole Family Catechesis (Kindergarten-5th) with Jessica Coffey
* Year 2 — First Communion joins the K-5 class and then transfers to Lynn Lankford's class
* Year 1 — Confirmation with Maggie Vera
* Year 2 — Confirmation with Lori Norcia

Join us!

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YOUTH GROUP - 7th-12th graders meets at Epicenter in Santa Rosa
November 4th 6-8 pm
Contact Matt@holyspiritSR.org or call 707.539.4495

FORMS AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE OR BY EMAIL

HOLY SPIRIT MEN'S CLUB
THANKSGIVING DINNER

MEN ONLY - Tuesday, November 10th, 2026
Traditional Thanksgiving Feast with all the fixings!
Cocktails at 6:00, Dinner at 7:00 pm
$30.00 at the door includes
Dinner, two cocktails and prize tickets
LET US GIVE THANKS TOGETHER!

HIRING: St. Eugene's Cathedral is looking for a full-time Parish Secretary. Please send resume to opsmanager@steugenes.com.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD!

Are you interested in helping with the Children's Liturgy of the Word once a month? Let's help parents of young children.

Call the office!



SCRIPTURE STUDY

Join us for a discussion of the upcoming gospel and its historical context.

Tuesdays at 1 pm
Led by Matt Conley
Enter through the Parish Office, facing Raters Dr.

Justice & Service In Community

Third Mondays Monthly
Holy Family Classroom.
Enter through back of Parish House.
SAVE THE DATE: There will be a collection of specific items for Labath Landing on November 21st. Details to follow.

MEN'S FAITH SHARING GROUP

Join Us!

First Mondays of the Month @ 6:30 pm
Led by Matt Conley

Enter through the Parish Office, facing Raters Dr.

HOLY SPIRIT WOMEN'S CLUB
Thanksgiving & Bingo!

Thursday, November 12th @ 6:00 PM
$30 per person Includes Dinner & Two Beverages
Your first BINGO Card is free. Additional cards $2 each.
Tickets sales after Masses
on 10/31, 11/01, 11/07, 11/08
No CODs Please. Questions? Please call or text
Angela Provisor: 369.444.5577

FOUND: Women's silver and gold watch. Found in the parking lot after daily mass on 10/22. Call the office.