



Seventh Sunday of Easter
June 1—June 7
Ascension of the Lord!

Parish Calendar

Sun—Sun May 25—June 1 : BIKE TO WORSHIP
 ALL MASSES

May 30 Farwell Pot Luck for Methodius 6PM (H)

June 1: Graduation Mass 9:30AM



Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab;
 Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21;
 Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab;
 Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11;
 Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;
 Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7;
 Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or
 Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2a, 24, 35c,
 27-28, 29bc-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;
 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

Mass Intentions: May 30-June 5 (Fri.-Thurs.)

Fri.	Jerry Cronin	12:10pm
Sat.	Judy and Chalie Liteky (Healing)	4.15pm
Sun.	Graduate's Mass (Congratualtions)	9:30am
Sun.	Paddy Minagh (RIP)	11:30am
Mon.	Pellanda/Bosso Families(Blessings)	12:10pm
Tues.	Grace Ferraris (RIP/ Birthday)	12:10pm
Wed.	Lis Friedrichs (Living)	12:10pm
Thurs.	Noreen Corry (Healing)	12:10pm

Please pray for the sick of the parish and our extended family:

Fr. Tom Seagrave, Judy and Charlie Liteky, Mary Purpura, Josephine Small, Dalia Becerra, Jerry O'Leary, Charlotte O'Callaghan, Maureen and Don Francis, Mary Dunn, Mike and Gabriel Marty, Patrick Lee, Jim and Nancy McDonald, Teresa Hyatt, Mary Donnelly, Baby Donovan Loreto de Guzman, and all our members who reside in assisted living and care facilities.



This list and additional requests for prayer may be found on the "Circle of Prayer" link on our parish website at www.sjog.net. To include someone, please contact Judy Laxen at judithfl@aol.com; 415-203-6338.

I know the plans that I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for good and not for evil, to give you a hope and a future. ~Jeremiah 29:11

2014 Graduates:

Rowan Francis Taylor : 5th Grade

Olympia Francis Taylor: 8th Grade

Wendy Lyon : Graduated from BlackHall (The school of the Irish Law Society) in Dublin, Ireland.

Wendy will become a Solicitor. Joe and Joan Humphreys would love to see their daughter come back to California!

Michael O'Leary: graduating from Sacred Heart Prep in SF and will be going to Cal Poly, SLO. His Grandmother, Rose, is so proud and happy for him! Best to you!

Shaolin Plasse: graduating from San Rafael High and will be going to Southern Oregon University in Ashland. She hopes to be an elementary school teacher. Adrienne and the community send our best wishes and will miss her.

William Michael Lyons : Graduated with a Bachelors Degree in English and Spanish ~ with Honors ~ from the University of Portland, Oregon. Stephanie and the entire community who remember Will so vividly, are proud and happy for him!

Tina Saravia : Received her Master Gardener Certificate and is looking forward to 'growing' into her new work. Tina does much of the seasonal garden work here at SJofG and sings in the choir!

CONGRATULATIONS EVERYONE!

The Saint John of God Prayer

Dear God, through the intercession of St. John of God, patron of the poor and the sick, grant me the grace this day to greet every person that I meet with understanding and compassion.

Reveal to me their needs and give me the means and inspire in my heart the humility and generosity of St. John so that I might be to them a revelation of Christ's love. Amen

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord;
World Communications Day
Monday: Ss. Marcellinus and Peter
Tuesday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions;
Shavuot (Jewish observance) begins at sunset
Thursday: St. Boniface
Friday: St. Norbert; First Friday
Saturday: First Saturday

BIKE TO WORSHIP

In partnership with the SF Bicycle Coalition and SF Interfaith Council join in the fun May 25—June 1 ~ all masses! Rollers count too! Scooters, Skateboard and rollerblade to Mass! **Lock your bikes up outside and come in!** Stop by the office M-F 9-12 for a certificate and sticker!

Lucia and Flavia CD Release Party!

Sisters Flavia and Lucia Purpura-Pontoniere have completed their first CD, Red Shoes. They are having a concert at SJOG on June 8th at 2PM, followed by refreshments in the hall. We would love to see everyone from our SJOG family there!

Gardening Volunteers Needed

The flowerbed in front of the Church needs some help! It's full of overgrown shrubs and weeds. If you can spare 1 hour a month to help keep up with the front beds give the office a call: 415-566-5610. Basic gardening tools, composting, water will be provided. It is very rewarding work ~ Thank you!

Prayer and Meditation

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, only this do I seek: to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life. ~psalm 27

Bring a Friend ~ ALL ARE WELCOME !



At St. John of God, we follow the example of our Patron Saint who opened his doors to all in need. We ask that all who come to seek God's Grace honor Universal Diversity when we come together to worship as a community. A special time is during the prayers of the faithful : We all meet each other with compassion and respect.

If you have a desire to join a community of wonderful friends who accept all, **PLEASE COME JOIN US!**

EXTERIOR PAINTING

OF OUR PARISH BUILDINGS

Fund-raising has begun to paint all three of our parish buildings if the amount raised is adequate. Here are the basics as outlined on the page inserted in last week's bulletin.

- Painting of the Church will begin in mid-August, with the Rectory and Collins Hall to follow as funds permit.

- Each dollar donated will be matched by a dollar from parish funds.

- A \$5,000 private donation will "sponsor" painting of the Church (full cost \$10,000).

- A \$3,000 private donation will "sponsor" painting of the Rectory (full cost \$6,000).

- As many donations as possible of \$250, \$500 or \$1,000 will more likely help us achieve the goal of painting all three buildings, but donations of any amount will be greatly appreciated.

Donations may be made by...

- Check marked "painting", made payable to St. John of God, and placed in the collection basket at Mass or sent to the office.

- Online donation at www.sjog.net using the DONATE button.

- Pledge of a specific amount, payable at any time before mid-August. Please call or email Joe Cline of the pledge amount at your earliest convenience.

- Thank you.

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