



CHURCH OF THE

Good Shepherd

3200 HARBOR STREET, PITTSBURG, CA 94565

*One Flock, One Family, Living and Sharing
the Love of Christ*

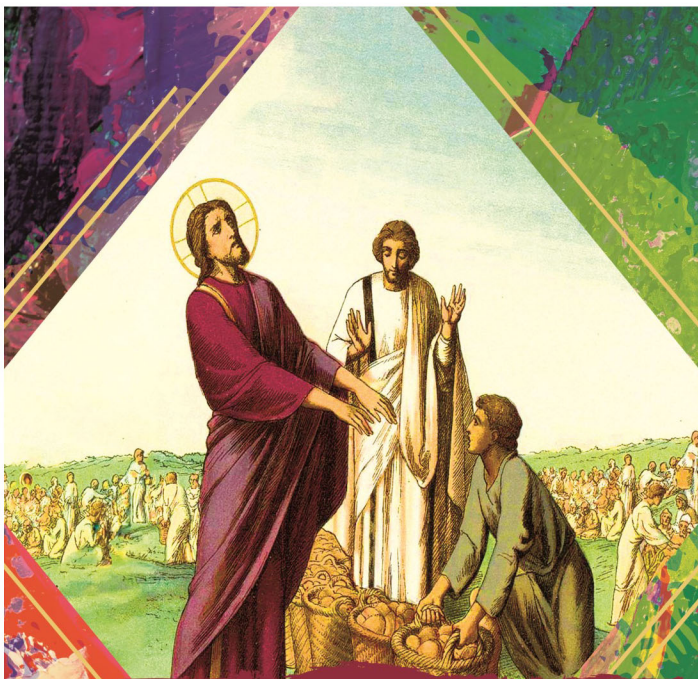
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JULY 28, 2024



17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. - Jn 6:11

17° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Enseguida tomó Jesús los panes, y después de dar gracias a Dios, se los fue repartiendo a los que se habían sentado a comer. Igualmente les fue dando de los pescados todo lo que quisieron. - Jn 6, 11

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 8am—12 pm & 1 pm-4pm

Fridays: 9am– 12:pm & 1pm- 3pm

(covered by volunteers with limited service)

MASS SCHEDULE

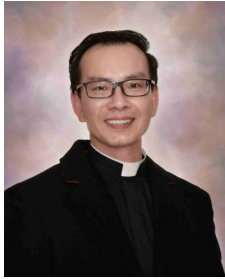
- Sundays:** 8am, 10am (livestreamed)
12 noon, 3pm Espanol & 4:30pm
(1st Sunday of month) French
- Mon-Fri:** 7:30 am (livestreamed)
- 1st Fridays:** 7:00 pm (livestreamed)
- Saturdays:** 8 am (livestreamed) & 5:30 pm (Vigil)
- Holy Days:** 7:30am (Ls), 6:30pm (Ls) & 7:30pm (Sp)
- Morning Prayer:** Liturgy of the Hours/ Rosary 7:00 am
- Confessions:** **Fridays:** 8 am-9 am
Saturdays: 4pm-5 pm or by appointment
- Adoration:** **Fridays:** 8 am-9 am;
1st Fridays: 8am-7pm
- Adoration in the Chapel** (door code required ~call parish office).
- Devotions:** Divine Mercy Monday-Friday after 7:30 am Mass
Our Lady of Fatima/Perpetual Help~1st Saturday
Santo Niño~2nd Saturday
Divine Mercy~3rd Saturday
Saint Padre Pio~4th Saturday
Healing Mass & OL of Manoaog ~5th Saturday
(All devotions take place following 8:00 am Mass)

Baptisms: In order to make baptismal arrangements contact Carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org or Lorena@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Marriages: In order to make marriage arrangements contact carmen@goodshepherdpittsburg.org 6 months prior to marriage date.

Funeral Arrangements: Should be arranged by family, church and mortuary. Normal Christian burial consists of Vigil Service, Holy Mass and Burial in a Catholic Cemetery. Any other arrangements should be discussed with parish priest.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK HOTLINE: 510-259-8706



Luau Dinner Fundraiser Acknowledgement

The Luau ended up with a great success. We would like to extend our deep Thank You to Tammy Vo for coordinating the event; all members of the planning committee, Michele Blair and Pastoral Council Members and Parish Staff. Thank you so much for your hard work to put the event to-



gether.

There are so many names we want to thank, but we cant mention them all here. We hope you understand. We are specially grateful to Shirley Quejado for her help of getting all the raffle gift prizes and coordinat- ing the entertainment program, to Sonny and Lani Andes and the whole kitchen crew for cooking delicious food, to Tony Perez, Roy and Ronnie Lagajeros for running the bar, to David Viart for being our excellent MC and DJ, to Dennis Riray, the choir and all the performers, and others for all their hard work of selling the tickets every weekend. We give a Big Thank you to the set up and clean up volunteers; we truly ap- preciate all for your labor of love. May God bless your good and gracious hearts.

Last but not least, we are very thankful to all who came to support our fundraiser. Thank you for your generosity to building up our family of the Good Shepherd.

We made a gross income of \$13,388.00 (Before expenses).
God is good. All the time!



Dearest Parishioners,

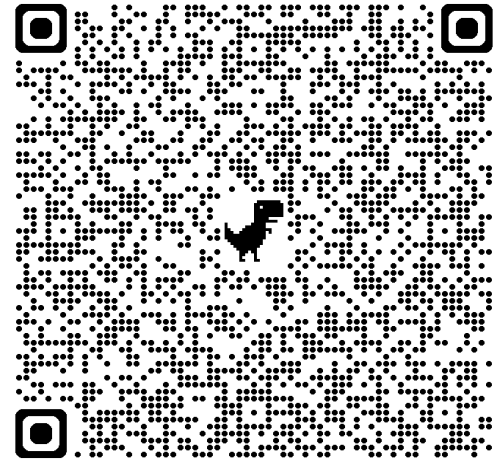
No word can express our gratitude to you for your generous hearts to give your time, talents and treasures, helping us keep our parish up on running smoothly. Many of you are on vacation during the summer, please keep remembering us in your weekly donations.

To make your giving easy and convenient, we have created a QR code for your Online Donations found in back of the church's pews. You just need to use your phone, open the camera, point the camera at the QR code, then tap the link that appears on your device. It will lead you to the Donations page. It is safe and secure. Once again thank you so much for your generosity.

God bless your good hearts.

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ONLINE DONATIONS



CASINO BUS TRIP

CACHE CREEK RESORT & CASINO (5 hours)

SATURDAY - AUGUST 10, 2024

9:00 AM- check in @Church of the Good Shepherd 3200 Harbor St., Pittsburg

9:30 am- departure time

5:30 pm - drop off @Church of the Good Shepherd

Cost: \$45.00 per person Refund: \$20 free play with ID

****On board snacks and water****

Bingo, raffles, and a lot of fun**

For reservation:

Feli Buettner (925) 207-3501

Alma Espiritu (925) 597-2515

Leave a message to : Alma Espiritu (925) 597-2515 Memo: type in Casino trip and your name

Hosted by: YLI and OMOPH

All passengers must bring a valid government photo ID

LOST AND FOUND

If you have lost anything in the Church, please call or come by the office to identify and claim item within 2 weeks. If not claimed, we will donate or throw away items.



SAINT MARTHA FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

Everyone is invited to attend the Feast Day of SAINT MARTHA on July 29, 2024 at 7:30 am mass. A simple reception to follow in front of the church. There will be 9 days novena prayer from July 20-28 after the 7:30 am mass in the church.

Below is the Mass Sponsorship form. If you would like to be a mass sponsor, please fill in the form below and send the form and payment to: Mercy Cruz 408-960-9737; Marina Bond 925-203-0113; Ellen Vilorio 925-642-3339. Thank you.

Church of the Good Shepherd

3200 Harbor Street, Pittsburg, CA 94565

MASS SPONSORSHIP Feast/Masses

DATE	July 29, 2024 – Monday at 7:30 am Mass
MASS (indicate feast name)	Feast of Saint Martha
DONATION AMOUNT: <small>If in check, please use "Church of the Good Shepherd" as payee</small>	
NAME/s of SPONSORS/s <small>(Please write the name legibly and as you want it read at mass or shown in program)</small>	
INTENTIONS/s	
Signature of Sponsors	
Sponsor's Telephone no.	

Please return completed form with your payment to: Mercy Cruz 408-960-9737; Marina Bond 925-203-0113; Ellen Vilorio 925-642-3339



Summer Bible Camp for Kids

All children from 1st grade to 6th grade are invited to join our Summer Bible Camp taken place on August 5th-August 9th from 10am –1pm. Contact the Parish Office for registration!

Faith Formation Registration for 2024-2025. Here are the details:
Registration begins June 17th and throughout the summer

A Baptism and Birth Certificate are required with your child's registration form.

Classes Offered:

RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children; Eng. only): Class for children 7 years and older to receive the Sacrament of Baptism at Easter Vigil. The program starts in September and ends in April. It is held on Sunday mornings.

Starting Date: Sunday, September 15th in Parish Hall from 11:00am-12:00pm (after 10am Mass)

RCIA and Adult Confirmation (Eng. & Span. Classes): Class for adults that are interested in receiving Baptism, First Communion, and/or Confirmation. It is held on Monday evenings.

Starting Date: Monday, September 23rd in Office or Parish Hall from 7:00pm-8:30pm.

First Holy Communion: 2 year program, no matter what grade you start. Classes are on Sundays.

Starting Date: Sunday, September 15th. 9-9:50am (Eng.), 1:10-1:50pm(Eng. & Span.), and 2:00-2:50pm (Span. only).

EDGE: Our middle school program to get ready for confirmation program and receive sacraments if needed. Classes are on Wednesday afternoons.

Starting Date: Wednesday, September 18th in the Parish Hall from 4:30-5:30pm.

Continuing Faith Formation /Post Holy Communion Class: Class to further education after receiving First Communion. It is held on Wednesdays in the afternoon.

Starting Date: Wednesday, September 18th in Parish Hall from 3:00-4:00pm.

Youth Confirmation Program. This is 2 year program. This program is for all high school students who want to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Classes are on Sundays.

Starting date: Sunday, September 15 in the Parish hall at 11:15am– 12:45pm

Parent Sessions (First Communion and Youth Confirmation Parents): Mandatory Parent Sessions offered once a month in English and Spanish. Classes are held the same time your child/children are in their classes. Parents must attend 5 out of the 7 sessions.

To register, you can do it in-person at the Parish Office or go to our website

www.goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Click—Religious Education and then Click—Registration Information. You will then find links to our forms and payment.

Fill out the form, attach required documents, and then you can email them to

klarisse@goodspeherdpittsburg.org

EDGE Leaders and Wednesday Catechists Needed: We are looking for people who want to share their faith, teaching Post Holy Communion Classes and Edge Program on Wednesday afternoons from 3:00pm to 5:30pm, in a fulfilling ministry, making friends and becoming more involved in the church. You will be trained and all curriculum will be provided for you. If you are interested in teaching or just have questions, please contact Klarisse at (925)432-6404x21 or by email klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org



Do you feel called to come back to the Catholic Church or to complete the Sacraments of Initiations?

Join our **RCIA & Adult Confirmation Program** which will begin in September of this year. For more information, please contact our faith formation office at 925-432-6404.

Registro de formación de fe para 2024-2025. Aquí están los detalles:

La inscripción comenzaron el 17 de junio y ultimo dia es el 31 de agosto.

Se requiere un certificado de bautismo y nacimiento con el formulario de inscripción de su hijo.

Clases ofrecidas:

RCIC (Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Niños; solo en inglés): clase para niños 7 años y más recibir el Sacramento del Bautismo en la Vigilia Pascual. El programa comienza en septiembre y finaliza en abril. Se lleva a cabo los domingos por la mañana.

Fecha de inicio: domingo 15 de septiembre en el salón parroquial de 11:00 a. m. a 12:00 p. m. (después de la misa de 10 a. m.)

RICA y Confirmación de Adultos (clases de inglés y español): Clase para adultos que estén interesados en recibir Bautismo, Primera Comunión y/o Confirmación. Se lleva a cabo los lunes por la noche.

Fecha de inicio: lunes 23 de septiembre en la oficina o salón parroquial de 7:00 p. m. a 8:30 p. m.

Primera comunión: Programa de 2 años, sin importar en qué grado comiences. Las clases son los domingos.

Fecha de inicio: domingo 15 de septiembre. 9-9:50 a.m. (inglés), 1:10-1:50 p.m. (inglés y español) y 2:00-2:50 p.m. (español)

EDGE: Nuestro programa de escuela intermedia(Middle School) para prepararse para el programa de confirmación y recibir los sacramentos si es necesario. Las clases son los miércoles por la tarde.

Fecha de inicio: miércoles 18 de septiembre en el Salón Parroquial de 4:30 a 5:30 p.m.

Formación continua en la fe/Clase posterior a la Sagrada Comunión: Clase para continuar sus estudios después de recibir la Primera Comunión. Se lleva a cabo los miércoles por la tarde.

Fecha de inicio: miércoles 18 de septiembre en el Salón Parroquial de 3:00 a 4:00 p. m.

Programa de Confirmación Juvenil. Este es un programa de 2 años. Este programa es para todos los estudiantes de secundaria que quieran recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación. Las clases son los domingos.

Fecha de inicio: domingo 15 de septiembre en el salón parroquial de 11:15 a 12:45

Sesiones para padres (padres de Primera Comunión y Confirmación Juvenil): Sesiones obligatorias para padres ofrecidas una vez al mes en inglés y español. Las clases se llevan a cabo al mismo horario que su(s) hijo(s) están en sus clases. Los padres deberán asistir a 5 de las 7 sesiones.

Para inscribirte puedes hacerlo presencialmente en la Oficina Parroquial o acceder a nuestra web

goodshepherdpittsburg.org. Haga clic en—Educación religiosa y luego haga clic en—Información de registro

Luego encontrará enlaces a nuestros formularios y pagos. Complete el formulario, adjunte los documentos requeridos y luego podrá enviarlos por correo electrónico a klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Se necesitan líderes EDGE y catequistas para los miércoles: Buscamos personas que quieran compartir su fe, impartiendo Clases Post Sagrada Comunión y Programa Edge los miércoles por la tarde de 3:00pm a 5:30pm, en un ministerio pleno, conociendo amigos e involucrándose más en la iglesia. Se le capacitará y se le proporcionará todo el plan de estudios. Si está interesado en enseñar o simplemente tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Klarisse al (925) 432-6404x21 o por correo electrónico. klarisse@goodshepherdpittsburg.org

Campamento Bíblico de Verano para Niños

Están invitados todos los niños de 1° a 5° de primaria. para unirse a nuestro Campamento Bíblico de Verano que va tomar lugar del 5 al 9 de agosto de 10am a 1pm..

¡Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial para registrarse!





August 5-9– Summer Bible Camp for Children
 August 15- Assumption 7:30am Mass and Procession
 6:30pm and Bilingual Mass
 Sept 13- Fatima Procession 7pm
 Sept 15-Faith Formation begins
 Sep 23- RCIA begins
 Oct 6- Flock Party
 Oct 13- Fatima Mass and Procession 6:30pm
 Nov 1- All Saints- 7:30am; 12pm, 7pm Bilingual
 Nov 2- All Souls- 7:30am, 1pm Holy Cross Cemetery,
 7pm Bilingual
 Nov 10– Craft Fair
 Nov 16- Appreciation dinner for volunteers at 7pm
 Nov 23 – Thanksgiving at 10am
 Dec 1- Advent
 Dec 6- Taize Prayer 7pm
 Dec 8- O.L of Guadalupe- 5am Mananitas and 3pm Mass
 Dec 14- Christmas Concert 7pm – Potluck Christmas Party
 Dec 16- Advent Reconciliation 7pm
 Dec, 24 Christmas Eve, 4pm, 6pm, 12Midnight
 Dec 25- Christmas Day: 8am, 10am, 12pm, 1:30pm
 Dec 31- New Year’s Eve: 5:30pm Mass & 7pm Party

The 2024-25 Good Shepherd Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Basketball Program is opening for registration. Please feel free to go to www.goodshepherdcyo.com, and sign up. Registration is open from August 1st until September 6th but be advised that we will close teams as they get filled, and put those later registrations on a waiting list to see if we can create another team in that grade level. We only accept so many kids on a team to ensure that every child gets playing time. Also, it is very important that you enter an email address for your contact that is monitored daily. This is how the Good Shepherd Board will communicate with all of you in most cases about the program, uniform fittings, parent meeting, end of year event, etc. This is very important so please enter an active email. Lastly, if your child has aged out, you will no longer receive CYO emails after this one as we will be pulling from the current year of registrants for future communication. Thank you very much. We are excited and looking forward to the coming season.



SAINT PADRE PIO MINISTRY FOOD SALE!!!



Saint Padre Pio

Ministry is having a
FOODSALE after all masses on Sunday, July 28, 2024
LUMPIA 12 pcs. - \$10.00
CHICKEN ADOBO, RICE, & LUMPIA COMBO - \$10.00
PORK BBQ 3 pcs. - \$10.00

For Pre-orders, please call or text Cora Clavel at
 925 354 2259 or Cecille Perez at 925 300 6234
 *All proceeds for this Fundraising will go to the Church.

“ENJOY THE GOOD FOOD”

Would you like to participate more during mass and become closer to the Lord, consider becoming an Extra Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

*If you meet the following requirements, baptized, received confirmation if married, you must be married in the catholic church. Those interested in becoming an Extra Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion are invited to attend a procedural training on Wednesday, August 28th from 7:00 – 8:30 pm. in the Ministry Building. **If you plan on attending, you must contact Ann & Bill Abitz at 432-3995 or the Office (432-6404) before August 27th.***

Mass Intentions July 29– August 4, 2024

Mass Intentions For The Week



Mon	7:30am	Devany Williams <i>(Birthday)</i>
Tue	7:30am	Patricia Cacciaroni †
Wed	7:30am	Sue Cavallaro †
Thu	7:30am	Jess Segovia † <i>(Birthday)</i>
Fri	7:30am	Robert & Sharon Calone <i>(60th Wedding Anniversary)</i>
	7:00pm	Gail Pearson †
Sat	8:00am	Sancho Alesna † Lidia Castañeda <i>(Birthday)</i>
	5:30pm	Antonio J. Gonzalez Family <i>(Living & Deceased)</i>
Sun	8:00am	For the People of Our Parish
	10:00am	Jess Hart <i>(Birthday)</i>
	12:00pm	Victoria Corona <i>(Birthday)</i>
	3:00pm	Jose de Jesus Magdaleno † <i>(Death Anniversary)</i>

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**MANY MINISTRIES
ONE CHURCH**
BISHOP'S MINISTRIES APPEAL 2024

2024 Bishop's Ministries Appeal.

Our goal this year is: \$35,600.00 Let's work together to achieve our goal again this year.

Year to date we have raised \$20,696.77 (58.1%). Thank you so much for your support!

Weekend of July 21, 2024

1st Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$6,193.24

2nd Collection (Cash, Checks, EFT) \$4,640.40

Luau Dinner/Dance July 20, 2024

Gross Income (before expenses) \$13,388.00

Please help contribute for the smooth operation and good services of our parish. We appreciate your generosity and for making Good Shepherd a part of your family.

Also, please remember Good Shepherd when planning your last will and Testament.

Thank you!

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

EXODUS 16:2-4, 12-15
EPHESIANS 4:17, 20-24
GOSPEL OF JOHN 6:24-35

NEXT SUNDAY'S 2nd COLLECTION

**BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS
MAINTENANCE FUND**