



# Holy Spirit Church

1050 North Texas St  
Fairfield, CA 94533

## Mission Statement

Holy Spirit Church is a diverse Catholic community called by God to:

- be a worshipping and supportive people of faith,
- proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ,
- create a community inspired by God's love,
- rejoice in the presence of God through the celebration of the sacraments,
- nourish our spiritual hunger, and
- serve all in the name of Jesus Christ.

## Parish Office

1070 North Texas St. Fairfield, CA 94533

707-425-3138

[www.holyspiritfairfield.org](http://www.holyspiritfairfield.org)

Office Hours: Currently Closed due to Covid

## Mass Schedule

### Daily Mass

Monday-Friday : 7 & 9 am in English

Tuesday & Friday: 7 pm in Spanish

Wed: 7 pm in English

Sat AM: 9am in English

### Saturday Vigil

5pm in English & 7pm in Spanish

### Sunday

6am in Spanish

7:30am, 9am, 10:30am (Livestream), 12pm in English

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sat 3pm-4:30pm in English

## Horario de Confesiones

Martes 7:00pm 4:00-6:30pm

Viernes 7:00pm 4:00-6:30pm

## Full Time Parish Staff

Pastor	Rev. Joel Genabia	Ext. 313
Parochial Vicar	Rev. Abraham Chacko	Ext. 501
Parochial Vicar	Rev. Juan Bracamontes	Ext. 355
Pastor Emeritus	Rev. Michael Downey	
Business Manager	Linda Faivre	Ext. 312
Administrative Assistant	Beatriz Souza	Ext. 310
Faith Formation Coordinator	Al Nodado	Ext. 342
Faith Formation Coordinator (Sp)	Maria Jose Obregon	Ext. 340
Maintenance	Gary Reed	

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## Part Time Parish Staff

Liturgy Coordinator	Tiffanie Lagrazon	Ext. 343
RCIA Coordinator	Cathy Nunez Pereira	Ext. 310
Baptism Coordinator (Eng)	JoAnn Bradley	Ext. 310
Baptism Coordinator (Sp)	Concepcion Velasquez	Ext. 310
Wedding Coordinator (Eng)	Concepcion Velasquez	Ext. 310
Wedding Coordinator (Sp)	Irma Angel	Ext. 310
Maintenance	Robert Finley	
Maintenance	Bob Drages	

[TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org)

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## School Staff

Principal	Debbie Wysocki	Ext. 323	<a href="mailto:DWysocki@hsschool.org">DWysocki@hsschool.org</a>
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**November 22, 2020**

## **Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

### **CHURCH CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC -**

#### **Mass in the Main Parking Lot (OUTSIDE)**

The State has announced that Solano County is reverting back to widespread (purple) tier due to a rapid rise in cases over the last couple weeks.

A return to the purple tier severely impacts local businesses that will now have to close indoor operations or reduce business capacity effective November 17. **However, we will continue to celebrate Mass outside.** As the weather transitions to colder conditions, we ask that you and your family remain in your car during Mass, to keep warm, as we will transmit the sound to your car radio. Please be on alert to which AM or FM channel to tune into.

During Communion, a Eucharistic Minister will distribute the Body of Christ to each vehicle. We'll also continue to wear masks and observe social distancing. As this is our first time organizing a drive-in style Mass, we thank you for your patience as we progress to a suitable system.

### **Catechists Needed**

Ever think of passing your faith on to the future generations? Become a catechist and do exactly that! The children in our parish count on parishioners, like you, to hand down the stories and beliefs of our Catholic Faith! Training and support provided. If you feel called to this ministry, give Al a call for more information: 425-3138 email Al Nodado at [ANodado@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:ANodado@holyspiritfairfield.org).

### **To Register at Holy Spirit Parish**

Please complete the form and place in the offertory basket, mail it or bring it to the parish office.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. & Mrs.    Mr.    Mrs.    Miss    Ms

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

- New Parishioner  
 Existing Parishioner - with change

### **Your Contributions**

Many of you have asked us how you can still contribute to the parish. There are several options: mail your checks to the parish office at 1070 N Texas St, Fairfield, Ca 94533, drop off your envelope in the drop boxes at the parish office or the rectory, and of course give at Mass. If you wish, you can contribute through our online program at [connectnowgiving.parishsoft.com/hsc](http://connectnowgiving.parishsoft.com/hsc). (Call the parish office if you need help).

### **Online Giving**

Did you know that Holy Spirit Parish provides online giving? This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy! Visit [connectnowgiving.parishsoft.com/hsc](http://connectnowgiving.parishsoft.com/hsc)! When you participate, your gift will transfer directly into the parish bank account. No more remembering to bring your envelopes or checkbook! You can donate using a checking or savings account, or with a credit card. Need help getting started? Call or come by the Parish Office and one of our staff members can help.

### **Emergency Phone Number**

If you need a priest for a **life or death emergency** situation, please call 707-862-6055. All other needs, please call the parish office at 707-425-3138.

### **Thanksgiving Day Mass**

Thanksgiving Day Bilingual Mass, November 26, 2020; 9:00 am. For those interested in participating in the Prayers of the Faithful by having an intercession in another language, call Tiffanie at the office: 425-3138 ext. 343 or email: [TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org).

### **START WITH GRATITUDE**

Gratitude is the inward feeling of kindness received. Thankfulness is the natural impulse to express that feeling. Thanksgiving is the following of that impulse.

—Henry Van Dyke

### **EMPIEZA SIENDO AGRADECIDO**

La gratitud es el sentimiento íntimo de la bondad recibida. El agradecimiento es el impulso natural de expresar ese sentimiento. Lo que sigue a ese impulso es una Acción de Gracias.

—Henry Van Dyke

## Faith Formation for Children

Dear Families,

We hope you and your family are safe and healthy. Thank you for your patience as we review our Family Faith Formation program for the upcoming 2020-2021. As you know, our parish is in a county that is currently on the COVID-19 watch list, and in-person faith formation gatherings will not be allowed. Therefore, we have decided to start classes as a **Distance Learning at Home** guided by a catechist utilizing digital tools to manage your child's class.

While we continue to finalize the calendar and curriculum, we wanted to share some important information:

- The program will run from September - May.
- Once a week, Catechist will lead online classes.
- Families will be provided with all print and online materials and updates throughout the year.
- Catechists will send weekly emails to parents with lessons and activities for your child(ren).
- Our hope is that each week, families will spend time reviewing and discussing the lessons and activities.
- Once a month, a priest or a coordinator will lead a parent training for all parents in the program. These trainings will allow for further exploration of the topics reviewed at home and will focus on the current liturgical calendar (examples: Advent in December, Lent in February and March), etc.
- Families who brought their children to their first year of preparation are now able to register them to the Second Year.

We look forward to work with your children. You can access online registration forms in English and Spanish at [www.holyspiritfairfield.org](http://www.holyspiritfairfield.org). **Payments need to be send or drop off to our Parish Office (mail slot) since the Parish office remains close until further notice.** (checks payable to: Holy Spirit Parish).

Please feel free to call the Faith Formation Office (English) at 707-425-3138 ext 342 or email Al Nodado at [ANodado@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:ANodado@holyspiritfairfield.org).

### THE SHEPHERD KING

The job of shepherd and the job of king couldn't be more different from each other. Shepherds are on the lowest rung of society, kings are at the top. But God says, through the prophet Ezekiel, that the Messiah will lead in a way very different from earthly authorities who lord it over their people and cause harm with their poor leadership.

Our King takes on the job himself. Christ, like a shepherd, will give rest, seek out the lost, bring back the strayed and scattered ones. He will heal the wounded and bind up the injured. He does not delegate, but will "shepherd them rightly." We have a king who cares for us and who is not afraid to "judge between one sheep and another" (Ezekiel 34:17).

### EL REY PASTOR

La tarea del pastor y la tarea del rey no pueden ser más diferentes la una de la otra. Los pastores están en el último escalón de la sociedad, mientras los reyes están en el más elevado. Pero Dios dice, por medio del profeta Ezequiel, que el Mesías regirá de manera muy diferente a las autoridades de la tierra que oprimen a su pueblo y le causa daño por ser malos gobernantes.

Nuestro Rey asume el trabajo por sí mismo. Cristo, como un pastor, dará reposo a sus ovejas, buscará a la extraviada, traerá de vuelta a las perdidas y dispersas. Curará a las heridas y vendará a las lesionadas. Él no delega, sino que las apacentará "con justicia". Tenemos a un rey que vela por nosotros y que no tiene miedo de "juzgar entre oveja y oveja" (Ezequiel 34:17).

## Mass Intentions

*November 2-30*

ALL Masses during the month of November are said for All Souls that have passed on.

Envelopes for All Souls are available in the church. Please write the names of your loved ones on the envelope, as they will be placed on the altar and our loved ones will be prayed for at every Mass during November.

## Livestream Mass

To view our livestream Mass, please visit us on Youtube: Holy Spirit Parish, Fairfield, CA.

Estimadas familias:

Las clases de catecismo iniciaran como **Aprendizaje a Distancia en el Hogar el 21 de septiembre de 2020** guiado por un catequista que utilizará herramientas digitales para dirigir la clase de su hijo(s)/a(s).

Mientras continuamos finalizando el calendario y el plan de catequesis, queríamos compartir información importante:

- El programa se desarrollará de Septiembre a Mayo.
- Una vez a la semana, el catequista guiará las clases en línea.
- Las familias recibirán todos los materiales impresos y en línea y actualizaciones durante todo el año.
- Los catequistas enviarán correos electrónicos semanales a los padres con lecciones y actividades para su (s) hijo (s).
- Les pediremos que cada semana, las familias dediquen tiempo a revisar y discutir las lecciones y actividades.
- Una vez al mes, el sacerdote o un coordinador dirigirá una capacitación para padres para todos los padres del programa. Estas capacitaciones permitirán un mayor desarrollo de los temas revisados en casa y se centrarán en el calendario litúrgico actual (ejemplos: Adviento en diciembre, Cuaresma en febrero y marzo), etc.
- Las familias que inscribieron a sus hijos al primer año de preparación ahora pueden inscribirlos en el segundo año. Esperamos continuar apoyando a sus hijos en la catequesis.
- Puede acceder a los formularios de inscripción en línea en Inglés y Español en **www.holyspiritfairfield.org**. **Los pagos deben enviarse o entregarse en nuestra oficina parroquial (en el buzón) ya que la oficina parroquial permanece cerrada hasta nuevo aviso.** (cheques pagaderos a: Holy Spirit Parish).
- No dude en llamar a la Oficina del Catecismo en Español al 707-425-3138 ext 340 o envíe un correo electrónico a Maria Obregon a: **MOregon@holyspiritfairfield.org**.
- Estamos agradecidos por su compromiso continuo con nuestra comunidad parroquial y apreciamos su consideración para ayudar a sus hijos este próximo año de catequesis.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

			1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Monday:	Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4	Friday:	Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a; Lk 21:29-33
Tuesday:	Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11	Saturday:	Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36
Wednesday:	Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19	Sunday:	Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37
Thursday:	Thanksgiving Day (suggested): Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11;		

**LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA**

Lunes:	Ap 14:1-3, 4b-5; Sal 24 (23):1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lc 21:1-4	Viernes:	Eclo 50:22-24; Sal 145 (144):2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lc 17:11-19
Martes:	Ap 14:14-19; Sal 96 (95):10-13; Lc 21:5-11	Sábado:	Ap 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Sal 84 (83):3-6a, 8a; Lc 21:29-33
Miércoles:	Ap 15:1-4; Sal 98 (97):1-3ab, 7-9; Lc 21:12-19	Domingo:	Ap 22:1-7; Sal 95 (94):1-7ab; Lc 21:34-36
Jueves:	Día de Acción de Gracias (sugerencia):		Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Sal 80 (79):2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Mc 13:33-37

## Parish Facility Use

Due to Covid-19, all meetings and gatherings had been canceled at the parish. With this, all previous requests for facility use had been canceled. When meetings resume in the parish facilities, there will be a strict set of rules that will accompany permission to use the facility. Rooms may not be the same as scheduled before, as the same may be true for day and times. To get your ministry a room, please fill out a new Facility Request form for each day needed, or a Reoccurring Event Form for weekly meetings. Please provide us with an email for your group (quickest way to get word back to you). We will let you know when we have scheduled your request. For the facilities. To request forms, you can email either [BSouza@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:BSouza@holyspiritfairfield.org) or [TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org](mailto:TLagrazon@holyspiritfairfield.org) or you may call the office and arrange a time to pick them up.

## Simbang Gabi 2020

### Mass Schedule

December 15, Tuesday — 5:30pm  
December 16, Wednesday — 6:00pm  
December 17, Thursday — 6:00pm  
December 18, Friday — 5:30 pm  
December 19, Saturday — 5:00pm  
December 20, Sunday — 5:30pm  
December 21, Monday — 6:00pm  
December 22, Tuesday — 5:30pm  
December 23, Wednesday — 6:00pm  
If you have any questions, please contact Beth Ramos at (707) 208-4443.

## Knights of Columbus Council 3585

A non-profit Catholic men's organization, based on the principal of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity, helping this parish and community. Fr. Michael McGivney formed the Knights of Columbus to help Catholic men grow in faith and provide financial protection to their families. Jesus said to his disciples 'Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds.' Join us and be a light. Contact George Bagley 707-372-4913.

Monthly business meeting on the 1st Tue. at 7:30 PM preceded by the Rosary at 7 PM. Nov. business meeting moved to 11/4 due to the election.

Vets flag placement on 11/7 and pick-up on 11/14.

## Santa Cecilia (Siglo II)

### 22 de noviembre

Santa Cecilia es la patrona de los músicos, pero antes de cantar, su vida toda fue un canto para Dios. Nació en Roma y desde muy joven prometió entregarse a Dios y permanecer casta. Su padre no pensó así y la obligó a casarse con un no cristiano llamado Valeriano, quien no sólo respetó su voluntad, sino que también se hizo cristiano. Fue él mismo quien convirtió a su hermano Tiburcio, para luego, ser martirizados ante su negativa de adorar a los dioses de Roma. Al ver la manera heroica en que morían, Máximo, un cortesano se convirtió al cristianismo y también lo martirizaron. Cecilia dio sepultura cristiana a los tres, acción que le valió la reprensión y el juicio frente al Prefecto Almaquio, quien al ver que no desistía de su fe mandó que la quemaran en el baño de su casa, pero el fuego no le hizo nada. Después, mandó que la decapitaran y luego de golpearla en el cuello, agonizó durante tres días hasta que entregó su espíritu. Fue sepultada en las catacumbas de san Calixto.

## Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro (1891-1927)

### November 23

Graham Greene's classic *The Power and the Glory* immortalized Mexico's persecuted Church of the 1920s. But photographs of Father Pro—arms outstretched to image Christ Crucified, kneeling in prayer before the firing squad, crumpled dead on the ground—vividly, visually remind us that not long ago, not far away, the faith we take for granted cost everything! Born to a mining family, Miguel became a Jesuit and was sent to study Catholic labor movements in Belgium in preparation for evangelizing Mexico's workers. But he returned to find a Mexico determined to annihilate Catholicism, and, like priests before him during Roman persecutions, England's Reformation, and in China today, ministered secretly to an "underground Church" until apprehended and sentenced to the firing squad. In his final moments, Father Pro blessed his executioners, forgave his enemies, and shouted: "*Viva el Cristo Rey!*—Long Live Christ the King!"—his defiant, dying proclamation of ultimate, transcendent loyalty. Father Pro's martyrdom reinvigorated that beleaguered Church, whose countless faithful, never again afraid, would throng John Paul II when he visited Pro's beloved Mexico fifty-two years later.

## Parish Ministries and Organizations

Call the parish office for contact and general information on these ministries: 707-425-3138.

### Parish Councils & Committees

Pastoral Council	Zach Powell
Finance Council	Dennis Spiller
Money Counters	Joan Osborn
Stewardship	Linda Faivre
Building Committee	Erwin Blancaflor
Liturgy Committee	Jack Davault

### Liturgy & Worship

Altar Server	Tiffanie Lagrazon
Monaguillos	Susana Mosqueda
Eucharistic Minister	Tiffanie Lagrazon
Comuni3n	Victor Calderon
Lector	Tiffanie Lagrazon
Lectores	Paty Padilla
Lazarus	Sharon Lahmon
San Larazo, funeral	Lucy Rodriguez
Hospitalidad	Genaro Ochoa
Ushers	Tiffanie Lagrazon
St Zita	Robert Finley
Sacristans	Tiffanie Lagrazon
Sacristanes	Cirilo Lopez
Environment Committee	Tiffanie Lagrazon
Liturgia	Fr. Juan Braccamontes
Music	Tiffanie Lagrazon
AdultChoir	Ambergrace Castro
Children's Choir	Ambergrace Castro
Youth/Young Adult Choir	Ambergrace Castro
Disciples of Jesus Choir	Aladdin Castro
Ambassador of Praise	Aladdin Castro
Choir MOPH	Ponce Marquez
Coro Aem Karem	Reyna Magana
Coro Sagrada Familia	Leo Leon
Coro Estrellitas de Dios	Alfredo y Martha Sanchez
Coro Kerigma	Carina Serrano
Coro Espiritu Santo	Jesus y Erika Cruz
Coro Nueva Esperanza	Silvia Rodriguez
Coro Grupo de Oraci3n	Manuel

### Ministries & Organizations

FCCW	Elba Zuvich
Knights of Columbus	Ralph Brown
Ladies Auxillary	Emily Angelo
Young Ladies Institute	Margaret Sanders
Comit3 Vocacional	Jesus y Elisa Rojas
Provida	Eliza Cobos
Always Moving Forward	
Ministry	Lozemel Lagrazon
Disciples of Jesus	Carlos & Malou Orino

### Prayer & Spirituality

Adoration	Marilyn Devera
St James Prayer Grp	Amos & Nilda de Leon
Grupo de Oraci3n	Reina Medrano
St Bartholomew Pryr Grp	Lourdes Erickson
St Mathias Prayer Grp	Ponce Marques
St John Prayer Grp	Bobbi & Len Enos
St Matthew Prayer Grp	Susan/Lodi Tanjuaquio
St Peter Prayer Grp	Jaime & Nena Gapasin

### Faith Formation & Adult Education

Catechism	Al Nodado
Catecismo	Maria Jose Obregon
Adult Confirmation	Al Nodado
RCIA	Cathy Nunez Pereira
RICA	Cathy Nunez Pereira
Youth Ministry	
Bible Study	Maria Martinez
Holy Spirit School	Debbie Wysocki
Infant Baptism	JoAnn Bradley
Clase Pre-Bautismal	Eduardo/Maricarmen Ceja
Bodas	Irma Angel
Quincea3eras	Rufino D3ran
Matrimonios	Maria Panduro
Bible Study	Theresa Yeomans

### Devotions

Divina Misericordia	Esperanza y Arnulfo Arroyo
Asociaci3n Guadalupana	Ricardo Diaz
San Lorenzo	Malou Orino
Simbang Gabi	Beth Ramos
Posadas	Fr. Juan
Armada Blanca	Maria Angulo
Legion of Mary-Sorrows	Ponce Marquez
Legion of Mary-Miracles	Sonia Posadas
Mother of Perpetual Help	Ric Del Rosario
Santo Ni3o of FF/SS	Minda Fish

### Spiritual & Social Outreach

Eucharistic Ministry to the Sick	George/Ana Bagley
Comuni3n y Visita a Enfermos y Ancianos	
Grief Sharing	Theresa Yeomans
Consolation	Fr. Juan
Hospitality	
St Vincent de Paul	Dennis Sullivan