My steps have been steadfast in your paths, my feet have not faltered. I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God.

-- Psalm 17:5-6a

St. Anselm’s Parish is a Catholic community formed by families, individuals and clergy that worship together, celebrate the sacramental life of the Church, and seek to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ everyday. We welcome, serve, and educate.
Dear parishioners,

Last week, we celebrated All Saints Day and then All Souls Day. On All Saints Day we remembered the many men and women who lived exemplary lives on earth and are rewarded with eternal life. On All Souls Day we remembered and prayed for our deceased family members and friends who we believe are with God. Both celebrations are expressions of our deepest belief that there is a life after death. In different ways the readings of this Sunday deal with the theme of eternal life. In the first reading the woman and her seven sons drew strength to withstand the torture inflicted on them from their faith in the resurrection of the just. Jesus in the Gospel reading refutes the Sadducees who did not believe in an afterlife. As Christians our hope of resurrection is founded on the love God has shown us in Jesus. God has made promises to us in Christ which cannot be annulled by death. Our hope of resurrection lies in the power and love of God. Death is not the end but the door through which Christ will take us by hand into the eternal kingdom of God.

Yours sincerely,
Fr. Jose Shaji

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week
Daylight Saving Time ends
Tuesday: Election Day
Wednesday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Thursday: St. Leo the Great
Friday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day; Remembrance Day (Canada)

St. Anselm Church Stewardship

Registered Parishioner Families 2016 = 1675
Last Sunday Collection (Envelope & Loose): $3,235
St. Vincent De Paul- $2,463

*Please log on to Parish Pay and update your CC expiration date!

Second Collections:
Military Services– November 6
St. Anselm School– November 13
Campaign for Human Development– November 20
Centennial Building & Maintenance– November 27

MASS INTENTIONS

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As a community we ask God’s blessing for the ill:
Mark Gardner, Garth Stanton, Nancy Hall, Steve Leland, Christopher Goward, Margaret Formichi, Richard Green, Barbara Gilligan, Irene Lorente, Louisa Espinosa, Valeria Venturini, Chris Spada, Terese Marklinger, Vincent Boyle, Joan Madden, Jeanie Paganetti, Al Dallara, Derek & Martina Warren, Antoinette Hanna

For the repose of the soul of: Elena Espinosa, Clancy Walsh, Rita Faulkner, Robert Jacobs, Genevieve Tyler

For those serving in the military: Adam Dear, Robert Ernest Gebhardt, Tyler Lopez, Alex Boattwright, Sean Courtz & Elizabeth Baumsteiger, Christian Miller

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25
Friday: 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37
Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8
Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19
ST. ANSELM SCHOOL NEWS

Our Kindergarten Offers:
- A values Based Education in a Caring Parish School Environment
- Thematic Teaching
- A Multi-Sensory Approach to Reading Readiness
- Differentiated Instruction
- Hands-on, Child-centered Math & Science Instruction
- Developmental Motor Skills Program
- Art, Music, Spanish, & Integrated Technology Instruction
- Multi-faceted Extended Care
- 10:1 Student to Teacher Ratio

The dates for the Kindergarten Information Sessions are: December 7, 2016, and January 12, 2017-9:00AM

BASH CASH
The Raffle is an integral part of the fundraising success of the Heavenly BASH at St. Anselm School, and we need your support. You have a chance to win $15,000. The winning ticket will be drawn on Saturday, November 12th. The winner need not be present to win. Our goal is to sell 600 raffle tickets priced at $50 each. A maximum of 800 tickets will be sold. A minimum of 600 tickets must be sold to win full cash prize. If minimum is not met, all cash proceeds will be equally divided between winner and St. Anselm School.

Thank you for your support!
Tickets can be purchased after the 10am Mass this Sunday

Tickets are also available at the school office from 8am to 4pm.

Coping with the Holidays

Monday, November 14th from 3:00 to 4:30 in the Centennial Hall

The upcoming holidays can be particularly difficult for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. The void left by a death is more deeply felt at this time of year and one might be filled with confusion and, at times, dread to face this time.

St. Anselm’s Grief Ministry will address the issues surrounding this challenging season and offer practical suggestions for coping.

Please call Brenda MacLean, (415) 454-7650 to register.

Green Tip:
In North America, fruits and vegetables travel an average of 1,500 miles before reaching your plate. Buying fresh, local food eliminates long distances traveled and preserves flavor and nutrients.

“Everything is related, and we human beings are united as brothers and sisters on a wonderful pilgrimage, woven together by the love God has for each of his creatures and which also unites us in fond affection with brother sun, sister moon, brother river and mother earth.”

Pope Francis, Laudato Si 70

REST
The REST season has begun. St. Anselm’s will begin serving dinners in December. If you would like to participate by preparing and sharing a dinner, email stanselm.restdinners@yahoo.com. You will then receive a link to the online schedule where you can choose a Saturday night that is convenient for you.

Vote: Tuesday, November 8th

"We need to participate for the common good. Sometimes we hear: a good Catholic is not interested in politics. This is not true: good Catholics immerse themselves in politics by offering the best of themselves so that the leader can govern."

Pope Francis, 9/16/13
INVITATION TO WORDLESS PRAYER:
With fewer than a week to go before the presidential election, it often feels as though we’ve heard enough words. Yet, regardless of our political affiliation, we all long for the same thing: We long for what’s best for our nation and its people. We invite you to offer your own silent hope for our country. Please join your neighbors at First Presbyterian Church and visit the prayer net at the corner of Ross Ave & Kensington Rd. If you like, tie a piece of ribbon (red, white, or blue) to the net. Please join us in silently voicing our highest hopes and dreams for our Country.

Dominican Sisters of San Rafael seek a promoter of religious vocations to assist in recruitment. Requirements: Solid understanding of religious life, theology and Roman Catholic traditions; Strong written and verbal communication skills; Proficiency with Microsoft products and social media skills; Minimum of 3 years experience in vocations promotion, recruitment or public relations; Bachelor’s degree or equivalent. Send resume to: careers@sanrafaelop.org.

The Nazareth House Auxiliary invites you to join us on Sunday, November 13th, for our annual party. The event “From Grandma With Love” will be held from 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM in the auditorium of The Nazareth House, 245 Nova Albion Way, Terra Linda. We will feature home baked goodies and jams and jellies, the ever favorite hand embroidered dish towels, a variety of gift items and a beautiful jewelry show. Also, a raffle of cash prizes ($100.00 to $1,000.00) will be held. Proceeds from this event will benefit the residents of Nazareth House.

Catholic Charities Thanksgiving 2016—Sharing your thankful spirit—Help our neighbors in Marin county enjoy a memorable Thanksgiving meal; provide food baskets, turkeys, or pumpkin pies to families in need. Volunteer at one of our programs by helping with food prep, set-up, carving a turkey, leading activities, and helping clean-up after a Thanksgiving luncheon or dinner. Find out how you can participate in spreading holiday cheer for people in need by visiting our website at CatholicCharitiesSF.org/All-Opportunities or contacting our Volunteer Manager, Diana Contreras at (415) 972-1297 or volunteer@CatholicCharitiesSF.org
All Souls

Please remember in your prayers the deceased family and friends of our parishioners:

Gerald & Marie Barnitz
Geraldine Barnitz
Mae Besselman
Blackman Family
M&M. H.B. Bondesen
Margaret Brandt
H.C. Brandt
Roland Brandt
Mary Bridebrook
Jane Burroni
Frank Caramucci
Julia Caramucci
Mary & Roy Carbone
Carbone Family
Anne Cassedy
Mary Chickacky
Alma Cordone
Cordone Faamily
Joseph Cross
Jeannette Cross
John C. Dallara
Delfina Dallara
Lou Dallara
John Dehesa
Tony Dehesa
Derri Family
Jack & Marie Dietsch
John & Alma Dohmer
Eva & Lee Eccotti
Lena Faoro
Sebastian Faoro
Arturo & Guillemo
Flores
Ruth Foster
Friends
Helen Gerber
Joe Gerber
Camilla Ghiringhelli
Lucinda Girolani
Don & Wally Gould
Regina Halquist
Dick & Pat Haltin
Lars & Mike Hansen
Hansen Family
Lauritz & Camilla
Hansen
Pete & Peggy Hansen
Jean Hanus
Mrytle & James Hatt
Lisa Ann Hatt
Orma Hatt
Henry Holodniak
Matthew Hubal
Helen Hubal
Larry Hubal
Alto Janker
Margot Jenkins
Charles Jenkins
Seconra Johanson
Roger Johanson
Kenneth Johanson
Ben & Furn Johnson
D. Keeney
Kellerer Family
Dolores Kelly
Eithne & Seamus Kilty
John Lagomarsino
Lagomarsino Family
Peter Lagomarsino
Family
Earl Lagomarsino
Family
Ruth Lamperti
Patrick Lehane
Catherine Lehane
Linda Lenihan
D. Lombard
Dorothy Lucas
Sue Maino
Dick Madden
Enrico Manalansan
Teresa Massavvelli
Peter Massavelli
Margaret Maravich
Vincent Matteucci
Justine Matteucci
Justine Marie Matteucci
Sara Mc Cormack
Pilar Mesa
Mlotkowski Family
Daniel Moriarity
(Additional names will be listed next week)
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