

St. Apollinaris Catholic Church



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: Vigil Mass for Sunday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., & 12:00 p.m.

Weekdays: Monday-Friday
7:00 a.m. & 8:45 a.m.

Confessions:
Saturday 9:00 a.m.



PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Fergal McGuinness, Pastor

Fr. Thomas Kyallo, Associate

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Acolyte William J. Guirguis

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Marisol Jimenez, Parish Secretary/Receptionist

Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday, closed Friday

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To Register in the Parish

Call Rectory during office hours or e-mail: business@stasparish.org

Bulletin Notices: bulletin@stasparish.org

Church Website: www.stapollinarisparish.org

Baptism: Call Parish Office.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made six months prior to date.

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the Rectory to make arrangements.

ST. APOLLINARIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL (TK-8th)

<https://stapollinarisschool.org/>

Olivia Brazil - Principal

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ST. APOLLINARIS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)

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Women's Guild

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Homebound Communion

call the Rectory (707) 257-2555

Respect Life Committee

call the Rectory (707) 257-2555

Rosary Prayer Group

Bob & Tina Belli - call the Rectory
Mondays at 7:00 p.m. in the Church

Spirited Singles

Carol

E-mail: flowergardens8@comcast.net

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ST. APOLLINARIS MISSION

St. Apollinaris is a welcoming Catholic Christian Community united by faith in God, nourished by Jesus through both the Word and the Eucharist and empowered by the Holy Spirit. We invite you to join us in meeting the spiritual, educational, and physical needs of our growing parish family and community through prayer, faith formation, evangelization, stewardship, hospitality, and social justice.



STATIONS of the CROSS

FRIDAYS:
Through Mar. 22
7:00 pm
in the church

SCHOOL STATIONS OF THE CROSS

3/1--2PM
3/8--11AM 3/22--2PM

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH MARCH 1st

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Join us for First
Friday Adoration after
the 8:45 am mass
until 2:00 pm.
Please sign up on the
sheet at the entrance of
the church.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH BENEDICTION

7:30 - 8:30 pm
in the church

Join us for an hour of
adoration with prayer
and music.

Pray for our sick...

Richard Huddleston Fr. Robert Castro
Grace Marek Jack Hagerty
Carol Schindler Joe Harrington
Felipe Silva Bonnie McGuire
Jacob Heun



Please call if your loved ones need prayers email:
bulletin@stasparish.org or call (707) 257-2555

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat 2/24	4:30	† Saturnino De Cos Reyes	Hermes Ford
Sun 2/25	7:30	† Noreen Harrington	Harrington Family
	9:00	Our Parishioners	
	10:30	† Dan Halsey Sr.	Dan Halsey Jr. Family
	12:00	† Edna Poinelli Bresciani	Her Family
Mon 2/26	7:00	John & Josie Walsh (sp)	Helen Thompson
	8:45	† Veronica Zimmermann	Zimmermann Family
Tues 2/27	7:00	Gloria & James Walsh (sp)	Helen Thompson
	8:45	† Mercedes L. Martinez	Jacquelyn Pio Roda
Wed 2/28	7:00	Mark & Susan Carlin	Gary Crabtree
	8:45	† Christine Coelho	Huen Family
Thurs 2/29	7:00	† Mike & Sally Harrington	Harrington Family
	8:45	† Fred Mores	Deanna Gray
Fri 3/1	7:00	† Jack Crabtree	Gary Crabtree
	8:45	† Alan Timms	Maggie Timms
Sat 3/2	4:30	† Pat Harrington	Harrington Family
Sun 3/3	7:30	† Santiago Leones	Simeon Chavarria, Jr
	9:00	Our Parishioners	
	10:30	† Shannon Lemieux	Her Family
	12:00	Jerry Marc-Aurele (sp)	Don & Marylou Douglas



CONFESSIONS

Confessions are on Saturdays
at 9 AM in the Church.

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 11, 2024



No Second Collection This Weekend or Next Weekend.

	TOTAL	BUDGET	SURPLUS/ DEFICIT
1 st Plate Collection	\$13,883		
Online Donations	\$3,452		
Total Collection	\$17,335	\$14,550	+\$2,785
Total Repair & Maintenance –To Date	\$1,655	\$6,000	-\$4,345

SYNOD LISTENING SESSIONS SCHEDULED FOR OUR PARISH

As a follow up to the General Session of the Synod of Bishops in October 2023, all dioceses have been asked to give input on two questions (below). In order to participate in this process, St. Apollinaris Parish will be conducting two "listening sessions". The results of these will be sent to Bishop Vasa to be compiled with other results from around the diocese before being forwarded to Rome for the next Synod session in Fall 2024.

The questions are: *Where have I seen or experienced successes—and distresses—within the Church's structure(s)/organization/ leadership/life that encourage or hinder the mission?*

How can the structures and organization of the Church help all the baptized to respond to the call to proclaim the Gospel and to live as a community of love and mercy in Christ?

Our listening sessions will be in the Parish Hall on Sunday, March 10 1:15-3:15pm and Thursday, March 14 6:30-8:30pm.

Below is a link to the "Letter to the People of God" issued after the Fall 2023 session of the Synod.

<https://www.synod.va/en/news/letter-of-the-xvi-ordinary-general-assembly-of-the-synod-of-bishops-to-the-people-of-god.html>

UPCOMING PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY, February 24th

5 PM— Theology by the Barrel (Gym Conference Room)

MONDAY, February 26th

7 PM— Rosary Group (Church)

7 PM—OCIA (Gym Conference Room)

TUESDAY, February 27th

7 PM— WG Bible Study (Gym Conference Room)

7 PM— Adult Confirmation (Gym Conference Room)

WEDNESDAY, February 28th

6:00 PM—12PM Choir Rehearsal (Church)

THURSDAY, February 29th

6:30 PM— Choir Practice (Church)

7:00 PM— Legion of Mary (Gym Conference Room)

MARCH DATES TO REMEMBER

3/1—Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
—Eucharistic Adoration with Benediction

3/5— Lunch with Friends

3/10 — Synod Listening Session
--Hospitality Sunday

3/24— Palm Sunday

3/27— Lent Penance Service

3/31— Easter Sunday

FAITH FORMATION



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are kindly requesting the following donations for our upcoming **First Holy**

Communion and Confirmation retreats:

- *5 cases of bottled water
- *individually packaged goldfish crackers and gummy bears
- *packaged snacks and treats (licorice, candy, granola bars, crackers, cookies, etc.)
- *5 containers of disinfectant wipes
- *packages of paper plates
- *paper towels
- *napkins

Thank you for keeping our parish children in your prayers.



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

Why go to Confession?

"How good it feels to come back to him whenever we are lost! Let me say this once more: God never tires of forgiving us; we are the ones who tire of seeking his mercy. Christ, who told us to forgive one another 'seventy times seven' (Mt 18:22) has given us his example: he has forgiven us seventy times seven. Time and time again he bears us on his shoulders. No one can strip us of the dignity bestowed upon us by this boundless and unfailing love. With a tenderness which never disappoints, but is always capable of restoring our joy, he makes it possible for us to lift up our heads and to start anew...."

~ Pope Francis (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 3)

Watch the short video series ***Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession***.

<https://learn.eucharisticrevival.org/forgiven-the-transforming-power-of-confession>



Presented by the St. Apollinaris Team for the New Evangelization

MEAGER MEALS IS BACK!!! MARCH 8!!



What is a Meager Meal?

We serve meatless home-made soups in the hall before Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings. This year we are only doing it two times so don't miss out: March 8 and March 22, 6 pm in the hall. Stations of the Cross is in the church at 7 pm. Our women's guild volunteers are serving March 8.



WOMEN'S GUILD RETREAT

DAY OF REFLECTION

Our annual day will be held on **Thursday, February 29, 2024** at Mont La Salle from **9am until 3pm**. Cost; \$55.00, Non-Members \$65.00 Please take or mail your check made out to the Women's Guild to the Rectory. Your check is your Reservation! Deadline is February 5, 2024. Those who sign up after the deadline will be charged a \$10.00 late fee. **Parking is limited**, please car pool. For questions call Angela 707-290-9214



THE LEGION OF MARY

"Am I not here, I, who am your mother"

"no estoy yo aquí que soy tu madre"

Legion of Mary invites you to receive mother Mary in your home for a week and pray the rosary with you.

English o Español
Victor 707-812-3723

ST. A'S YOUTH MINISTRY**Join us!**

As a reminder, we will not have Youth Night this Tuesday, February 27.

However, we are still taking registration. If you are in 8th-12th grade you are welcome to join our Youth Group for food, fun, and faith! We typically meet on Tuesdays from 5:30-7:00 pm.

We require advanced registration before attending with family, emergency, and allergy information for each youth. We are asking all families to do fresh registration even if their teen has attended before so that all information is current. Here is the link to sign up:

<https://stasparish.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1974438>

If you have any questions please reach out to Jennifer at: youth@stasparish.org

**ALTAR SERVER SIGN UP**

Please use this link to sign up for Altar Serving.

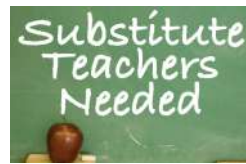
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C44AAAE2BA4F9C52-stapollinaris1>

THEOLOGY BY THE BARREL

Come join us as we continue Fr. Robert Spitzer's "Five Pillars of the Spiritual Life". Its premise of five essential means to a deeper communion with God. Theology by the Barrel meets Saturday in the conference room after the 4:30 mass. There will be no meetings on February 17th or March 9th. Contact Valerie or Barry Eberling if you have any questions. (707)758-8674.

ST. A'S SCHOOL

We are now accepting TK-8th grade applications for the 24/25 School year. You may pick up an application in the school office or you may download one from our school [website](#). Please call the school office at 707-224-6525 with any questions.



We are currently looking for substitute teachers and aides. Be a part of this amazing school community! Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about these positions? Please contact Olivia Brazil at obrazil@stasnapa.com.



HOLD ON TO YOUR HATS & HORSES!

A NIGHT AT THE DERBY

ST. APOLLINARIS GALA & AUCTION

APRIL 27, 2024 | 5 - 10 PM
NAPA VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB

TICKETS ON SALE MARCH 19TH

Scrip Hours: Scrip is sold in the school office during regular office hours and on Sundays from 8:00 am to noon. There are many different ways to raise money for our school through the Scrip Program!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

On June 1st, 2024, at 10 a.m., we will be celebrating the Ordination of Christopher Girolo and Mauricio Rodriguez at the Cathedral of St. Eugene. Please join us for this joyous event.



The Napa Women's Center Presents

The Sound of Music

presented by the Lucky Penny Theater



Tuesday, March 5, 2024

Doors open at 6:30 pm and the play starts at 7:30 pm

1758 Industrial Way Napa

Tickets are \$30 each

Drinks, Snacks, and Raffle Tickets will be available for purchase at the show.

For tickets, go to

<https://give.cornerstone.cc/napawomenscenter>

A wonderful opportunity to support the Napa Women's Center while enjoying wholesome entertainment with family and friends!



Participants: The contest is open to students enrolled in Grades 1-8 in the Diocese of Santa Rosa's Catholic schools, parish Religious Education programs, and home school students.

Directions for Entries: Entries must be original, in color or black and white. Copying existing images is not permitted. The drawing will be inspired by the quote at the bottom on the Submission page - *"O Mary We Crown Thee with Blossoms Today"*

Only one entry is permitted per student. For an entry to be considered, the following must be submitted by mail: Contest Entry Form & Parent Permission signature Contest Entry Form & Parent Permission signature

Submission page (on which the drawing is made)
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Submissions must be received by the Department of Catholic Schools March 31st, 2024. Submissions can be mailed to: **Diocese of Santa Rosa Catholic Schools May Drawing Contest P.O. Box 1297 Santa Rosa, CA 95402** No electronic submissions will be accepted. No electronic submissions will be accepted.

Judges decisions are final.

Contest Entry Forms and Submission Pages can be obtained from a school's religion coordinator or by emailing Sister Mary Vianney at srmmaryvianney@srdiocese.org
Entries become the property of The Diocese Santa Rosa and will not be returned. Questions about the contest: srmmaryvianney@srdiocese.org

PART-TIME POSITION



The diocese is helping to recruit a part-time parish bookkeeper for a parish. If you want to learn more please call: 707-566-3322.



ITEMS LEFT IN THE CHURCH

Various items have been left in the church after Mass. If you think you have left something behind, please check the lost & found box in the vestibule. If you find something left behind, please give it to the sacristan or priest. Thank you.



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