

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

Dn. John Dermody • Dn. Peter Mathews

Acolyte William J. Guirguis

PARISH OFFICE STAFF

Adelina Nini Calligeros, Business Office Manager

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)

Christine Walsh - Director of Religious Education

Telephone: (707) 255-7200 Email: dre@stasparish.org

Pastoral Council Contact

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E-mail: youth@stasparish.org

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E-mail: office@stasparish.org

Women's Guild

Frances Houser

E-mail: flhouser@sbcglobal.net

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**

2/23--2PM 3/1--2PM
3/8--11AM 3/22--2PM

**FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH
MARCH 1st**

**EXPOSITION OF
THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT**



**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION
WITH
BENEDICTION**

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.

**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 2/17	4:30	†Catherine Scholl	Lemieux Family
Sun 2/18	7:30	†Ruben Ochoa	Gallegos Family
	9:00	Our Parishioners	
	10:30	†Ruben Gallegos	Soledad
	12:00	†Alberta Rist	Rist Family
Mon 2/19	7:00	†Don Walton	Merian Walton
	8:45	†Olivia Martinez	De Luna Family
Tues 2/20	7:00	†Milagros Campos	Simeon Chavarria, Jr
	8:45	†Dorothy Ryan	Brooke Bledsoe
Wed 2/21	7:00	†Charles Rowles	Maureen Rowles
	8:45	†Christine Coelho	St. A's School
Thurs 2/22	7:00	Magda Morcon (sp)	Her Daughters
	8:45	†Kay Fons	Brooke Bledsoe
Fri 2/23	7:00	Souls in Purgatory	Lourdes Untalan
	8:45	†Margaret Schunk	Tony Schunk
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

**CHURCH OFFICE
WILL BE CLOSED**

**RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED
MONDAY, Feb. 19th
in Observance of
PRESIDENT'S DAY**

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 4, 2024



This Weekend's Second Collection is for Repair & Maintenance. No Second Collection Next Weekend.

	TOTAL	BUDGET	SURPLUS/ DEFICIT
1 st Plate Collection	\$10,416		
Online Donations	\$4,813		
Total Collection	\$15,229	\$14,550	+\$679
Total Repair & Maintenance –To Date	\$865	\$6,000	-\$5,135

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 17th

- 8 AM Lenten Retreat (Hall & Church)
- 5 PM– Theology by the Barrel (Gym Conference Room)

MONDAY, February 19th

Parish Office Closed for Presidents Day

- 7 PM– Rosary Group (Church)
- 7 PM—OCIA (Gym Conference Room)

TUESDAY, February 20th

- 5:30 PM– Youth Group ((Youth Room & Church)
- 9 AM– WG Bible Study (Gym Conference Room)
- 5:30 PM— Adult Confirmation (Gym Conference Room)

WEDNESDAY, February 21st

- 1 PM– School Choir Rehearsal (Church)
- 6:00 PM—12PM Choir Rehearsal (Church)
- 7:00 PM– Adult Confirmation (Gym Conference Room)

THURSDAY, February 22nd

- 6:30 PM– Choir Practice (Church)
- 7:00 PM– Legion of Mary (Gym Conference Room)

FAITH FORMATION



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are kindly requesting the following donations for our upcoming **First Holy Communion and Confirmation retreats:**

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



Ember Days

We would like to encourage you to bring your loose coins from your car, purse, or change jar at home to donate to Father Thomas’ water

project helping our brothers and sisters in Kenya **after Ash Wednesday**. Coins may be dropped off in the Religious Education Office on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays between the hours of 12-5. Coins may also be dropped off when you come to Mass. Thank you for your generous support of families in Africa.



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



JOIN THE ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Join us on Mondays at 7:00 pm in the church as we pray for the needs of our families and for peace in the world. We pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Mary, Queen of Peace, Pray for Us.

ST. A'S YOUTH MINISTRY



Join us!

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. This week our meeting

will start in the youth room and then make our way to the church to practice for stations of the cross. We are very excited to be hosting Stations of the Cross on February 23.

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

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.



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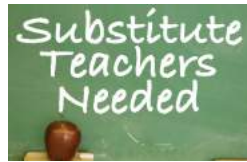
Please use this link to sign up for Altar Serving.

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

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.



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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 LEGION OF MARY

“ Am I not here, I, who am your mother”

“ no estoy yo aquí que soy tu madre”

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The Department of Catholic Schools & The Department of Religious Education presents...

MAY DRAWING CONTEST

An opportunity for children in grades K - 8 throughout the Diocese to honor Our Blessed Mother during May through the gift of art!

Due March 31st, 2023

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 srmaryvianney@srdiocese.org
Entries become the property of The Diocese Santa Rosa and will not be returned. Questions about the contest: srmaryvianney@srdiocese.org



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

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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!

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