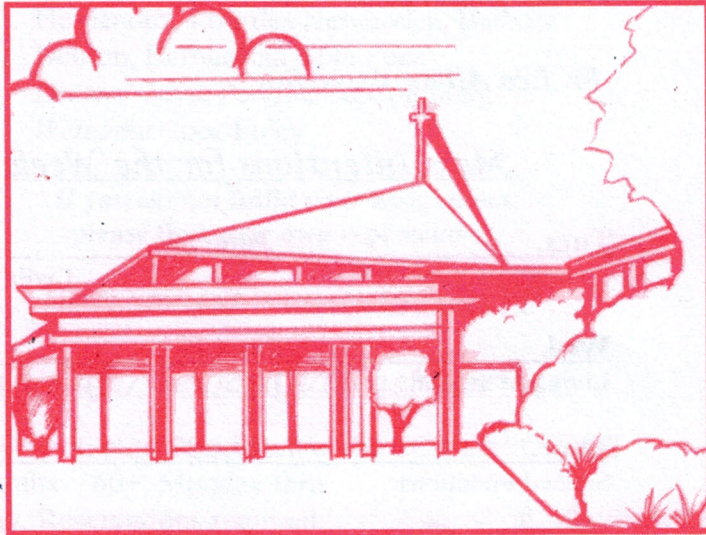


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MASSES:

Saturday	Crockett..... 4:30 pm (vigil)
Sunday	Crockett 9:00 am
	Port Costa 11:00 am
Weekdays	Crockett
	Tues. - Fri.....12:00 noon
Holy Days	Crockett 12:00 noon
	& 7:00 pm

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday	3:30 to 4:00 pm
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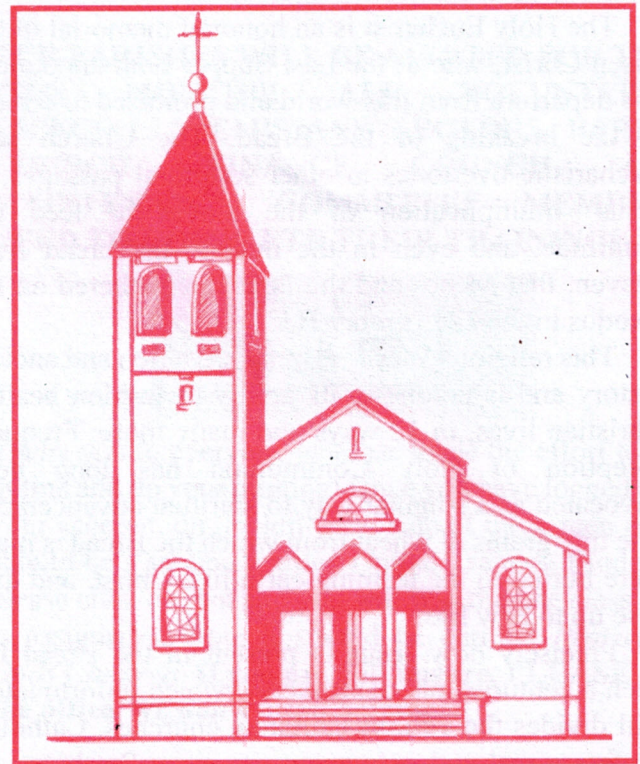
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St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa

WELCOME! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether longtime resident or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you! If you are not on our parish list—please fill out the form below and place in the collection basket or mail to the office.

Name _____ Phone _____

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From the Desk of Fr. Leo

Do you remember the old commercial: "Wonder bread builds strong bodies 12 ways"? It's a good example of the advertising technique called "implied uniqueness." The implication is that the other breads do not build strong bodies 12 ways - although probably they do, for they are all basically the same.

This weekend on the Feast of the Precious Body and Blood of Christ or Corpus Christi, we proudly present the "Wonder Bread of the Altar," making mighty claims about what this sacred Bread is and does. The Church is not using the technique of "implied uniqueness" but is saying outright: this is the Bread that came down from Heaven, and it is unique for it is the Body of Christ.

The Holy Eucharist is an honored memorial of the Risen Christ, who at the Last Supper both announced His departure from this world and promised to remain in the breaking of the Bread. The Church sees Eucharistic overtones in other scriptural passages, in Jesus' multiplication of the loaves to feed the multitude, and even in the manna, the bread from heaven, that Moses and the Israelites gathered on the Exodus in the 12th century B.C.

This religious Wonder Bread has a rich and ancient history and is unique in its ability to fashion healthy Christian lives, in 12 ways and many more. Frequent reception of Holy Communion has long been advocated as a singular way to spiritual advancement. The tiny grains of wheat from which the Bread is made were buried in the teeming earth like Christ, and then rose up to new life.

Precisely how Jesus is present in the Bread has been a centuries-old controversy, which unfortunately still divides the various Christian churches. Catholics profess a real and permanent presence; Presbyterians and Methodists understand it more in a figurative sense; some Lutherans follow a middle course and see the presence as real but temporary. Some see the presence in the Bread, others in the believers. In ecumenical pursuits most Protestants say that Communion is a "means" to achieve unity with a person of another denomination, and encourage intercommunion. Catholics see it as a "sign" of complete unity achieved, and therefore do not favor intercommunion.

We could improve unity between God and humanity and among people and religions in general if

we could make Jesus more present in our daily lives especially after we have received Holy Communion. If we profess the Real Presence, and in Holy Communion accept the Lord into our lives, then Jesus should be visible in us to all we meet.

Fr. Leo Alban Asuncion

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues.	June 25	Noon
Gerardo Bernardino †		Lydia & Bob
Wed.	June 26	Noon
Living Memorial		
Thur.	June 27	Noon
Special Intentions		
Fri.	June 28	Noon
Special Intentions		
Sat.	June 29	4:30pm
Joe Macaluso †		
Sun.	June 30	9am
People of the Parish		
Port Costa		11:00am
Marcelina Morales †		Your Children



Sunday Collection - June 16

Collection totals not available when this went to press! They will be included in next week's bulletin.

Thanks to all who support our Parish!



Corpus Christi

Welcome Committee, Lectors and Ministers

June 29: June Gallo, Lydia Banaga, Mary Duckworth

Lector: John Paradela

Welcome: Teresa Walker

June 30: Dixie Peralta, Sylvia Patino, Jesus Hernandez, Lourdes Hernandez, Barbara Denton, Bernardina de la Pena

Lector: Jesse Peralta, Ed Combong

Welcome: Inez Foley

If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please find your own replacement.

NEW SCHEDULES AVAILABLE!

CC Café/ Senior Outreach Services

Enjoy a hot, nutritious lunch at the CC Café! Offered for adults 60+, Monday thru Friday. Reservations required one business day in advance. \$3 donation suggested. 850 Pomona St. Crockett. Call today to make your reservations 787-1341.



Crockett Lions Pasta Feed

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019

5:00PM-7:30PM



Our Lions will be serving up pasta, meatballs, salad, rolls and dessert, with vegetarian sauce available. Coffee and tea will also be available. **\$15 for adults, and \$7 for kids under 12.** Tickets are available at the door. For more information, please call Mary at 925-825-0519.

Help support this Lion fundraiser for projects in and around our community!

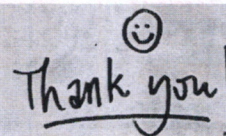


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Safe Environment Training

The Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People states, "Diocese/eparchies will establish safe environment programs. They will cooperate with parents, civil authorities, educators, and community organizations to provide education and training for children, youth, parents, ministers, educators, and others about ways to make and maintain a safe environment for children." In the Diocese of Oakland, this includes using the Virtus Program. As part of the Oakland Diocese, our Parish is able to access We need **ALL** of our wonderful volunteers to get online and schedule your training. The website is www.virtusonline.org, and if you need help or don't have access to the internet please call the office, 787-2052, or contact Mae Combong, (510) 455-9041

OUR PARISHES WILL BE AUDITED FOR THIS THIS MONTH!!! ALL VOLUNTEERS, ESPECIALLY EM'S AND LECTORS, PARISH COUNCIL, FINANCE COUNCIL AND MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS NEED TO COMPLETE THEIR TRAINING!


Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who has made the effort to get online and do your training! Once you have logged into your account, on the left-hand side of the screen there should be a section entitled Online Training Modules, please click on that and you will find the one class that is assigned to you, it should be entitled *Protecting Gods Children*. **If you are still unsure, PLEASE call the office, we don't mind helping!**

Next Sunday Second Collection

The Peter's Pence Collection has ancient roots that reach all the way back to New Testament times. The early Christians provided material support that the disciples—those preaching the Gospel—could distribute to those in need (see Acts 4:34-35, 11:29). Today, the Peter's Pence Collection is the way we, as members of the Catholic Church, unite ourselves to the concerns of the Holy Father. Donations to this collection support the charitable works of Pope Francis for the relief of those most in need.

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