St. Rose of Lima Church

555 Third Ave. · Crockett, California 94525-1114 · Tel. (510) 787-2052

Fr. Leo Asuncion, Administrator



TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

RECTORY / OFFICE.....(510) 787-2052

BAPTISMS: By appointment with the priest at least one month in advance.

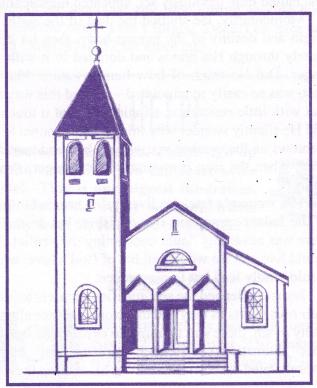
WEDDINGS: By appointment, at least six months in advance.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Notify the priest regarding those who are ill, hospitalized or homebound.

MASSES:

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30 to 4:00 pm



St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa

newly arrived in the	ne parish. We than	k God for you! If yo	u are not on	ther longtime resident o our parish list—please fil		
out the form below and place in the collection basket or mail to the office.						
Name	•	Phone				
				na 1994, temp discurred with July 1		
Address		City		Zip		
☐ New to Parish	☐ New Address	□ New Phone #	☐ Moving	☐ Send Envelopes		

From the Desk of Fr. Leo

"The Accused" ... a young woman, was forced in front of the crowd. The Accusers, the Scribes and the Pharisees, experts of and devotees to the ancient religious law, publicly announced her offense. The Judge, Jesus, also an expert Lawyer (but more people—than law centered), was challenged to pronounce the verdict.

This charade was orchestrated by the enemies of Jesus, not from a sense of justice but to publicly embarrass both Him and the woman. If He granted her freedom, He would be openly rejecting the law. If He observed the law and permitted her death for adultery, He would be contradicting His own previous teaching. The baited trap, deviously set, appeared inescapable.

Momentarily, He studied the dust of the earth, the origin and destiny of the human body, then let it run mutely through His hands and doodled in it with His finger. Did He think of how human nature, like the dust, was so easily manipulated – pushed this way and that with little resistance, clinging to what it touches? Did He silently wonder why this woman, known to the Hebrews as the weaker sex, should be condemned to death when the man presumably the stronger, should go free?

The woman's fate – to live or die- seemed to hang in the balance awaiting His decision, but in reality, there was never any doubt concerning the verdict. She would live and He would tell her of God's love, which would kindly lead her to repentance.

Jesus challenged the self-justified accusers to judge their own hearts as they had this woman. Since all were guilty of sin, there was no move to execute the woman. This dramatic yet tender message of mercy, demonstrated by Jesus and told by St. John, is the story of "The Stone Not Thrown."

Even today, many still believe in throwing stones which kill the good name of another – character assassination. Often those who smugly stand in judgment and hurl their condemnations are more guilty of the same sins than their accused victims.

Jesus doesn't snuff out the smoldering wick or break the bruised reed. He could trace the sins of any of us in the dust - not for others to see, but to show us that He knows. Jesus doesn't write them in rock to remain but in dust, to be blown away with His forgiving breath. The story of "The Stone Not Thrown" summons us to judge our hearts; to live and let live.

Fr. Leo Alban Asuncion

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues.	April 9	Noon
Special Intentions		
Wed.	April 10	Noon
Special Intentions		
Thur.	April 11	Noon
Special Intentions		
Fri.	April 12	Noon
Special Intentions		
Sat.	April 13	4:30 pm
People of the Parish		Polm
Sun.	April 14	9am
Meriam L. Escala †		Mariano
		Family
Port Costa	and the first of the same of	11:00am
People of the Parish		

Sunday Collection - March 31

St. Rose, Crockett/Regular Sunday	\$1713
Catholic Relief Services	\$223
St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa	\$170
Catholic Relief Services	\$35

Thanks to all who support our Parish!

Prayers for the Deceased



In your prayers, please remember in a special way, Keith Olsen.

Welcome Committee, Lectors and Ministers

April 13: Lydia Banaga

Lector: Marissa Perlas

Welcome: Hugh Duckworth April 14: Dixie Peralta, Sylvia Patino

Lector: Jenny Sebastian, Ed Combong

Welcome: Marleana Airoldi

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

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.

This Monday, April 8th, join the CC Café for brunch at 11:30!

Stations of the Cross

All Fridays during Lent, please remember that we have Stations of the Cross following the noon Mass.



Coming soon

Holy Week Liturgical Practice

Palm Sunday- April 7, 3:00 PM
Holy Thursday- April 14, 3:00PM
(Washing of feet 3:00, Ministers 4:00)
Good Friday – April 16, 6:00PM
Easter Vigil – April 17, 6:00 PM

THIS FRIDAY!!!!!

St. Rose Annual Fish Fry

The 34th Annual St.
Rose Fish Fry is this **Friday**, **April 12**th from 11:30am to 7:30pm in the St. Rose
Parish Hall. Adult dinner tickets are \$20
and children 12 and under are \$7. Beverages
will be available at a no host refreshment bar. Takeout dinners are available any time during serving hours.
Spread the word! Don't forget! Tickets on sale now!
Call (510)787-2052 for more info.

HELP!

Volunteers are needed! Please sign up in the vestibule if you can spare some time! This is our biggest fundraiser, and we could really use our whole family from St. Rose and St. Patrick.



ICF Members



11

11

11

11

Just a reminder, we meet this Tuesday, April 12th! Mass is at 5:30, dinner at 6:30 and meeting to follow at 7:30.

Second Sunday Social

Please join us next Sunday, April 14th after 9:00 o'clock Mass in the church hall to start off Holy Week! It is a great time to socialize and have a little snack. Dues are \$20 a member for the year, with a raffle drawing every time we meet.





830 Loring Avenue, Crockett, CA 94525 510-787-2121



1-888-Kel-Aire • 510-245-4140 4 Parker Ave., Rodeo www.Kelaire.com

Healing Touch

Bodywork/Skin Care Bobbie Sanford, CMT39412 Licensed Esthetician, Z63297

(510) 334-7832

CROCKETT BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE

Payroll Services • Income Tax Preparation Bookkeeping • IRS Audit Representation **Business Tax Preparation**

628 2nd Ave. • Ste. 105 Crockett, CA 94525 (510) 787-1603 Fax (510) 787-1031

RODEO IARDWARE

MON: 8-5 TUE-FRI: 8-6 SAT: 9-5 SUN: 9-1 670 Parker Avenue Rodeo, CA 94572

(510) 799-6420



MLS IR

JAN ORSI-McCULLOUGH

- BROKER -

Top Producer/Chairman's Club

The Best Breakfast In Town Weekdays 6 am to 2 pm Sat & Sun 7 am to 2 pm

240 Parker Ave. • Rodeo

ITALIAN CATHOLIC



Meets Second Tuesday

DOLAN'S LUMBER, DOORS & WINDOWS DOLANS Sells Everything

to Build Anything Redwood & Cyclone Fencing • Patio • Decking Discount on All Lumber & Building Supplies

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK 990 San Pablo Ave., Pinole

724-8753

Specializing in Crockett and serving Contra Costa County 510-799-4400 CalBRE#00824246 Cell: 510-541-5776 Wilson & Kratzer Mortuaries

Wilson & Kratzer Hosselkus Chapel - FD 933 (510) 799-1411

Serving Our Families for 100 Years

Wilson & Kratzer Chapel of the Mission Bells - FD 881 (510) 232-6552

Wilson & Kratzer Civic Center Chapel - FD 195 (510) 232-4383

Joseph K. Newkirk Managing Partner

PROFESSIONAL

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Management - Retail - Sales Residential - Commercial - Leasing

510-758-5636

ppm4rent.com

CA BRE 01902148

a Strada

Tel. (510) 237 - 9047 Open 7 Days a Week Lunch & Dinner

www.LaStradaSanPablo.com 2215 Church Lane, San Pablo, CA 94806

Bring this ad & receive a complementary dessert (Tiramisu or Gelato) *With the purchase of 2 meals*

Lanny Porteous, D.D.S. Linda Porteous, R.D.H.

RODEO SAFEWAY CENTER 665 PARKER AVE.

RODEO, CA 94572 (510) 799-1100

www.LarryPorteousFamilyDentistry.com

Sugar City Pet Supply



Locally Owned & Operated

> Hours: Tues. - Sat. 10:30 - 7:00

1308 Pomona St. • 510-722-3084

Dental Care For The Entire Family Gentle Personal Attention

General and Family Dentistry DOUGLAS M. YARRIS, D.D.S.



ST. JOSEPH

Start planning today: Funeral | Cremation | Cemetery | Family Estates

(855) 894-6540 cfcsoakland.org

Call to inquire about available discounts. Serving all faiths throughout the Bay Area!

Living Our Mission

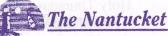
CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY SERVICES A MINISTRY OF THE DIOCESE OF OAKLAND

J&L MARKET

491 POMONA ST., CROCKETT (510) 787-1805

Open 7 am to 10 pm 7 days

SERVING OUR COMMUNITY FOR OVER 25 YEARS



WATERFRONT DINING ON THE CROCKETT MARINA Located at the Foot of Port Street FOR RESERVATIONS

(510) 787-2233

POR FAVOR APOYE A ESTOS ANUNCIANTES