

ST. ELIZABETH, Guerneville

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA, Monte Rio • ST. COLMAN, Cazadero
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Office Hours: Tue - Fri 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Father Luis Peñaloza, PASTOR

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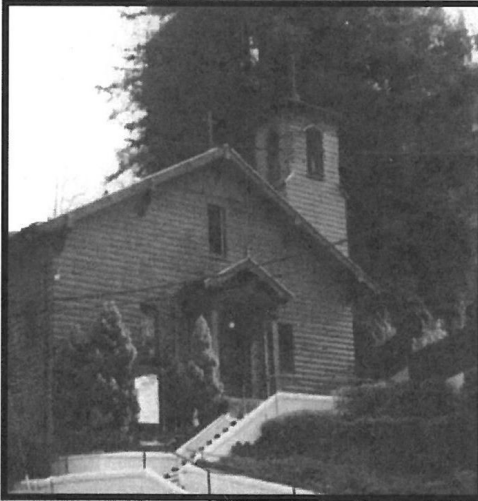
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St. Elizabeth, Guerneville

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses: Tue - Fri. 9:00 a.m.

Outdoor church July 4th weekend through

Labor Day weekend.



St. Colman, Cazadero

Mass Schedule

Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Outdoor church

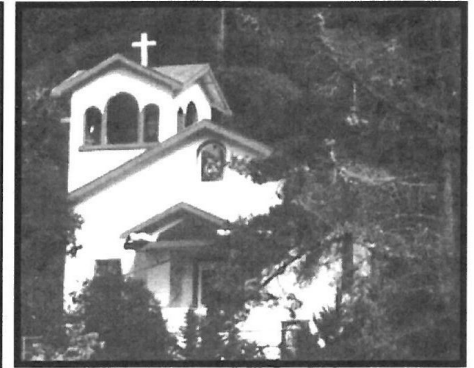
Memorial Day

through Labor Day

St. Catherine of Siena, Monte Rio

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 p.m.



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May 19, 2024 Pentecost Sunday

Upcoming Dates

May 19 10:30 am	Taco Luncheon
May 26 12:00 pm	St Colman Guild Meeting
June 1 9am-4pm	Rummage Sale
July 25	113 th Annual Monte Rio Variety Show
Aug 21 4:00 pm	Finance Committee Meeting

Mass Intentions

For all parishioners.

Readings

Vigil	Day
Gn 11: 1-9 or Ex 19: 3-8a. 16-20b or Ez 37: 1-4 or Jl 3: 1-5	Acts 2: 1-11 Ps 104: 1. 24. 29-30. 31. 34 1 Cor 12: 3b-7. 12-13 or Gal 5: 16-25
Ps 104: 1-2. 24. 35. 27-28. 29. 30	Sequence Veni Creator Spiritus
Rom 8: 22-27	Jn 20: 19-23
Jn 7: 37-39.	or Jn 15: 26-27; 16: 12-15

Pray For Our Brothers And Sisters

Who are ill or in pain: Robbi Ernst, Sally-Ann Thomas, Theresa Martin, Chaz Decoteau, Chu-An Lee, Doug, Pete

Who have been called to Eternal Life: Harry Vogl, Patricia Putallaz

Parish Donations

You can donate online by scanning the QR code at the bottom of the bulletin or by visiting stelizabeth.churchtrac.com/give

Collection Period	1 st Collection	\$1,221.00
May 11-12	2 nd Collection	\$512.00
	<i>Thank you for your generosity!</i>	\$1,733.00

Announcements

St Elizabeth Parking

The owner of the tan garage building right next to St Elizabeth on Armstrong Woods road is asking our parishioners to please stop parking in front of his garage. He is unable to access his garage when it's blocked by parked cars. We have ample parking available behind the fire station directly across the street from St Elizabeth Church at St Hubert Hall (parking lot and grass area behind hall). Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Taco Brunch

On Sunday, May 19th after Mass, we will gather for a taco brunch to honor the Latino members of our community and celebrate their role in our Parish. Meat and vegetarian tacos will be available, as well as a self-serve tequila bar.

Rummage Sale

St Vincent de Paul Chapter has taken over for the Guild and will be having our once a year Rummage Sale on Saturday June 1, 2024, 9am-4pm at St Hubert's Hall. We will be accepting gently used items on May 29-31 from 10am-2pm. For more info, if you would like to help, or, have questions on items we cannot accept please call Katrina (707) 868-0662 or Francine (707) 869-9341. See you there!

113th Annual Monte Rio Variety Show

Tickets will be available for purchase soon. See the schedule below. Our show date is Thursday, July 25, 2024. Our location is the Monte Rio Amphitheatre. Please check our website for details on restrictions (i.e. no food/beverage may be brought into the venue) and chair set up information. www.monterioshow.org

TICKET INFORMATION

May 16th (Thursday) tickets will be available at the following locations*

BARTLETT'S MARKET in Monte Rio.

LARK DRUGS in Guerneville.

**Our locations are active businesses and we appreciate your patience with their staff in accommodating your ticket purchase. Each purchaser is limited to 8 tickets.*

May 18th (Saturday) 10 am to 1 pm (Merchandise sold also)

For questions about future parish events, please contact Linda Payne at: (707) 953-9166 or cocomokidd@aol.com

Finance Committee Meeting	3 rd Wednesday*, 4 pm	St. Hubert Hall	* of February, May, August and November
St. Colman Guild Meeting	4 th Sunday, 12 pm	St. Colman	

Post Office in Monte Rio (see booth in adjacent lot)

May 18th & 19th Weekend Masses (will-call only, total of 125 available)

May 19th (12 am PDT)

Online Greater Giving, a link will be posted on our website and follow-up email will be sent.

Questions: send inquiries to info@monterioshow.org

Gratefully,
The Monte Rio Variety Show Committee

Annual Ministry Appeal 2024

The work of the *Annual Ministry Appeal (AMA)* is at heart your work, the work to which you are oriented by your Baptism: the service of God through service of your brothers and sisters in Christ. By making a gift to the *Annual Ministry Appeal, One Family in Mission*, you are able to touch souls and change lives throughout our diocese. Thank you to all who have already pledged, moving us closer to our goal as a parish community. Every gift is sincerely appreciated!

Parish Council

Our church has a Parish/Pastoral council. It consists of 9 members -Linda Payne, Barbara and Otto Kobler, Maryanne Gustafson, Susan Poirier, Patrick McDonell, Chris Kollaja, Mary Helt and Martha "Marti" Lownes. The committee meets monthly with Fr Luis, to discuss current and future projects and plans for the parish, and we advise Father on agenda items as needed. Please feel free to reach out to any council member with questions or concerns about our parish.

Monthly Collection Report

The Parish Council has decided to publish the collections on a monthly basis beginning January of 2023. This collection report will show both the collections at Mass but also our online collections. It also shows the estimated expenses that are required to operate our Parish and Mission Churches. We hope to update this on or after the 15th of the following month.

Pastor's Desk

Happy Pentecost Sunday! Today we are also celebrating Darcy's First Communion during the 9:30 am Mass. Darcy has been taking classes focused on our Catholic traditions and faith. Next year she will be receiving her Sacrament of Confirmation presided by Bishop Vasa at the St Eugene Cathedral on the Feast of Pentecost.

I hope everyone can make it to our Taco Luncheon after the 9:30am mass!

Confessions

Fr Luis is available to hear Confessions after 9 am Mass on Fridays and before weekend Masses. Please call the rectory to confirm with him, so that he knows to stay late on Friday or arrive early on the weekend. Alternatively, a more convenient time can be scheduled with him by calling the rectory at (707) 869-2107.

In our time, wind power has become a major source of renewable energy. This power, which is all around us and taken for granted by most of us, can be received in new ways to help us generate electricity. So also, can the ways that we pray be steps toward allowing God to transform our hearts. Whether it be praying the psalms or reading the Scriptures of practicing centering prayer, such letting go and letting the Holy Spirit work more deeply within us has the potential to be revolutionary.

The Storm wind on Pentecost seems to have been strong and only long enough to get the disciples' attention. Then it took the form of tongues, of the fire that settled upon each of those gathered. Instead of the fire of lightning, this storm wind brought a flame that lingered with and energized the disciples. These unusual occurrences in their surroundings placed the disciples in a new space. These were not mere disturbances of the weather; they were manifestations of an encompassing reality ----one that had been with them all along but now was present with them in a new form.

The Spirit not only gave them a message but also gave them the strength and the skills to communicate that message. The Holy Spirit spoke to the hearts and souls of the disciples in ways that they could not fully comprehend, but intuitively, that reality made sense and brought them deeply into connection with the world around them.

When we speak of the Catholic Church and the Catholic tradition, we are saying that we are united in one Body because we have received one Spirit. For all of the many tensions and disagreements that have torn this Body apart over the centuries,' it is still one Body. The church is bigger than any one of us. It is bigger than the pope; it is bigger than any particular group within the church. The church is the Body of Christ. Let us together rejoice in the Spirit and proclaim the Good News boldly.

Peace and Blessings!
Fr. Luis



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