## Saint Catherine of Siena R.C. Church

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# Served by the Missionaries of St Charles - SCALABRINIAN Fathers Fr. JOSE GABRIEL Forero Martinez, c.s. (Pastor) Fr. TIZIANO Paolazzi, c.s. (Associate Pastor) Fr. SANTO Cigolini, c.s. (in Residence) Deacon Roy Emmanuel

#### **WEEKDAYS MASSES:**

**Weekdays:** Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

#### **SUNDAY MASSES:**

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English) Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (English)

10:00 a.m. (Italian) 11:30 a.m. (English) 1:00 p.m. (English)

2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,

only 3rd Sunday of the Month)

4:00 p.m. (English)

6:00 p.m. (Misa en espanol)

#### **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:**

St. Catherine of Siena School 905-277-2448
St. Timothy School 905-277-0990
Mary Fix School 905-270-3140
Fr. Daniel Zanon School 905-279-3722

"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

#### **BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:**

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

#### **CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:**

Saturday - Sabado: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

#### **MARRIAGES - BODAS:**

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)
Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental) Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

#### SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY-SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

#### PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

#### **REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL**

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usd y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

This Sunday's readings encourage us to truly believe in the resurrection of Jesus and to accept his love. In the gospel, Jesus appears to his disciples and helps them understand his death and resurrection.

The readings touch on several interconnected themes that are so important to understanding the Easter season and its meaning in Christian life. Here are the main themes:

**Repentance and Forgiveness**: A central theme, especially highlighted in the readings from Acts and the Gospel of Luke, is the call to repentance (turning back to God) and the promise of forgiveness. It underscores God's mercy and willingness to forgive sins for those who turn to Him and acknowledge their wrongdoings.

**The Fulfillment of Prophecy**: Both the first reading and the gospel, emphasize that Jesus' life, death, and resurrection were all part of God's plan, foretold in the scriptures.

**Witnessing to the Resurrection**: The Gospel and the first reading both highlight the importance of witnessing the resurrection of Jesus. The disciples are called to share the news of Jesus' resurrection and the forgiveness of sins with all nations, emphasizing the role of Christians to bear witness to the truth of Jesus' life, death, and resurrection.

Jesus as Advocate and Atonement: The second reading from 1 John presents Jesus as the advocate for sinners and the atonement for our sins. It highlights the mediating role of Jesus between humanity and God, and the universal scope of Jesus' sacrifice, which is not limited to a single group but is extended to the whole world.

<u>Obedience to God's Commands</u>: True knowledge of Jesus is demonstrated through obedience to His commands, as mentioned in the letter of John. This theme ties in with the idea of living according to God's will as a response to understanding and accepting Jesus' role as our savior and advocate.

<u>The Physical Resurrection of Jesus</u>: In the Gospel reading, Jesus shows His physical form to His disciples, eating with them and allowing them to touch Him. This emphasizes the physical reality of the resurrection, countering any notion that it was merely a spiritual or symbolic event.

All these themes together reinforce the message of Easter as a time of renewal, hope, and spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ to the world.

Today's reflection is attributed to: young-catholics.com



#### Saturday, April 13

St. Martin I

8:00am Thanksgiving from Jo-Anne & Robert
Travassos for 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
7:00pm + Anna Sutera

#### Sunday, April 14 Third Sunday of Easter

8:30am + Pasqua, Joseph & John Bon & Mary McDonald

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Deceased of Pasqual & Rebellato Families

4:00pm + Adnan Zohrob

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

#### Monday, April 15

8:00am For all Parishioners 7:00pm For all Parishioners

#### Tuesday, April 16

8:00am For all Parishioners 7:00pm For all Parishioners

#### Wednesday, April 17

8:00am For all Parishioners 7:00pm For all Parishioners

#### Thursday, April 18

8:00am For all Parishioners 7:00pm For Our Parishioners

#### Friday, April 19

8:00am For all Parishioners 7:00pm For all Parishioners

#### Saturday, April 20

8:00am + Joe Karaz

7:00pm + Agostinho & Maria Lucinda Mota, Joe Coda & Lucia Amodeo

#### Sunday, April 21 Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30am + Florencio Hernandez & Beatriz Diego

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Safe Delivery of Sue Ellen Pereira

2:30pm Filipino Community Mass

4:00pm + Giovanni Pasquale Rinaldi

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

#### ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

"FAMILIA MISIONERA". Reunión de formación y oración, todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30pm en el salón parroquial "Grande". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

"GRUPO DE RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA

*CATÓLICA*". Igualmente, todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30pm en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini" tenemos asamblea de oración y alabanza. Bienvenidos a todos los que deseen participar en estos encuentros.

"SANTO ROSARIO Y EUCARISTÍA". Todos los domingos a las 5:30pm. rezaremos el Santo Rosario y a las 6:00pm participaremos en la celebración eucarística. Después de la misa, generalmente tenemos nuestro tradicional "Café de la amistad" en el salón parroquial "Scalabrini". Esta es una oportunidad para compartir y conocernos mejor como comunidad Hispana.

**BIBLE STUDY** will resume this Tuesday April 23rd Messianic Fulfillment – Part 1 (49:48)

THE LEGION OF MARY meets every Tuesday at 5:45pm in the Meeting Room. All are welcome.

#### **ENGLISH PRAYER GROUP**

In person every Saturday at 2:30pm in Scalabrini Hall at St. Catherine of Siena Church

#### PILGRIMAGE TO Portugal, France & Spain

Pilgrimage is now fully booked.

#### St Catherine of Siena Summer Camp

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(Week 2) August 12th to 16th

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Early Bird Special until June 1st:

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Register Online:

https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/summer-camp

Bring Payment to the Parish Office or e-transfer to

office@stcatherine.ca

Registration closes July 10<sup>th</sup>

Contact: Sister Yadira 905-272-1454 ext. 9 or

stcatsienayouth@gmail.com

#### **EDGE CAMP - 2024**

**Date**: August  $21^{st} - 25$ Who: Grades 6 to 8

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**Register Online:** Edgecamp.campbrainregistration.com

Registration are open until May 31st

More information here:

https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/edge

#### MOTHER'S DAY DINNER DANCE

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Main Hall

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photos and prizes

#### **DATES FOR SACRAMENTS 2024**

FIRST RECONCILIATION
Tues., Apr. 30 7:00pm Fr. Zan
Wed., May 1 7:00pm St. Cath 7:00pm Fr. Zanon, Mary Fix & Others 7:00pm St. Catherine of Siena School 7:00pm St. Timothy & Atrium Schools Thurs., May 2

#### FIRST COMMUNIONS

Sat., May 11 10:00am Fr. Zanon & Other Schools

Sat., May 11 2:30pm Mary Fix School

Sat., May 25 10:00am St. Catherine of Siena School

Sat., May 25 2:30pm St. Timothy & Atrium Schools

#### **CONFIRMATIONS**

Mon., May 27 7:00pm St. Timothy & Atrium Schools

Tues., May 28 7:00pm St. Catherine of Siena School

Wed.., May 29 7:00pm Fr. Zanon & Mary Fix Schools

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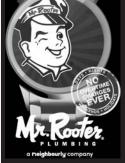




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