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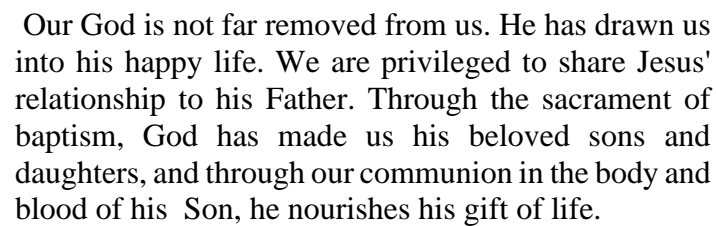
From the Desk of Fr. Leo

We use many adjectives in referring to God. We say that God is wise, powerful, merciful, and loving. Before each adjective we may place the word “most”. An impressive list can be drawn up to indicate the attributes of God, all of them in the superlative, but a question remains. Is God happy?

One would think so, God does not have to drive the freeways, he never has to stand in line for anything, and he is not required to pay taxes. With all that, something seems to be missing, even in the revelation of God to his Chosen People. The People of God were surrounded by tribes and nations which believed in many gods. They worshiped the god of agriculture and the god of fertility, the god of peace and the god of war. Some tribes worshiped the sun, the moon and the stars. Each group also had its own national god.

Not so the Israelites. To them God revealed himself as the one, true Lord, the God of all creation. No people were more blessed than they, and yet God still seemed distant and perhaps even lonely in all his majesty. Jesus revealed a fuller picture of God. By coming into our world and manifesting himself as Son of God, he showed that God is actually a father. God not only possesses all life; he shares that life with another, his divine Son. Uniting Father and Son in an eternal embrace of love is the Holy Spirit. God is not alone. He lives a wonderful life of mutual love. God's happiness is that he is a family.

When I see young parents holding their infant lovingly in their arms to be baptized, and I sense the elation which they feel, then I know that God is happy. When I observe fathers and mothers, their eyes filled with tears of joy, watching their little children receive Holy Communion for the first time, then I know that God is happy. When I hear parents speak proudly of their sons and daughters who have graduated with honors, then I know that God is happy.



This weekend we celebrate the mystery of the Blessed Trinity, Father, Son and the Holy Spirit. It is the reality of a happy God whose life and love we share.

Fr. Leo Alban Asuncion

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues.	June 17	11:00AM
Myrna Leal †		Angelina Nagy & Christi
Wed.	June 18	11:00AM
Thanksgiving		Ed & Mae
Thur.	June 19	11:00AM
Hipolita Cristobal †		Buenaflor- Roth Family
Fri.	June 20	11:00AM
Crescensia Junio †		Buenaflor - Roth Family
Sat.	June 21	4:30PM
Sid Jensen Sr. †		
Sun.	June 22	9:00AM
Jorge, Tomasa, Jose & Manuel †		Family
Port Costa		11:00AM
People of our Parish		

Sunday Collection - June 8th

St. Rose, Crockett	\$2212
Communications	\$472
St. Patrick Mission	\$ N/A

Thank you again to all who support our Parish! We know how generous you have been in the changing times!

***In able to meet our 2025 budgets, we would like to remind parishioners that we will need a minimum of \$2,100 for Sunday plate collections at St. Rose every weekend, and \$250 every Sunday at St. Patrick Mission. **



WE ARE BACK!

Join us for a fun relaxing morning of carefree painting and coffee! Enjoy a light breakfast and lunch while you get the chance to paint a simple canvas, guided by a wonderful instructor from our parish. And of course, there will be coffee!! All of this for \$30, plus your painting to take home as a memento. Set some time aside for yourself; all are welcome!



Direct your children onto the right path,
and when they are older, they will not leave it.

PROVERBS 22:6



YOU'RE INVITED TO CELEBRATE WITH US!

SUNDAY, JULY 20TH

11 am until 6 pm
Bring something for our food drive bin
Items we need
Instant Mac and Cheese
Granola Bars
Fruit Bars
Instant Ramen Noodles

First 30 food donations get a free gift!!!!

Saint Vincent de Paul

Over the last several months, our Parish Council has begun working with the local, St. Patrick chapter, of St. Vincent de Paul. This chapter helps serve the communities of Crockett, Rodeo, Torme and Port Costa. In addition to collecting food, the council members agreed that our parish would like to contribute financially as well. To do this, we will be devoting the second collection from the last Sunday of the month (for months that have five Sundays) to St. Vincent de Paul. This month will be the first month! So, the collection on June 28/29 will be going to St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your help in serving those in our community.

