

St. Felicitas Catholic Church

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Mission Statement : *St. Felicitas is a vibrant diverse Catholic Faith Community. We celebrate the Living Word of God and the presence of Christ Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. We nurture the formation of Faith through education and works of charity. In our various ministries, we promote Prayer, Justice, and Peace. We welcome all to share in the Love of God.*

AUGUST 16, 2026



20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour. - Mt 15:28

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Mass Schedule :

Chương Trình Thánh Lễ / Horario para Misas

Sunday / Chúa Nhật / Domingo

7:30 am - 9:00 am - 10:30 am (English)
12:30 pm (Spanish) 4:30 pm (Vietnamese)

Saturday / Thứ Bảy / Sábado

7:00 am - 4:00 pm (Vigil)

Daily / Ngày thường / Diariamente

(Monday to Friday) 7:00 am & 8:15 am

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed everyday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm in the Chapel at the St. Joseph's Center (the Parish Office). We encourage all our parishioners to visit the Chapel and spend time with our Blessed Lord.

Parish Office Hours/Giờ làm việc VPGX / Horario de Oficinas

Monday / Thứ Hai / Lunes to 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Friday / Thứ Sáu / Viernes

Parish Staff/Nhân viên của Giáo xứ / Personal de la Parroquia

Rev. Peter D. Ngo, *Pastor* 510 351-5244
Fr. Ramon Urbina, *Parochial Vicar* 510 619-3104
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Deacon Timothy Myers, O.C.I.A.,/Pastoral Care 510 662-1020
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Parish School

Shannon Bellison, *Principal* 510 357-2530
1650 Manor Blvd. Fax: 510 962-5358

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)

Theresa Legaspi : saintfelicitascyo@gmail.com

Religious Education Office

Sandi Walton, *Director of Religious Education* 510 962-4199
stfelicitascdd@comcast.net

Youth Ministry

Geri Lara, *Youth Services* 510 907 7741
stfelicitasconfirmation@yahoo.com

St. Vincent de Paul-Call Center 510-638-7600

Sacraments / Các Bí Tích / Sacramentos

Reconciliation / Giải Tội / Reconciliación

Monday to Friday - 7:30 am to 8:00 am
Saturday, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

Marriage / Hôn Phối / Matrimonio

Arrangements to be made 6 months
prior to the wedding.

Baptism : If you are planning to have your child baptized, parents must be registered members of the parish for at least six months. For more information call the parish office at (510) 351-5244.

We have Baptisms in English on the 4th Sunday of the month at 2:00 pm and Baptism classes for parents and godparents will be on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm - St. Mary's Center.

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Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish."

MATTHEW 15:28

August 16, 2026 - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sunday's Readings: Isaiah 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8;
Romans 11:13-15, 29-32; Matthew 15:21-28**

Gospel Reflection : *Does God ignore or act a bit rough with you? Jesus crosses the border into the pagan region of Tyre and Sidon, the territory long outside the covenant. There, a Canaanite woman calls out, "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David." At first, he is silent. Then he rebuffs her. "It is*

not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs." But the Church Fathers saw this not as an insult but as an initiation. Christ draws out of her heart a deeper faith.

She presses on. "Please, Lord, even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters." Jesus' silence and response solidify her humility and trust. She thus becomes a model for prayer for centuries of Christians. St. Augustine said she shows how sinners come to grace by moving from silence to humility to perseverance.

This woman is the Church. She is you and me. She is every soul who dares to cry out from the margins, who endures divine silence until it turns to compassion. When Jesus says, "O woman, great is your faith," it is the joyful cry of God discovering faith where the world least expects it. Even the smallest crumb of Your mercy, Lord, is enough to heal the soul. Do we have the courage to show faith like that?

— Father John Muir

Readings for the week of August 16, 2026

Mon: Ezekiel 24:15-23; Deuteronomy 32:18-19, 20, 21; Matthew 19:16-22
Tues: Ezekiel 28:1-10; Deuteronomy 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Matthew 19:23-30
Wed: Ezekiel 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Matthew 20:1-16
Thurs: Ezekiel 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Matthew 22:1-14
Fri: Ezekiel 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Matthew 22:34-40
Sat: Ezekiel 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Matthew 23:1-12

Observances for the week of August 16, 2026

Wednesday: St. John Eudes, Priest
Thursday: St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor
Friday: St. Pius X, Pope
Saturday: The Queenship of Mary

Inspiration of the Week

The Canaanite woman did not take Jesus' initial refusal as rejection, but as an invitation to engage with God, to show him the depth of her faith. When our prayers are not answered as we wish, will we have the courage to do the same?

Virtues, Explained - Wisdom

They say that wisdom comes with experience, and it does - but only if you accept it. Wisdom originates in both our will and in our intellect, meaning we must ask the Holy Spirit for the gift of wisdom - and remember to be ready when it comes.

Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed. — Isaiah 56:1

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Offering for August 09, 2026

Sunday Collection : \$ 9,463.00
Venezuela Earthquake : \$ 5,373.00
Victims

Second Collection this Sunday : Building Fund

Second Collection next Sunday : Bishop's Appeal

Thank you for your continued generosity!

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for August

For evangelization in the city : Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness, we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.



AUGUST 22

The Queenship of Mary

This feast day recognizes Mary as the "Queen of Heaven and Earth" and celebrates her special role in salvation.

Having declared the dogma of the Assumption, that "the Immaculate Mother of God . . . was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory," Pope Pius XII then established the feast of her Queenship in 1954. He set the date for the octave (8th day) after the Solemnity of the Assumption, that is, August 22nd each year.

This feast honors Mary's role as queen of heaven and earth, sharing in the kingship of Jesus. **Mary is queen because she is the mother of Jesus, the eternal King.** As the glorified Jesus remains with us as our king till the end of time (Matthew 28:20), so does Mary, who was assumed into heaven and crowned queen of heaven and earth. Just as Jesus was to be king of all creation, Mary, in dependence on Jesus, was to be queen.

Mary Queen of heaven & earth, Pray for us!

PARISH MINISTRIES & SCHEDULES

Adult Confirmation

Classes every Saturday, at 9:00 a.m. at the St. Mary's Center. For more information contact Maria Lara-Puleo at (510) 877-2888 or email her at maripazlara2211@gmail.com

Faith Formation

English: Director of Religious Education - Sandi Walton

For information call (510) 962-4199

Spanish : Marvin Ramos - President (510) 919-4314

Lesly Perez - Span. Assoc.Coordinator
(510) 907-2028

Maria Castillo - CCD (510) 380-8040

Vietnamese: Mr. Hoang Hung

Classes: Sunday 1:00pm, Vietnamese Language
3:00pm, Catechism

OCIA-the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Meetings held in person at the St. Joseph's Center every Tuesday at 6:30 pm - Contact Deacon Timothy Myers

Youth Ministry

Youth Confirmation - Contact Geri Lara

Classes in person on the following days :

1st year Sunday at 9:00 am :

2nd year Sunday at 11:30 am

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Every Wednesday morning after 7 am Mass

Rosary Devotion - Daily after the 7:00 am morning Mass

Catholic Daughters

Catholic Daughters invite you to meet on the 3rd Monday of each month in St. Mary's Center at 6:30 pm. Contact Lorine Bakowsky at (510) 461-7317 or email cdacourtmqw@gmail.com for more information.

Legion of Mary : Meets every Wednesday at 5:00 pm in the St. Mary's Center. Contact the Parish Office at (510) 351-5244 for more information

Knights of Columbus - invites Catholic men to join. If interested please contact Carl Webb at (510) 813-5957 or email Carlwebb3@gmail.com

BSA and Cubs: Come join the Cubs & Scouts-Ages 5 to 17. We meet every Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the Social Hall. If interested please contact Carl Webb at (510) 813-5957 or email Carlwebb3@gmail.com

Our Lady of Fatima Devotion



Our next devotion to the Blessed Mother will be on Friday, September 11th at 7:00 pm. Procession will start at 7:00 followed by Holy Mass and the Rosary. The Spanish Assoc. will lead the devotion. Please join us.

On Tuesday, October 13th, we will conclude our monthly devotion to Our Lady of Fatima. The school and children from our faith formation classes will lead the devotion.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Our Church needs your help!!

We are looking for volunteers to help at the Parish Office to assist with the telephones and other office duties. If you think this is something you can do and you are interested, please contact Sharon at the Parish Office (510) 3515244.

Thank you

ST. FELICITAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal—Shannon Bellison

St. Felicitas Preschool - Spaces are still available for the 2026-2027 school year! We are currently accepting applications for children turning 3 years old by September 1, 2026. Apply online at <https://stfelicitas-school.org/>. Please contact the preschool director Ms. Maya at 510-357-2530 or email mbaruah@csdo.org for more information.

St. Felicitas Catholic School is also accepting applications for the 2026-2027 school year for TK (4 year olds) through seventh grade. Apply online at <https://stfelicitas-school.org/> or contact the school office at 510-357-2530 for more information.

Is God Calling You to be a Sister?

What is God's Dream for you?
"Come and See"

Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul
**Join Us For Our Weekend
Vocation Discernment Retreat**
September 25 - 27, 2026

Los Altos Hills, CA

Stay with us! Pray with us!

www.Daughters-of-Charity.com

www.DaughtersOfCharity.com

For Single Catholic Women 18 - 40.



FIRST COMMUNION WORDSEARCH

Find the hidden First Communion words.

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Welcome New Parishioners !

If you are not currently registered, please take a moment to fill this out and return it to the parish office, or you may drop it in the collection basket so we may contact you.

Name : _____ Phone: _____ Email : _____

Address : _____ City : _____ Zip Code : _____

☐ Updating Parish Information

☐ New Parishioner

☐ Put on mailing list

☐ Send Sunday Envelopes

☐ New Address



Mass Intentions
Ý Lễ trong tuần
Intensions' para las
Misas

Week of
August 15,
2026

Sat.	08/15	4:00 pm	Henry, Connie & Tina Ofman†
Sun.	08/16	7:30 am	Parishioners
		9:00 am	Randy White †
		10:30am	Josh Verdeflor †
		12:30pm	David & Jose Rico †
Mon.	08/17	7:00 am	Alma I. Vales †
		8:15 am	Constance Ofman †
Tue.	08/18	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		8:15 am	Sylia Debrusselase †
Wed.	08/19	7:00 am	Lorine Bakowsky (L)
		8:15 am	Maria Huynh †
Thur.	08/20	7:00 am	Veronica Armstrong (L)
		8:15 am	Rosita Sanchez Granillo †
Fri.	08/21	7:00 am	Ernesto Esnil Castro †
		8:15am	Jessica Calderon (L)
Sat.	08/22	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		4:00 pm	Jose Vargas †
Sun.	08/23	7:30 am	Desyta C. Quinto †
		9:00 am	Parishioners
		10:30am	Purification Bautista †
		12:30pm	Felipe Amezcua and Tristan Avila †

L-Living †-Deceased A-Anniversary B-Birthday T-Thanksgiving H-Healing

Please pray for our sick relatives and friends

Denise Abero	Jezza Mae Salvatierra	Sheila Bickerton
Jennifer L. Aguilar	Ruben Reygoza	Adelaida Gutierrez
Barbara O'Connor	Bill Siem	Erlinda Reyes
Sal & Marlene Costilla	Jeff Ahlberg	Robert Lopez
David Boles	Erika Vargas	Tillie Gumataotao
Tony Silveira	Cathlyne Vargas	Mariah Vicedo
Geoffrey Salvatierra	Mia Loto	Josue Zazueta
Luningning Hobbs	John Lara Salvatierra	Elizabeth Lujan
Virgie Mercado	Gilbert Castillo	Joanna David
Reynald Corldani	Grace I. Robinson	Billy Schmalfeldt
Martin Indalecio	Tony Ysguerra	Hans Niehall
Julie Chin	Evangeline Herrero	Eusebio H. Patron, Sr.
Donald Solomon	Ana Estaniel	Brandon Robinson
Leonie Solomon	Patricia Coffey	Fernando Silva
Grace Pehl	Giana Sorbello	Nardo Macapagal
Ruben Aguayo	Magali Lazcano	Jennifer Perez
Brian Keith Robinson	Tiana Lara	Roberto P. Garcia
Jeff Ibrahim	Lucille Oliver	Karen Muskopf
Dan Bautista	Bob Carella	Ronald Beeman
Raymond Bautista	Jim White	Victor Mullins

Bishop's Ministries Appeal

Our Goal this year is \$34,300. So far we have reached 57% - 43% yet to be achieved. I'm sure we can do it!

*Loving and merciful God, we are your family, brothers and sisters entrusted with the mission of your Church in the Diocese of Oakland. Thank you for the precious gift of Your Most Holy Eucharist. Thank you for transforming us by it, and for filling us with your Divine Love so we can help bring Your Presence to our families, friends, neighborhoods, and the world. May our Blessed Mother, Queen of the World and patroness of our Diocese, lead us to You and walk with us in our challenges and struggles. May our work, through the **Bishop's Ministries Appeal**, bring You joy and bring Your gentle mercy and care to all we serve. Amen*



Pray for those who serve in the armed forces

Shianne Solomon - Sgt. Army
Jamie Placheno - Sgt. Military
Cassandra Maier - Airforce
Guyon Ducker - Marines
Manuel Gonzalez-Cmdr. U.S.Navy
Brian T. Lara - M.Sgt. Air Force
Troy Meno (Air Force)
Brittany Manglona (Air Force)
Ryland Toves - Navy
Julian Chan - Marines
Kaden Milner - Navy
Marquis Loto - Navy
Capt. Matt Peñaranda-Army
Enzo Barcelona - Army
MA Glory C.L. Newell - Navy
1stSgt. Ron E. Hesson - Army
Christopher Pangilinan - Military

If you know anyone who is serving please call the office



Please pray for the deceased and their loved ones

Daniela Downing - 07/28/26
Antonio V. Gonzalez - 08/05/26

St. Felicitas Parish -Spanish-Speaking Community

Domingo: Is 56, 1. 6-7/Sal 66, 2-3. 5. 6 y 8/Rom 11, 13-15. 29-32/Mt 15, 21-28

XX Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario - Mateo 15:21-28

“Los llevaré a mi cerro santo y haré que se sientan felices en mi Casa de oración” (Isaías 56:7). Es decir, Dios acepta a todas las personas, sin distinción de raza o nación. Existen muchas personas que son maltratadas, humilladas o perseguidas, e incluso asesinadas, por su forma de pensar y de actuar en el ámbito social o político. En ocasiones, la persecución se da incluso dentro de la familia, tan solo por pensar diferente. ¿Qué nos pide Dios ante todo esto? ¿Qué opinas del mensaje de Jesús a través de su Palabra?

El Evangelio de hoy es una catequesis sobre la aceptación de todas las personas, a partir del ejemplo de la mujer cananea que buscaba en Jesús compasión para ella y para su hija. Aunque pueda resultar difícil de comprender, Dios no actúa como el ser humano: no es egoísta y está para todos. El diálogo entre Jesús y la mujer así lo demuestra. Por eso Él le dice: *“Mujer, ¡qué grande es tu fe! Que se cumpla tu deseo”*. Y en aquel momento quedó sana su hija (Mateo 15:28). El mensaje de la Palabra de Dios supone que debemos de aprender algo y ponerlo en práctica de inmediato: revisar nuestra actitud y la forma en que tratamos a los demás, especialmente a quienes consideramos diferentes por ser inmigrantes, de otro país o de otra cultura. Jesús cambia su actitud ante la petición de la mujer y, además, la enaltece por su gran fe. ¿Qué me enseña ese cambio? Pidamos al Señor que nos ayude a ser mejores y a tener un corazón más abierto, capaz de respetar y aceptar a las personas que piensan y actúan de manera diferente a nosotros.

SANTA FELICITAS

Formación en la Fe Hispana
Inscripciones para la catequesis

Primera Comunión y Confirmación

Se estarán entregando y recibiendo las aplicaciones todo este mes de Agosto después de misa de 12:30 pm en el vestíbulo de la parroquia.

Las Clases de Catecismo son los viernes de 7:00 p.m. a 8:20pm.

Requisitos

Primera Comuniòn



- Copia del Certificado de Bautismo
- Tener 8 años

Confirmaciòn

- Copia de certificado de Bautismo
- Copia de certificado de Primera Comuniòn
- Tener 14 Años cumplidos.



La orientación para padres de Familia serán las fechas siguientes

*23 de Agosto para padres de niños para Primera Comuniòn.

*31 de Agosto para padres de Jóvenes para Confirmaciòn.

Después de misa de 12:30pm en el Salón de Adultos

Devoción a nuestra Señora de Fatima Mayo a Octubre 2026

La procesión comenzará a las 7:00pm seguida de la Santa Misa y el Rosario.



Horario de misas: Todas a las 7:00 p.m.
11 de Septiembre -Lunes (Spanish Community)
13 de Octubre -Martes

Oportunidades de Voluntariado
¡Nuestra Iglesia necesita de tu ayuda!
Buscamos voluntarios para ayudar en la Oficina Parroquial con los teléfonos y otras tareas de oficina. Si estás interesado, comuníquese con Sharon en la oficina Parroquial al (510) 351-5244 Gracias.

Esta considerando en convertirse al catolicismo? Interesado en lo que creen los católicos? Entonces considere OCIA (La orden de iniciación Cristiana de Adultos)

OCIA es el proceso para que las personas se conviertan al catolicismo y reciban los sacramentos de iniciación. (Bautismo, Confirmación y Eucaristía) si estás interesado llame al la oficina al (510) 351-5244 Estas clases son en Inglés

Agosto 22

*Este día festivo reconoce a
María como la “Reina del cielo y
de la Tierra” y celebra su papel
especial en la salvación.*



Si aún no está registrado en la parroquia considere hacerlo ya que es necesario para cuando necesite un sacramento, cartas para migración o para ser padrinos, los formularios están disponibles con la Sra. Ceci o Mary, o en la oficina.

St. Felicitas Parish Vietnamese Community

MÙA THUỜNG NIÊN

Chúa Nhật: Thánh Lễ lúc 4:30 chiều

Thứ Sáu: Châu Thánh Thể lúc 7:30 tối và
Thánh Lễ lúc 8:00 tối

Văn phòng Giáo xứ mở cửa từ thứ 2 đến thứ 6 (9 giờ sáng đến 4 giờ chiều). Cùng với thời gian này, sẽ có Châu Thánh Thể trong Nhà Nguyện Thánh Giuse.

CÁC BÀI ĐỌC TRONG TUẦN

Thứ 2, 17/8: Ed 24:15-24; Mt 19:16-22

Thứ 3, 18/8: Ed 28:1-10; Mt 19:23-30

Thứ 4, 19/8: Ed 34:1-11; Mt 20:1-16

Thứ 5, 20/8: Ed 36:23-28; Mt 22:1-14

Thứ 6, 21/8: Ed 37:1-14; Mt 22:34-40

Thứ 7, 22/8: Is 9:1-6; Lc 1:26-38

Chúa Nhật 23/8: Is 22:19-23; Rm 11:33-36;

[Mt 16:13-20](#)

Thông Báo

- Trường St. Felicitas hiện đang nhận đơn nhập học cho chương trình “pre-school” và chương trình từ 4 tuổi đến lớp 7. Nếu phụ huynh có nhu cầu, xin liên hệ theo số: 510-357-2530 hoặc truy cập vào trang: <https://stfelicitas-school.org/>.

- Giáo xứ đã bắt đầu chương trình Tôn Vinh Đức Mẹ Fatima, bao gồm rước kiệu, lần hạt Mân côi, và Thánh lễ. Xin kính mời quý ông bà và anh chị em tham dự.

Chương trình này sẽ được tổ chức theo thời khóa biểu sau:

+ Thứ Hai, ngày 11 tháng 9 (7h tối)

+ Thứ Ba, ngày 13 tháng 10 (7h tối)

- Chương trình Giáo lý (2026-2027) dành cho các em từ lớp 1 đến lớp 8 (hiện không theo học tại các trường Công Giáo) đã bắt đầu nhận đơn đăng ký. Xin mời quý phụ huynh ghi danh hoặc liên hệ Sandi: 510-347-1282.

- Giáo xứ sẽ tổ chức lớp Giáo lý Dự tòng, bắt đầu vào ngày 10 tháng 8, lúc 6h30 tối. Vậy những ai có nhu cầu, xin liên hệ văn phòng Giáo xứ theo số: 510-351-5244.

- Giáo xứ sẽ tổ chức lớp Giáo lý Thêm Sức cho các em từ 13-17 tuổi vào tháng 9. Đơn sẽ có sẵn tại văn phòng Giáo xứ, hoặc sau các Thánh Lễ Chúa Nhật, bắt đầu từ ngày 15/8 đến ngày 12/9.

Mọi chi tiết xin liên hệ Geri Lara: 510 326 5693.

CHÚA NHẬT XX – MÙA THUỜNG NIÊN

Mt 15:21-28

TẤT CẢ ĐỀU ĐỒNG BÀN

Suy niệm: Thoạt nghe câu nói đầy cứng cỏi của Đức Giê-su, nhiều người không khỏi bất bình nghĩ rằng sao Chúa hắt hủi người dân bà ngoại giáo này như thế. Thực ra, Đức Giê-su đang đưa cho bà một cây sào để bà nắm lấy. Ở Đông Phương, gọi người khác là “chó” là một lời nguyền rủa rất nặng. Tuy nhiên, ở đây, Đức Giê-su dùng từ “chó con” để nói lên tính cách gia đình của nó trong gia đình chủ, được nuôi nấng, cưng chiều, khác với lũ chó hoang ngoài phố chợ. Có lẽ vì nhận ra được tính thân ái này mà bà đã tiếp tục đối đáp với Đức Giê-su và cuối cùng được ơn Chúa như người Ít-ra-en từng được.

Mời Bạn: Tại sao bạn gặp có cơ may có đức tin? Tại sao bạn được ưu đãi cho vào ăn “bánh của con cái Thiên Chúa”? Có phải vì thế mà bạn quên đi đám đông bao la đang chờ đợi các mảnh vụn từ bàn ăn thần linh này không? Thiên Chúa chọn ai trước là để họ góp công thực hiện mục tiêu cuối cùng này, là hết thảy mọi người phải được cứu độ.

Chia sẻ: Mối tương quan của bạn đang chỉ giới hạn giữa những người cùng đạo hay bạn đang có những cố gắng kết nối tương quan thân ái với những anh chị em ngoài Công giáo nữa?

Sống Lời Chúa: Bạn sắp xếp đi thăm viếng một gia đình ngoài Ki-tô giáo.

Cầu nguyện: *Lạy Chúa, Chúa dành cho con vinh dự được ăn bánh của con cái Thiên Chúa. Xin cho con biết rằng, Chúa cũng muốn nhiều anh em khác được ân phúc như con.*

Saint Felicitas Catholic Church

Faith Formation Registration 2026-2027



Registration has begun for the 2026-2027 school year for Faith Formation classes.

Classes are for children in grades 1st through 8th who do not attend Catholic school.

Time : Sunday from 9:15am-10:15am

Please contact Sandi 510-962-4199 to make arrangements to complete the necessary forms to enroll your child(ren). Registration forms must be processed and on file before your child(ren) can attend class. Faith Formation is a lifelong journey and does not end when a child receives the Sacrament of Eucharist.

***Start children off in the way they should go
and even when they are old, they will not
turn from it.
Proverbs 22:6***

Confirmation

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

St. Felicitas Church Youth Confirmation : 2026 - 2027

The St. Felicitas Youth Ministry is inviting all incoming high school students ages 13-17 years old to join our 2 year Confirmation program starting in September. Classes meet 2-3 Sundays per month. Class times are :

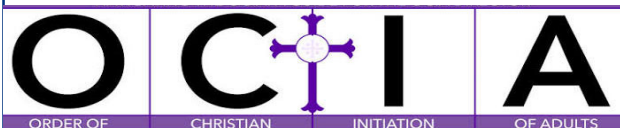
9:00 am -11:30 am for 1st year
10:30 am - 1:00 pm for 2nd year students

Please pick up a registration packet after all Sunday English masses starting August 15 until September 12, 2026. Registration forms will also be made available at the parish office during normal business hours starting in August.

Youth Confirmation program will begin September 13, 2026. There will be a mandatory parent & candidate orientation on Sunday, September 13th at the school gym.

3:00 - 4:30 pm for 1st year
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm for 2nd year

For more information, contact Geri @ 510-907 7741.



***Considering becoming Catholic ?
Then consider OCIA (the Order of Christian
Initiation of Adults)***

Last year at the Easter Vigil 13 candidates were initiated to the faith. Many others we are sure wish to learn more about our faith.

OCIA is the process for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation - Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. It is designed to fully incorporate a person into the Church. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church, now is the time!

The OCIA process goes through distinct phases and rites.

Alpha (September–November): Explore the basics of Christianity in an open, friendly environment.
Sacramental Preparation : Prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation.
Adult Faith Formation : Grow in your faith and learn to live it daily. (Also known as Mystagogy in OCIA.)

At St. Felicitas, a new OCIA session has just started. Sessions start at 6:30 pm at the St. Joseph's Center. If you are interested, please call the parish office at (510) 351-5244 for more information.