TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday, October 3, 2021



Jesus said, "From the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason, a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore, what God has joined together, no human being must separate." Mark 10: 6 - 9

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"Through prayer and service, the Saint Joseph family will strive to bring the community together to love, heal, and support one another as the people we are called to be in Christ."

WORSHIP AID



Parish Prayer

Oh Lord, You are the Potter, we are the clay.

Design us to reflect your glory as we rebuild your Church.

Fashion our ears to hear new ideas. Shape our hearts to appreciate others' creativity and insight. Form our eyes to see Jesus in each other. Mold our community to be united in our pilgrimage. Help us build a place of refuge, a holy temple, with Jesus as the cornerstone.

May we work together with love and care ever mindful that the spirit, not the structure is the essence of the design.

May we come together as a family of one, to be guided by the Father, Holy Spirit, and Son. Amen.

GATHERING - How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rollling thunder, Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; How great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee; How great thou art, how great thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander, And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze;

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin;

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, my God, how great thou art!

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GLORIA - Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heav'nly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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THE PSALM - Psalm 128: May the Lord Bless Us



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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION - All Sing: Alleluia

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DISMISSAL - Thy Word is a Lamp Unto My Feet

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

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PREPARATION - Christ Before Us

Christ before us, Christ beside us, Christ to guide us all our days. He to carry all our sorrows, he to bear us perfect grace. Jesus, Savior, Friend and Brother, Intercessor, Son of God, save your people in your dying, and in rising, conquer death.

May we be for one another all that you would have us be. May we live your law of kindness, love, compassion, charity. May we climb your holy mountain; may we see your holy face! Visit now this humble dwelling; dwell within this holy place. God before us through the ages; Christ beside us here today. Spirit, lead us forth forever; guide and help us all our days. Christ the Savior, God the Living, Great Creator, Spirit blest! Holy Three-in One Immortal, come and be our welcome guest.

O Redeemer, fill your servants with your words of lasting life. Give to those with hands of healing love transcending pain and strife. Make us loving sons and daughters; make us holy, kind and true, sent to labor for your Kingdom- restless till we rest in you.

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EUCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

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Mystery of Faith

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, We proclaim Your Death, O Lord, until You come again.

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Great Amen - All sing: Amen

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Prayer to Saint Michael

"Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. **May God** rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, **O** Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of Souls.

Amen."

LAMB OF GOD - Cantor / All

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (2x) Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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COMMUNION - Loving and Forgiving

Loving and forgiving are you, O Lord; slow to anger, rich in kindness, loving and forgiving are you.

All my being, bless the Lord, bless the holy name of God. All my being, bless the lord, rememb'ring the goodness of God.

God forgives us all our sins, healing those who live in pain, saving us from final death. God fills us with goodness and love. Good and gracious is the Lord, slow to anger, rich in love. God remembers not our sins; forgiving and loving is God.

As heaven soars above the earth, so great the love of God for us. As far as east is from the west, the Lord takes our sins from us.

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MISSIONING - Sent Forth by God's Blessing



WORSHIP

St. Joseph Prayer List:

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And please pray for those who have gone before us in faith. Apolonio Carpio Phyllis Sousa

Mass Intentions for the Week

October 2nd	5:30 pm	People of St. Joseph	
October 3rd	8:00 am 10:00 am	⁺ Ed & Pat Kurtz ⁺ Peter Tu Van Nguyen ⁺ Michael O'Leary ⁺ Ashlay Dias	
	12noon 3:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00 pm	 †Ashley Dias Intentions of Daniel Pena People of St. Joseph People of St. Joseph †Iluminada Francisco Gravador 	
October 4th October 5th October 6th October 7th October 8th	8:00 am 8:00 am 8:00 am 8:00 am 8:00 am	 [†]Corinne Cornejo [†]Cam Van [†]Felix Wang People of St. Joseph Intentions of Wilma Cabantac [†]Deceased Member of Chennat & Arakkal Family 	
October 9th	8:00 am	+ Souls in Purgatory People of St. Joseph	

Holy Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Holy Mass:	5:30 pm	The Mission	
Sunday Holy Mass:	8:00am	The Mission	
	10:00am	Main Church	
	12:00pm	Main Church	
	3:00pm	Main Church (Holy Mass in Vietnamese)	
	5:00pm	Main Church (Holy Mass in Chinese)	
	7:00pm	The Mission (Youth, Confirmation & Young Adults)	
Daily Holy Mass:	Monday th	ugh Saturday - In the Mission	
	7:30 am	Holy Rosary, Confession	
	8:00 am		
	8:30 am	Chaplet of Divine Mercy	
Thursday - Devotion to th	e Holv Eucha	arist: In the Mission	
	8:30 am - 6		
	6:00pm - 6		
	7:00 pm - 7		
First Wednesday of the m	onth - Devot	tion to Saint Joseph: 7pm Mass in the Mission	
First Friday of the month	- Devotion to	o the Sacred Heart of Jesus: 8am Mass in the Mission	
		n to the Immaculate Heart of Mary: 8am Mass in the Mission	
This Saturday of the hjol		The minaculate mean of Mary. Barn Mass in the Mission	

Confessions:

By appointment or 30 minutes before both daily and Sunday Masses.

Sunday, Oct 03, 2021

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

To live the gospel of life

At the gospel's heart is the summons to live life abundantly. In Jesus, God takes on flesh and shares our growing and loving, as well as our suffering and dying. No aspect of the human journey remains foreign to Jesus. He's befriended and betrayed, experiences fasting and feasting, knows the simplicity of childhood and the complex politicized life of an adult. On Respect Life Sunday, we're asked to consider how every moment of life is intimately known and ultimately precious to God. Pray the Rosary's Joyful Mysteries today in gratitude for how God chooses to dwell with us.

TODAY'S READINGS: Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16 (140). "Let the children come to me . . . for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

Monday, Oct 04, 2021

MEMORIAL OF FRANCIS OF ASSISI

For all creatures great and small

On the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi, many parishes have a special ceremony called the Blessing of Pets in honor of Francis' special love for animals. Bless a beloved pet today or any day with these words: "Blessed are you, Lord God, maker of all living creatures. You called forth fish in the sea, birds in the air, and animals on the land. You inspired Saint Francis to call all of them his brothers and sisters. We ask you to bless this pet. By the power of your love, enable it to live according to your plan. May we always praise you for all your beauty in creation. Blessed are you, Lord our God, in all your creatures! Amen."

TODAY'S READINGS: Jonah 1:1—2:1-2, 11; Luke 10:25-37 (461). "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself."

Tuesday, Oct 05, 2021

MEMORIAL OF BLESSED FRANCIS XAVIER SEELOS, PRIEST

Open your heart to those left behind

The motto of the Redemptorist religious order made a big impression on young Francis Xavier Seelos: "Preach the gospel to the most abandoned." Because of it, he left his native Germany to serve immigrants in the United States—and soon became a Redemptorist priest. His compassion eventually cost Francis his life; he died of the yellow fever he caught from visiting the sick. "Come without fear or trembling! I promise to receive you with all gentleness," he preached. Who are the abandoned or fearful in your own part of the world? Ask Francis to help you comfort them. TODAY'S READINGS: Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 10:38-42 (462). "You are anxious and worried about many things."

Wednesday, Oct 06, 2021

MEMORIAL OF BLESSED MARIE-ROSE DUROCHER

Stand with those who hold the fire line

With the increase in wildfires and chronic drought drying out our forests, we need the help of today's saint, Blessed Marie Rose Durocher (1811-49), a Canadian religious foundress. Several of her miracles were reportedly related to wildfires. One such fire, approaching a convent in Spokane, Washington, was said to have changed direction when a picture of Blessed Marie was fastened to a tree. Another facility in Washington was reportedly saved from a wildfire when the owner tossed a picture of Blessed Marie into the flames, turning it back. Ask her intercession in support of everyday miracle workers, the brave and hardworking men and women fighting the wildfires that seem stronger and more widespread by the year. TODAY'S READINGS: Jonah 4:1-11; Luke 11:1-4 (463). "[Jesus] said to them, 'When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name, your Kingdom come.' "

Thursday, Oct 07, 2021

MEMORIAL OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY Count on the Rosary

Today's Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary has its roots in a story that, while not historically confirmed, is nonetheless instructive. It is said that Saint Dominic was making little headway in persuading a large group of breakaway Christians to return to orthodoxy when Mary appeared to him, encouraging the Rosary as a new form of prayer-building on the already existing "Marian Psalter." To this day, Dominican sisters, brothers, and priests stress the Rosary, and millions find meditation, consolation, and community through it. Why not say a decade of the Rosary right now and tap into its centuries-old strength? TODAY'S READINGS: Malachi 3:13-20b; Luke 11:5-13 (464). "How much more will the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?"

Friday, Oct 08, 2021

God points toward hope

On October 8, 1871, winds swept across the dry Midwestern prairie and helped fan the flames of the Great Chicago Fire and dozens of lesser-known fires, including the Pestigo, Wisconsin Firestorm that ranks as the deadliest wildfire in U.S. history. Local parish priest Father John-Peter Pernin wrote an eyewitness account titled The Finger of God is There! His interpretation of events captures the theological struggle believers face amid tragedy: On the one hand, he sees a judging God striking down a people for their sinfulness; on the other, he sees a merciful God filling people with hope and the promise of new life. May the finger of God point you in a positive direction during your times of troubles.

TODAY'S READINGS: Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Luke 11:15-26 (465). "But if it is by the finger of God that I drive out demons, then the Kingdom of God has come upon you."

Saturday, Oct 09, 2021

MEMORIAL OF DENIS, BISHOP, MARTYR Keep your head about you!

Saint Denis, a third-century bishop of Paris, is invoked for the relief of migraine headaches, possibly because he is a cephalophore, a Greek term that means "head-carrier." He was martyred by decapitation and was said to have picked up the severed head and trotted off with it under his arm while preaching on repentance. Wild though that sounds, artists depicting the saint over the centuries struggled with the question, "Where do you put the halo? Over his head, or where his head used to be?" Though we smile, a nugget of truth comes through the legend. When we give all we have to God, our life is memorable and our story ends well. TODAY'S READINGS: Joel 4:12-21; Luke 11:27-28 (466). "[Jesus]



DISCIPLESHIP

The Children of the RCIA

Children of catechetical age who have not been baptized are asked to participate in the Catechumenate for Children. The process includes prayer, preparation and formation, working with peers and the celebration of the RCIA Liturgical Rites leading to the Sacraments of Baptism and Holy Eucharist which are celebrated during the Easter Vigil.

If you have a child who is not baptized and is between the ages of 7 and 18, please contact Sister Bernadette at <u>sisterbnguyen@saintjosephmsj.org</u>, Grace Lichauco at <u>glichauco@saintjosephmsj.org</u> or call (510) 657-0905 for information about enrolling your child or children in our faith forming program!

STEWARDSHIP

Second and Special Collections Parish

10/3/21	The Catholic Voice
10/24/21	World Mission Sunday
10/31/21	St Vincent De Paul
11/1/21	All Saints Day

Parish Offering Totals: 9/19/21

 Electronic Fund Transfer:
 \$3,718.01

 Plate Collection:
 \$12,743.00

 Stock Donation:
 \$12,439.94

 Grand Total:
 \$28,900.95

Thank you for your generous offerings!

Match Your Donations



A question was asked at our July 24th Parish Meeting whether companies we work for can match our financial donations. The short answer is, "Yes." Although many corporations will not match contributions directly to the parish, some do. Most companies will match donations to St Joseph School. The parish can also benefit from donations to the <u>Committee for the Restoration of the Mission San Jose</u> (CRMSJ), which is a non-sectarian, non-profit corporation. Contributions to St Joseph School and CRMSJ help to fund needed improvements and operating expenses at the school, Mission church and mission museum. If your employer has a matching gifts program, please consider supporting St. Joseph parish

with a gift to one of the following: Committee for the Restoration of the Mission San Jose, Tax ID number 94-2341096; St Joseph School, Tax ID number 94-3145818; US Catholic Conference - St Joseph School, Tax ID number 94-1358335; and St Joseph's Church, Tax ID number 94-1358335.

This is a great opportunity to increase your financial support to our parish by leveraging your donations with matching corporate funds.

FACILITIES

Have you seen St Francis of Assisi lately?

Mr. Ruben Martinez has been beautifying the entrance to our parking lot. St Francis of Assisi now has grass, flowers, and lighting in his area. Please take time to enjoy the new scenery.









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Have you been at Mass and thought, "I'd like to help, but I don't have the time right now." If you are at Mass, then you do have the time to help – become an Usher. Ushers arrive 15 minutes early to pass out Worship Aide/Bulletins as people come in the door and help seat people. They can sit with their family during Mass and leave for the moments it takes to help pass the collection baskets and direct communion flow. We need more ushers so the same ones do not have to be at, sometimes, two or more masses a weekend! Please contact Don Kaefer at (510) 427-3007 or donaldkaefer@gmail.com to find out more about this important service any man or WOMAN can do as they ATTEND MASS.



Family of Faith—Contact Grace Lichauco (510) 657-0905 / glichauco@saintjosephmsj.org

Saint Joseph School—To set up a tour, call (510) 656-6525 or visit the school's website at www.stjosephschoolfremont.org



New Parish Hours

Monday to Thursday—9am to 4pm Friday—9am to 12noon Saturday—10am to 5pm Closed—12noon to 1pm Office Phone -510-656-2364



Blessing of the Animals In honor of Saint Francis of Assisi's Feast Day, we will have Blessings of the Animals on Sunday, October 3rd at 2pm on the Mission Steps. All animals are welcome.



The Museum and Gift Shop

New Hours: Wednesday to Friday -10am to 3pm , Saturday and Sunday 10am to 4pm Docent-led Tours on the 2nd or 4th weekends of each month: Saturday at 11am & Sunday at 1pm. Sign up with our online tour reservation system at: missionsanjose.org. Volunteers Docents needed: Contact Mindy Isham at 415-699-6312 or via email at mindyisham@comcast.net

Registration is still being taken for:





Father George was overwhelmed by the kindness and generosity of our parish. He wrote:

I have enjoyed my visit here and I am most grateful to all of you who helped to make it a wonderful experience full of love and care for me. On my behalf and the behalf of my parish of St Francis Xavier, I thank you all from the bottom of my heart. I pledge to keep you all in my prayers and may God Bless you all and keep you well and safe. I will leave the parish with fond memories and I will share this experience with my parish community in Ghana. I look forward to receiving a delegation from St Joseph in the near future or as soon as possible.

> With Love and Care, *Father George*

Diocese of Oakland Survey



The Diocese of Oakland will be launching a survey. The survey will help you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish's efforts in order to continue your growth. The online survey will go live from October 14th through November 22nd and the paper survey will be available from October 14th through November 18th. There will also be opportunities to complete the survey after Sunday Masses. If you have any questions, you may contact Lisa Dang of the Pastoral Counsel at (650) 833-8303 or <u>lisadang123@gmail.com</u>



A Celebration of Baptism

On Sunday, September 19th. A Celebration of Baptism for Children was held for: Ramon Alvarez, Roman Alvarez, Anniston Ando, Jackson Ando, Qiraele Triniti Berdal, Keira Raya Estores Cabico, Elliette Nora Tolentino Ong, Henry Walker Pentecost and Dean Michael Roche

Welcome to the Saint Joseph Parish Community!



BIBLE STUDY for the Upcoming Sunday Eucharist

Free Zoom classes from September 2021 until June 2022 <u>Tuesday Mornings from 9:30am to 11:00am</u> We read, study, and pray the upcoming Sunday readings and backgrounds.

LECTIO DIVINA (Sacred Reading)

Praying with the Gospel for the Sunday EucharistFree Zoom classes from September 2021 until June 2022Thursday Mornings from 9:30am to 11:00amWe pray the up-coming Sunday Gospel.

Resources for Bible Study and Lectio Divina will be sent via email prior to start of each meeting. Contact Sister Marcia Krause at 510-502-5797 or sistermarci@gmail.com for Zoom code.



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