

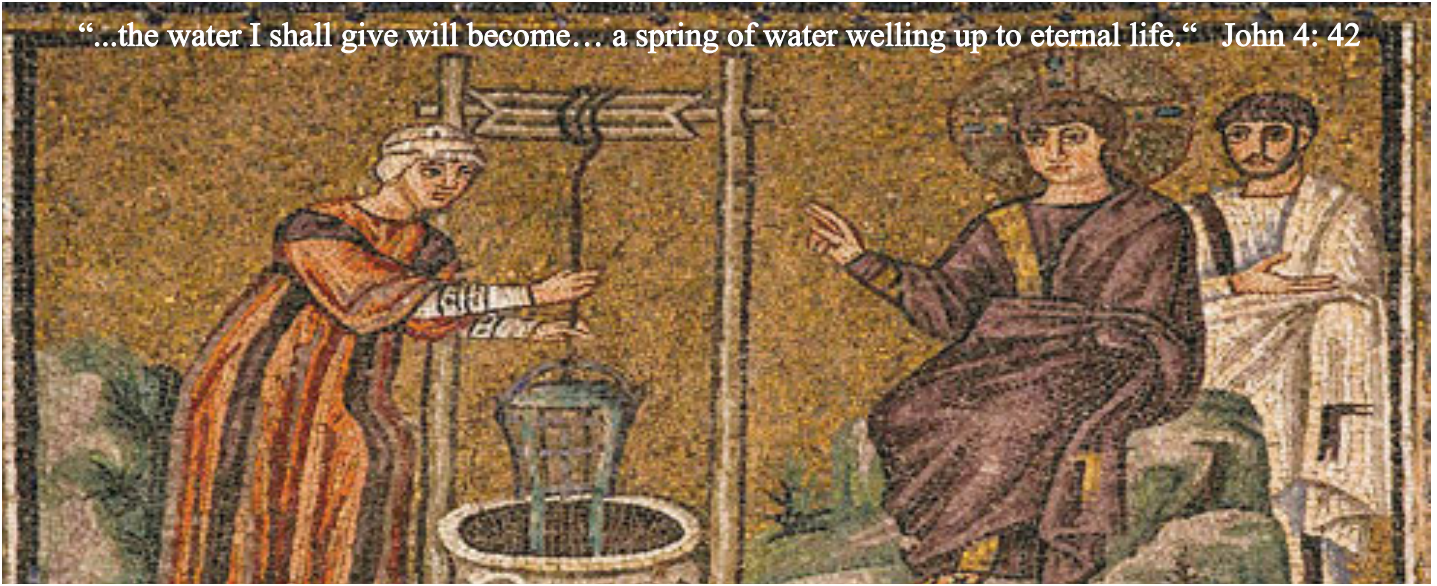


THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Sunday, March 12, 2023

St. Joseph Parish
Old Mission San Jose
FOUNDED 1797 -
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“...the water I shall give will become... a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” John 4: 42



IV. The Liturgical Celebration of the Eucharist—The movement of the celebration

1352 The anaphora: with the Eucharistic Prayer - the prayer of thanksgiving and consecration - we come to the heart and summit of the celebration:

In the preface, the Church gives thanks to the Father, through Christ, in the Holy Spirit, for all his works: creation, redemption, and sanctification. the whole community thus joins in the unending praise that the Church in heaven, the angels and all the saints, sing to the thrice-holy God.

1353 *In the epiclesis*, the Church asks the Father to send his Holy Spirit (or the power of his blessing) on the bread and wine, so that by his power they may become the body and blood of Jesus Christ and so that those who take part in the Eucharist may be one body and one spirit (some liturgical traditions put the epiclesis after the anamnesis). *In the institution narrative*, the power of the words and the action of Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit, make sacramentally present under the species of bread and wine Christ's body and blood, his sacrifice offered on the cross once for all.

1354 *In the anamnesis* that follows, the Church calls to mind the Passion, resurrection, and glorious return of Christ Jesus; she presents to the Father the offering of his Son which reconciles us with him. *In the intercessions*, the Church indicates that the Eucharist is celebrated in communion with the whole Church in heaven and on earth, the living and the dead, and in communion with the pastors of the Church, the Pope, the diocesan bishop, his presbyterium and his deacons, and all the bishops of the whole world together with their Churches.

1355 *In the communion*, preceded by the Lord's prayer and the breaking of the bread, the faithful receive "the bread of heaven" and "the cup of salvation," the body and blood of Christ who offered himself "for the life of the world": Because this bread and wine have been made Eucharist, "we call this food Eucharist, and no one may take part in it unless he believes that what we teach is true, has received baptism for the forgiveness of

WORSHIP AID

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ,
sanctify me.

Body of Christ,
save me.

Blood of Christ,
inebriate me.

Water from the side
of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ,
strengthen me.

O Good Jesus,
hear me.

Within your wounds,
conceal me.

Do not permit me to
be parted from you.

From the evil foe,
protect me.

At the hour of my
death, call me.

And bid me
come to you,

To praise you with all
your saints

for ever and ever.

Amen

Please observe reverent silence as we prepare ourselves for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

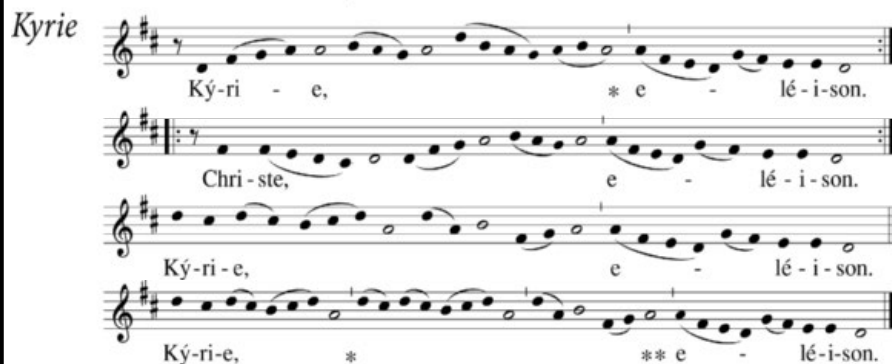
PROCESSION - I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say



1. I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Come un - to me and
2. I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Be - hold, I free - ly
3. I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "I am this dark world's
rest; Lay down, thou wea - ry one, lay down Thy
give The liv - ing wa - ter; thirst - y one, Stoop
light; Look un - to me, thy morn shall rise, And
head up - on my breast." I came to Je - sus
down, and drink, and live." I came to Je - sus,
all thy day be bright." I looked to Je - sus,
as I was, So wea - ry, worn, and sad;
and I drank Of that life - giv - ing stream;
and I found In him my star, my sun;
I found in him a rest - ing place,
My thirst was quenched, my soul re - lived,
And in that light of life I'll walk
And he has made me glad.
And now I live in him.
Till trav - 'ling days are done.

Tune: KINGSFOLD CMD. Horatius Bonar, 1808-1889 Traditional English folk song. Harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

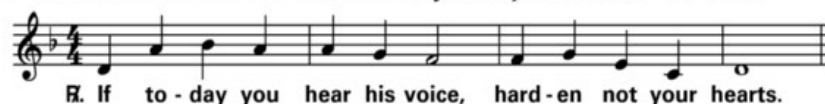
PENITENTIAL ACT - Confiteor



Kyrie
Ký-ri - e, * e - lé - i - son.
Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.
Ký-ri - e, e - lé - i - son.
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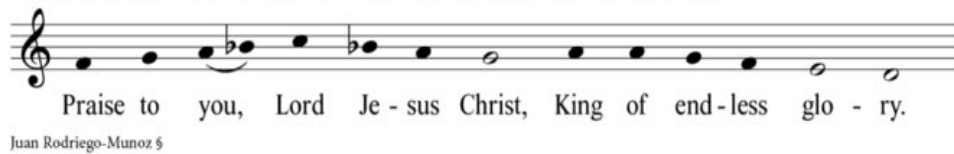
RESPONSORIAL PSALM - Psalm 95: If Today You Hear His Voice



R. If to - day you hear his voice, hard - en not your hearts.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION - Praise To You, Lord Jesus Christ



DISMISSAL - Open My Eyes

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OFFERTORY - Ah Holy Jesus



Tune: Herzliebster Jesu 11 11 11 5. Johann Heermann, 1585-1647. Tr. by Robert S. Bridges, 1844-1930. Johann Crüger, 1598-1662

Stations of the Cross (Lenten Fridays)

5:45PM—6:15PM
Soup Supper
(Parish Hall)

6:30PM—7:15PM
Presentation &
Sharing on the
Eucharist
(Main Church)

7:30PM—8:00PM
Stations of the Cross
(Multilingual,
Main Church)

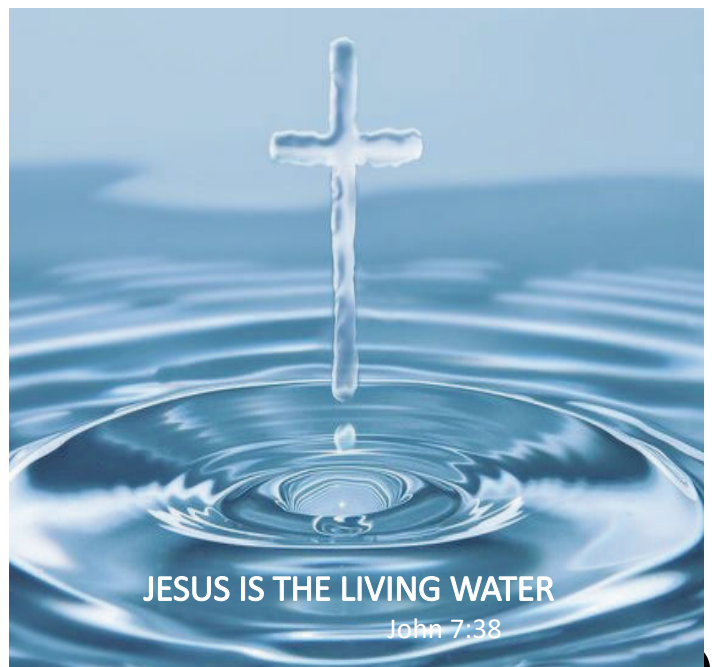
REFLECTION



Gospel Reflection - John 4, 5-42 By
Mrs. Patti Calton, Principal

Jesus and the Woman at the Well

Lent is the perfect time to remind ourselves of the life-giving water we received at our Baptism. Pope Francis said, "The water that gives eternal life has been poured out in our hearts the day of our Baptism; then God has transformed us and filled us by his grace." Jesus spoke to the Woman at the Well with kindness even though she was a Samaritan. Jesus knows that it does not matter what she was on the outside as He knew he could fill her inside. The Gospel message reminds us that Jesus came to seek and save the lost—ALL of them! Because of that, we have hope and we know that Jesus loves each and every one of us. May God bless you in your Lenten journey!





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.

Christify

Christify the gifts we bring to You, bounty of the earth receive anew.
Take and bless the work of our hands. Christify these gifts at Your command.

Sun and moon and earth and wind and rain: all the world's contained in every grain.
All the toil and dreams of humankind, all we are we bring as bread and wine.

Turn the bread and wine, our hearts implore, to the living presence of the Lord.
Blessed and broken, shared with all in need; all our hungers, sacred bread will feed.

With this bread and wine You Christify, now our deepest thirst You satisfy.
We who by this bread You sanctify draw the world for You to Christify.

Lyrics and music by Manoling Francisco, SJ. Arrangement by Palan Reyes. §

SANCTUS/MYSTERIUM FIDEI/AMEN

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna
in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Mystery of Faith

Save us, Savior of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection
you have set us free.

Great Amen - All sing: Amen

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THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Chanted*)

Music: Chant; adapt. by Robert J. Snow, 1926-1998. §

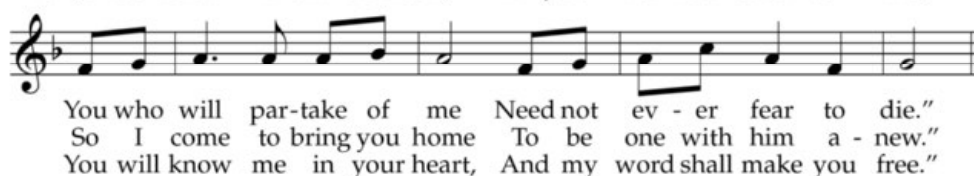
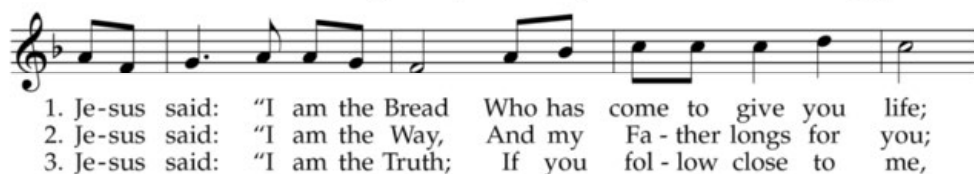
AGNUS DEI

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. (2x)
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: dona nobis pacem.

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Please kneel

COMMUNION - *I Receive the Living God*



Tune: LIVING GOD 77 77 WITH REFRAIN. Anonymous, alt. Dom Clément Jacob, OSB, 1906-1977.
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Parce Domine

Eat This Bread

**Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry.
Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.**

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RECESSIONAL - Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer

1. Guide me, O thou great Re - deem - er, Pil - grim through this
2. O - pen now the cry - stal foun - tain Whence the heal - ing

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y,
stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar

Hold me with thy pow'r - ful hand: Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,
Lead me all my jour - ney through: Strong De - liv - 'rer, strong De - liv - 'rer,

Feed me till I want no more, Feed me till I want no more.
Be thou still my strength and shield, Be thou still my strength and shield.

Tune: CWM RHONDDA 87 87 877. William Williams, 1717-1791. Tr. by Peter Williams, 1722-1796. John Hughes, 1873-1932 \$

RETREATS, BIBLE STUDY, LECTIO DIVINA

LENT—SOCCER AND A BROKEN RESERVOIR

In the Dry Corridor of Honduras, climate change causes persistent drought, making farming nearly impossible. With support from Catholic Relief Services, Rony, a farmer, repaired an old reservoir and installed a new irrigation system to improve his harvests. Now Rony can send his son to a soccer academy to pursue his dream of becoming a professional player. How can you work like Rony to support others' needs and dreams?



Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Register at formed.org/signup



PICK OF THE WEEK FOR KIDS:

<https://watch.formed.org/lent-2/videos/brother-francis-the-stations-of-the-cross>

Brother Francis: The Stations of the Cross

PICK OF THE WEEK FOR TEENS/YOUNG ADULTS:

<https://watch.formed.org/lent-2/videos/lent-and-new-life-in-christ-the-gift-of-grace-almsgiving>

Lent and New Life in Christ: The Gift of Grace & Almsgiving

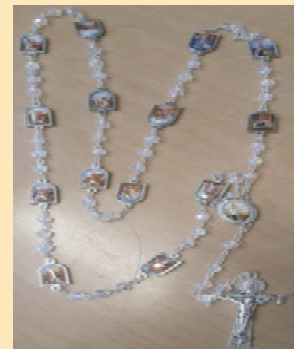
PICK OF THE WEEK FOR ADULTS:

<https://watch.formed.org/lent-2/videos/into-his-likeness-episode-2>—Episode 2: Not Perfect, But Chosen

Mission Gift Shop

HOURS:

Wed-Fri.: 10am-3pm
Sat & Sun: 10am-4:30pm



STATIONS OF THE CROSS ROSARY & CRUCIFIX

New merchandise in the Giftshop—a crystal rosary with pictures of the 14 stations of the cross. The cross which bears the Holy Trinity, makes it unique and special. The Stations of the Cross Crucifix show the last



DISCIPLESHIP, THE HANDS OF JESUS

REFUGEE

Update



The Saboor Family lives in Hayward in a 2 bedroom apartment. They have 3 boys aged 7, 9 & 12 and a daughter, 3. We will meet with them this week to find out how we can help them. In the meantime, we ask you to pray for the Shinwari family. Mohamad and his boys want their mom and sisters to join them, but they are unable to get passports from Afghanistan since that office has been closed. Cost for passports has risen because now you have to know someone to get them. Your prayers for their safety and help to get passports is the best way we can all help this family right now.

We will be able to supply most of whatever the Saboor Family will need from current stock, but our inventory of the following items is non-existent or low: blenders, pressure cookers and floor lamps (apartments do not have a central light for rooms). *Thank you all for supporting this ministry!*



Sunday, Mar 12, 2023—Truth be told

Pontius Pilate famously asked Jesus, “What is truth?” Pilate didn’t stick around for the answer (which in itself says a lot), but if he had, he might have heard something like the definition the Catechism of the Catholic Church provides: “Truth as uprightness in human action and speech is called truthfulness, sincerity, or candor. Truth or truthfulness is the virtue which consists in showing oneself true in deeds and truthful in words, and in guarding against duplicity, dissimulation, and hypocrisy.” Now we have a sense of what it means to imitate Christ in all things.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

TODAY’S READINGS: Exodus 17:3-7; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42 (28). “God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in Spirit and truth.”



Monday, Mar 13, 2023—On the frontiers of servanthood

When you think of the legendary figures of the Wild West, Billy the Kid, Buffalo Bill, Annie Oakley, Geronimo, and Sitting Bull come to mind. But how about Sister Blandina Segale? Add her to list— because she had encounters with many of those men and women, and her life was also the stuff of lore. Born in 1850, this Italian-American Sister of Charity of Cincinnati traveled alone through the American frontier to serve the poor and sick (including saving the life of a seriously wounded Billy the Kid), to advocate for Native American civil rights, and to fight against lynching (including protecting a contrite murderer from a mob). This Catholic Sisters Week (March 8-14) count Segale, honored by the church with the title servant of God, among the heroic sisters who have your gratitude for spreading the faith.

LENTEN WEEKDAY

TODAY’S READINGS: 2 Kings 5:1-15b; Luke 4:24-30 (237). “Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place.”



Tuesday, Mar 14, 2023—

No room for hate

Fannie Lou Hamer died this day in 1977. But she nearly died in 1963, in a Mississippi jail cell—so badly beaten, as a civil rights advocate, that her cell mate didn’t think she’d survive the night. But Hamer asked her to join in singing the hymn “Walk With Me, Lord” and lived to see another day. In fact Hamer lived to testify, on television, before the 1964 Democratic National Convention. A tireless campaigner for women’s voting rights, she was also inducted into the National Women’s Hall of Fame. Follow Hamer’s lead in fostering forgiveness: “I feel sorry for anybody that could let hate wrap them up. Ain’t no such thing as I can hate anybody and hope to see God’s face.”

LENTEN WEEKDAY

TODAY’S READINGS: Daniel 3:25, 34-43; Matthew 18:21-35 (238). “Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive him?”

Wednesday, Mar 15, 2023 -- Printing the truth is worth the struggle

On this week in 1827, Freedom’s Journal began publication as the first

African-American newspaper in history. Founded by Protestant minister John Wilk and leading free black men in New York City, the paper would set off a revolution in U.S. media, resulting in similar papers being established nationwide, forming the black press. Daniel Rudd founded the first black Catholic newspaper in 1885, and the explosion in African-American conversions to Catholicism in the 20th century can be attributed in large part to these newspapers advertising better conditions in the northern United States (where Catholic parishes and schools happened to be plentiful). The black press continues today in many American cities and represents one of the nation’s original justice-focused professional institutions. Consider supporting a local—or national—black news outlet today.

LENTEN WEEKDAY

TODAY’S READINGS: Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9; Matthew 5:17-19 (239). “Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life.”

Thursday, Mar 16, 2023—Let God carry it

The comedy-drama *The Banshees of Inisherin* features a man gloomy about his eventual death going to Confession over a period of weeks. Each time, the priest asks, “And how is the despair?” implying despair itself might be seen as a sin—rather tough but also tender in the way the priest wants to understand the whole man. The church upholds hope as a virtue and warns against despair because it can leave no room for God’s grace. That said, our faith leaders have long shown compassion for the complexities of depression in its many forms. Whatever your emotional state, consider turning today’s burdens over to God.

LENTEN WEEKDAY

TODAY’S READINGS: Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23 (240). “But if it is by the finger of God that I drive out demons, then the Kingdom of God has come upon you.”

Friday, Mar 17, 2023—As luck would have it

The Lord expects great things from us: namely, to love God with our whole heart, soul, and mind, and to love our neighbor as ourselves. Are humans really capable of such love? Irish writer Oscar Wilde had his doubts: “I sometimes think that God in creating man somewhat overestimated his ability.” We human beings do tend to make a mess of things when left to our own devices, but luckily for us, we have a loving God who sent Jesus to show us the way to love, and the Holy Spirit to keep us on the path of love. In honor of Saint Patrick, remember to draw on the Trinity as you continually recalibrate your trajectory toward love.

MEMORIAL OF PATRICK, BISHOP

TODAY’S READINGS: Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34 (241). “Straight are the paths of the LORD, in them the just walk.”

Saturday, Mar 18, 2023—The fragrance of forgiveness

Cyril, a fourth-century bishop of Jerusalem and a doctor of the church, was instrumental in forming the church’s doctrinal understanding of the Holy Spirit. He wrote, “The Spirit comes gently and makes himself known by his fragrance. He is not felt as a burden for God is light . . . The Spirit comes with the tenderness of a true friend to save, to heal, to teach, to counsel, to strengthen and to console.” The formula for absolution in the sacrament of Reconciliation identifies the Holy Spirit as sent “for the forgiveness of sins.” Celebrate the sacrament at your church this afternoon.

MEMORIAL OF CYRIL OF JERUSALEM, BISHOP, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

TODAY’S READINGS: Hosea 6:1-6; Luke 18:9-14 (242). “O God, be merciful to me a sinner.”



PRAYER & WORSHIP



Saint Joseph

Prayer List

Fernanda Barros, Rena Bernal,
Jose Coronel, Ellen Culver,
Shirley Fernandez,
Marjorie Furnary,
Helen Gallardo, Devin Heinze,
Neville Lacey, Norma Neto,
George Perry, Pamela
Randolph, Bill Ramos,
Linda Raimundo,
Kirke & Nancy Schnoor,
Joseph Silva, James Skokan
Arlene Zulawski
**And please pray for those who
have gone before us in faith.**
Gerard Brummert
Daniel Huckabay

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat.	3/11	5:30 pm	†Enrico De Santos,
Sun.	3/12	8:00 am	†Enrico De Santos, †Marge Gilbert, †Osvaldo Arreola
		10:00 am	†Dorothy Ferreira, Intentions of the Siko Family, Intentions of Mabel Gomes & Family
		12:00 pm	Deceased of the Benya Family, †James, Evelyn & James II Deiso
		3:00 pm	People of St. Joseph
		5:00 pm	People of St. Joseph
		7:00 pm	People of St. Joseph
Mon.	3/13	8:00 am	People of St. Joseph
Tues.	3/14	8:00 am	†Maximo D. Pineda
Weds.	3/15	8:00 am	†Valeriano Alfaro
Thurs.	3/16	8:00 am	†Valeriano Alfaro
Fri.	3/17	8:00 am	†Valeriano Alfaro, †Carlos & Emma Santoyo Intentions of Rebecca Csikesz
Sat.	3/18	8:00 am	†Valeriano Alfaro

Holy Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Holy Mass -
Sunday Holy Mass

5:30 pm	The Mission
8:00 am	The Mission
10:00 am	Main Church
12:00 am	Main Church
3:00 pm	Main Church (Holy Mass in Vietnamese)
5:00 pm	Main Church (Holy Mass in Chinese)
7:00 pm	The Mission (Youth, Confirmation & Young Adults)

Daily Holy Mass -

Monday through Saturday -	The Mission
7:30 am	Holy Rosary, Confession
8:00 am	Holy Mass
8:30 am	Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Eucharistic Adoration -

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday	
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration Chapel in the Main Church
Thursday	
8:30 am - 6:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration Chapel in the Main Church
6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Evening Prayer and Benediction - Main Church
7:00 pm - 7:30 pm	Mass in Vietnamese - Main Church
Saturday	
9:00 am - 5:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration Chapel in the Main Church

Holy Rosary -

Stations of the Cross -

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Every Monday in the Main Church (St. Joseph for Life)
7:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Every Friday during Lent in the Mission Church

First Wednesday of the month - Devotion to Saint Joseph: 7:00 pm Mass in the Mission

First Friday of the month - Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus: 8:00 am Mass in the Mission

First Saturday of the month - Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary: 8:00 am Mass in the Mission

Confessions -

By appointment or 30 minutes before all daily, Saturday & Sunday Masses.

STEWARDSHIP



I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS
BISHOP'S MINISTRIES APPEAL 2023

The Bishop's Ministries Appeal supports parish ministries: faith formation and evangelization, CYO sports, formation of priests, care of the retired priests and meeting the unexpected needs of schools and parishes. We invite you to learn more and donate in a way that works for you – be it a recurring gift, a one-time gift, or a pledge. Use the QR code for more info.



Parish Offering Totals

Sunday, 02/19/2023

Electronic Fund Transfer	\$ 4,675.00
Plate Collection:	\$ 11,908.00
Grand Total:	\$ 16,583.00

Sunday, 03/07/2023

Electronic Fund Transfer	\$ 5,050.00
Plate Collection:	\$ 19,807.00
Grand Total:	\$ 24,857.00
Thank you for your generosity and support!	



To Build Church Unwinding Process

As of February 28, 2023

Repurposed (454 Households/Individuals)	Total \$ 3,117,053.53
Reclaimed (134 Households/Individuals)	Total \$ 855,868.66



MAKE OUR RENOVATED CHURCH A REALITY

Repurposed funds are being used for the church renovation project. Please consider supporting the renovation by visiting our parish website to donate to the project. Use the QR code to find out more.

Access ONLINE GIVING Using this QR Code

Tithing can be a sensitive issue, it means giving ten percent of your income to Christ's church and His poor. The practice of tithing has a strong precedence in the Bible and church history and is still relevant today for those who can give at this level. Every family should pray and try to give something. Pray for guidance, and Our Loving God will get you there.



MARCH 31 ENDS THIS OPPORTUNITY—Turkey and Syria. Earthquake Donation

Contributions are being gathered by St. Joseph Parish this month until March 31. A lump sum check to Catholic Relief Services to assist Caritas Turkey and Caritas Syria, will be sent then.

To donate: go to the **Parish website** or bring or send to the parish office your check—payable to St. Joseph Parish with the notation - "Turkey/Syria Aide".

SPECIAL EVENTS, FACILITIES, PROJECTS

St. Joseph Conference and Holy Mass

Saturday, March 18

Don't miss this special Video Invitation!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=52xNemEIlo4&ab_channel=CalvinPeng

Schedule after 8:00 am Mass

8:30 - 9:15 am	Registration and Breakfast
9:30 - 10:15 am	Conferences in English with Fr. Matthew Spencer in church and in Vietnamese with Fr. Anthony in mission
9:15 - 10:30 am	Faith-based activities for children
10:30 - 11:20 am	Eucharistic Adoration & Private Reconciliation
11:30 - 12:30 am	Solemnity of Saint Joseph Eucharistic Celebration
	Celebrant: Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ



Lunch & Self-guided tours of Mission San Jose will follow.

For more information and to register, go to: www.saintjosephmsj.org/conference

FAMILY OF FAITH & YOUTH



The month of March is filled with many activities and opportunities to grow in our faith, especially during this Lenten Season. Please consider active participation in all that is coming up at Saint Joseph Church! Family of Faith Sessions in March focus on the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick & the Triduum. Please use the QR code to access the FFM March Newsletter and pacing guide to stay on track with the lessons at home. God is patiently waiting for us to make Him a daily priority—prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Please continue to pray for our Family of Faith Ministry, most especially, for our sacramental prep children who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion, in June, and our RCIC children who will receive their sacraments of initiation on Easter Vigil.



MARRIAGE, YOUNG ADULTS & FAMILY LIFE



A Marriage Movement

Engaged Couples Marriage Formation Program
Civil Marriage Initiative
Sacramental Marriage Formation
for Civil Unions

For more information, contact:

Rowena Radich

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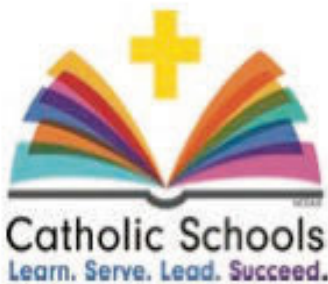


Group Convalidation Marriage Ceremony

July 29, 2023—2pm

A convalidation is for couples who married outside of the church and desire God's intimate, sacred union and equal partnership. This convalidation of marriage will be marked by a simple celebration and reception. Please pray and consider this as an act of love for yourselves and your children. For more information, contact: Rowena Radich, 510-919-9352/rradich@saintjosephmsj.org

SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL



Do you have a little one ready for school?

Join us for our

Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten Virtual Information Night
Wednesday, March 22 @ 5:30 pm. Learn about each grade level from the TK and Kinder teachers all from the comfort of your own home!
Please visit our website to register at www.stjosephschoolsfremont.org
Schedule a tour today! School Office: 510-656-6525

WOMEN OF SAINT JOSEPH SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear St. Joseph Parishioners and Ministries:

After much discussion, prayer and reflection the board of the Women of St. Joseph have determined that we are no longer able to move forward with the same purpose and direction that we have had in the past. Many of our members have moved away, passed away or are aging. We are not able to take on the service commitments we once did. We will move forward as an informal group of parish women keeping in contact as an online group concentrating on spiritual opportunities and sharing occasions for social interaction. Service opportunities will be put forth, but it will be by individual volunteer only, we will no longer be able to provide a workforce.

We are truly grateful to our parish community for the wonderful years of support and the opportunities for service and spiritual and social fellowship. Thank you all from the bottoms of our hearts.

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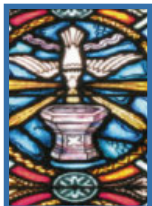
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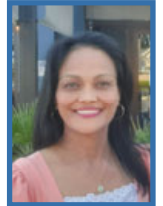
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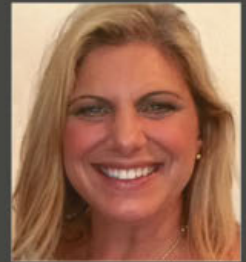
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