

St. Joseph Catholic Church

Mission San José, Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph

St. Joseph Catholic School

Mission Statement | Our St. Joseph family is living the mission with Christ through the works of faith, charity and mercy.

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 5, 2025



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST,

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen once said that as Christians we are God's chosen people, but from the way we live, one might think we are God's frozen people. The disciples, with sincerity of heart, prayed: "Lord, increase our faith!" Have we ever made that same prayer? Too often, our petitions are centered on material things—more income, greater success, or more comfort. Rarely, if ever, do we beg the Lord for a deeper and stronger faith.

And yet, imagine what could happen if our faith truly increased. Jesus reminds us that even faith as small as a mustard seed can move mountains. He is not exaggerating, nor is He speaking in mere poetry. Mountains represent the obstacles, burdens, and fears that weigh us down. With faith, those very mountains can be moved.

When a person lives with authentic faith, something extraordinary happens: it is no longer that person who struggles alone, but God Himself who works powerfully through them. Faith transforms weakness into strength, fear into courage, and doubt into trust. Let us, then, echo the disciples' prayer each day: "Lord, increase our faith!"

Fr. Thi Van Hoàng, Pastor
St. Joseph Catholic Church/Mission San José,
Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph

HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Please observe reverent silence and pray the Rosary before Mass.

SATURDAY VIGIL HOLY MASS	5:30 PM	Main Church
	8:00 AM	Mission
	10:00 AM	Main Church
SUNDAY HOLY MASS	12:00 PM	Main Church
	3:00 PM	Main Church, Vietnamese
	5:00 PM	Main Church, Mandarin
	7:00 PM	Mission <i>First Sunday of the Month</i>
AD ORIENTEM	7:00 PM	Mission <i>First Wednesday of the Month</i>
ST. JOSEPH DEVOTION	8:00 AM	Mission <i>First Friday of the Month</i>
SACRED HEART OF JESUS	8:00 AM	Mission <i>First Saturday of the Month (Anointing Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct)</i>
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY	7:00 PM	Mission <i>Second Sunday of the Month</i>
HOLY MASS IN SPANISH	8:00 AM	St. Joseph Chapel of Healing <i>The 19th of Every Month</i>
ST. JOSEPH DAY	7:30 AM	Mission Monday–Saturday
Rosary	8:00 AM	
Daily Mass	8:30 AM	
Divine Chaplet		
Adoration		
Monday–Friday	8:00 AM–8:00 PM	Adoration Chapel/ Main Church
*Wednesday	10:30 AM–8:00 PM	
Vespers Evening Prayer, Divine Office		
Monday–Friday	6:00 PM	
Holy Hour		
	5:00 PM	Main Church Thursday
Vespers, Benediction	6:00 PM	
Mass in Vietnamese	7:00 PM	
CONFESSION By appointment, call 510-656-2364	7:30 AM	Mission Wednesday–Friday
	4:00 PM	Main Church
	–5:00 PM	Saturday

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WALKING TOGETHER IN FAITH



WELCOME

TO ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH/
MISSION SAN JOSÉ,
DIOCESAN SHRINE OF ST. JOSEPH.

As a devoted parishioner, new to our community, or cherished guest, we warmly receive you into our sacred home, where faith and fellowship unite us in the infinite love of Christ. We are privileged to connect with you personally for support and guidance on your spiritual journey.

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WEBSITE: www.saintjosephmsj.org
or scan the QR code below

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday–Thursday

9:00 AM– 4:00 PM

Friday

9:00 AM–12:00 PM



CLERGY

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Hospitality Sunday— October 5

October is Respect
Life Month. Join us

after the 8 AM, 10 AM and 12 PM Masses in the Parish Hall and discover how each baptized person is called to be a faithful witness to the Gospel of Life.

Ministries Needed: We are still seeking hosts for October 19 and November 2. Sign up <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/hospitality-sunday/>.

Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz, September 27—Thank



You! The Filipino Community of St. Joseph thanks all who joined in honoring San Lorenzo Ruiz. Thank you Father Pedrera and Father Thi. May the witness of San Lorenzo Ruiz inspire us to live faithfully and courageously.



The Filipino Community of St. Joseph warmly invites you to an evening of fun, food, music, and dancing at our Halloween Dance Party on Saturday, November 1, from 6:30–10:30 PM in the Parish Hall.

Tickets are \$100 per person, with proceeds supporting Simbang Gabi 2025 and other Filipino-hosted parish celebrations in 2026. For more details and tickets, scan the QR code or visit <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/halloween-dance-party/>.

November 1, All Saints and November 2, All Souls

Fri	10/31	7:00 PM	Vigil (VN)	Main Church
Sat	11/01	8:00 AM	All Saints'	Mission
Sat	11/01	10:00 AM	All Saints'	Main Church
Sat	11/01	5:30 PM	All Souls'	Main Church

<https://www.saintjosephmsj.org>

SACRED MOMENTS, JOYFUL GATHERINGS



JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE
THE INSTALLATION OF

26th
OCT

12:00
PM

FR. THI VAN
HOÀNG

AS PASTOR OF
ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH/MISSION SAN JOSÉ
DIOCESAN SHRINE OF ST. JOSEPH
43148 MISSION BOULEVARD, FREMONT, CA 94539

PRESIDED BY:
BISHOP MICHAEL C. BARBER, S.J.

10:00–11:30 AM
Mission Tour
Mission Church & Museum

12:00 PM
Installation Mass, Main Church

1:30 PM
Reception
Holy Family Picnic Area

RSVP REQUIRED TO HELP US
PLAN THE EVENT. THANK YOU.
www.saintjosephmsj.org/pastor-fr-thi/



FROM GRATITUDE TO CELEBRATION

I extend my deepest gratitude to the Fray Narciso Durán Mission San José Orchestra for joining me in bringing to life Flores de Música—a magnificent concert and radiant gift that was nothing less than divine. I am especially grateful to our generous underwriters whose commitment makes it possible for us to continue the work of teaching, forming, and inspiring through the art of music.

Looking ahead, we joyfully invite you to join us for our Parishwide Christmas Concert on Saturday, December 13, 2025, in the Main Church. This cherished tradition unites our choirs, youth and children's ensembles, bell choir, and orchestra in a glorious celebration of the Nativity of Our Lord—a timeless gift of music shared with all.

I invite you to continue your support through underwriting at the level to which God calls you, as we look toward the close of 2025. Your generosity makes it possible for us to sustain and expand the work of music in our parish, and ensure its strength for the future. **For more information, please contact:**

- **Ronald E. McKean, Director of Music Ministries:** 510-656-1055
- **Debbie Rossetto:** 408-891-9977 cell/text
- **You can also scan the QR code or visit:**
www.saintjosephmsj.org/music-ministries-support/

*Thank you for your generous support and love of sacred music.
With gratitude in Christ,*

Ronald E. McKean
Director of Music Ministries, Choirmaster and Organist
St. Joseph Catholic Church / Mission San José
Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph

*A Sacred
Invitation*
TO UNDERWRITE
THE GIFT OF MUSIC

The Music Ministries Department serves nearly every Mass and sacramental celebration. This work is carried by a family of choirs and ensembles who together form one parish family united in sacred song.

WE OFFER OUR DEEPEST GRATITUDE TO OUR UNDERWRITERS.

Seraphim – \$10,000
Huy & Mai Trinh

Cherubim – \$5,000
Myron & Monica Wong

Archangel – \$2,500
Benny & Stefani Soeterman
Legacy Real Estate & Associates
+ James & Diana Skokan

Chorus of Angels – \$1,000
Thu N Nguyen
& Thuy Donna Nguyen
Lionel & Karin Romero
Domnic, Vimala
& Reina Susaiarul
Intuit

Gregorian Choir – Up to \$999
Ramon & Elenita Agbayani
Arnaldo & Carmencita Agcaoili
Anonymous
Irene Chou
Jerry & Ivy Chu
Carol Ann Derham
Carmelita Dimaano
Vien & Theresa Dinh
Chi Pham & Quinn Doan
William Eagan
John & Suzie Gillen
Yang Xiao & Yongmei Jin
Joanna Leong
Joseph & Grace Meng
Jim & Maggie Paton
David & Jessica Ramirez
Dianne Martin & Bill Utic
Shan Varaitch
Peter Wagner

YOUR GENEROSITY SUPPORTS:

- **Programs, Education, Music Editions, and Licensing** that ensure sacred music can be offered with excellence and integrity for generations to come.
- **Resources essential to the ministry's mission**, from rehearsals and liturgies to concerts, catechesis, and community engagement.
- **The ongoing care, tuning, and maintenance** of all instruments.



PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
(MEMO, MUSIC MINISTRIES)

SCAN TO
GIVE ONLINE



PARISHWIDE CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Saturday, December 13, 2025 | 7:30 PM

A union of every choir of St. Joseph—adult, children, youth, bell, and cultural choirs—joined by the Mission San José Orchestra.

LEARNING, LIVING, BELIEVING

ONE FAMILY IN CHRIST

YOUR JOURNEY, OUR FAITH
DISCOVER · BELONG · GROW



A FAMILY OF FAITH
Nancy Flores-Mai, Director
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Ages 3–5
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Confirmation
8th & 9th Grades
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C.Y.O. (Catholic Youth Organization)
3rd – 8th Grades
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Youth Ministry
10th Grade – Age 20
Nancy Flores-Mai, Director
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**Parish Children's Choir,
Schola Cantorum & Orchestra**
Ages 5+
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510-656-1055

O.C.I.C. (Order of Christian Initiation for Children)
Ages 8+
Nancy Flores-Mai, Director
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**O.C.I.A.
Order of Christian Initiation for Adults**
Ages 18+
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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY
Ages 21–39
Jeffrey de Jesus, Coordinator
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**BIBLE STUDY,
LECTIO DIVINA**
Ages 18+
Sister Marcia Krause, OP
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Coming Soon—With gratitude for your response to our sacred offerings for Fr. Thi's Installation, we will invite you to participate in new ways that strengthen

the life of our parish. These opportunities focus on both the beauty of God's creation on our grounds and the gift of sacred hospitality for the many celebrations we host. Watch for our next announcement on how you can take part in these lasting works of faith.

Join the CELEBRATION!

**1960
2025**

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL
CELEBRATING 65 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

Please join us on
Saturday, October 18th
as we reunite to celebrate our past,
our present, and our future.

8:00 AM ~ 1:00 PM
SJS Campus & Parish Grounds

We hope to see you there!

TIMELINE OF ACTIVITIES

8:00 AM	Special Anniversary Mass, Main Church
9:00 AM	Hospitality and Registration, Church Hall
	Campus Tours, Open Classrooms, and Games/Activities, School Blacktop
10:00 AM	Parish Fun Run/Walk Fundraiser (Optional) Parish/Dominican Grounds
11:00 AM	Entertainment, Guest Speaker, School Blacktop
11:30 AM	Prayer & Lunch,* School Blacktop

*Lunch ticket includes a Mission Museum Tour to be used anytime from 10:00AM–4:30PM on 10/18/25 (\$15 value)

For more information, please visit
www.saintjosephmsj.org/st-joseph-school-is-turning-65/



Register Online
or By Mail

PRAYER, DEVOTIONS, HOLY DAYS

Mass Intentions

Sat	10/04	5:30 PM	+Enrico De Santos, +Rahmat Adj, +Rev. Joe Jacobi
Sun	10/05	8:00 AM	+Theresa Anh-Quyen, +Magdalena Valdez, +Mahendra Patel
		10:00 AM	+Dr. Will Wyman, +Felisberto Da Cruz, Intentions of the Siko Family
		12:00 PM	+James Skokan, +Christie Oswald, Intentions of Ti Chen Liang
		3:00 PM	+Hanh Nguyen, +Yen Thi Pham
		5:00 PM	People of St. Joseph
		7:00PM	James & Diane Skokan, +Antonio Vences Garcia
Mon	10/06	8:00 AM	+Diep-Tai, +Rosario Herrera, +Vera Noonan
Tue	10/07	8:00 AM	+Felix Wang, +Harry Stewart, Intentions of Tin Yun Ho
Wed	10/08	8:00 AM	+Joseph Quynh, +Earl Whitman, +John Mason
Thu	10/09	8:00 AM	+Anne Thuy, Intentions of Gar Yun Ho
Fri	10/10	8:00 AM	+Fr. Mathew Vellankal, +Joan O'Burn, +Luisa Del Rosario
Sat	10/11	8:00 AM	+Ham Huong, +Walter Sommer



In Prayer with Our Holy Father

Daily Vatican updates: <https://saintjosephmsj.org/vatican-news/>. “In illo Uno unum” — “In the One, we are one” — Pope Leo XIV

St. Joseph for Life Holy Hour

Join us every Monday from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM in the Adoration Chapel. We unite in prayer for mothers in need and for the protection of life.



**24-HOUR ADORATION
SIGN-UP**

[www.saintjosephmsj.org/
24-hour-eucharistic-adoration](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/24-hour-eucharistic-adoration)



Pray for the Sick—Todd and Diane Goings, JoAnne Miller, Alda Petersen, Marilyn Perry, Kathleen Wiedeman, Tom Truong, Angie Heywood, Luisa Del Rosario, Paul Orella, Luis Eduardo Castiblanco, Shirley Nolan, Mai Vo, Al Rendon, Carolina Reyes, Jessica Fluent, Ruth Perkins, Barbara Schaub, Art Noeth, Mariam Wyman, Chris Benya, Gary Asher, Susan Alioto, Anna Wang, Yuk Ying Chan, Norma Neto, Maryann Carlin, Gary Whiteley, Meghan Abadacca, Sally-N Thomas, Theresa Martin, Jayson Watkins, Monique Morsette, Mary Costello, Zeny Lacey, Michael Roseman, Kenny Zulawski, Arlene Zulawski, Rey Rara. Parish Office 510-656-2364 for prayer requests. Visit <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/discipleship/prayer-team-ministry/>.

Anointing of the Sick—Join us October 4 for First Saturday Mass at 8:00 AM in the Mission, as we gather in honor of our Blessed Mother. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated within the context of the Mass. Light refreshments to follow in the Parish Hall. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/anointing/>

FUNERAL, MEMORIAL

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen.

† **Janice Cooper**
Saturday, Oct 4, 2025 / 12:00 PM Main Church

† **Steven Anthony Ornellas**
Thursday, Oct 23, 2025 / 12:00 PM Mission

† **Thomas Tien Dung Truong**
Saturday, Oct 25, 2025 / 10:00 AM Mission

www.saintjosephmsj.org/liturgy/sacraments-2/funerals

Monthly Devotional Masses & Liturgies

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Ad Orientem, Vespers

Wed	Oct 1	7:00 PM	Main Church
Thu	ALL	6:00 PM	English/Vietnamese
Fri	Oct 3	8:00 AM	Mission, 24-hour Adoration (Main Church)
Sat	Oct 4	8:00 AM	Mission
Sun	Oct 5	7:00 PM	Mission, Ad Orientem, Candlelight, Reception

DISCIPLESHIP & WORKS OF MERCY



Thank You for Supporting HOM Thank you to all who contributed to the parish-wide second collection for Homeless Outreach Ministry (HOM).

Ongoing Support—Each week, HOM shops, bags, and delivers groceries to the unhoused in Fremont. You can support this work by donating online at <https://www.osvhub.com/saintjosephmsj/giving/funds/homeless-outreach-ministry/> or by writing a check to St. Joseph Parish with “HOM Ministry” in the memo. Donations of new or gently used socks and hats are also welcome and may be dropped off Sundays, 11:00 AM–12 noon, at the HOM Office (St. Joseph’s Workshop).

Community & Volunteers—The Annual HOM Barbecue on September 14 gathered more than 40 members, volunteers, and families; special thanks to the St. Joseph Men’s Club for their generous help. To learn more or volunteer, contact Stan Peters at 510-468-8017 or Lawrence Dass at 510-468-4494.

St. Vincent de Paul—A Heartfelt Thank You



A heartfelt thank you to St. Joseph’s School for collecting over 150 cans of food for our pantry, saving us hundreds of dollars in purchases. Each month, the 6th grade gathers

cans from all classrooms and delivers them for our neighbors in need, joined by Family of Faith, Confirmation students, and other generous groups. With the continued support of our parishioners, we are able to purchase the rest of what is needed to fill grocery bags distributed twice a week. Thank you for helping us care for our community. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/service/st-vincent-de-paul/>.



2025 Holy Year Jubilee of Hope

The Cathedral of Christ the Light and Mission San José are designated pilgrimage sites. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/welcome-pilgrims/>

Refugee Resettlement and Shed Update

Our last family is in the process of getting driver’s licenses, learning where to shop and enrolling children in school. We just received a call to help a single mom next week and our supplies are depleted: we urgently need pillows, queen & twin bedding, bath towels, etc. See the website for a list of items needed or contact Don Kaefer at 510-427-3007, donaldkaefer@gmail.com, or visit <https://saintjosephmsj.org/the-refugee-committee-could-use-your-help>.



NOP Needs You—St. Joseph/Mission San José spans 37 neighborhoods—27 in Fremont and 10 nearby. The Neighborhood Outreach Project helps bring our parish family together through simple acts of service, like providing treats at events or collecting shoes and baby clothes for those in need. Watch the bulletin for opportunities. Contact Lauri Kaefer at 510-552-7431 or lkaefer@comcast.net.



Saturday, October 18, 2025 at 10:00 AM



REGISTRATION \$10 PER PARTICIPANT



SCAN TO REGISTER

<https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/fun-walk-run-fundraiser/>

Celebrate St. Joseph School’s 65th Anniversary with us and raise funds to build our new book and game library for our youth, young adults and families!

<https://www.saintjosephmsj.org>

SERVICE, MINISTRY, STEWARDSHIP

AN INVITATION TO SERVE

Become a Liturgical Minister



Liturgical Ministers Needed—Serve our parish as a Lector, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Usher/Hospitality Minister, Sacristan, or Altar Server. Visit <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/invitation-to-serve/> or call the Parish Office at 510-656-2364.



Alpha—Come share dinner and conversation with your fellow parishioners—there is a place at the table for you. To ensure we have enough food for

everyone, registration is required. Scan the QR code or visit the parish website to sign up. Nancy Flores-Mai nflores@saintjosephmsj.org or 510-657-0905. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/alpha/>



Young Adults, 20s & 30s – You're Invited!



Please join us Thursday evenings at St. Joseph's Workshop for the rosary, dinner, and fellowship.

Call Jeff de Jesus, 510-657-0905. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/calling-all-young-adults/>

- ♦ 6:30 PM, Holy Rosary (Outdoor Sleeping St. Joseph)
- ♦ 7:00 PM, Dinner, Scripture Reflection, and Games

Chesterton Academy Events—Sunday, Oct. 13

New classical Catholic high school coming to the East Bay: Visionary Voices with Dale Ahlquist – Sun., Oct. 13, 6–8 PM, Church of Santa Maria, Orinda. RSVP <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/castserra/>



Bequests—A Sacred Gift Beyond A Lifetime

As you prayerfully consider your stewardship, please remember St. Joseph Catholic Church/Mission San José in your will and estate plans. Your legacy gift ensures that the faith, history, and sacred beauty of our parish will continue to flourish for generations to come. Please call the Parish Office at 510-656-2364.

Blessing of the Animals—Sunday, October 5, 2025



In honor of Saint Francis of Assisi, patron of animals, we invite you to a special Blessing of the Animals, immediately following the 12:00 PM Mass at the Holy Family Picnic Area. Bring your beloved pets for this beautiful tradition of gratitude for all God's creatures. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/blessing-of-the-animals/>



St. Joseph Men's Ministry (SJMM)

The Saint Joseph Men's Ministry invites all men of the Parish to attend our Fellowship Night on Tuesday, October 7, at 7:00 PM in the Parish

Hall. There will be a short presentation on Ham Radios for Amateur Enthusiasts—learn about different set-ups and how to get started. Enjoy fellowship, make new friends, and hear about upcoming events in our Parish. Light food and beverages provided. <https://saintjosephmen.org/>

Closing Mass for Our Lady of Fatima—October 13

Please join us on Monday, October 13 for the Closing Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.

6:30 PM—Rosary procession (Mission Church steps)

7:00 PM — Holy Mass in the Main Church

We will conclude with light refreshments immediately following the Mass in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to gather in prayer, thanksgiving, and devotion to Our Lady. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/our-lady-of-fatima-procession/>

How to Give Online - OSV

<https://www.osvhub.com/saintjosephmsj/giving/funds>. Thank you for your support.



2nd Collection this Weekend—The Catholic Voice

Living the Mission with <i>Christ:</i> Hope Does Not Disappoint	Weekly Plate	9/28/2025
	Weekly Actual	\$ 16,082.80
	YTD Actual	\$ 790,745.38
	Homeless Outreach	\$ 3,373.00
	Bishop's Appeal 2025	\$ 41,808.40

MISSION SAN JOSÉ, HERITAGE & HOPE

BAPTISM

Sterling Fiore Kennedy
Joseph Juan Pablo Garcia-Correa
Analie Bea Tovar
Aubrey Arquero Quezada
Mia Pellegrini

HOLY MATRIMONY

Huyen Bach & Quoc Nguyen
October 11
Janice Gau & Rem Tolentino
October 18
Elaine Agnite & Joseph Peter Nolasco
October 25

For information about celebrating the sacraments of baptism or holy matrimony in our parish, scan the QR code or visit www.saintjosephmsj.org/liturgy/sacraments-2



Upcoming Activities at Mission San José—2025

Visit and experience the life of the Mission.

Ad Orientem Mass (1st Sunday)

- ♦ October 5, Sunday at 7:00 PM
- ♦ Presider: Fr. Erick Villa

Docent Led Tours—October 11 & 12, Sat & Sun
Rosales Opus 14 Demonstration & Mini-Concert
♦ Sunday, October 12 at 1:30 PM

Spanish Mass (2nd Sunday)—October 12, 7:00 PM

Presider: Fr. Arturo Bazan, Parochial Vicar, St. Bede

St. Joseph School 65th Anniversary

- ♦ October 18, Saturday

Father Thi Van Hoàng Installation—Holy Mass

- ♦ October 26, Sunday at 12:00 PM
- ♦ Presider: Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ
- ♦ Museum Open House, Guided Tours

Ad Orientem Mass (1st Sunday)

- ♦ November 2, Sunday at 7:00 PM

Bishop's Mass

- ♦ November 7, Friday at 10:00 AM
- ♦ 10th Diaconate Anniversary—Fr. John Erick Villa
- ♦ Presider: Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ

Pilgrimage Mass and Tour

- ♦ November 08, Saturday at 9:00 AM
- ♦ Our Lady of Lavang, Father Vincent Nguyen

Spanish Mass (2nd Sunday)—November 9, 7:00 PM

- ♦ **Confecciones:** 6:00 PM antes de la Misa
- ♦ **Presider:** Rev. John Prochaska, Pastor, Saint Joseph the Worker, Parochial Administrator of Saint Augustine & Saint Ambrose Parishes, Vicar for Priests, Director of the Office of Clergy Offices, Diocese of Oakland



SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS
ONLINE RESERVATIONS
www.saintjosephmsj.org/mission-field-trips



VISIT THE MISSION GIFT SHOP TODAY



Gift Shop Hours

Monday–Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday–Friday	10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Saturday–Sunday	10:00 AM – 4:30 PM

AD ORIENTEM

First Sunday of the Month / 7:00 PM
October 5, 2025
November 2, 2025

HOLY MASS IN SPANISH SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Second Sunday of the Month / 7:00 PM
October 12, 2025
November 9, 2025

AT A GLANCE: DATES TO REMEMBER

A SACRED OFFERING FOR OUR PASTOR'S INSTALLATION

On Sunday, October 26, 2025, Bishop Michael C. Barber, S.J. will install Fr. Thi Van Hoàng, as Pastor of St. Joseph Catholic Church/Mission San José, Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph.



To honor this blessed moment, we invited parishioners to present gifts that reflect the dignity of our worship and the beauty of our newly renovated church: an ambry for the Holy Oils, crafted in fine wood and glass to safeguard the oils used in the sacraments, and two lectionary covers, richly adorned in gold and silver to enshrine the Word of God proclaimed at every Mass.

Thanks to your immediate and generous response, these sacred furnishings are now fully funded, with additional gifts designated for the holy oils, replacement and care of our lectionaries, and the ongoing upkeep of these sacred elements that preserve the dignity of our worship.



Together, let us continue to bless our parish and pastor with offerings worthy of God's house.

Thank you

We extend heartfelt gratitude to the following donors, whose offerings will serve our parish for generations as a lasting sign of faith and devotion:

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Please check our parish website closer to the dates for times and full event details:
www.saintjosephmsj.org

2025

OCTOBER 5	Blessing of the Animals
OCTOBER 12	Rosales Opus 14 Spanish Organ Presentation
OCTOBER 13	Spanish Mass, 2nd Sunday of the Month
OCTOBER 13	Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Procession, Closing Mass
OCTOBER 18	St. Joseph School 65th Anniversary Celebration
OCTOBER 18	Parish Fun Run
OCTOBER 26	Father Thi Hoàng Installation
NOVEMBER 1	Filipino Dinner Dance
NOVEMBER 5-9	Ignatius Press Book Fair
NOVEMBER 7	10th Year Diaconate - Father John Erick Villa
NOVEMBER 27	Thanksgiving Day
DECEMBER 6	Advent Retreat
DECEMBER 8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
DECEMBER 9	Parishwide Advent Reconciliation
DECEMBER 13	Christmas Concert
DECEMBER 15-23	Las Posadas
DECEMBER 15-23	Simbang Gabi
DECEMBER 24	Christmas Eve, Nativity Play, Midnight Mass Prelude
DECEMBER 25	Nativity Of The Lord
DECEMBER 27	2025 Jubilee Closing Mass - Bishop Michael C. Barber, S.J.
DECEMBER 27-28	Appeals of Our Lady - Marian Apparition
DECEMBER 31	Multi-Lingual Vigil Mass New Year's Eve Celebration

2026

JANUARY 1	Solemnity of The Blessed Virgin Mary, The Mother Of God
MARCH 20-21	Fourth Annual St. Joseph Conference
MAY 24	Dominican Sisters Jubilee



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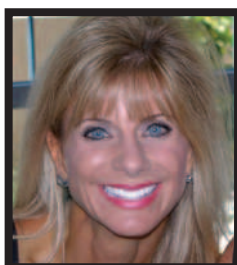


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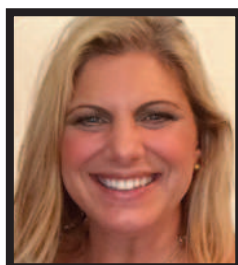
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