

# 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.

**Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion**

**March 29, 2026**



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST,



Today we begin the most sacred journey of our liturgical year: Holy Week. Palm Sunday is a day full of contrasts. It opens with joy and celebration as Jesus enters Jerusalem, welcomed by crowds waving palm branches and shouting, “Hosanna!”

Yet, in the same liturgy, we hear the Passion—where those cries of praise turn into shouts of rejection: “Crucify Him!” This dramatic shift is not just a story about people long ago—it is a mirror of our own hearts.

How often do we welcome Christ with enthusiasm when life is going well, when prayers are answered, when faith feels easy? And yet, when challenges come—when suffering, confusion, or disappointment enters—we can become distant, silent, or even resistant to God’s will. Palm Sunday invites us to recognize this tension within ourselves.

Jesus enters Jerusalem fully aware of what awaits Him. He knows the Cross is coming. Still, He does not turn back. He does not run away. Instead, He moves forward with courage, humility, and love. This is the kind of love we are called to imitate—a love that is faithful not only in moments of joy, but also in times of sacrifice.

The palms we receive today are more than just symbols of celebration. They represent a commitment. Holding a palm means saying: “Lord, I will follow You—not only when it is easy, but also when it is difficult. I will walk with You through suffering, trusting that it leads to new life.”

As we enter this Holy Week, the Church invites us to slow down and be intentional. This is not just another week. It is a sacred opportunity to deepen our relationship with Christ.

Here are a few simple ways to live this week well:

- **Be present at the liturgies:** Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil are the heart of our faith.
- **Spend time in prayer:** even a few quiet minutes each day reflecting on the Passion of Christ.
- **Seek reconciliation:** in the Sacrament of Confession, allowing God’s mercy to renew your heart.
- **Practice charity:** reach out to someone in need, forgive someone, or offer a hidden act of kindness.

Most importantly, do not walk this week as a spectator. Walk as a disciple.

Palm Sunday reminds us that following Jesus is not a one-time decision, but a daily choice. It is easy to wave palms; it is harder to carry the cross. Yet, the path of the Cross is the path that leads to the empty tomb.

May we not only welcome Jesus with palms today, but remain faithful to Him throughout this week—at the Last Supper, at the foot of the Cross, and finally, in the joy of the Resurrection.

Let us walk with Him—wholeheartedly, faithfully, and with love.

***Blessed Holy Week to you and your family.***

*Fr. Thi Văn Hoàng, Pastor  
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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.

### 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
AD ORIENTEM	7:00 PM	Mission <i>First Sunday of the Month</i>
ST. JOSEPH DEVOTION	7:00 PM	Main Church <i>First Wednesday of the Month</i>
SACRED HEART OF JESUS	8:00 AM	Main Church <i>First Friday of the Month 24-hour Adoration</i>
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY	8:00 AM	Main Church <i>First Saturday of the Month (Mission: Nov 2025 &amp; Aug 2026) Anointing Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct</i>
HOLY MASS IN SPANISH	7:00 PM	Mission <i>Second Sunday of the Month</i>
ST. JOSEPH DAY	8:00 AM	St. Joseph Chapel of Healing <i>The 19th of Every Month</i>
Rosary	7:30 AM	Mission
Daily Mass	8:00 AM	Monday–Saturday Main Church
Divine Chaplet	8:30 AM	First Friday & subsequent Saturday
Adoration		
Monday–Friday	8:00 AM–8:00 PM	Adoration Chapel
*Wednesday	10:30 AM–8:00 PM	
St. Joseph for Life Holy Hour	1:30 PM	Adoration Chapel, Monday
Vespers, Evening Prayer, Divine Office	6:00 PM	Adoration Chapel, Monday–Friday
Holy Hour	5:00 PM	
Vespers, Benediction	6:00 PM	Main Church, Thursday
Mass in Vietnamese	7:00 PM	
CONFESSION	7:30 AM	Mission, Wednesday–Friday
By appointment, call 510-656-2364	4:00 PM –5:00 PM	Main Church, Saturday

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday–Thursday** | **Friday**  
9:00 AM–4:00 PM | 9:00 AM–12:00 PM



# FAITH, DEVOTION, RENEWAL

*Heartfelt  
Gratitude*



## DEAR DAUGHTERS AND SONS OF ST. JOSEPH,

Praise God, through intercession of St. Joseph, our 4th Annual St. Joseph Conference ended up with a great success. People were very happy and pleased with our organization of the Conference. With hearts full of gratitude and joy, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to everyone who helped make the Conference such a beautiful and grace-filled event.

First, to all our dedicated volunteers—your generosity, time, and hidden sacrifices did not go unnoticed. Whether you served in organizing, designing the program, liturgy, music, hospitality, parking, registration, food service, livestream, setting and cleaning up, guiding the Mission tours, or behind the scenes, your willingness to serve with love and humility truly reflected the spirit of St. Joseph. You worked quietly, faithfully, and wholeheartedly, and through you, God blessed so many.

To our coordinator Nance Flores, our staff, MCs, speakers, and confessors—Your service helped create an atmosphere where hearts were open to God's presence.

To our cultural communities who enriched this conference with their presence and gifts: the Vietnamese, Chinese, Indonesian, Filipino, Indian,

Spanish communities and St Joseph school. Your faith, traditions, and unity reveal the beauty of the universal Church—many cultures, but one family in Christ.

We also extend a special word of thanks to all participants who attended the conference. Your presence, prayer, and active participation made this gathering alive and meaningful. You were not just attendees, but part of a faith-filled community seeking to grow closer to God together. This conference was not simply an event—it was a moment of grace, a time of renewal, and a reminder that we are never alone in our journey of faith.

As we look forward to next year's conference on March 12 & 13, 2027, may the blessings we received continue to bear fruit in our daily lives. Let us carry the spirit of St. Joseph—faithful, humble, and obedient—into our families, our parish, and our world.

*Once again, thank you all for your dedication, love, and support. May God bless you abundantly.*

*Fr. Thi Văn Hoàng, Pastor*

*St. Joseph Catholic Church / Mission San José  
Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph*



# LEARNING, LIVING, GIVING

## ONE FAMILY IN CHRIST

YOUR JOURNEY, OUR FAITH  
DISCOVER · BELONG · GROW



**A FAMILY OF FAITH**  
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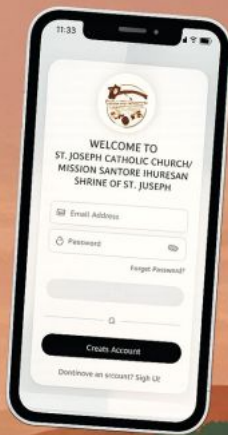
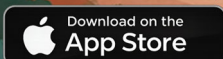
**BIBLE STUDY,  
LECTIO DIVINA**  
*Ages 18+*  
Sister Marcia Krause, OP  
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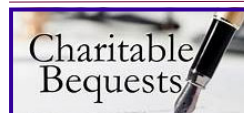
## Download the APP TODAY

Discover a new way to stay connected with St. Joseph Catholic Church/Mission San José, Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph. Access parish news, announcements, bulletins, and more, anytime, anywhere with just one simple app.

Visit our website for more info:  
[www.saintjosephmsj.org/app](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/app)



**Paschal Candles**—To mark the light of Christ this Easter, we seek support for the Paschal candles for our church and Mission, a sacred sign of the Resurrection. A gift of \$1,000 will provide these candles and the elements (palms) necessary for Palm Sunday—please contact us at 510-656-2364 to contribute. Thank you.



A charitable bequest is a lasting expression of faith and stewardship. By remembering the Church or its ministries in your estate plans, you help sustain Christ’s mission for generations to come.

**How to Give Online—OSV** <https://www.osvhub.com/saintjosephmsj/giving/funds>.  
Charitable giving = tax benefits, parish support.

Living the Mission with <i>Christ:</i> Hope Does Not Disappoint	No Second Collection	
	3/8/2026	3/15/2026
Catholic Relief	\$ 21,449.73	\$ 19,344.75
Bishop’s Appeal 2026		\$ 14,280.00

# PRAYER, DEVOTIONS, HOLY DAYS

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	03/28	5:30 PM	+Emerita Jimenez, +Conrado Soriano, +Artita Padilla
Sun	03/29	8:00 AM	+Emerita Jimenez, +Doris Stubben
		10:00 AM	+James & Diana Skokan, +Italo Daza, Intentions of Isla & Hugo Munson
		12:00 PM	+Loreto Estrada Balcita, +Purita Coronel, +Maximo G. Pineda
		3:00 PM	People of St. Joseph
		5:00 PM	People of St. Joseph
Mon	03/30	8:00 AM	Intentions of Telsa Mathew
Tue	03/31	8:00 AM	+Loreto Estrada Balcita, +Robert Hu, Intentions of Tesla Mathew
Wed	04/01	8:00 AM	+Bela Csikesz, Souls in Purgatory, Deceased Members of Chennat & Arakkal Families
Thu	04/02	8:00 AM	Holy Thursday
Fri	04/03	8:00 AM	Good Friday
Sat	04/04	8:00 AM	Holy Saturday

**Vespers** | Thursdays | 6:00 PM  
Main Church | EN/VN Mass 7:00 PM

April 1 | **First Wednesday**

St. Joseph Devotion  
7:00 PM | Main Church

May 1 | **First Friday**

Sacred Heart of Jesus  
8:00 AM | Main Church

May 2 | **First Saturday**

Immaculate Heart of Mary  
8:00 AM | Main Church

May 3 | **First Sunday**

Ad Orientem  
7:00 PM | Mission  
Candlelight | Reception

May 10 | **Second Sunday**

Misa en Español  
7:00 PM | Mission

### FUNERAL | MEMORIAL

Timothy Riedy, March 24, Mission  
Rosemary Lafferty, March 26, Chapel

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let Your perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

<https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/liturgy/sacraments-2/funerals/>  
Call 510-656-2364 to schedule.



### SAVE THE DATE — Summer with the Saints

A Summer Camp (TK–6th) will be held June 22–26, 2026, 8:30 AM–2:00 PM at St. Joseph Parish. Each day features a saint focus with faith-based activities, crafts, and games. Registration opens Easter Sunday. Space is limited—register early. Proceeds support Confirmation youth attending the Steubenville Conference in San Diego. Visit [www.saintjosephmsj.org/summer-camp/](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/summer-camp/).

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**—Join us Saturday, April 11 at 8:00 AM in the Mission for a special Mass celebrating Anointing of the Sick. The ministries of liturgy and hospitality will be entrusted to our Confirmation students. Witness their faith, reverence, and dedication as they serve our parish community. [www.saintjosephmsj.org/anointing-mass/](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/anointing-mass/)



**Pray for the Sick**—Cece DeLisi, Iu Ming Thomas Ho, George Hernandez, Yolanda Paulson, Myron Wong, Hang Le, Lourdes Verosa, Dorijan Ilijic, Gary Bozaich, Pamela Randolph, Pete De Lisi, Axel Brisken, Gerry Fulks, Todd and Dianne Goings, JoAnn Miller, Alda Petersen, Marilyn Perry, Tom Truong, Angie Heywood, Luisa Del Rosario, Luis Eduardo Castiblanco, Shirley Nolan, Carolina Reyes, Jessica Fluent, Barbara Schaub, Art Noeth, Mariam Wyman, Chris Benya, Gary Asher, Susan Alioto, Anna Wang, Yuk Ying Chan, Theresa Martin, Maryann Carlin, Gary Whiteley, Jayson Watkins, Monique Morsette, Mary Costello, Zeny Lacey, Michael Roseman, Kenny Zulawski, Arlene Zulawski, Rey Rara. Prayer requests call 510-656-2364 or <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/discipleship/prayer-team-ministry/>.

# FAITH, HOPE, SERVICE & EVENTS



**WANTED: Easter Eggs**—We are collecting plastic eggs and wrapped candy for our annual Easter Egg Hunt. Donations may be placed in the church vestibule or contact Nancy Flores-Mai, [nflores@saintjosephmsj.org](mailto:nflores@saintjosephmsj.org). Visit <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/easter-eggs-wanted/> or call the Parish Office at 510-656-2364. Thank you for helping make this joyful tradition possible for our parish families.



**St. Vincent de Paul**—Donors have asked about company matching gifts. If your employer offers a matching program, we can help facilitate the process. Contact President Barbara Fuhs at [eabmom@comcast.net](mailto:eabmom@comcast.net) for details. All donations directly support food and assistance for neighbors in need. <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/works-of-mercy/st-vincent-de-paul/> to learn more.



**Refugee Update**—We prepare to welcome another family thanks to your generosity. Please keep Laila and Ehsan in your prayers as they prepare for the arrival of their baby girl this month. Diapers and essential baby items needed. Don Kaefer at [donaldkaefer@gmail.com](mailto:donaldkaefer@gmail.com) or 510-427-3007 to help. Thank you for your support!



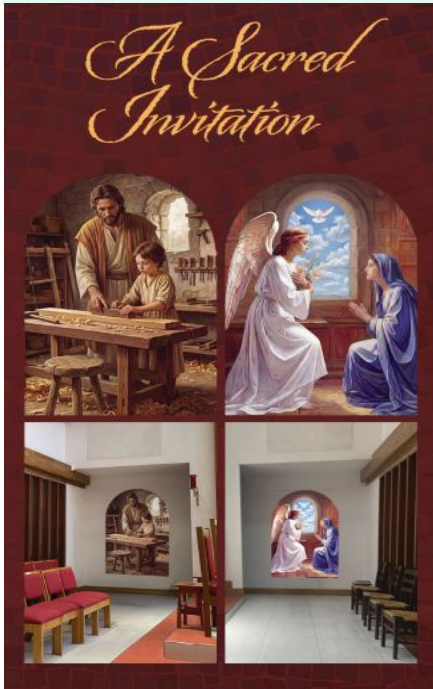
**2026 Bishop's Ministries Appeal**  
**Living the faith**—The Appeal supports vital diocesan programs that form disciples, strengthen parishes, and serve those in need. Your participation advances our shared mission of bringing Christ's mercy and hope. Our parish goal is \$72,000. Visit <https://www.saintjosephmsj.org/2026-bishops-ministries-appeal/> for more info & to give. Thank you!



**HOM Update**—St. Joseph School TK students assembled 72 HOM Blessing Bags during a visit to the HOM Office. Their work supports weekly distribution to the unhoused in Fremont. Visit [www.saintjosephmsj.org/tk-blessing-bags](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/tk-blessing-bags) or to help, contact Julie Kille 510-421-2770.



**NOP—Connect Our Neighborhoods**—Become an E-Captain. Serve your parish with minimal time commitment by sending a prepared email to your assigned list (20 minutes; no meetings). Volunteers needed in Blacow, Brookvale, Centerville, Grimmer, Irvington, and Mission Hills. Contact Lauri Kaefer at [lkaefer@comcast.net](mailto:lkaefer@comcast.net) or 510-552-7431. [www.saintjosephmsj.org/service/neighborhood-outreach-program/](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/service/neighborhood-outreach-program/).



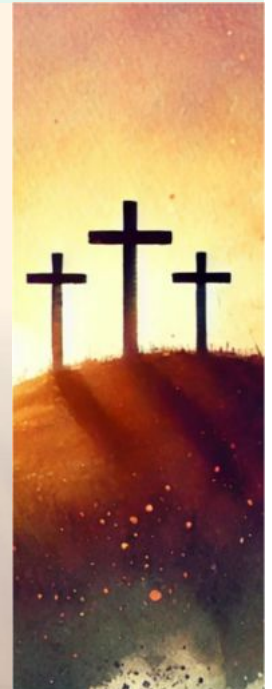
## COMMISSIONING TWO SACRED IMAGES | \$60,000 GOAL

*Sacred art within the Church is not decoration—it is proclamation. It teaches, forms, and invites prayer long after words fade. We are seeking to commission two permanent sacred images for our church:*

*The Annunciation*, the moment Mary's fiat opens the way for the Incarnation, and *St. Joseph the Worker*, guardian of the Holy Family and model of faithful, quiet devotion.

These images will become part of the Church's living prayer—present at Mass, weddings, funerals, and the countless quiet moments when hearts are lifted to God. The total cost for both works is \$60,000. All gifts—large and small—help bring this sacred vision to life. Some may feel called to sponsor an image in full; others may participate through shared generosity. Each contribution becomes part of a lasting offering to God. *This is an invitation to help create something enduring—sacred works that will form faith, inspire prayer, and proclaim the Gospel for generations.*

Please prayerfully consider supporting this commission and becoming part of the Church's sacred legacy. Scan the QR code or visit [saintjosephmsj.org/sacred-mosaic-art/](http://saintjosephmsj.org/sacred-mosaic-art/) for more information and to support this effort.



# FAITH IN ACTION: OUR COMMUNITY



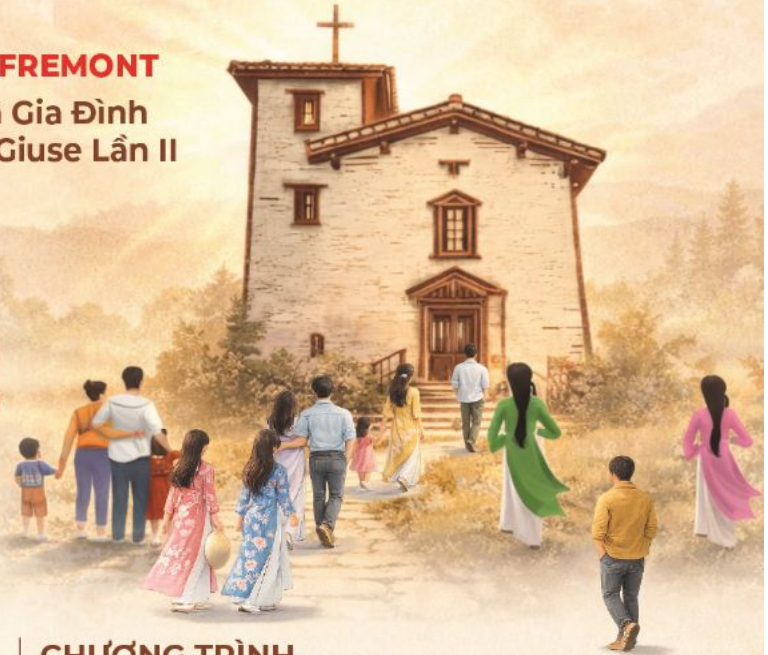
## CỘNG ĐOÀN THÁNH GIUSE - FREMONT

Trân Trọng Kính Mời Quý Vị và Gia Đình  
Đến Tham Dự Đại Hội Thánh Giuse Lần II

# Trẩy Hội Về Đền Cùng THÁNH GIUSE

Thứ Sáu & Thứ Bảy

Tháng 5 **1-2** Năm 2026



LM Chánh xứ Phêrô  
Hoàng Văn Thi



LM Phêrô  
Nguyễn Bá Quốc Linh

Được thành lập bởi các Cha Thừa Sai Phanxicô, trong Năm Thánh Phanxicô Assisi này, Mission San José (Nhà Thờ Cổ Thánh Giuse) được chỉ định là một điểm hành hương để các tín hữu đến cầu nguyện và nhận ơn toàn xá.Ơn toàn xá là ân sủng đặc biệt của Giáo Hội, giúp xóa bỏ hoàn toàn hình phạt tạm thời do tội lỗi gây ra.

### Điều Kiện Nhận Ơn Toàn Xá



Xưng tội, Quyết tâm  
từ bỏ tội lỗi



Rước lễ



Cầu Nguyện theo ý Đức Giáo Hoàng  
(Đọc Kinh Lạy Cha, Kính Mừng, Sáng Danh)

Linh mục Chánh xứ Phêrô Hoàng Văn Thi và Cộng đoàn Thánh Giuse rất mong sự hiện diện đông đảo của quý vị để cùng nhau chia sẻ, tìm hiểu và tôn vinh Thánh Cả Giuse.

Đóng Góp  
cho Đại Hội



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## CHƯƠNG TRÌNH

### Thứ 6 - 01.05.2026

- 6:00 pm Kiệu Thánh Giuse
- 6:30 pm Thánh Lễ Khai Mạc Đại Hội
- 7:30 pm Ăn Tối
- 8:00 pm Thánh Ca - Tụng Ca Thánh Giuse

### Thứ 7 - 02.05.2026

- 7:00 am Đón Tiếp
- 8:00 am Thánh Lễ Xức Dầu Chữa Lành
- 9:00 am Ăn Sáng - Xưng Tội
- 10:00 am Giảng Phòng - Lm. Phêrô Nguyễn Bá Quốc Linh với chủ đề: "Trong Thinh Lặng - Giuse Lắng Nghe, Tin Tưởng và Hành Động."
- 11:00 am Giải Lao - Thăm Viếng Đền Thánh, Bảo Tàng - Xưng Tội
- 12:00 pm Ăn Trưa - Xưng Tội
- 1:00 pm Giảng Phòng - Lm. Phêrô Nguyễn Bá Quốc Linh với chủ đề: "Trong Thinh Lặng - Giuse Trông Cậy, Đón Nhận và Yêu Thương."
- 2:00 pm Giải Lao - Xưng Tội
- 2:15 pm Suy Tôn Thánh Tích Thánh Phanxicô Assisi và Thánh Clara
- 2:45 pm Châu Thánh Thể
- 3:00 pm Kính Lòng Thương Xót Chúa
- 3:30 pm Kiệu Thánh Giuse
- 4:00 pm Thánh Lễ Bế Mạc
- 5:30 pm Bế Mạc

Hẹn Gặp Quý Vị vào Đại Hội Thánh Giuse Lần 3  
Ngày 30 Tháng 4 và Ngày 1 Tháng 5 Năm 2027



# MISSION SAN JOSÉ, HERITAGE, FAITH

## EVENTS AT MISSION SAN JOSÉ

MISSION TOUR  
CHRIST COMMUNITY  
CHURCH OF MILPITAS

MARCH 11, 2026

GIFT SHOP  
MARCH 8, 2026



**Jubilee of St. Francis of Assisi**—Mission San José, Diocesan Shrine of St. Joseph, has been designated an official pilgrimage site in the Diocese of Oakland for the commemoration of the 800th Anniversary

of the death of St. Francis of Assisi. Founded by Franciscan missionaries in 1797, the faithful may make pilgrimage and receive a plenary indulgence during this special observance. For more info, please visit [www.saintjosephmsj.org/jubilee-saint-francis](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/jubilee-saint-francis).

**SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS  
ONLINE RESERVATIONS**  
[www.saintjosephmsj.org/mission-field-trips](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org/mission-field-trips)



### 2026 Lenten Walking Pilgrimage, Mar 29, 9:00 AM

- ◆ Camino de California, Salvatore Caruso
- ◆ Presider—Min Suk Kim

### Pilgrimage—Wednesday, April 8

- ◆ St. Francis Korean Catholic Church
- ◆ Archdiocese of Los Angeles

### Franciscan Pilgrimage—Wednesday, April 8

- ◆ Mission San Luis Rey, Oceanside, CA
- ◆ Presider—Fr. Roger Lopez

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# THE HOLY SEASON: LENT & EASTER

## PALM SUNDAY | MARCH 29, 2026

5:30 PM	Saturday, March 28, 2026—Vigil Holy Mass <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>
8:00 AM	Holy Mass, <i>Mission</i>
10:00 AM	Holy Mass, <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>
12:00 PM	Holy Mass (Family of Faith), <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>
3:00 PM	Holy Mass (Vietnamese), <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>
5:00 PM	Holy Mass (Mandarin), <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>

## HOLY WEEK | MARCH 30–APRIL 4, 2026

MONDAY – WEDNESDAY March 30 – April 1, 2026	8:00 AM	Holy Mass, <i>Mission</i>
	9:00 AM– 8:00 PM	Adoration, <i>Adoration Chapel</i> *Wednesday 10:30 AM–8:00 PM
	6:00 PM	Vespers, <i>Adoration Chapel</i>

### HOLY TRIDUUM

<b>HOLY THURSDAY</b> April 2, 2026	7:30 AM	Confession, <i>Mission</i>
	8:00 AM	Morning Prayer/Liturgy of the Hours, <i>Mission</i>
	7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper, <i>Main Church</i> <i>Washing of the Feet, procession to the Mission</i>
	8:30 PM – 12:00 AM	Adoration, <i>Mission</i>
	10:00 PM	Compline (Night Prayer), <i>Mission</i> <i>The Mission will remain open until 12:00 Midnight for visits to the Altar of Repose.</i>
<b>GOOD FRIDAY</b> April 3, 2026 <i>No 24-Hour Eucharistic Adoration</i>	7:30 AM	Confession, <i>Mission</i>
	8:00 AM	Morning Prayer/Liturgy of the Hours, <i>Mission</i>
	12:00 PM	Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, <i>Main Church</i>
	3:00 PM	Walking Stations of the Cross, <i>Outdoor Stations of the Cross</i>
	5:00 PM	Liturgy of the Lord's Passion (VN), <i>Main Church</i>
	7:00 PM	Liturgy of the Lord's Passion (EN/CN), <i>Main Church</i>
<b>HOLY SATURDAY</b> April 4, 2026	7:30 AM	Confession, <i>Mission</i>
	8:00 AM	Morning Prayer/Liturgy of the Hours, followed by OCIA Rites of Preparation, <i>Mission</i>
	8:00 PM	The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night, <i>Main Church (begins on the Mission steps)</i>
<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b> April 5, 2026	8:00 AM	Holy Mass, <i>Mission</i>
	10:00 AM	Holy Mass, <i>Main Church</i>
	12:00 PM	Holy Mass (Family of Faith), <i>Main Church</i>
	3:00 PM	Holy Mass (Vietnamese), <i>Main Church</i>
	5:00 PM	Holy Mass (Mandarin), <i>Main Church</i>

## ACTIVITIES DURING LENT



FEBRUARY 17–APRIL 7  
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30 PM  
Tuesday evenings

FEBRUARY 20–MARCH 27  
Simple Soup Supper, 6:00 PM  
Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM  
Friday evenings

MARCH 20–21  
Fourth Annual St. Joseph  
Conference | Lenten Retreat

## HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

*Please observe reverent silence and pray the Rosary before Mass.*

### SATURDAY VIGIL HOLY MASS

5:30 PM Main Church

### SUNDAY HOLY MASS

8:00 AM Mission  
10:00 AM Main Church  
12:00 PM Main Church  
3:00 PM Main Church, Vietnamese  
5:00 PM Main Church, Mandarin

### DAILY HOLY MASS

Mission, Monday–Saturday  
Main Church, First Friday & Subsequent Saturday

7:30 AM Rosary  
8:00 AM Holy Mass  
8:30 AM Divine Chaplet

### ADORATION

Adoration Chapel

Monday–Friday 8:00 AM–8:00 PM  
\*Wednesday 10:30 AM–8:00 PM

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7:30 AM Mission, Wednesday–Friday  
4:00 PM–5:00 PM Main Church, Saturday



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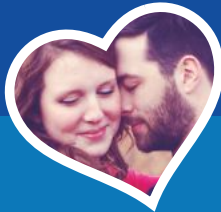
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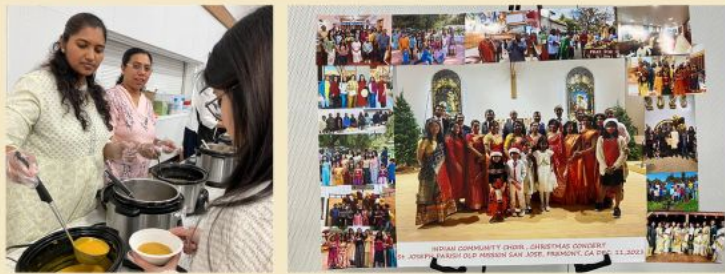
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Please check our parish website closer to the dates for times and full event details: [www.saintjosephmsj.org](http://www.saintjosephmsj.org)

### 2026

- FEB. 20 - FEB. 27: Simple Soup Supper, 6:00 PM  
Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM  
*Friday evenings*
- MAR. 15 - MAY 2: Beginning the Journey,  
Dominican Sisters of Mission San José
- MAR. 29: Palm Sunday
- MAR. 30 - APR. 4: Holy Week
- APR. 5: Easter Sunday, Easter Egg Hunt
- APR. 11: Anointing of the Sick, 8:00 AM, *Mission*
- APR. 12: Divine Mercy Sunday
- MAY 1-2: Second Annual Vietnamese St. Joseph Conference
- MAY 13 - OCT. 13: Rosary Procession, Our Lady of Fatima  
*Every 13th of the Month*
- MAY 16: Confirmation
- MAY 24: Dominican Sisters Jubilee
- MAY 30: First Reconciliation,  
First Holy Communion Retreat  
Flores de Mayo
- MAY 31: Camino de California, 8:00 AM, *Mission  
Bishop Michael C. Barber presiding*
- JUNE 7: Solemnity of the Most Holy Body  
and Blood of Christ  
First Holy Communion
- JUNE 13: Meet Me at the Mission Founder's Gala  
*Committee for Restoration of the Mission San José*
- AUG. 15: Solemnity of the Assumption  
of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Group Marriage Convalidation Ceremony  
Jubilee Year of St. Francis, 8:00 AM, *Mission  
Bishop Michael C. Barber presiding*
- AUG. 22: Dedication of the Ohlone Memorial Garden
- OCT. 10-11: St. Joseph Festival
- NOV. 21: Dominican Sisters Holiday Boutique

### 2027

- MAR. 12 -13, 2027: Fifth Annual St. Joseph Conference  
*Keynote speaker:  
Father Donald H. Calloway, MIC*
- APR. 30 -MAY 1: Third Annual  
Vietnamese St. Joseph Conference

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