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MASS SCHEDULE

Mon: 8:15 a.m. Tues: 8:15 a.m. Wed: 8:15 a.m. Thurs: 8:15 a.m. Friday: 8:15 a.m. Saturday: 8:15 a.m.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. Sun: 8:00, 10:00, 12:00 p.m Misa en español: 5:00 p.m.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 p.m. (or by appointment)

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Jn 14:6; Mk 8:11-13

Tues. Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Jn 14:23; Mk 8:14-21

Wed. Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Ephesians 1:17-18; Mk 8:22-26

Thur. Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; John 6:63c, 68c; Mk 8:27-33

Fri. Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Jn 15:15b; Mk 8:34–9:1

Sat. Jas 3:1-10; Ps 12:2-3, 4-5, 7-8; Mk 9:6; Mk 9:2-13

Sun. 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Jn 13:34; Lk 6:27-38

ST. JOSEPH PARISH VISION STATEMENT

We, the members of St. Joseph Parish, are called by the Holy Spirit to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in our daily lives. We invite all of God's children to join us in our journey to become what we have been called to be: The Body of Christ.

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the community of St. Joseph Parish, in Christ Jesus, and guided by the Holy Spirit, are called to be witnesses to the gospel and servants within the Catholic tradition. We are called to work toward:

- creating an open, hospitable and welcoming community;
- embracing diversity, celebrating the giftedness of each person
- committing to the spiritual growth and education of all members; and
- serving one another and our community.

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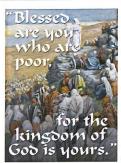
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REFLECTION



On this midwinter day, cold and snow-covered across much of the continent, the Holy Spirit draws us here together through a shared hunger for a life in the Lord that can overcome the hardships of our lives. Our sensory hunger and physical hunger are joined by a spiritual hunger. We hunger for the word of God to guide us and for the

Eucharist to nourish us. Jesus tells us that those who are now hungry will be satisfied. May that comfort us as we hunger for light, for warmth, for guidance, for nourishment, for eternal life in the Lord.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Weekly offering envelopes for 2022 are now available in the church meeting room. They are arranged by your last names. Please pick up your envelopes after each Mass on the weekends or at the parish office during weekdays.

YOUTH MINISTRY

This Sunday, February 13th, the St. Joseph Youth Ministry will be meeting in the gym after the noon Mass. All youths are invited to join for fellowship, food, games, and teachings about our Catholic faith. We hope to see you there!



YEAR-END TAX STATEMENTS

For the Year-end tax statements for 2021 for the weekly offering envelope donations were mailed out a few weeks ago and the online giving year-end tax statements were sent via email on Tuesday 01/18/2022. Please check your email. If you have not received it or have any concerns, please contact the Parish Office at (707) 447-2354. Thank you.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Bring God's tender care to others through the Annual Catholic Appeal. 25% comes back to our parish for our own outreach to those in need.

On the weekend of February 26 we will have the opportunity to come alongside those who are suffering through the Annual Catholic Appeal. Each of our gifts, no matter the amount, makes a difference in someone's life. Catholic Charities can respond to the greatest needs in our communities. Seminarians receive support as they prepare to serve our local parishes. Catholic schools in economically-challenged neighborhoods can provide tuition assistance. Prayerfully consider what you can give this year.

PARISH LENTEN RETREAT



Dear Parishioners,

Please attend our Parish Wide Lenten Retreat on March 4 & 5. This is a great opportunity for us to grow deeper and closer in faith and in sacraments through spiritual nourishment.

Friday, March 4th from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Talk: 6:30 - 7:30 pm Candle light mass 7:40 - 8:30 pm

Saturday, March 5th from 9 am - 1 pm Talk: 9:30 - 10:30 am

Talk: 9:50 - 10:50 am

Talk: 10:45 - 11:45 am

Eucharistic Adoration with Reflections 12-1 pm

(During the Adoration there is an opportunity for individual confessions)

FIND YOUR CHOIR

Choirs will be starting up again beginning the first week of February:

After school choir is open to all school age children in the parish. This choir meets every Tuesday, 3:00-4:00 PM in the Church Meeting Room.



"Vantage Point," the teen/young adult choir, meets every Wednesday, 5:00-6:00 PM in the Church Meeting Room.

If you have any questions, please contact our Music Director, John Gloudeman at 707-447-2354 or by email at john@stjoseph-vacaville.org

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In the Gospel today, Jesus gives us the blessings of serving the poor, hungry and weeping people, for you will then rejoice and leap for joy. But Jesus also teaches us the decisiveness of choice: blessing or woe.

Choosing to help those who are suffering will fill your heart with the blessing of Jesus and indeed your reward will be great in heaven.

For assistance, please call (707) 421-5488.

REFLECTIONS FROM FR. JOHN HEALY

Dear Lord, I watched a lovely red rose yesterday. I feasted my eyes, my nose, my heart, my soul, my whole being...I said, "thank you"...a rose is a tiny face of God.

A little child I never saw before took my hand yesterday and said, "Come on, help me up these steps." I marveled at the gift...indeed, a child is God's way of saying the world must go on. That little child trusted me, a stranger, looked at me, and said "thanks," and gifted me with wonder and awe and a sense of being trusted.

I saw snow glistening in the Sierras yesterday and my eyes and heart and soul took a leap of joy. Here in February, I know there will be Spring, from beneath that snow, flowers, grass and even roses will emerge.

Dear Father, I cherish Your world. Help each of us safe-guard, delight in and cherish Your abundant creation. Help us love it as a child...for it is Your canvas...Your face...we see the seasons there, birth, growth, death and new life. Help us notice, really notice the trees, the leaves, the flowers, the earth, the sun and the moon, the stars and the sky, the animals, the ocean.

Help us touch the earth as Jesus did and then we won't miss the truly important values. He loved children. He loved to talk of flowers, of seeds, of earth. Help us cherish our gifts. Help us have proper stewardship over them and use them to create once more those values.

-Fr. John Healy

PRE-CANA MARRIAGE PREPARATION

The next series of Pre-Cana marriage preparation classes will be next Saturday, February 19 and 26 at 9am-1pm. These classes are



part of the preparation process for the Sacrament of Matrimony. To register, please call or visit the parish office.

Those planning to be married in the Catholic Church should begin the preparation process <u>at least six months</u> before the desired wedding date. Call or visit the office for more details.

FOOD DRIVE



This weekend is our monthly food drive for St. Mary's Food Locker. Please remember to bring your donations of canned and nonperishable food items to help those in need in our community. Thank you for your generosity.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 2/14

RCIA - 7:00 pm, Church meeting room

Tuesday 2/15

Legion of Mary - 9:00 am, PCMR#1

Children's Choir Practice - 3:00 pm, Church meeting room

Wednesday 2/16

Teen/Young Adult Choir - 5:00 pm, Church meeting room

Thursday 2/17

Spanish Bible Study - 7:00 pm, PCMR#1

Friday 2/18

Adoration & Benediction - 6:00 pm, Chapel

Saturday 2/19

Pre-Cana Class - 9:00 am, PCMR#1

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 2/14—8:15 AM Rebecca Hoover†
Santiago Serrato†
4th Anniversary of Our Lady of Peace Care Home
Tues. 2/15—8:15 AM Eldon Corpuz†
Wed. 2/16— 8:15 AMInt. of Amanda Tapia
Thur. 2/17—8:15 AM All Souls in Purgatory†
Fri. 2/18—8:15 AM
Sat. 2/19—8:15 AMInt. of St Joseph Parishioners
Sat. 2/19— 5:00 PM Bernie Perry†
Gaglianone
Sun. 2/20— 8:00 AM
Sun. 2/20— 10:00 AM Janet & Juanito Baltazar†
Sun. 2/20—12:00 PMInt. of St Joseph Parishioners
Sun. 2/20— 5:00 PM Collective Intentions



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