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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 am

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)

ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Fridays: 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

DAY-LONG ADORATION:

Every First Friday of the Month

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- **Mon.** Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 4:4; Mt 14:13-21
- **Tues.** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Jn 1:49B; Mt 14:22-36
- **Wed.** Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Lk 7:16; Mt 15:21-28
- **Thur.** Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:18; Mt 16:13-23
- **Fri.** Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Deuteronomy 32:35CD-36AB, 39abcd, 41; Matthew 5:10; Mt 16:24-28
- **Sat.** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:5c; Lk 9:28b-36
- **Sun.** Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Mt 24;42a, 44; Lk 12:32-48

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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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time — July 31, 2022

REFLECTION

The Holy Spirit draws us here today to listen to God's living word, to receive the Lord in the Eucharist, and to give praise and thanks to God. During the week, many of us work hard to make our lives comfortable, aiming for a promotion or raise, earning enough to afford the nicest things, putting money away for an easy retirement. Today's readings will give us the bit of shock we need to put those parts of our life in perspective. "Vanity of vanities!" cries the first reading's narrator, ridiculing the idea that we have total control over the rest of our lives. May we reorient ourselves toward what really matters.

THANK YOU, MACLOVIA

Dear Parishioners:

Greetings from St. Joseph!

I pray that your summer is going well. Please join me in thanking Ms. Maclovia Romo who is leaving us on August 5th as she has received a very promising job offer. Maclovia started serving the St. Joseph Community in 2018. She helped us with janitorial, housekeeping, custodial and overall supervision and upkeep of our parish facilities. She is one of the best, hard-working, trusted and faithful employees that St. Joseph has ever had. She has kept our church facilities spotless by taking pride in her work. Our church and facilities always look clean as she owned her job and was 100% committed to it. I am very thankful for her work here. I know many of you have commented to me about the cleanliness of our place of worship. All the credit goes to Maclovia. Her same diligence was carried out at the rectory and our parish center. We are going to miss her and her professionalism. Maclovia, we are happy for you and we pray that your new job will bring you more blessings. You are a person with a positive attitude, joy, integrity, character, commitment, leadership, trust and reliability. On behalf of the St. Joseph Parish community and Staff, I sincerely thank you and wish you all the best in your new job. God bless you.

Sincerely in the Lord,

Fr. Joshy Mathew Pastor

MAINTENANCE FUND COLLECTION

Next weekend, August 6-7 is our second collection to support the parish Maintenance Fund. Your donations to this collection support major projects on our buildings and grounds. Thank you for your generosity.

CUSTODIAN POSITION

St. Joseph Parish is seeking a regular parttime (24 hours per week) Custodian. This person will provide janitorial and housekeeping support to the Church facilities, Rectory and the Parish Center. The applicant should have knowledge of cleaning supplies and techniques. For more information or for an application, please visit the Parish Office or contact us at (707) 447 -2354 or email us at office@stjoseph-vacaville.org.

DAY-LONG ADORATION

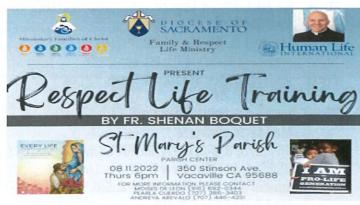


This Friday, August 5th, is our monthly first Friday day-long Adoration. Come spend some time with our Lord in the chapel. Adoration begins immediately following the 8:15 am Mass and ends with

Benediction at 6:45 pm. You can sign up for an hour timeslot in the binder at the entrance of the chapel or drop in for a time at any point during the day.

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT "SEARCH"

Search is a retreat movement for young adults 18-39 years of age. Experience a weekend of self-discovery, learn more about the catholic faith with other young people within the diocese of Sacramento and have a personal encounter with the Lord. Next Retreat is being held at St. Katherine Drexel Catholic Church in Jackson, CA. from August 26-28, 2022. For more information and registration, please call Luis Soria (916) 670-4956, Xochitl Pazaran (530) 370-6529 or Eder Carrasco (916) 308-6171. It is a retreat you don't want to miss!



Father Shenan Boquet, president of Human Life International, will lead this FREE training, open to anyone who would like to attend.

Purpose: It is our mission to defend life. This training program is to further this mission along with our partners in the Respect Life ministry.

Theme: Dt 30:19 - I call heaven and earth today to witness against you: I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. Choose life, then, that you and your descendants may live.

Topics:

1. Why do we need to defend life? What is the concept of pro-life?

2. Dealing with Catholics who espouse the culture of death.

3. Instructing the vulnerable and the future on emerging cultural and moral issues.

- 4. What every Catholic should know post Roe v. Wade.

NOTRE DAME SCHOOL JOB OPENINGS



Love children? Want to help them grow in faith and knowledge? Notre Dame School needs you!

Positions are available for teachers and teaching assistants for the 2022-2023 school year.

Email Meghann Baer

<u>mbauer@notredamevacaville.org</u> for more information.

A PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

(John Cardinal O'Connor, March 1995)

Lord Jesus, we your people pray to You for our priests.

You have given them to us for OUR needs. We pray for them in THEIR needs.

We know that You have made them priests in the likeness of your own priesthood.

You have consecrated them, set them aside, anointed them, filled them with the Holy Spirit, appointed them to teach, to preach, to minister, to console, to forgive, and to feed us with Your Body and Blood.

Yet we know, too, that they are one with us and share our human weaknesses.

We know too that they are tempted to sin and discouragement as are we, needing to be ministered to, as do we, to be consoled and forgiven, as do we.

Indeed, we thank You for choosing them from among us, so that they understand us as we understand them, suffer with us and rejoice with us, worry with us and trust with us, share our beings, our lives, our faith.

We ask that You give them this day the gift You gave Your

chosen ones on the way to Emmaus: Your presence in their hearts, Your holiness in their souls, Your joy in their spirits.

And let them see You face to face in the breaking of the Eucharistic bread.

We pray to You, O Lord, through Mary the mother of all priests, for Your priests and for ours. Amen.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday 8/2

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

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

Children's Choir Practice - 5:30 pm, Church meeting room

Prayer Group - 6:30 pm, Church meeting

Spanish Choir Practice - 7:00 pm, PCMR#2

Thursday 8/4

Children's Choir Practice - 3:00 pm, Church meeting room Adult Choir Practice - 7:00 pm, Church meeting room

Friday 8/5

Day-long Adoration, Chapel

Adoration & Benediction - 6:00 pm, Chapel

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 8/1—8:15 AM	Int. of Cesar Ferrer
	Olivia Cornico†
	Int. of Daniel Andrew Tan
	Int. of Angeles Gambito
	Int. of Elizabeth Armstrong
	Bernabe & Marcelina Espiritu
Wed. 8/3—8:15 AM	Laurie Ann Fonseca†
Thur. 8/4—8:15 AM	
	Int. of Diana Apura
	Marjorie Gore & Deceased
	Family Members†
Sat 8/6— 8:15 AM	All Souls in Purgatory†
Sat. 0/6 5:00 PM	Int. of Madias Family
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Sun. 8/7— 8:00 AM	Int. of St. Joseph Parishioners
Sun. 8/7— 10:00 AM	Bonalyn Badillo†
	Urico Corpuz†
	Int. of Almie & Erick Domingo
	Int. of Sonny & Beth Ungson
	Collective Intentions
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RCIA



If you are an adult who would like to become part of our Catholic faith or come into full communion with the Catholic Church, please join the RCIA program. This program will help you to better understand the teach-

ings and practices of the Church, in preparation for receiving the sacraments at the Easter Vigil. The next RCIA classes will begin on Monday, September 12th. For more information, please contact the parish office.

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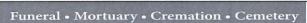
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