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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.** 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Jn 3:16; Lk 7:1-10
- Tues.** 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 7:16; Lk 7:11-17
- Wed.** Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
- Thur.** 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Jn 19:25-27
- Fri.** 1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-7, 8b, 15; Mt 11:25; Lk 8:1-3
- Sat.** 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10C-12, 13-14; Lk 8:15; Lk 8:4-15
- Sun.** Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Cf. 2 Cor 8:9; Lk 16:1-13

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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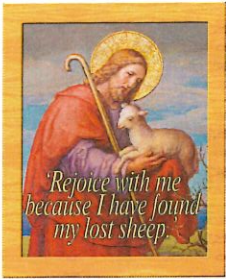
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REFLECTION



In today's Gospel we hear the Pharisees disparage Jesus for welcoming sinners and eating with them. Jesus turns their criticism on its head by telling them three parables that show how much joy God finds in one repentant sinner. We sinners are welcomed to this banquet today where Jesus provides himself as the meal to share. Let us approach the altar with repentant hearts, thankful for God's constant mercy.

YOUTH MINISTRY

This Sunday, September 11th the St. Joseph Youth Ministry will meet at the Parish Center. All St. Joseph youth are welcome to join.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION

There will be a second collection—The Diocesan Collection for Priests Retirement—at all Masses this weekend. This is our opportunity to take care of the faithful and dedicated priests who have spent their lives caring for our spiritual and sacramental needs within our Dioceses. Thank you for your support of our parish priests.

To donate online, visit www.scd.org/dpr

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus would love to speak to all Catholic men after each Mass this coming weekend, Sept 10&11. The Knights do service projects for St. Joseph and for the Vacaville community. There's no fee to join and there's no time commitment. See you after Mass or call Jim Fazzino Grand Knight at 504-908-2847.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS



The next baptism preparation class will be held on Wednesday, September 21 at 6:30 pm in the church meeting room. This class is a requirement for both parents and godparents prior to a child's baptism. The class is free for registered parishioners and \$25 for non-parishioners. Please sign up in advance at the parish office.

If you are planning a baptism for a six years old or younger child, come by the parish office to pick up a registration packet. Baptisms are conducted on the first Saturday of each month in English and the third Saturday of each month in Spanish. It is recommended to plan ahead if a specific date is desired, as all baptism requirements must be completed at least two weeks before the baptism date.

FAITH FORMATION RETREAT

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Saturday, September 17, 2022
from 9:00am-6:00pm



Are you excited about Faith Formation? So are we! We are excited to begin this year's Faith Formation Journey with a retreat. This retreat will help us prepare our hearts and minds for a joyful and fruitful Faith Formation journey.

RETREAT SCHEDULE

9:00 AM: Sign In, Welcome, Introduction and Prayer

We will start our retreat in the Church. Please plan to arrive a few minutes early, as parents will need to sign in their children.

9:30 AM

Students will move to the Parish Hall with the Catechists Team while the parents will stay in the Church.

- This session will enrich Parents with wonderful and powerful Catholic Teachings that will help you grow deeper in your faith so you can guide your child in this journey.
- In this session, children will be enriched in an environment filled with love, excitement and fun activities so they can start their journey with a ready-to-learn attitude; this will give the catechists a special day with their students before classes begin.

3:30 PM: End of Retreat and Sign out

The retreat will end at this time and you may pick up your child at the Parish Hall and sign them out; however, we encourage parents to make the most of this Blessed moment and take advantage of the opportunity to go to Confession. We will have a special dedication for the Confessions for the Faith Formation families. Finally, everyone is welcome to stay and end this day with the Holy Mass.

3:30-4:30 ___ Confessions

5:00-6:00 ___ Holy Mass

Please have breakfast at home; we will provide mid-morning snacks for break times. Lunch will be provided around noon, but you are free to go out and have lunch with your family; just come back on time for the rest of the retreat.

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.

"Have mercy on me, O God, in your goodness." Psalm 51:3

OPTIONS UNITED

Please Support Options United, Helping Women in Need

In today's world, Catholics are called to support unborn children and their mothers so that no woman feels she has no choice but abortion. Do you know someone facing an unexpected or difficult pregnancy, in need of prenatal care, or support with young children? Share the Options for Pregnancy helpline: 877-398-7734, staffed by Options United trained call responders, or visit www.optionsforpregnancy.com

This critical support service connects women and families to the 170+ pregnancy centers and other life-affirming resources across the state, but it can only be provided with your help. The bishops in all twelve of our California dioceses have endorsed this pioneering service and are united in asking you to prayerfully consider making a monthly donation of any size at www.optionsunited.com/one

VOTE "NO" ON PROPOSITION 1

Sadly, California is presently one of the most permissive states in the nation for abortion. Proposition 1 promotes an unlimited expansion of abortion here, while its defeat would keep all abortion laws as they are, including our common-sense limits on late-term abortions. Our bishops are calling us to unite in prayer and action to defeat Prop 1. Please visit www.CAcatholic.org/Prop1 to find answers to common questions and resources to help defeat this misleading, expensive, and unnecessary ballot initiative.

Next weekend, there will be a second collection—the Diocesan Collection for Priests Retirement. This is an opportunity for parishioners to thank our faithful and dedicated priests for their long and loving service to the Diocese. Please consider making a donation. To donate online, visit www.scd.org/dpr

SAN LORENZO RUIZ

We will be celebrating the feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz, the first Filipino saint on September 28th at 8:15am & 7 pm. In preparation for the feast, there will be a nine-day Novena starting September 20th. The Novena prayers will start 20 minutes before the Holy Mass. All are invited to come and prayerfully prepare for the celebration of the feast.

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HELP US HELP OTHERS!

We need volunteers to answer Help Line phone calls one day each month. Training and Mentorship provided. Email Lorraine at svdpvacaville@gmail.com for more info.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 9/12

RCIA - 7:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

Tuesday 9/13

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

Children's Choir Practice - 3:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

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

Wednesday 9/14

Teen Choir Practice - 4:00 pm, Church meeting room

Thursday 9/15

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

Adult Choir Practice - 7:00 pm, Church meeting room

Friday 9/16

Adoration & Benediction - 6:00 pm, Chapel

Saturday 9/17

Faith Formation Retreat - 9:00 am, Church & Parish Center

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 9/12—8:15 AM ----- John Anthony Cullinan†

----- Lita De Guzman†

----- Int. of Liam Rodriguez

----- Int. of Nevalet Ceja

Tues. 9/13—8:15 AM ----- All Souls in Purgatory†

Wed. 9/14—8:15 AM ----- Celedonia Badua†

----- Barbara Obele†

----- Florencio Ramirez†

Thur. 9/15—8:15 AM ----- Int. of Roberto Ceja

Fri. 9/16—8:15 AM ----- Edita Tan†

----- Wilfredo Orenchia†

Sat. 9/17—8:15 AM ----- All Souls in Purgatory†

Sat. 9/17—5:00 PM ----- Int. of Marin Family

Sun. 9/18—8:00 AM ----- Int. of Jazmine Cadriel

----- Int. of Raquel Cadriel

----- Cupertino Ramirez†

Sun. 9/18—10:00 AM ----- Int. of Antonia Guisando

Sun. 9/18—12:00 PM ----- Int. of St. Joseph Parishioners

Sun. 9/18—5:00 PM ----- Collective Intentions

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES FOR SALE

Next weekend, September 17 & 18, a group from Holy Land (Bethlehem & Jerusalem) will be selling religious articles after masses to support the Catholic Christians minorities in Bethlehem. As a tradition, many of the Catholic families in the Holy Land work in small workshops to produce religious articles from olive wood. In the past, they used to sell their artwork to pilgrims who visit the Holy Land. However, these days they are facing an economic hardship, as there are no tourists visiting the Holy Land due to the pandemic. Sales will be used to help and support the Catholics in the Holy Land.

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