



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.

St. Joseph Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Mon. Tues. Wed. Fri. 9am-4pm



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 AM
Friday - Spanish Mass: 7:00 PM

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
Sun: 8:00, 10:00, 12:00 PM
Misa en español: 5:00 PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 PM
(or by appointment)

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Fridays: 6:00 to 7:00 PM

DAY-LONG ADORATION

Every First Friday of the Month

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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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Jn 14:6; Mk 8:11-13
Tues. Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10; Jn 14:23; Mk 8:14-21
Wed. Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; pS 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Eph 1:17-18; Mk 8:22-26
Thur. Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Jn 6:63c, 68c; Mk 8:27-33
Fri. Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Jn 15:15b; Mk 8:34—9:1
Sat. Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Mk 9:6; Mk 9:2-13
Sun. Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; 1 Jn 2:5; Mt 5:38-48

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time — February 12, 2023

REFLECTION

During this brief period between the seasons of Christmas and Lent, we are invited to learn from Jesus the Teacher. This is the third of four consecutive Sundays when we hear passages from his Sermon on the Mount. Picture the scene: Jesus has gone up the mountain and sat down, and his disciples have gathered around him. We too are disciples of the Lord and we have gathered here to be with him. Let us take this opportunity to be enlightened by his teachings.

YOUTH MINISTRY

The St. Joseph Youth Ministry will be meeting this Sunday, February 12th 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!

SEEKING CATECHISTS

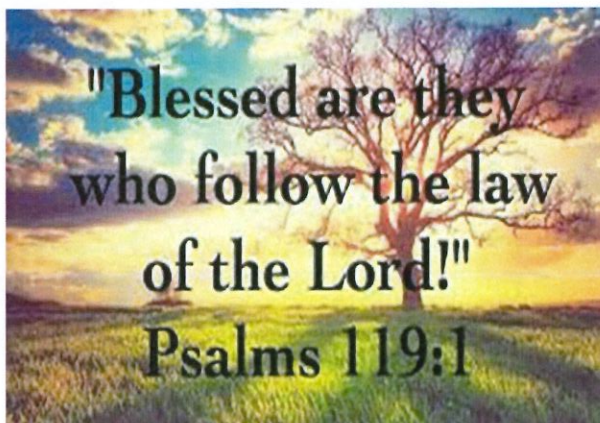
Do you want to share your love of our Catholic faith with the next generation? **We are currently looking for catechists for our Faith Formation program for the upcoming year.** If you're interested or if you'd like more information, please contact Armida Ramirez at armida@stjoseph-vacaville.org or call the parish office.

FOOD DRIVE

This weekend is the monthly food drive for St. Mary's Food Locker. Thank you for your generous donations of canned and nonperishable food items.


ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

On the weekend of February 18 we will have the opportunity to accompany 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.



SPIRITUAL RETREAT LED BY DR. JOHN BERGSMA

Mark your calendars! Our St. Joseph Parish is having a Lenten Retreat led by [Dr. John Bergsma](#) from February 24-25, 2023. If you would like to attend, please register at <https://stpaulcenter.com/vacavilleca2023>.




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DATES
Friday, February 24th
6:30 PM – 8:40 PM
Saturday, February 25th
8:00 AM – 12:05 PM

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PRAYER FOR THE FAMILY

Heavenly Father,
you have given us a model of life in
the Holy Family of Nazareth.
Help us, O loving Father, to make our family
another Nazareth where
love, peace and joy reign.
May it be deeply contemplative,
intensely eucharistic and vibrant with joy.
Help us to stay together in joy and sorrow
through family prayer. Teach us to see Jesus
in the members of our family especially
in their distressing disguise.
May the eucharistic Heart of Jesus
make our hearts meek and humble like His
and help us to carry out
our family duties in a holy way.
May we love one another as God loves each
one of us more and more each day,
and forgive each others' faults
as You forgive our sins.
Help us, O loving Father, to take whatever
You give and give whatever You take
with a big smile. Amen.

"Immense is the wisdom of the Lord; he is mighty in power and all-seeing."

Sirach 15:18

A PRAYER FOR OUR 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.

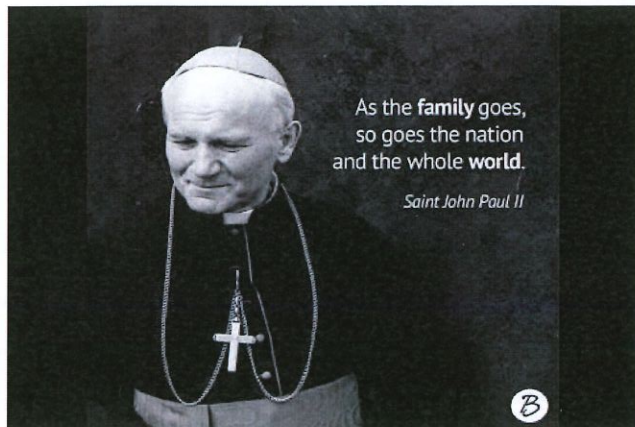
We know too that they are tempted to sin and discouragement as are we, needing to be ministered to, as do we, to be consoled and forgiven, as do we.

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.



As the family goes,
so goes the nation
and the whole world.

Saint John Paul II

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 2/13

RCIA - 7:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

Tuesday 2/14

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

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

Wednesday 2/15

Teen Choir Practice - 4:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

Faith Formation - 4:00 pm & 5:30 pm, Classrooms

Thursday 2/16

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

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

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

Friday 2/17

Adoration & Benediction - 6:00 pm, Chapel

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 2/13—8:15 AM ----- Mary Agnes Tan†

-----Lila Pattison†

Tues. 2/14—8:15 AM----- All Souls in Purgatory†

Wed. 2/15— 8:15 AM - ----- All Souls in Purgatory†

Thur. 2/16—8:15 AM ----- - All Souls in Purgatory†

Fri. 2/17—8:15 AM ----- -Int. of Natividad Lapurga

Sat. 2/18—8:15 AM ----- -All Souls in Purgatory†

Sat. 2/18— 5:00 PM ----- Frank Razzetto†

Sun. 2/19— 8:00 AM -----Cathy Wood†

----- -Ryan Peter Abila†

Sun. 2/19— 10:00 AM-----Int. of St Joseph Parishioners

Sun. 2/19— 12:00 PM-----Alicia Vigil†

Sun. 2/19— 5:00 PM ----- Collective Intentions



Lord, hear my prayer,

listen to my cry for mercy;

in your faithfulness and righteousness

come to my relief.

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"Lord, make me an instrument of your peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy."

-St. Francis

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