

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.

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All are invited to celebrate the Eucharist!

If you are new to St. Joseph, we encourage you to register either online (stjv.org) or stop by the parish office.

We promote our catholic identity by participating in the sacramental life as we are a Eucharistic community of worshippers sent on a mission. Who is a St. Joseph parishioner, one who:

- is registered in the parish
- regularly attends Mass with us & participates in the Eucharist celebration
- participates in church ministries as much as possible
- supports the parish through online giving or with personalized envelopes

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St. Joseph Catholic Church

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

Closed every day for lunch from 1-1:30pm



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Wed: 8:15 AM - Fr. Jose Cilia Thursday & Friday: 8:15 AM - Fr. Pepin Dandou Saturday: 8:15 AM - Fr. Pepin Dandou Friday - Spanish Mass: 7:00 PM

WEEKEND MASSES

Sat. Vigil: 5:00 PM - Fr. . Jose Cilia Sun: 8:00 & 10:00 AM - Fr. Jose Cilia 12:00 PM - Fr. Pepin Dandou Misa en español: 5:00 PM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 PM Spanish Confessions - Sunday: 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

DECEMBER & CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2023

DECEMBER 1-3 PARISH ADVENT RETREAT Dec. 1st Friday 7pm,

Dec. 2nd Saturday 9:30am-12:30pm & 7pm Dec. 3rd Sunday 8am & 10am Mass

DECEMBER 4 ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE Individual Confessions: Monday 6:30pm

DECEMBER 8 IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

December 7th Thursday 7pm Dec. 8th Friday 8:15am & 7pm (Bilingual)

DEC. 8-10 ADVENT RETREAT (SPANISH)

Dec. 8th, Friday, 7pm Dec. 9th, Saturday, 9:30am-12:30pm & 7pm

Dec. 10th, Sunday 5pm Mass

DEC 12 FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

5am Mañanitas w/Rosary Holy Mass 7pm Spanish w/ Mariachis

DECEMBER 15-23 SIMBANG GABI ADVENT NOVENA MASSES

Rosary 6:30 pm & Holy Mass 7pm Rosary and Posadas Mass (Spanish) 8:15pm

DECEMBER 24 CHRISTMAS EVE (Vigil)

Holy Mass: 4:30pm, 6:30pm, 8pm & 10pm-Christmas Carols 30 minutes prior to the start of Mass

DECEMBER 25 CHRISTMAS DAY

Holy Mass: 6:30am (no music) 8am, 10am, 12:00 Noon (English) and 2pm & 5pm (Spanish) Christmas Carols 30 minutes prior to the start of Mass

DECEMBER 31 THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

Vigil Mass: December 30, 5pm

Holy Mass: 8am, 10am, Noon & 5pm Spanish

DECEMBER 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

Vigil Mass 7pm

JANUARY 1, 2024 NEW YEAR'S DAY (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

Holy Mass 8:15am and 7pm (Bilingual)

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR 2024

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time — October 29, 2023

REFLECTION



We are reminded in today's Gospel what Jesus considered to be the greatest commandments: "Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind" and "Love your neigh-

bor as yourself." Let us renew our commitment to these commandments, resolving to follow them each and every day. Let us lift our voices in praise of our God, whose greatest command is simply to love.

OFFICE STAFF

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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.

SPONSORS FOR SIMBANG GABI NOVENA MASSES

Dear Parishioners:

We have already started our planning/preparations for Advent and Christmas. As in the past years, we have 9 days of novena preparing ourselves for the celebration of Christmas called Simbang Gabi Novena Masses. We are looking for families and individuals to sponsor the Novena masses in any one of the Nine days. The sponsoring family or individuals' names will be announced or published before the mass. There will be a special blessing for the family or the individual at the end of the mass. If you would like to sponsor any days of the Simbang Gabi Novena Masses, please contact our Office Manager, Becky Dela Cruz. Below is her contact Information:

- Phone number: (707) 447-2354 ext. *10
- Email: becky@stjoseph-vacaville.org

ALL SAINTS DAY



This Wednesday, November 1, we will celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. The schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, October 31: Vigil Mass at 7:00 pm Wednesday, November 1: 8:15 am (with Notre Dame School) 12:00 pm and 7:00 pm.

ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBERING OUR DEPARTED

Thursday, November 2 Mass schedule: 8:15 am & 7:00 pm



All Souls Day envelopes are available in the narthex. If you wish to offer Holy Masses for your departed dear ones, please write their names on the envelope and drop it off with your donation in the collection basket or at the parish office. The office will gather and place the All Souls Day envelopes at the altar as we pray for souls and offer holy masses throughout the month of November.

FOOD DRIVE

Last weekend's monthly Food Drive for the St. Mary's Food Locker received 525 food items. Thank you for your generous donation and remembering those in need.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

November 18 and 19, 2023

We will have a special collection that will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 37 million people in the United States live in poverty. This special collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. By supporting this collection, you are giving those on the margins a hand up, not a handout. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www. usccb.org/cchd.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

The next baptism preparation class will be held on Wednesday, November 15 at 5:30 pm in the Church Meeting Room. This class is a requirement for both parents and godparents prior to a shilld's baptism. The class is free for



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egistered parishioners and \$25 for non-parishioners. Please sign up in advance at the parish office.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

he Worldwide Marriage Encounter is offering a great veekend experience for couples and religious. Our next veekend is at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Fairfield, California on November 11th and 12th. This is a time to Restore, tekindle and Renew your relationship with your spouse. o register, visit sacramentowwme.org or wwme.org. if ou like more information. Questions, please contact laine and Tom Bruno, 707.326.1412 or elainebruno@comcast.net.

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here will be a 2nd collection next weekend for the Parish laintenance Fund. Than you for your generosity.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 10/30

Spanish Bible Study - 6:30 pm, PCMR#1 RCIA - 7:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

Tuesday 10/31

Legion of Mary - 9:00 am, PCMR#1 Bible Study - 9:00 am, Church Meeting Room Bible Study - 7:00 pm, Church Meeting Room

Wednesday 11/1

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

Friday 11/3

Day-long Adoration, Chapel

Adoration & Benediction - 6:00 pm, Chapel

Spanish Mass - 7:00pm, Chapel

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon	. 10/30—8:15 AM ——	Int. of Aurora Haworth
		Int. of Sharlyn Badillo
		— Diosdada Ramos†
Tues	10/21 Sur AM	Int. of Alexio Cabanero
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		Int. of Aurora Haworth Int. of Dolly Braida
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		Josep Adalla†
		Eoin Collins
		Maria Dionela†
		Victoriano Dionela†
		Tito Solano Sr. & All Souls†
Fri.	11/3—8:15 AM	Int. of Aurora Haworth
		Gregoria Stadther
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		Romeo Alasco Sr.†
		Saturnino & Consejo Roquero†
		Corazon Sison†
Sat.	11/4—8:15 AM———	Int. of Aurora Haworth
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		Marjorie Gore & deceased Family Members†
		Santiago Guisando†
		Mariano Hondonerot
Sat.	11/4-5:00 PM	Bernie Perryt
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		Eugenia Bartolomet Int. of Kaylee Tam
Sun.	11/5—8:00 AM	Int. of Kaylee Tam
		Int. of Aurora Haworth
		Juan Bringas†
Sun.	11/5—10:00 AM——	Int. of St. Joseph Parishioners Ronald Peterson
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		Charles Ricot
		Teofilo Romerot
,		Jeriocho Bautista
Sun.	11/5—12:00 PM	Norberto Rodriguezt
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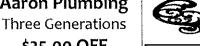
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