St. Joseph Catholic Church

May 5th, 2024 | 6th Sunday of Easter

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass

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

Weekend Masses

Sat. Vigil: 5:00 PM Sun: 8AM, 10AM 12PM Noon Sun: 5:00 PM Spanish

Confessions

Saturdays: 3:30-4:30 PM English & Spanish or by appointment

Adoration & Benediction

ALL DAY - Every First Friday of the Month Fridays: 6:00 to 7:00 PM

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday 9am to 4pm

Our Confirmation Students at the Pan de Vida Retreat



"No one has greater love than this: to lay down one's life for one's friend"

John 15: 9-17

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Welcome to St. Joseph Parish

All are invited to celebrate the Holy Eucharist with us!

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 & 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.

If you are new to St. Joseph or if you have not registered with us, we encourage you to register online (stjv.org)

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 at least one year
- 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 parish envelopes

You need to be a registered member in order to receive any special privileges.

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REFLECTION



We continue to celebrate the Easter season today, glorying in the resurrection of our Lord, who has promised to remain with us always. Jesus is with us in our waking and our sleeping, in our joys and our sufferings, in our homes and our communities. In a

special way the risen Lord is with us here today as we gather in faith, in the ministers and in each other, in God's word proclaimed, and in his Body and Blood we receive. Once more, let us pledge to bring the risen Lord with us wherever we go and whatever we do, striving always to give witness to his love.

EASTERTIDE WORKSHOP

Happy Easter, Happy Easter!
Let's examine together the happiness of our
Lord's Resurrection. "He has Risen in Love a Happy Easter"
is a two-session, 1 hour each, beginning on May 11 and 18th
at 1 PM in the Church Meeting Room.

This is our Eastertide workshop for the Parish. It is an experience for everyone, young and old. We will celebrate Jesus's Gift of the Sermon on the Mount and how we can imitate his example through the Cardinal and Theological Virtues, Sermon on the Mount, and Gifts of the Holy Spirit in our everyday decisions. It is based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the current Edition.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.Acts 16: 11-15; Ps 149: 1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15: 26-16:4aTues.Acts 16: 22-34; Ps 138: 1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16: 5-11Wed.Acts 17: 15, 22-18:1; Ps 148: 1-2, 11-14; Jn 16: 12-15

Thur. Acts 18: 1-8; Ps 98: 1-4; Jn 16: 16-20 **Fri.** Acts 18: 9-18; Ps 47: 2-7; Jn 16: 20-23a

Sat. Acts 1: 1-11; Ps 47: 2-3, 6-9; Eph 1: 17-23 or Eph 4: 1-13

or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16: 15-20

Sun. Acts 1: 1-11; Ps 47: 2-3, 6-9; Eph 1: 17-23 or Eph 4: 1-13

or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16: 15-20

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 5/6 - 8:15AM	Int. of Wilbert Tadios Sachiko Mueller†
	Sachiko Mueller † Mauro Gapasin †
Tues. 5/7 - 8:15 AM	Int. of Rufino Lope Ir.
	Int. of Rufino Lope Jr. Int. of Wilbert Tadios
	Sachiko Mueller †
	Antonio C. Balaqtao Sr. † Julio Garcia Leal †
	Julio Garcia Leal†
Wed. 5/8 - 8:15 AM	Int. of Chris & Marlyne Cowderoy
	Int. of Wilbert Tadios
	Sachiko Mueller †
Thur. 5/9 - 8:15 AM	Int. of Wilbert Tadios Leonida Cabe †
	Sachiko Mueller †
	Int. of Maria Carmen Serrato
	Int. of Arcelia Serrato
	Int. of Wilbert Tadios
	Rita Ayala †
	Rohert D. Aquino Ir. †
	Sachiko Mueller †
Sat. 5/11 - 8:15 AM	Int. of Wilbert Tadios
	Robert D. Aquino Jr. †
	Sachiko Mueller †
Sat. 5/11-5:00 PM	Edith & Bernard Perry †
	Barbara Allen† Int. of Wilbert Tadios Mariano & Lourdes Relevante†
Sun. 5/12 - 8:00 AM	Int. of Wilbert Tadios
	Mariano & Lourdes Relevante †
	Sachiko Mueller †
	Carmen Siron †
	All Souls in Purgatory †
Sun 5/12 - 12:00 PM	Int. of St. Joseph Parishioners Carmen Macias †
Juli. 3/12 - 3:00 FW	Carmen Macias
	Felipe Rodriguez †
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Upcoming Events & Information

FAITH FORMATION

We had an amazing Pan de Vida retreat last weekend lead by Franciscan Friars for our confirmation students.

Please take a moment to thank our
Faith Formation Coordinator Mr. Valdez
and his entire team: Catechists, Liturgy
coordination by Becky Delacruz and
team, Food Coordinator Rose Bell and
her team, our St. Joseph Knights of
Columbus members, our parish staff
and volunteers along with volunteers
from other parishes whose
confirmation students also joined our
group for this effectively coordinated
powerful retreat.

We also thank those contributed through the second collection at the Retreat mass supporting the Friars and their community.

- Fr. Joshy Mathew







REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN!

St. Joseph Faith Formation is NOW accepting new student applications for our upcoming 2024-2025 school year.

New registration forms will be located in the Church Meeting Room for our First Year Holy Communion Class in English, First Year Holy Communion Class in Spanish, Continued Faith Formation Class for 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th graders, and First Year Confirmation Class. Please contact Mr. Lawrence Valdez at the Parish Office at 707-447-2354 if you have any questions.

FR. JOSHY MATHEW'S BIRTHDAY

Join us in celebrating Fr. Joshy's 50th birthday!

There will be a potluck luncheon in the Parish Center on Sunday, May 19th at 1pm, to honor Father.

No funds from the parish can be used to cover the cost of this special celebration. So we are looking for sponsors to cover the cost of the event and donations of food for the potluck.

Sign-ups will be in the narthex after each weekend Mass.

If you plan on bringing a gift for Father, please give only cash or a check made directly to Father Joshy Mathew.

Please contact the parish office if you plan to attend, providing your name, contact information and how many are in your group/party.



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DIOCESAN TRANSFERS IN JULY FR. PEPIN DANDOU

Fr. Dandou, Our Parochial Vicar will be moving on to Holy Family Parish in Weed as Parochial Administrator starting July 1st 2024.

While Fr. Dandou moves on to his new assignment we will be getting a new Parochial Vicar Fr. Abraham P., MSP who is currently doing ministry in Spain.

We will have more information for you in the next month.

SCAMMERS...IMPORTANT NOTICE!



Our Parishioners received again text messages using Father Joshy's name asking for money. These are scammers and should be ignored. Please do not respond and delete the text right away. If you have concerns please contact the Parish Office.

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