# St. John Vianney Parish

Franciscans of Mary







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MARCH 9, 2025

# **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Weekend Mass**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm English Saturday Vigil: 6:45pm Spanish Sunday English: 8:00am, 10:00am Sunday Spanish: 12:00pm Filipino 2nd Sunday: 2:00pm Indonesian 4th Sunday: 2:00pm

#### **Weekday Mass**

Monday - Friday: 8:00am English Tuesday-Friday: 6:30pm Spanish

## **Confessions** (English & Spanish)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:45am-9:30am Tuesday-Friday: 5:30pm-6:15pm Saturday: 4:00pm -4:45pm

#### **Adoration**

Thursday: 8:45am - 6:15pm Benediction: 9:30am & 6:15pm

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday & Thursday: 1:30pm-6:00pm Wednesday & Friday: 9:00am-12:30pm Monday: CLOSED

#### SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 7:00am - 3:30pm

#### ROOM RESERVATIONS

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## 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

The devil said to him, "All this will be yours, if you worship me." Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written: You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve." - Lk 4:6a, 7-8

#### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Devoted to Jesus Christ as disciples, we help others become disciples, and work to renew our culture.

#### **OUR VISION**

That all who experience St. John Vianney Parish in any way, find Christ irresistible.

# Word of Life

#### 1st Sunday of Lent: Do Not Fall into Temptation

"Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil." (Lk 4:1-2).

This The world and the devil are lavish in suggesting temptations that separate us from the path of Christ, from the path of love. Temptations are always attractive because, otherwise, it would be very easy and even natural to reject them.

There are many temptations, and maybe each of us has our own particular ones just as we have our own particular virtues. Frequently, there are defects that go together with the virtues; nervous people tend to be very active and calm people tend to be lazy; people who are quick tempered tend to have a good heart and not hold on to grudges; while those who control their temper sometimes do harm later. Therefore, we should not be alarmed by suffering temptations, but rather fight so as not to fall into them. Each of us should take advantage of the positive side of our way of being. Let us not forget that old maxim which wisely expresses a basic principal of catholic morals: "It is one thing is to feel and another to consent," which does not mean that we have a free hand to play with fire.

But there is a temptation which is frequent today: that of working to the point of exhaustion without replenishing ourselves to help us recover the strength that we expended by working. There are a lot of people who give so much of themselves and then one day discover that they are empty. To give of one's self is a way to fulfill one's self, of course, but that only occurs when the giving is done out of love for God. Not falling into the temptation of activism is the goal for this week.

**Resolution:** Pray more in order to work better. In Christ, seek the help you need in order to love as He has taught, in order to reject temptations.

## From the Pastor's Desk



## Del Escritorio del Párroco

My dear parishioners,

I believe every time we begin Lent, we all have the desire to meet the resolutions we have listed, with the hope that finally this time we will complete them. I hope we never lose this enthusiasm each year, even if we haven't fulfilled all our goals in the end.

The Lord has blessed us with another Lenten Season, which means another chance for us to start over again in our relationship with Him, to refuel our love and gratitude to Him, to reengage against any antilove work that makes us strangers from Him and our neighbor.

We begin this Lent with enthusiasm, and yet we feel fearful. We might ask ourselves: "Will I really achieve my goals this time?"; "Will I be able to persevere till the end?"; "What if I fail over and over again?". The answer is simple: Even if you fail, stand up, take up your cross and keep pushing! Every time you do so, you frustrate the Devil's plans, and God wins in you, again... Because every time we repent, we do an act of humility that crushes our own ego. And that's already a great victory.

During this Lent let us keep our eyes fixed in the Crucified who did not step down in His mission even when knowing that what He was going to suffer would be a waste in many people, for they would resist to convert. If the Lord Jesus did not allow His many losses in the salvation of men stop Him to be crucified to gain as many souls as He could, we shouldn't desist in fighting for our salvation even when knowing we might have some failures. "The one who perseveres to the end will be saved" (Mt 24:13)

Sacred Heart of Jesus, I trust in You. Fr. Antonio Gutierrez, FM. Pastor.

Mis queridos feligreses,

El Señor nos ha bendecido con otra Cuaresma, es decir, con otra oportunidad para volver a empezar en nuestra relación con Él, para reavivar nuestro amor y agradecimiento hacia Él, para volver a luchar contra toda obra de desamor que nos aleje de Él y del prójimo.

Comenzamos esta Cuaresma con entusiasmo y, sin embargo, sentimos temor. Nos preguntamos: «¿Lograré realmente conseguir mis objetivos esta vez?»; "¿Seré capaz de perseverar hasta el final?"; "¿Y si fracaso una y otra vez?". La respuesta es sencilla: Aunque fracases, ¡levántate, toma tu cruz y sigue adelante! Cada vez que lo haces frustras los planes del Diablo y Dios sale victorioso en ti, una vez más... Porque cada vez que nos arrepentimos, hacemos un acto de humildad que aplasta nuestro ego. Y eso es ya una gran victoria.

En esta Cuaresma mantengamos la mirada fija en el Crucificado, en aquél que no desistió en su misión, aun sabiendo que todo lo que iba a sufrir iba a ser un desperdicio en muchos, porque éstos se resistirían a convertirse. Si el Señor Jesús no permitió que sus muchas pérdidas en la salvación de los hombres le impidieran ser crucificado para ganar tantas almas como pudiera, nosotros no debemos desistir en luchar por nuestra salvación, aun sabiendo que podemos tener algunos fracasos. Cristo está luchando por ti y contigo siempre. "El que persevere hasta el final se salvará" (Mt. 24, 13)

Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, en Ti confío. P. Antonio Gutiérrez, FM. Párroco.

# **Mass Intentions**

March 8—March 14, 2025 Note: I.M.—Incensing at Mass

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Saturday	5:00pm I.M.	Bao Nguyen † Zachary Nguyen †			
	6:45pm	Adan Madera † Familia Reinaga Madera <b>Wedding Anniv.</b>			
Sunday	8:00am	Tina Nguyen † Tuyet Nguyen †			
	10:00am	Bao Nguyen † Zachary Nguyen †			
	12:00pm I.M.	Juana Ayala † Grupo de Oración			
	2:00pm	SJV Parish Community			
Monday	8:00am	Felymar Bobila Happy Birthday Lucy Lawrence Healing			
Tuesday	8:00am	Socorro Bobila Sp. Intention Robert Apodaca Healing			
	6:30pm	Guadalupe Rosas † Maria Beltran †			
Wednesday	8:00am	Guadalupe Cajucom † Sabastian Coutinho Healing			
	6:30pm	Lizeth Ariana Garcia † Pedro Garcia †			
Thursday	8:00am	Christian Bobila Sp. Intention			
	6:30pm	Miguel Garcia † Maria Beltran †			
Friday	8:00am	Stephen Soo † Sony Buno †			
	6:30pm	Jose Alba Happy Birthday			

# Sacramental Info

To request information for baptisms, quinceañera Masses, weddings, house blessing, anointing of the sick, funeral Masses or Mass for 25th, 50th, 60th wedding anniversaries, please call the Parish Office or visit: <a href="www.www.asjvparish.com">www.wsjvparish.com</a>



Para obtener información sobre Bautizos, quinceañeras, bodas, bendición de casa, unción de enfermos, funerales, o Misa para los 25, 50, 60 aniversario de bodas, por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial o visite: <a href="www.www.givparish.com">www.givparish.com</a>

# Stewardship Report

#### Stewardship Report as of 3/2/2025

#### Building Bank Account Fund Report

Building Bank Account Fund Target Balance \$250,000.00 Less Current Account Balance \$88,879.55

Fundraising & Second Collection Efforts \$161,120.45

#### July 2024 - June 2025 Collections

	<u>Mar 2</u>	YTD
Collections	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Offertory	\$13,271.92	\$489,598.91
Building Fund	\$79.00	\$38,600.65
Fence	\$0.00	\$202.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$13,350.92	\$528,401.56

<u>Note:</u> Final fundraising report for the new monstrance will be provided in due course.

# **Parish Directory**

#### Parish Office 916-362-1385

Rev. Antonio Gutierrez, FM Pastor 916-362-1385 Parochial Vicar 916-362-1385 Rev. Brandon Meza, FM Rev. Martin Moroney Pastor Emeritus 916-362-1385 Deacon/Retired 916-402-0398 Mr. Walter Little Mr. Daniel Rangel Deacon/Active 916-501-9316 Jazmin Ortiz Office Manager Ext. 200 Linda Terra Office Manager Ext. 200 Genoveva Castro Office Assistant Ext. 100 Paolo Reali Maintenance 916-216-1541 Leomi Ebalobo Coordinator 916-369-8669 (Faith Formation/Baptism)

# Priests' Office Hours Open to the Public (by appointment only)

#### Fr. Antonio:

Wed & Fri 9:30am, 10:30am & 11:30am Tues & Thurs 3:30pm, 4:30pm & 5:30pm

#### Fr. Brandon:

Tues 9:30am, 10:30am & 11:30am Wed & Fri 3:30pm, 4:30pm & 5:30pm



# SJV School

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#### **School Office 916-363-4610**

Amy Hale Susan Chargulaf Sandra Canenguez Principal Vice Principal Admin. Assistant Ext. 100 Ext. 113 Ext. 102

## **OCIA Adult Faith Formation**

"Unless there is a Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday." Ven. Fulton Sheen

This week we will be discussing the Living Lent in our thirty-fourth session of OCIA, the process through which adults are received into full communion with the Church, on Sunday, 9th of March 2025.

Are you a non-Catholic, or a Catholic who has never received the sacrament of confirmation and seek full communion with the Catholic Church? Or are you a Curious Catholic who wishes to deepen your faith? Join us at OCIA (Adult faith formation) as we journey toward fuller communion with the Catholic Church.

If you are interested in joining us, or know someone who may be, please contact Dr. Philip Eulie OCIA Leader by emailing him at <a href="https://ocita.org/local-english@SJVParish.com">OCIA-English@SJVParish.com</a> or call or text (916) 318-9815.

## Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

#### **40 DAYS OF PREPARATION & FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

This past Thursday, we celebrated Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. Ashes are used to remind us of our earthly condition. We had a procession to change the altar cloth from Green to Purple for preparation! Yes, reparation for the celebration of our Lord's Passion. Lent is a little different than Advent. Advent is a joyful preparation for Jesus' birthdate. Lent on the other hand, is 40 days of penitential preparation for the commemoration of Jesus' public life, baptism, entrance into Jerusalem, passion, death and resurrection. Lent is time for spiritual preparation, conversion and penance. We celebrate Lent with prayers, fasting and alms giving. At the end of the 40 days, we'll be ready for the big celebration: Easter Day! Easter, the victory day of our Lord Jesus and our salvation day. Jesus' Glorious Resurrection!

# Faith Formation / Baptism

#### SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

03/11-Tuesday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/12-Wednesday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00PM Parents Mtg. Spanish in Church 7:15PM 03/13-Thursday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00PM



Looking for ways to serve the church by sharing your faith with the little ones? Faith Formation needs more Catechists! If you feel that you are called to this service, we can help you get started by visiting us at the office! We'll be waiting for you!

#### **Faith Formation/Baptism**

Call for appointment: Leomi Ebalobo, 916-369-8669.

faithformation@sjvparish.com | baptisms@sjvparish.com

## Formación en la Fe/Bautizos

#### **CALENDARIO DEL MES DE MARZO**

03/11-Martes:Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/12-Miércoles:Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM Reunión de Padres Español en la Iglesia 7:15PM 03/13-Jueves:Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM

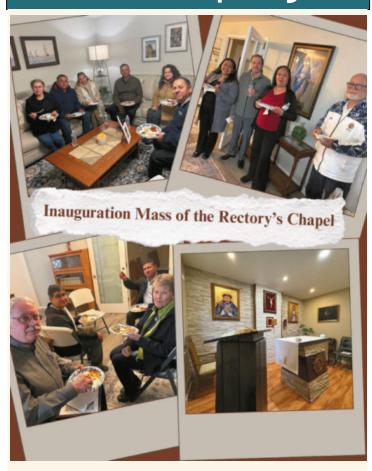


¿Buscas maneras de servir a la iglesia compartiendo tu fe con los más pequeños? ¡ Formación en la Fe necesita más Catequistas! ¡Si te sientes llamado a este servicio, podemos ayudarte a comenzar. ¡visitános en la oficina! ¡Te estaremos esperando!

#### Formación en la Fe/Bautizo

Llame para pedir cita: Leomi Ebalobo, 916-369-8669. faithformation@sjvparish.com | baptisms@sjvparish.com

# Ministries Spotlight



Parroquia San Juan Vianney

## RETIRO DE FORMACIÓN DE **UJIERES**

Únete al Ministerio de ujieres y sé instrumento del amor de Dios acogiendo a los demás con alegría y generosidad.

¡Cristo te necesita, responde con amor!

22 de Marzo, 2025 8:30 A.M- 11 A.M. Lugar: En la Iglesia

Registro: Isabel Hernández (916)870-5538

# **Parish Ministries**

#### **LEARN**

Adult Bible Study: Meets every Wednesday, 6:30pm, via Zoom. For more information, email: <a href="mailto:confirmationsjv@gmail.com">confirmationsjv@gmail.com</a> Faith Formation (English/Español): Leomi Ebalobo 916-369-8669,

faithformation@sjvparish.com

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS): Rosamaria Alvarez, CGS@sivparish.com

OCIA: Dr. Philip Eulie 415-813-9500, ocia-english@sjvparish.com

RICA: Luz Smith, oica@sjvparish.com

#### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers, Children's Liturgy of the Word, Lectors, **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** 

sjvparish.com/serve/liturgical-ministries

Custodians of the Eucharist/Custodios del Santísimo

Coordinators: Julie Kim, 626-224-2732, juliefkim@hotmail.com, Gudelia Castillo, 916-425-5372, sitioweb@sjvparish.com

#### **SACRAMENTS**

Baptism and Preparation classes: Leomi Ebalobo 916-369-8669, baptisms@sivparish.com

Caring Connections: Linda Morales caringconnections@sivparish.com

Catholic Daughters of the Americas: Alberta Pfaff 916-361-9223. Funeral Luncheon: Please Call

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Children ages 5-10 yrs. are welcome. Contact: Gena Carlisle <a href="clow@sjvparish.com">clow@sjvparish.com</a>

Couples for Christ: Leomi & Ed Ebalobo

couplesforchrist@sjvparish.com

**Eucharistic/Sick/Homebound Ministry:** EMHC@sjvparish.com

Filipino-American Apostolate (FAA): Linda Magadia

**Gabriel Project:** Outreach program to pregnant mothers and their families. Samantha Clark gabrielproject@sjvparish.com

Indonesian Catholic Community: Iwan Agustinus Poedyasmara

<iwanp88@gmail.com> icc@sjvparish.com

Knights of Columbus Council #5322 Grand Knight Jon Dunn koc\_ 5322@sjvparish.com

San Juan Diego Council #18076 Grand Knight Isidro Mendoza Koc 18076@sjvparish.com

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Martha and Mary Ministry: Gentle Touch Church cleaning.

Connie Lagerstrom 916-635-3865

Mr. & Mrs. Club: Bob and Joanne Arellanes, 916-635-6007. Music Ministry: English Rouselle Ekwall <u>music2@sjvparish.com</u>

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and vocations questions, go to: sivparish.com/vocation **Youth Ministry:** Martin Wong youthministry@sjvparish.com



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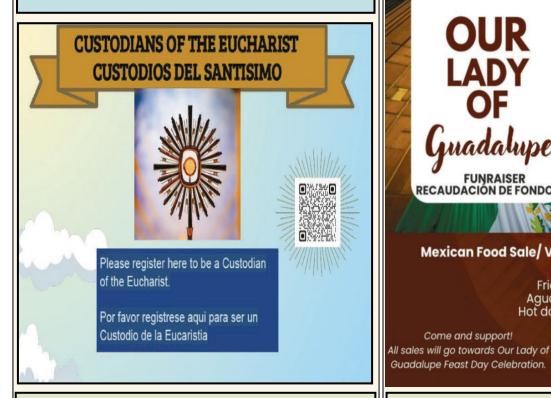
#### **BILINGUAL PARISH PENANCE SERVICE**

- **Date:** Thursday, March 20th **Location:** In the church
- **Time:** 6:30 pm
- **Please note:** Confessions this day start at 6:30pm

#### **Parish Keys**

Fr. Antonio is requesting that parishioners who have keys of any Parish building to report what keys they have as soon as possible via E-mail to the Parish

(parish.office@sjvparish.com)



#### RANCHO CORDOVA KNIGHTS ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

DINNER - DRINKS - DJ MUSIC

Enjoy a traditional Irish dinner of corn beef, cabbage, vegetables and dessert COME JOIN THE FUN!



MARCH 15, 2025 6:00 PM St John Vianney Parish Hall 10497 Coloma Rd

Dinner: \$30 adults \$15 kids (12 & under) Tickets: On sale after Masses or online at: www.ranchoknights.com/stpatsdinner To go orders available online

#### SERVICIO PENINTENCIAL BILINGÜE

- Sábado: Jueves, 20 de Marzo
- Lugar: En la Parroquia
- **Hora:** 6:30 pm
- Please note: Las Confesiones este día empezarán a

#### **Parish Keys**

El Padre Antonio solicita que los feligreses que tengan llaves de cualquier edificio parroquial informen qué llaves tienen lo antes posible por correo electrónico a la oficina parroquial.

(parish.office@sivparish.com)

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# Highlights

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS - FRIDAYS DURING LENT

5:30pm English Stations of the Cross

6:30pm Spanish Mass

7:15pm Spanish Stations of the Cross

#### **Lenten Soup Meal | Southwest Room**

6:00pm-8:30pm | March 14th

Hosted by: TBA

#### VÍACRUCIS—TODOS LOSVIERNES DURANTE LA **CUARESMA**

5:30pm Víacrucis—Ingles 6:30pm Misa en Español 7:15pm Víacrucis en Español

#### Sopa Cuaresmal | Salón Southwest

6:00pm-8:30pm | 14 de Marzo

BY AARP TAXAIDE **VOLUNTEERS Location: Fireside Room** St. John Vianney Church

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Scan to make an appointment:



Focus on taxpayers who are 50 and over and have low to moderate income. Appointments are held on Mondays and Wednesdays starting on between the hours of 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM. Appointments are required for everyone, no walk-ins are allowed. Call 916-304-2960 and leave a voice message or you can use the link <a href="http://tinyurl.com/saint-john">http://tinyurl.com/saint-john</a> -vianney to make your appointment online. You may also visit the Fireside Room at St. John Vianney on Mondays or Wednesday to make an appointment. Only a limited number of appointments are available, and everyone is encouraged to make your appointments as soon as possible.

#### **Deadline for Article Submission** (No later than 12NOON) **Sunday Bulletin Date**

March 23, 2025 March 10, 2025 March 30, 2025 March 17, 2025 24, 2025 **April** 6,2025 March

#### PARISHIONERS REGISTRATION

**NEW MEMBER** Registration forms are available at the Church entrances or online at: sivparish.com

Update your family info especially if you have moved, been married recently, changed your phone number or **UPDATES** 

email address.

Please inform the Parish Office if you wish to be removed from our mailing list. **MOVING** 





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