# St. John Vianney Parish

Franciscans of Mary







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MARCH 16, 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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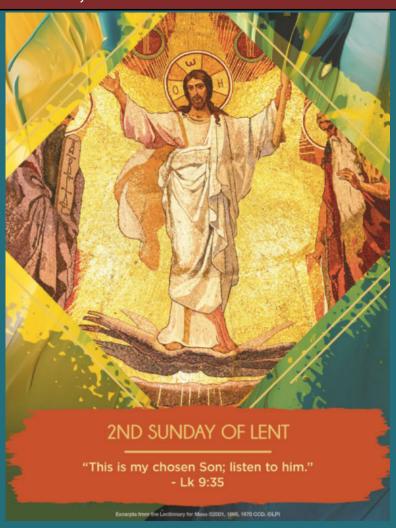
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## **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

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

#### 2nd Sunday of Lent: Let Yourself Be Enlightened

"Jesus took Peter, John, and James and went up the mountain to pray." (Lk 9: 28)

Continuing with the lesson from the previous week, this Sunday's Gospel shows us a concrete example of the necessity to pray in order to resist temptation. Christ, concerned about strengthening the faith of His disciples in the face of the imminent trial of the Cross, took them to Mount Tabor and there He was transfigured before them. He wanted to strengthen their faith by showing them that He was the Son of God and that God was on their side, so that when they saw Him hanging on the cross they would not fall into a crisis. We know that this experience, similar to but infinitely stronger than some spiritual exercises, did not initially produce the expected results, but in the long run, it helped the disciples to regain the faith that they had lost on Good Friday.

If the Master did that for those disciples who had already seen Him doing miracles, how much more will He have to do it for us. He wants to prepare us for the trials of life. He wants to give us strength to resist the blows of life. On the other hand, we don't want those trials to exist, which is impossible. That's why it is inevitable to have problems and suffer temptations. It is better for us "to let ourselves be enlightened," to let ourselves be strengthened. And for that purpose, as we saw last week, prayer and participation in the Eucharist are the best tools. "I am not that strong," we should tell ourselves, so as to run immediately seeking help and consolation in the only one who can always give them to us: Christ. Let us allow ourselves to be helped. Let us be enlightened by Christ in order to retain some of that light during times of darkness, to retain some of that strength during times of weakness. And when they do come, let us remember the good times, the sweet times when we felt God very close to us.

**Resolution:** Always persevere in prayer, despite your desires. Do it whether or not you feel like it, so that you are prepared when problems arise.

## From the Pastor's Desk



## Del Escritorio del Párroco

My dear parishioners,

Three are the main spiritual weapons we have to go through the desert of Lent: prayer, abstinence and almsgiving. Prayer is listed as first on the list given by the Lord. And it is not by chance that it is in the first place, because our relationship with God must be our number one priority. Without union with God, there is no success in our Lenten "retreat".

What is prayer? The Catechism reads that "prayer is the raising of one's mind and heart to God or the requesting of good things from God (n. 2559)". Two main things I see in this statement. First, prayer is to be mindful of God, is to be aware of living in His presence, and is to make Him the reason and end of everything we do. Second, prayer is the requesting of good things from God. The Lord Jesus said that the good thing we should pray for and which God will not refuse to grant us is the gift of the Holy Spirit. When we ask for the Holy Spirit, we are asking for Holiness and to respond to His prompts in us so that we may act according to the Father's will.

Here is a good challenge for Lent: to make of God the center of everything we do, and to ask Him for us to be docile to His will. This way, we will be praying all day long, and our actions will become the sacrifice of thanksgiving that we ought to offer Him.

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

Mis queridos feligreses,

Tres son las principales armas espirituales que tenemos para atravesar el desierto Cuaresmal: la oración, la abstinencia y la limosna. La oración está en el primer lugar en la lista dada por el Señor. Y no es casualidad que ocupe el primer lugar, porque nuestra relación con Dios debe ser nuestra prioridad número uno. Sin unión con Dios, no hay éxito en nuestro «retiro» cuaresmal.

¿Qué es la oración? El Catecismo dice que « la oración es la elevación del alma a Dios o la petición a Dios de bienes convenientes" (n. 2559). Dos cosas principales veo en esta afirmación. En primer lugar, la oración es tener presente a Dios, es ser consciente de vivir en su presencia, y es hacer de Él la razón y el fin de todo lo que hacemos. En segundo lugar, la oración es pedir cosas buenas a Dios. El Señor Jesús dijo que el bien por el que debemos orar y que Dios no se negará a concedernos es el don del Espíritu Santo. Cuando pedimos el Espíritu Santo, estamos pidiendo la Santidad y responder a Sus impulsos en nosotros para que podamos actuar según la voluntad del Padre.

He aquí un buen reto para la Cuaresma: hacer de Dios el centro de todo lo que hacemos, y pedirle ser dóciles a su voluntad. Así, estaremos rezando todo el día, y nuestras acciones se convertirán en el sacrificio de acción de gracias que debemos ofrecerle a Él.

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

## **Mass Intentions**

March 15—March 21, 2025 Note: I.M.—Incensing at Mass

Saturday	5:00pm I.M.	Lovelehn Gonzalez † Tina Nguyen †	
	6:45pm	Francisco Garcia Happy Birthday	
Sunday	8:00am	Tuyet Nguyen † Zachary Nguyen †	
	10:00am	Tina Nguyen † Robert Arellanes †	
	12:00pm I.M.	Victor Cedeño † Teresa Sanchez †	
Monday	8:00am	Tony Brue † Matilde reyes †	
Tuesday	8:00am	Dorita Gonzalez Villar †	
	6:30pm	Dario Montes <b>Sp. Intention</b>	
Wednesday	8:00am	Evelyn David Banzon †	
	6:30pm	Gabriela Garcia Happy Birthday All Souls in Purgatory	
Thursday	8:00am	Hilda Chavez Happy Birthday Gaudencio Macapagal †	
	6:30pm	Ignacio Garcia † All Souls in Purgatory	
Friday	8:00am	Evelyn David Banzon †	
	6:30pm	All Souls in Purgatory	

## 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="https://www.osivparish.com">www.osivparish.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

	Mar 2	YTD
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Amount</u>
	\$13,271.92	\$489,598.91
	\$79.00	\$38,600.65
	\$0.00	\$202.00
_	\$0.00	\$0.00
	\$13,350.92	\$528,401.56
	_	Amount \$13,271.92 \$79.00 \$0.00

<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 916-362-1385 Rev. Brandon Meza, FM Parochial Vicar 916-362-1385 Pastor Emeritus 916-362-1385 Rev. Martin Moroney Mr. Walter Little Deacon/Retired 916-402-0398 Mr. Daniel Rangel Deacon/Active 916-501-9316 Jazmin Ortiz 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



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

## **OCIA Adult Faith Formation**

The crosses with which our path through life is strewn associate us with Jesus in the mystery of His crucifixion. - St. John Eudes

If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. - Jesus Christ

This week we will be discussing Via Dolorosa, The Way of the Cross, in our thirty-sixth session of OCIA at 5:30 pm on Friday, 21st of March 2025 in the Church attending the Stations of the Cross with the entire parish.

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 OCIA-English@SJVParish.com or call or text (916) 318-9815.

## **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**

#### **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

This week, the second week of Lent, we will be contemplating Jesus and the found sheep. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, upon seeing that one sheep was missing, safely left the others and immediately went in search of the one that got lost. He loves His sheep and would not let even one get lost, and so went looking until it was found. Then with all of the love in His heart, he carried the sheep safely back to the others. Jesus was so happy; He found the sheep that was lost and now it was safely back with Him. This is real love—to do anything to keep those He loves with Him. Let's give our hearts to Jesus and thank Him for his immeasurable love for us. Lent is our time for preparation, for praying, Jesus our Good Shepherd more.

## Faith Formation / Baptism

#### SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

03/18-Tuesday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/19-Wednesday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/20-Thursday:Classes 6:30PM-8:00P

2nd Year Confirmation:
Confirmation RehearsalsMonday March 31 6:00PM
Tuesday April 01 7:15PM
Confirmation Mass-Wednesday April 02 6:00PM

**Please pray for all the Confirmation Candidates** 

#### Faith Formation/Baptism

Call for appointment: Leomi Ebalobo, 916-369-8669. faithformation@siyparish.com | baptisms@siyparish.com

## Formación en la Fe/Bautizos

CALENDARIO DEL MES DE MARZO

03/18-Martes: Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/19-Miércoles: Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM 03/20-Jueves: Clase 6:30PM-8:00PM

Confirmación de 2º año: Ensayos de Confirmación-Lunes 31 de Marzo 6:00PM Martes 01 de Abril 7:15PM Misa de Confirmación-Miércoles 02 de Abril 6:00PM

¡Por favor, mantenga a los candidatos de Confirmación en sus oraciones!



## Formación en la Fe/Bautizo

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

# **Ministries Spotlight**

# Congratulations to the winner of the Monstrance Raffle March 2, 2025



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@sjvparish.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

sivparish.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@siyparish.com

#### SFRVF

**Caring Connections:** Linda Morales <u>caringconnections@sjvparish.com</u>

**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 <u>clow@sjvparish.com</u>

Couples for Christ: Leomi & Ed Ebalobo

couplesforchrist@sjvparish.com

**Eucharistic/Sick/Homebound Ministry:** <a href="mailto:EMHC@sjvparish.com">EMHC@sjvparish.com</a>

Filipino-American Apostolate (FAA): Linda Magadia

<u>faa@sjvparish.com</u>

Gabriel Project: Outreach program to pregnant mothers and their families. Samantha Clark <a href="mailto:gabrielproject@sjvparish.com">gabrielproject@sjvparish.com</a>
Indonesian Catholic Community: Iwan Agustinus Poedyasmara

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

**Knights of Columbus Council #5322** Grand Knight Jon Dunn <a href="mailto:koc\_5322@sjvparish.com">koc\_5322@sjvparish.com</a>

**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> Bill Githens <u>music@sjvparish.com</u> Spanish Guadalupe Rangel <u>musica@sjvparish.com</u> Esteban Tellez <u>sjv-coro@sjvparish.com</u>

Rancho Cordova Food Locker: 916-837-5431 carrie@ranchocordovafoodlocker.org

St. Vincent de Paul: Rosa Duenas 916-469-1975,

sjvconference@gmail.com

**SVDP Religious Goods Store:** Manalita Holcomb 916-363-4570 **Vocation Committee:** voc-comm@sjvparish.com. For discernment

and vocations questions, go to: <a href="mailto:sjvparish.com/vocation">sjvparish.com/vocation</a> **Youth Ministry:** Martin Wong <a href="mailto:youthministry@sjvparish.com">youthministry@sjvparish.com</a>



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## Parish Announcements | Anuncios Parroquiales

## St. Vincent de Paul Fundraiser

Invites you to buy raffle tickets for a trip to Hawaii

- •Raffle tickets at \$10 each.
- •Drawing will be April 25, 2025.
- •Need not be present to win.
- Tickets are on sale after all Masses.

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

- Date: Thursday, March 20thLocation: 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 office.

## **DIOCESAN RITES OF ELECTION**

March 9th
Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament



#### **Second Collection**

This weekend (Mar. 15 &16): SJV Building Fund Next weekend (Mar 22 & 23): St. Vincent de Paul Society

## San Vicente de Paúl Recaudación de fondos

Te invita a comprar boletos para la rifa de un viaje a Hawái

- Los boletos cuestan \$10 dólares cada uno.
- El sorteo se realizará el 25 de abril del 2025.
- No es necesario estar presente para ganar.
- Los boletos se pueden comprar después de Misa.

#### SERVICIO PENINTENCIAL BILINGÜE

- Fecha: Jueves, 20 de Marzo
- ♦ Lugar: En la Parroquia
- ♦ **Hora:** 6:30 pm
- ♦ Tenga en cuenta: Las Confesiones este día empezarán a las 6:30pm

## LLaves de la Parroquia

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)



## Segunda colecta

Señora de Guadalupe.

Este fin de semana (Mar. 15 y 16): Fondo de ahorros para el mantenimiento de la Parroquia.

Próxima Semana (Mar. 22 y 23): Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul

## 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 21th

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 | 21 de Marzo Patrocinado por : Será Anunciado BY AARP TAXAIDE
VOLUNTEERS
Location: Fireside Room
St. John Vianney Church

St. John Vianney Church 10497 Coloma Rd, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 Start Date: February 3 End Date: April 9

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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-vianney">http://tinyurl.com/saint-john-vianney</a> 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 .

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

 March
 30, 2025
 March
 17, 2025

 April
 6, 2025
 March
 24, 2025

 April
 13, 2025
 March
 31, 2025

## PARISHIONERS REGISTRATION

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

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

email address.

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





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