The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, December 31, 2017

My eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples.

-Luke 2:30-31

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Que todos los que se relacionen con nosotros encuentren la presencia de Cristo irresistible.



10497 Coloma Road, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670, Parish Office 8am—3:30pm, closed for lunch 12:30-1:30pm Phone 362-1385, fax 706-1135, email-sjvc@prodigy.net, parish website – sjvparish.com

Parish Clergy

Fr. Charles Kelly, Pastor

Fr. Raj Derivera, Parochial Vicar

Fr. Martin Moroney, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Mr. Walter Little, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Daniel Rangel, Deacon



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30 pm, Sunday 8 am, 9:45 am, 11:30 am, 1:15 pm (Sp.), 6:30 pm, (Sp.)

Daily Mass: M-F 8 am (English), Wed 6 pm (Spanish)

Confessions: 5 pm (WED) & 4 pm (SAT)

Adoration (Blessed Sacrament): Thur. 8:30am-9pm (Eng.)
Adoración al Santísimo premier viernes del mes, 7pm-12am
Adoración al Santísimo premier miércoles del mes 7pm-9pm

Filipino Mass: Second Sunday at 3 pm

Indonesian Mass: Fourth Sunday at 3 pm. Go to

https://sites.google.com/site/kkisacramento1 for more info on

the Indonesian Catholic Community.

Hour of Mercy: Every Thursday evening in the Sister Bede Prayer Chapel, 6pm - 7pm.

English Baptism and Preparation classes: 1 class required. Next class, January 7, 2018 in the Southwest Room/Parish Hall, baptism date is January 14, 2018 at the 11:30 am Mass, <u>ALL paperwork must be completed</u> 2 months before the class. Call Marilou Manela @ (916) 600-0337.

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Parish Office—Vange Fisher, Office Manager	362-1385
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RCIA, Eng.—Tom Beigel	635-8399
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Baptism—Marilou Manela	600-0337
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St. Vincent de Paul Society	362-4792
Cordova Food Locker—Gregg B. Huestis	364-8973
Eucharistic Home Bound Ministry—Jean Pergande	857-1695
Thrift Store—Donna Kincheloe: Open MonFri 10pm-2p	om 363-1559

Weddings: Contact parish office 6 months in advance. Quinceañeras: Contact Sister Vicenta Lemus 6 months in advance.

Rosary for the Military and their families: 2nd Sunday of the month after 8am Mass.

Meet Your Neighbor: First Sunday of the Month in the Parish Hall after the 8:00 & 9:45am Masses—September thru June: Contact Pamela Romero @ 760-855-1967

Catholic Quotes

To fear is to expect punishment. To love is to know we are immersed, not in darkness, but in light.—Mother Teresa

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

There's no more unusual setting to celebrate today's Feast of the Holy Family than Barcelona, Spain and the towering unfinished sandcastle known officially as the Temple Expiatori de la Sagrada Familia. In 1882, the plan was hatched to build a vast place of worship in reparation for the revolutionary and liberal leanings of the city. The modern artist Antoni Gaudi dedicated his life to the project, living in the building, attending Mass daily, and giving up his personal wealth. When people pressed him to pick up the pace, he responded, "My client is not in a hurry." (Gaudi's cause for beatification is moving along, and he could be the first professional artist and architect to be beatified.) The Spanish Civil War, a disaster for the Catholic Church in which thousands of priests, brothers, and nuns were murdered, halted work in 1935. In the 1950s work began anew, speeded up by computers in the 1980s. Still, the final stage of construction is not due to end until 2026. If the original methods had stayed in place, it would take several hundred more years to complete the plan. So far there are eight towers, with four to go. The highest steeple is three feet shorter than the nearest hill, since the architect didn't want his work to surpass God's artistry. The three faces of the basilica each have three doors, with the faces named Passion, Nativity, and Grace. The interior is crammed with geometric figures that almost seem to spin, crazy-quilt windows, spiral staircases, and jumbles of statues and figures. Although inspired by ancient Gothic cathedrals, the style is called Expressionist, and very little is left unexpressed by the masonry. If you can't afford a visit, Sagrada Familia maintains a web site, and virtual visits are free. -Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

A Prayer, for the Feast of The Holy Family



Father in heaven, creator of all, you ordered the earth to bring forth life and crowned its goodness by creating the family of man. In history's moment when all was ready, you sent your Son to dwell in time, obedient to the laws of life in our world. Teach us the sanctity of human love, show us the value of family life, and help us to live in peace with all men that we may share in your life for

ever. We ask this through Christ the Lord. Amen.

BEARERS OF THE WORD

The Church has placed a number of notable feast days immediately after Christmas. The feasts of Stephen, John the Evangelist, and the Holy Innocents form a summary of the life lived in Christ, the Word made flesh. What do these have to do with the feast of the Holy Family, which crowns the Octave of Christmas? These feasts remind us that suffering will occur in fulfilling the mission of Christ, and that we are all called to be bearers of this Word whose birth we celebrate. We also see this manifested in the lives of Joseph and Mary, both of whom took social and religious risks in obedience to the will of God, and both of whom were open to the word of God sent to them from on high. In these ways they prefigured the life of Jesus himself. Most likely, few of us found ourselves at Mass this past Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday, but the essence of these feasts and the essence of the holiness of Joseph, Mary, and Jesus remain central, a holiness we celebrate today. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

WISHING YOU A YEAR OF IMMEASURABLE BLESSINGS, PEACE AND JOY!

Happy New Year, from Fr Kelly Fr Raj, Fr Moroney, Deacons and parish staff.



SOLEMNTY OF MARY THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (NEW YEAR'S DAY) MASSES SCHEDULE

10:00am English 6:00pm Español





Parish News

ST VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND:

Will be on December 30 & 31, 2017. St Vincent de Paul's Collection is to help those in need in our local community, Envelopes will be available in the back of the church for your convenience. Thank you for your past support. We are looking forward to continue helping our local community.



BUNCO! BUNCO! Catholic Daughters biannual Bunco party January 6th 12:00 to 3:00, a light lunch will be served and there will be fun prizes. Join the fun and bring a friend.

WOMEN'S RETREAT DATE - JANUARY 12-14, 2018.

Early registration is highly recommended, via website at www.christthekingretreatcenter.org Please no phone registrations. For any questions please call 916-725-4720 ext 301 or call Connie Lagerstrom @ 916-635-3865.

ROSARY FOR THE MILITARY: 2nd Sunday of each month after the 8 am Mass.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: 8:30AM-9PM. Grow closer to Our LORD! HE is calling you to spend time with HIM. We are always looking for people willing to spend an hour with Jesus and pray with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. **Call Jean at 916-857-1695 for more info.** All hours need to be filled.

DAYS OF DEVOTION tours from Barcelona to Lisbon including Lourdes and Fatima on Oct 27-Nov 8, 2018. Contact Joanne Salindeho for detail at 916-379-1342 or joanne.salindeho@norcal.aaa.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #5322, ANNUAL CRAB FEED: "Join Us At The Luau" Saturday January 27, 2018, 6:30-10:30pm, Dwyer Hall. SILENT AUCTION, RAFFLES, TERRIFIC FOOD, AND DRINKS. Featuring Aloha Polynesian Dancers and Music. Tickets are \$45.pp until Jan 24, 2018, \$50.pp after Jan. 27, 2018. Call Paul Labbe @ 320-6956 for tickets.

WALK FOR LIFE WEST COAST 2018

Join fellow Catholics and Pro-Lifers from all over California and beyond as we stand up for the Littlest among us at the 14th Annual Walk for Life West Coast in San Francisco on January 27, 2018. There will be Mass at 9:30am celebrated by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone at St. Mary's Cathedral. The rally begins at 12:30pm in San Francisco's Civic Center Plaza, and the Walk, down the city's Market Street, begins at 1:30pm. If you would like to join us call or text Karen Kline at 916.949.0202 to reserve a seat on the bus. There are seats still available. If there is enough interest, we can charter another bus. **Please respond ASAP. Tickets are \$30. pp.**

GABRIEL PROJECT takes care of pregnant women in need of help. We are asking for donations of new or gently used baby items from 0-6 months and we are especially in need of gently used strollers. We need more Angels to help us, please consider Gabriel Project. PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS AT THE PARISH OFFICE. Call Claudia Beigel @ 916.342.7758 for pick-up.

CORDOVA COMMUNITY FOOD LOCKER, NEEDS trial size tooth-paste, and other toiletries, plastic & paper grocery bags, reusable grocery bags, toilet paper and egg cartons for those in need. Please drop off items at the Food Locker on Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 9am and 1pm. PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ON THE PORCH. FOOD LOCKER WILL REOPEN JAN 3, 2018.

News from the Diocese



GOD IS CALLING YOU! A vocation – marriage, priesthood, religious life, etc. - is a call to love and every baptized person has one! Maybe you've wondered what life is like as a cloistered nun? If you're a single Catholic woman between the ages of 18-38 years, you are invited to spend a day of discernment with the Cloistered Dominican Nuns of Corpus Christi Monastery in Menlo Park, CA. Catch a glimpse of the Dominican Order since Saint Dominic founded the first community of Dominican nuns in 1206. To register for our upcoming "Come and See Days", on Sat. January 20, 2018, contact Sister Joseph Marie, O.P., at vocations@nunsmenlo.org, or visit our website at http://nunsmenlo.org/discernment-days/. This is a free event.

GOD IS EVER KINDER THAN YOU THINK. St Theresa

CAMP PENDOLA, in Camptonville, CA IS HIRING ENERGETIC CATHOLIC adults as Summer Camp Counselors for Summer 2018. Camp Counselors live with campers in a small group outdoor setting. Camp Counselors will mentor campers, provide a positive role model, assist in teaching special programs (archery, nature, arts & crafts), lead activities with campers and promote a positive spiritual atmosphere. If you would like more information or to apply please go to www.pendola.org/employment or contact Jennifer Campbell at (530) 389-2780.

BE A VOICE FOR LIFE!! Help Defeat SB-320, which will require all UC student health centers to distribute the Chemical Abortion Pill, intended to end life up to ten weeks pregnancy. SB-320 will be voted on in the Senate Education Committee. Please meet on Wed. January 10, at the California State Capitol Rotunda at 8:30am to be a voice for life. For more information see **CaliforniaForLife.org** or call Wynette Sills at 916.955.1577.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT EXAM FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN – SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2018
Eighth graders interested in attending CB in the 2018-19 school year are required to take the placement exam on Saturday, January 20 from 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Online applications are due by January 19, 2018. Please contact the Admissions Office for more information at (916) 733-3690 or visit the CB website at www.cbhs-sacramento.org.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS for adults experiencing the loss of a loved one are held at Mercy San Juan Medical Center, 6501 Coyle Ave., Carmichael, on the 1st & 3rd Wed. of each month, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m., in the conference room on the main level across from the Russell elevators. Sessions are facilitated by staff chaplains. No registration required. No cost. For more info call the **Spiritual Care Services Department @ (916) 537-5098.**

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph Sunday:

Monday: Mary, the Holy Mother of God;

> The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord; World Day of Prayer for Peace; New Year's Day

Tuesday: Ss. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen

Wednesday: The Most Holy Name of Jesus

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Thursday:

St. John Neumann; First Friday Friday: St. André Bessette; First Saturday Saturday:

Mass Intentions Dec. 30—January 6, 2018			
Saturday	5:30pm	Leon Viray †	
		Mia & Dick Balbutin †	
Sunday	8:00am	Bill Halloran In Thanksgiving	
	9:45am	Robert In Thanksgiving Lisa Thompson †	
	9. 4 3am	Dorothy Dela Cruz †	
	11:30am	Matt Ruiz †	
	1:15pm	Margarita Maya Special Intention	
	6:30pm	Trinidad & Susanna Maya †	
New Year's Day 10:00am		English Mass	
	6:00pm	Misa en Español	
Tuesday	8:00am	Daniel Masias †	
		Sr. Carmen Sarati †	
Wednesday	8::00am	Ernesto Galang †	
		Mirandah Susnara Healing Int.	
	6:00pm	Juan D. Pescador special Intention	
Thursday	8:00am	Josefa Marinas †	
Friday	8:00am	Sacred Heart of Mary	
		Dorothy Dela Cruz †	
Saturday	5:30pm	Hank Lopez †	
		Gavino Peralta Sr. †	

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who honor their parents will be greatly blessed and will atone for sins (Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14) or Genesis 15:1-6; 21:1-3. **Psalm** — Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways (Psalm 128) or Psalm 105.

Second Reading — Be thankful; do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus (Colossians 3:12-21 [12-17]) or Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19. Gospel — The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom (Luke 2:22-40 [22, 39-40]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday:

Monday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34

Thursday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42 Friday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Jn 1:43-51

1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20;

Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 [23, 31-34, 36, 38]

Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Sunday:

Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Parish Ministries

English CCD classes: CCD classes every Monday 6:30-8:00pm. Call Sister Josefina Peralta @ 916-222-9130 for additional information.

English Baptism and Preparation classes: 1 class required. Next class, Is Jan. 7, 2018 in the Southwest Room/Parish Hall. Baptism date is Jan. 14, 2018 at the 11:30 am Mass, St. John Vianney Parish. Parents and godparents must attend the class unless they have attended a class within the last 2 years. Paperwork must be completed before the class. Contact Rose Ramos @ (916) 595-0243 or Marilou Manela @ (916) 600-0337 for info.

Spanish Rel Ed: Sr. Vicenta 368-9410, Spanish Rel Ed Office is CLOSED EVERY MONDAY. La oficina esta cerrada cada lunes. Spanish baptism Classes: Call to register Sr. Vicenta—368-9410

Youth Ministry: Youth Ministry meets every Sunday at 12:45 pm in the Unity room. All high school students are welcomed any time to stop by! Call Youth Minister Samantha at (510) 375-5149 for details

Vocations Committee: Meets every 3rd Thursday of the Month contact Ross Viray at rosroxv@gmail.com . For discernment/vocations questions go to vocations@siyparish.com

SJV School Grades TK-8: Call the school office @ 363-4610 for information. SJV students share in the Liturgy of the Word and choir every third Sunday at 9:45 am Mass.

Divine Mercy Apostolate: Come help spread the Unfathomable Mercy and Grace available to each and every soul. Each Thursday you are invite to recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet @ 3pm and at 6pm in the Sister Bede room (Adoration Chapel). For info on yearly celebrations and events call Connie Cardwell at (916) 361-7572.

RCIA: Call Tom Beigel @ 916.635.8399 or Debbi Cushing @ 916.806.2907 for information. RCIA class in the parish office 9:30am-11:00am.

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Ongoing every Sunday, 9:45am Mass, Children ages 5-10 yrs welcome—Lea Hernandez 916.598.8663.

Adult Bible Study: Contact Chris Bailey @ 916-361-1340.

Caring Connections: Parish Outreach Ministry to new parish members, the sick, homebound and the bereaved. Meetings are 2nd Mon, Sept thru May, 6pm at the Fr. Moroney Room. New members welcome. Call Linda Morales @ 635-2019.

Eucharistic Adoration/Home Bound Ministry: Jean Pergande call 857-1695

Catholic Daughters of the Americas: Meeting 3rd Tuesday South West room of the hall at 7:00pm. For Info: Call Diane McDonald 916-316-5625

PARISH ROSARY FOR MILITARY: 2nd Sunday of the month in the church after the 8 am Mass.

SJV Mr. & Mrs. Club: Come join us, call Al or Carla Cervantes at 638-0060. Meetings 2nd Saturday of the month 7pm-hall.

Knights of Columbus: Meetings: 2nd Thurs. of the month, 7:15pm in the Fireside Rm. Contact: G.K. Larry Bragg @ 916-893-0303. SJV Parish Family Breakfast 3rd Sun. of the month, after the 8:00 & 9:45am Masses, Sept. thru June, for more info go to www.ranchoknights.com.

St. Vincent De Paul: Meets the third Tuesday of the month 6 pm in the Fr. Moroney room.

Gabriel Project: Outreach program to pregnant mothers and their families. Call for info Claudia Beigel, 635-8399. Meetings are in the Fr. McKeon Rm in the parish office, 3rd Sundays of the month @ 10am.

Respect for Life: Respect life means to honor Life as sacred from the moment of conception until natural death. (Family Movie Night) (Annual-40 Days for Life in Sacramento), or (Annual-Walk for Life in San Francisco). Call Chris Bailey, Respect Life Coordinator @ (916) 361-1340.

Loaves and Fishes: Feeds the hungry & shelters the homeless. Volunteers needed. Please call Joanne Le Compte at 369-0540.

Martha and Mary Ministry: Martha and Mary Ministry meets every first Friday of the month after 8 am Mass and Sacred Heart adoration in the Father Moroney room. To volunteer call Connie- 635-3865.

Music Ministry: Music Ministry: Sat 5:30, Sunday 8:00 and 11:30 masses; Rouselle Ekwall (916) 213-6153. Sun 9:45 Mass Bill Githens (916) 635-6065. Lupe Rangel (916) 549-5347, Spanish Mass 1:15 & Jorge Rivera 6:30 Spanish Mass; (916) 223-2448. Rouselle and Bill are available to provide music for funerals. Carol Horner SJV School Music & Choir Director (919) 308-4308.

Young Adults: Meet in the Fr. Moroney room every 1st Saturday after the 5:30pm Mass.

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