



St. John Vianney Parish

April 12, 2020

EASTER Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:45am, 11:30am,
1:15pm (Spanish), 6:30pm (Spanish)

Monday-Friday: 8:00am (English)

Wednesday: 6:00pm (Spanish)

Filipino 2nd Sunday: 3:00pm

Indonesian 4th Sunday: 3:00pm

Confessions

Saturday: 4:00pm

Wednesday: 5:00pm

Adoration

Thursday: 8:30am - 9:00pm

Pastor

Fr. Giovanni Gamas

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Joseph Sebastian, C.M.I.

Pastor Emeritus

Fr. Martin Moroney

Deacons

Rev. Mr. Walter Little

Rev. Mr. Daniel Rangel



Formed

OUR MISSION

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

April 12, 2020 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

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Video Overview: On the first Easter, it seems that everyone except the enemies of Jesus had forgotten Jesus said he would rise on the third day. In the Gospel accounts, only those who opposed Jesus are reported as remembering that he predicted his death and resurrection. They assumed his followers would also remember and attempt to steal his body as “proof” that he had risen from the dead; so, they asked the Romans to post a guard at the tomb. However, just as the failure of those closest to Jesus to believe in his Resurrection led to the proclamation of the Jesus’s living presence throughout the world, so can we grow in faith and trust in his living presence as well. We should ask for the grace to believe to grow in the virtues of Faith, Hope, and Charity. With these gifts, we have the power to recognize the importance of the Resurrection, and how it can transform our lives. He is risen indeed.

Featured Study: Did Jesus really rise from the Dead? This is fascinating and very fast paced. Excellent.

Topics of Interest: “On the first day of the week,” we are told “Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning.” This was also the first day of the feast of First Fruits of which St. Paul calls Jesus the first fruits of those who are to rise from the dead. We are all part of the full harvest, of which Jesus is the first fruits. According to the Jewish practice, the full harvest of which the feast of First Fruits was but a promise that came on the harvest feast of Pentecost, fifty days after. But we know from Acts 3, on Pentecost the Holy Spirit fell on the apostles and disciples, harvesting over three thousand baptisms. The “first day” is also the day Jesus had rested in the tomb on the old Sabbath of Israel. Just as the Creator God had rested after his week’s work of making the world on the seventh day, Jesus, who has re-created the world by his Passion week, rested in the sleep of death on that Sabbath. Now, he rises to new life on a new first day, as a sign of the first day of the first creation, the day when God had made light, and of the new creation he has worked in his Paschal Mystery. Just as the light dawns on the new creation, Mary’s arrival early in the morning is a sign of the new light and life that this Easter brings.



Catholic Tidbits



School

St. John Vianney School
www.sjvschool.org

CULTIVATING OUR FAITH



Faith is not easily lost. If we cherish and cultivate the gift of faith which God has given us, we shall not become apostates or heretics.

To cherish and cultivate our faith means that we never stop trying to learn more about our faith. In order that we may have a better understanding of what it is that we believe, we must be attentive to sermons and instructions and read Catholic periodicals and books that will enlarge our knowledge of the faith.

And most importantly, we must lead a good life according to the principles of the faith which we profess.

Lifted from ‘THE FAITH EXPLAINED’ by Leo J. Trese

St. John Vianney Students will not be returning to campus this school year. After consulting with Bishop Soto, multiple directors of public health and other key players, they all affirmed the same thing: that extending Distance Learning through the end of the school year is in the interest of public health and the health of our students. So Lincoln Snyder, Superintendent of Schools for the Diocese of Sacramento, made announcement on Wednesday of Holy Week.

Want to learn more about Distance Learning? Check out our website at www.sjvschool.org and check out on the Distance Learning section to see how teachers, students and parents are working together to ensure students continue to learn and grow academically, spiritually and socially/emotionally.

*Duc in altum
...put out into the deep...*



Spirituality

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 (42ABC)

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a & 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 & 22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab & 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2 & 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1 & 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

May God bless you at Easter,
And keep you all year through.
May God give you all the faith it takes,
To make your dreams come true.
May His love and wisdom always help,
To guide you on your way.
May His light shine down upon you now,
To bless your Easter Day.


Easter Blessings

Wishing you a blessed and joyful Easter.

Fr. Giovanni, Fr. Joseph, Fr. Moroney,
Dcn. Walter & Daniel,
all parish staff and volunteers.



Stewardship Report

 Thanks for Your Support!

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

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Thank you to those who are able to send in their weekly donations during this pandemic. Together we can overcome this challenging time.

- Check out Bill Pay at your favorite Bank or Credit Union or go to www.sjvparish.com and click on "Give" on top of the webpage.
- Mail-in to the Parish Office.
- Drop off at the Parish Office (Mon.— Fri., 8am-4.30pm)

SJV PARISH BUILDING FUND As at 04.05.2020

Roof Replacement (Total Cost = \$171,667.00)		\$46,225.00 (26.93%)
Parish Building Fund		\$26,852.10

Mass Intentions: April 11 - 18, 2020

(All Masses will be offered up privately by Fr. Giovanni & Fr. Joseph)

Holy Saturday	8:15pm	Easter Vigil (Bilingual)
Sunday	8:00am	Jose Z. Kho, Jr. Happy 61st Birthday Mary S. Barros †
	9:45am	SJV Parish Community
	11:30am	Ciriaco & Ignacia Milan † Jeronimo R. Barros †
	1:15pm	Lorenzo Ceballos † Adelfo M. Cruz †
	6:30pm	Eliceo Poso † Marlon Valladares †
Monday	8:00am	Mauricia Sisante Cuajunco † Jose Alaniel †
Tuesday	8:00am	Antonia Susan Fernando †
	8:00am	Constancia Ison †
Wednesday	6:00pm	All the Souls in Purgatory Familia Alba Sp. Intention
	8:00am	All the Souls in Purgatory
Thursday		Jim Gudeman †
	8:00am	Flor Manela †
Friday	5:30pm	Viccel Belen †
Saturday		Nienry & Aurora del Rosario † Jeshen Kyra Tan †



Parish Staff

OFFICE HOURS: 8AM-4:30PM CLOSED AT 12:30-1:30PM

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**PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC.
PARISH STAFF WILL BE ON CALL
MONDAY-FRIDAY, 8AM-4:30PM**



Ministries

SPOTLIGHT: SJV PARISH MINISTRIES

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Meets 3rd Tuesday, 6pm, Southwest Room

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The team of St. Vincent de Paul here at St. John Vianney is primarily focused on helping folks in need to maintain their housing through rental assistance and utility assistance. We are all volunteers. 100% of your donation goes to help the poor in our community.

If you would like to know what you can do to support this vital ministry with your time, talent and treasure, please email: Tom Beigel, tbeigel@gmail.com or contact: 916-469-1975

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS (CDA #2392)

Meets 3rd Tuesday, 7:00pm, Fireside Room

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) are dedicated to Mary, our Blessed Mother, the Immaculate Conception, our patroness. Our Mission statement: CDA strives to embrace the principle of faith, working through love in the promotion of justice, equality and the advancement of human rights. The spiritual life of the member is enhanced through the various spiritual and charitable activities of CDA. Catholic women are invited to attend our meetings (as many as three meetings) to discern if they wish to join this ministry.

Please contact: Diane McDonald 916-316-5625 or email: dmmart13@comcast.net.

From Pope Francis

"From the open heart of the Crucified one, God's love reaches each one of us. Let us allow His gaze to rest on us. We will understand that we are not alone, but loved, for the Lord does not abandon us and He never, ever forgets us." #GeneralAudience (April 8, 2020)

Triduum Message from Bishop Jaime Soto

"As the world struggles under the mortal grip of the COVID-19 pandemic, we may feel as if darkness has enveloped us, casting a bleak, bitter shadow over these most sacred days of the Holy Triduum. Jesus' prophetic words to the disciples should echo in our hearts, 'Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him.'"

Full text: scd.org/news/watch-tri...

Easter Message from the Pastor, Fr. Giovanni Gammas

"The message of Easter for all us is one of hope: the hope of the resurrection and eternal life. Through his suffering, death and resurrection, Christ has defeated and conquered sin and death once and for all. This is the kind of hope we need to cling to in the midst of life's trials and difficulties. This is also the kind of hope we need to hold on to with the recent outbreak of the COVID-19."

Full text: sjvparish.com

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: CHECK SCHEDULE ON PARISH WEBSITE UNDER "SERVE"

PARISH MINISTRIES

LEARN

Adult Bible Study: Jean Pergande 916-857-1695.

English Faith Formation: Classes every Monday 6:30pm-8:00pm. Veronica Zeller 916-369-8669, faithformation@sjvparish.com

RCIA: Tom Beigel rcia-english@sjvparish.com

SACRAMENTS

English Baptism and Preparation classes: Marilou Manela, baptism-infants@sjvparish.com

SERVE

Caring Connections: Parish outreach to new parishioners. Linda Morales caringconnections@sjvparish.com.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas: Diane McDonald 916-316-5625.

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Sunday, 9:45am Mass, Children ages 5-10 yrs. are welcome. Contact: Lea Hernandez clow@sjvparish.com

Cordova Community Food Locker: Gregg Huestis 916-364-8973.

Divine Mercy Apostolate: Consuelo Cardwell divinemercury@sjvparish.com

Eucharistic/Homebound Ministry: Jean Pergande 916-857-1695.

Filipino-American Apostolate (FAA): Linda Magadia faa@sjvparish.com

Gabriel Project: Outreach program to pregnant mothers and their families. Claudia Beigel 916-342-7758.

Indonesian Catholic Community: Laura Lumenta or Surya Ginting icc@sjvparish.com

Kairos Prison Ministry: Tom Beigel 916-212-4694.

Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Derrick Andrade. For more info go to www.ranchoknights.com.

Loaves and Fishes: Feeds the hungry & shelters the homeless. Joanne LeCompte 916-307-7907.

Martha and Mary Ministry: Church cleaning. Connie Lagerstrom Martha-mary@sjvparish.com

Mr. & Mrs. Club: Lloyd & Connie Lagerstrom 916-635-3865.

Music Ministry: English Rouselle Ekwall music2@sjvparish.com, Bill Githens music@sjvparish.com; Spanish musica@sjvparish.com

Parish Advocate for Annulment: Ross Viray parishadvocate@sjvparish.com

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St. Vincent de Paul: Tom Beigel 916-469-1975.

Vocation Committee: Gina Garcia-Gonzalez voc-comm@sjvparish.com
For discernment and vocations questions go to: sjvparish.com/vocation.

Young Adults: Mark Sohl youngadults@sjvparish.com

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Formation

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<https://www.ewtn.com/tv/shows/Sunday-mass-live>
- CatholicTV
<http://www.catholicTV.org/masses/catholicTV-mass>
- Bishop Barron's Word on Fire daily Mass at 8:15am ET
<https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/>

AT-HOME RESOURCES for Families & Faith Formation

Due to the necessary measures that have been taken to help keep us safe during these times, many families will be spending more time in their domestic church. To assist in this, the Office of Family and Faith Formation has created a compilation of resources for you to share. Please go to www.scd.org/off and click on At-Home Resources.



English Faith Formation

Happy Easter. Christ is risen, He is risen indeed!

When pondering about the Resurrection this year I cannot stop thinking of the "disciple that Jesus loved". He was the first one to arrive at the tomb, did not go in until Peter went in first. He then went in, "he saw and believed." (*John 20: 1-9*) Could you imagine? This was a disciple that had walked with Jesus, had witnessed Him commanding the evil spirits, curing the sick, and raising the dead. The "disciple that Jesus loved" saw and believed in His Resurrection.

Christ is risen, He is risen indeed, we must see and believe.

Veronica Zeller, Faith Formation Coordinator
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Announcements

NEW PARISH APP COMING SOON!

In the coming weeks St. John Vianney will launch our own app for iPhone and Android smart phones. This will allow us to better communicate with you throughout the week and keep you updated with relevant parish news or updates. The app is very well designed and very intuitive. It will be a great resource for parishioners by providing daily Mass readings, Catholic news, prayers, convenient prayers, Confession reminders, our bulletins and more. We hope for our new app to be a tool for fostering stronger parish life at St. John Vianney and better engaging the New Evangelization. Please watch in the coming weeks for our official launch announcement.

FOOD FOR SENIORS — CSFP Distribution Friday, April 17, 2020, 9:30am-11:30am

Location: Cordova Community Food Locker—Parking Lot
Address: 10497 Coloma Rd, Rancho Cordova
For more information, please go to:
www.sacramentofoodbank.org/healthy-seniors

Check for Parish/Diocese updates on:

- SJV website: www.sjvparish.com
 - ◆ From the Pastor
 - ◆ From the Bishop
- [Facebook@sjvparishranhocordova](https://www.facebook.com/sjvparishranhocordova)
- LED Signboard

VIGILS, FUNERAL MASSES AND BURIALS DURING THE COVID-19 CRISIS

All vigils and funeral masses have been suspended until further notice. If a death occurs, CFCS recommends that families follow the Christian Burial Rites. Vigils, Funeral Masses and Burials should be delayed until after the Coronavirus restrictions are lifted. CFCS can care for the decedent from the time we take them in to our care until the committal.

We understand that some families may not want to wait. With this mind, we offer Immediate Burials. We coordinate Clergy and Funeral Director for the service. Family and guests are not permitted to attend. Families may visit after the ceremony concludes.

If you have any questions, call **916-452-4831** or email: Info@cfcssacramento.org.

St. Vincent de Paul THANK YOU

Thank you to those who mailed in donations for the work of St. Vincent de Paul. Although the office is closed, we are taking calls at home and trying to help those who are facing financial difficulties related to utility bills and rent. We appreciate your support during this difficult time. To help us help the neediest in our community, send a check payable to **St. Vincent de Paul** and mark on the outside of the envelope **ATTN: St. Vincent de Paul**. Mail or drop off at the Parish Office, 10497 Coloma Rd. God bless you and your loved ones during this difficult time.

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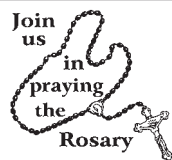


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