

St. John Vianney Parish



May 16, 2021

ASCENSION Sunday ♦ 7th Sunday of EASTER

Masses

NEW INDOOR MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Friday: 8am English (**with Livestream**)

Saturday Vigil: 6pm English (**with Livestream**)

Sunday English: 8am, 10am & 12pm

Sunday Spanish: 2pm (with Livestream) & 6pm

Indonesian Mass: 4th Sunday at 4pm

Confessions: (Fr. Moroney Room)

Wednesday: 5pm ♦ Saturday: 4pm

Adoration

Thursday & 1st Friday: Suspended until further notice

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9am – 3:30pm Closed for Lunch 12:30pm – 1:30pm

CONTACT

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10497 Coloma Road, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 ♦ website: www.sjvparish.com

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.

May 16, The Ascension of the LORD, Formed.org

Video overview: This Sunday we are presented with a Gospel reading that should challenge us deeply. This reading reminds us of who we are—disciples of Jesus Christ. We are not only his friends, called to stay near to him, but we are also his missionaries, called to go out and to spread his Good News. Not only are we sent out to share the Word, but Jesus says that we will even perform signs in his name. When we read words like this from Jesus, there’s usually a small voice inside of us that says, “That was back then, but stuff like that doesn’t happen now.” But that voice is not from the Lord. In the scripture today, our Lord clearly calls us to have faith and says that those who believe in his name will be accompanied by miraculous signs. So we have to ask ourselves, what does it really mean to be a disciple of Jesus Christ? Does our Church today look like the lives of the early Christians who healed the sick, raised the dead, and cast out demons? Do we really believe that even though Jesus Christ ascended, he is alive in us and can work with us to proclaim the gospel?

Featured study: Evangelization with Chris Stefanick. If you want our parish to come alive again, then this might motivate you to start the study “Sacred Story Institute” by the Ignatius Institute, a small group study for 6-8 people, for 96 weeks.

Topic of Interest: Mark’s account of the Ascension corroborates Christ’s statement: “It is good for you that I go away” (John 16:7). In true Marian style there is immediacy: Christ goes, and the disciples go forth and do what he has commanded. Notice that Pentecost is not even mentioned as a separate event. Yet it is clearly implied. The gospel begins with a command and promises. Recall how in the first reading Christ refers to the Holy Spirit as the “promise of my Father.” And at the conclusion it stated that the LORD is still working with them and confirming them. It is interesting to note in this gospel reading what the promises imply. Christ gives his followers a job and the power to do it. He does not promise an easy time. In fact, they endure serpents, poisoned drinks, sick people, etc. But they are given (and so are we) the assurance of the ability to handle whatever the job entails. A tough and hugely important job and the power to see it through. One is reminded of Moses’s commission described in the early chapters of Exodus. He is uncertain of his ability—it’s a tall order to go to Pharaoh and take away all his slaves. And it’s not like GOD is giving him an army; he’s mostly asking him to fight with his words. Yet God gives him help as well, including miraculous power to handle serpents (see Exodus 4:3–4) and the assistance of Aaron his brother (see Exodus 3:10). For Christ’s disciples the task is similar. Like Moses we are to go back to our brothers and set them free through proclamation of the Gospel, wresting them from the evil one. And for this task the power of the Holy Spirit is offered, and so is the companionship of Christ himself.



From the Pastor

INDOOR MASS SCHEDULE

Effective March 14, 2021

Monday - Friday: 8am English (with Livestream)
Saturday English Vigil: 6pm (with Livestream)
Sunday English: 8am, 10am & 12pm
Sunday Español: 2pm (with Livestream) & 6pm
Confessions: Wednesday 5pm ♦ Saturday 4pm
Adoration: Thursday & 1st Friday are suspended.

Protocols for Indoor Mass

- The resumption of indoor Mass permits a limit of 25% of our normal seating capacity i.e. 175 maximum. Overflow seating will be in the hall.
- Sign in for contact tracing & temperature screening. Counters open 30 minutes before Mass Times.
- COVID-19 precautions remain in place. Please maintain physical distancing & keep mask on at all times.
- Avoid congregating after Mass to allow time for disinfecting the Church.
- A donation box for Sunday and Special Collection is available at the entrance.
- The Church will remain open for private prayers daily from 9am – 6pm.



School

St. John Vianney School
www.sjvschool.org

Mission Statement: *As a ministry of St. John Vianney Parish, guided by the life of Jesus Christ, we seek to preach the Gospel with our lives through prayer, study, and service.*

Saint John Vianney School relies on your generosity and kindness to fulfill our mission and our promise to inspire excellence in our students. Every gift to Saint John Vianney School helps ensure a dynamic and innovative academic environment, vibrant spiritual experiences, and premier co-curricular opportunities.



On Friday, our SJV students ran their hearts out during our 2021 SJV Jog-A-Thon to raise funds for our school's tuition assistance program! Through the support of donations from our students' friends and family members, we are right within reach of our school-wide goal of \$20,700! If you'd like to make a donation to the general fund, there's still time - fundraising pages will close on Wednesday, May 12th! Please visit <https://give.sjvschool.org> to make a donation, and thank you as always for your support of St. John Vianney



Spirituality

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun Acts: 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26, Ps: 103,
1 Jn: 4:11-16, Jn: 17:11b-19

Mon Act: 19:1-8, Ps: 68, Jn: 16:29-33

Tues Acts: 20:17-27, Ps: 68, Jn: 17:1-11a

Wed Acts: 20:28-38, Ps: 68, Jn: 17:11b-19

Thurs Acts: 22:30; 23:6-11, Ps: 16, Jn: 17:20-26

Fri Acts: 25:13b-21, Ps: 103, Jn: 21:15-19

Sat Acts: 28:16-20, 30-31, Ps: 11, Jn: 21:20-25

Prayer in Times of Seeking God's Will

Psalm 27:7-9, 13-14

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call;
have pity on me, and answer me.
Of you my heart speaks; you my glance seeks;
your presence, O Lord, I seek.
Hide not your face from me;
do not in anger repel your servant.
You are my helper: cast me not off;
forsake me not, O God my savior.
I believe that I shall see the bounty of the Lord
in the land of the living.
Wait for the Lord with courage;
be stouthearted, and wait for the Lord.
~from *Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers*



Stewardship Report

SUNDAY OFFERTORY
May 9, 2021: \$15,085.45

SJV PARISH BUILDING FUND	May 9, 2021
Roof Replacement	\$57,859.00
(Total Cost = \$171,667.00)	(33.70%)
Parish Building Fund	\$57,299.90

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Donate ON-LINE, MAIL-IN or DROP OFF

There has been a significant drop in our Sunday offertory donations. Thank you to all who continue to send in their weekly donations. For those who are able, please consider increasing by even a small amount your recurring contribution. Thank you all for your continued support and generosity!

- Check out **ParishSOFT Giving** or **Bill Pay** (at your favorite Bank or Credit Union) on www.sjvparish.com and click on "Online Giving" on top of the webpage.
- Mail-in or drop off at the **Parish Office Mailbox** anytime.
- Drop off during weekend Masses at the sign in counters.

Mass Intentions: May 15— May 22, 2021

Saturday 6:00pm Josefina Ragadio †
Vigil Jaime Ragadio †

Sunday 8:00am Rose Richey †
Don Menardo Healing

10:00am Gerald Robison †
Ron Surette †

12:00pm John Wallace Healing
Percy D'Silva †

2:00pm Hilda Nicolau Special Intention

6:00pm Samir Zetina In Thanksgiving

Monday 8:00am Gerry Santo Domingo †
Felizardo Ding †

Tuesday 8:00am Remedios Villegas †
Jane Lee and Family Special Intention

Wednesday 8:00am Richard Nanoo †
Dr. Pete Hortaleza †

Thursday 8:00am Elizabeth K. Chua †
Cachacoso Family †

Friday 8:00am Hernan Benitez †
In Thanksgiving

Saturday 6:00pm SJV Parish Community



Parish Staff

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Faith Formation Coordinator (English / Español) 916-369-8669
Veronica Zeller
Rancho Cordova Food Locker - 916-364-8973
Thrift Store (Closed until 2.14.2022) 916-363-1559
Room Reservations 916-362-1385
Bulletin Articles Submission office@sjvparish.com (Friday 12nn)

did you know the
PARISH OFFICE IS NOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Monday—Friday, 9am- 3:30pm
Closed for Lunch 12:30pm-1:30pm



Ministries

SPOTLIGHT: SJV PARISH MINISTRIES

MARTHA & MARY MINISTRY

Our mission is to give our home church a woman's touch, along with the brawn of a few good men. Everyone is welcome.

TO VOLUNTEER, CONTACT: *Connie Lagerstrom, Martha-mary@sjvparish.com.*

YOUTH ON A MISSION: TEEN DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

High School aged teens are invited to join us for YOUTH on a MISSION, a 4-day discipleship training camp on June 22 – 25, 2021 at Trinity Pines Catholic Center. YOUTH on a MISSION is for Catholic teens who are ready for the next step in their development as disciples and leaders in the church. During YOUTH on a MISSION, youth will encounter Christ, learn practical skills for servant leadership, discover God's call to evangelize, be encouraged to serve in leadership in parish life and be challenged to take the next step in their discipleship. Get more information at www.yoamnorcal.weebly.com For more information contact Jennifer Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org or 916-733-0135

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

We follow four areas regarding Conception to Natural death. Pick up our pamphlet in church or go to SJV parish website to sjvparish.com go to "Serve" then click Respect Life Ministry. Call or text for more info: **Chris Bailey (916) 361-1340.**

FAITH FORMATION RESOURCES

Dynamic Online Resources

Formed: If your parish is part of www.formed.org, this is an excellent resource for continued spiritual growth, movies on the lives of saints, and much more!!

Catholic Online School: From daily readings to grade-specific lesson plans, to saint stories, novenas, and more, this invaluable resource has all you could ever need to provide your child(ren) with structured faith formation and fun while they are at home! <https://www.catholiconline.school/collections>

Bible for Children: Printable art activities, available in multiple languages online resource <https://www.bibleforchildren.org/languages/english/stories.php> <https://www.bibleforchildren.org/languages/spanish/stories.php>

PARISH VOCATION COMMITTEE

St. John Vianney Vocation Committee exists to foster vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Our purpose is to guide and encourage our parish community in prayer. We also assist in giving information about vocations, support and encourage promising candidates and re-direct them to our pastor or our Diocesan Office of Vocation. Are you or someone you know considering the religious life, please contact: voc-comm@sjvparish.com.

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

PARISH MINISTRIES

LEARN

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

Faith Formation (English/Español): Veronica Zeller 916-369-8669, faithformation@sjvparish.com

RCIA: Tom Beigel rcia-english@sjvparish.com

SACRAMENTS

English Baptism and Preparation classes:

baptism-infants@sjvparish.com 916-362-1385.

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: Children ages 5-10 yrs. are welcome. Contact: Lea Hernandez clow@sjvparish.com

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 gabrielproject@sjvparish.com

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

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

Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Al Getz. 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

Rancho Cordova Food Locker: 916-364-8973.

Respect for Life: Chris Bailey, Respect Life Coordinator respectlife@sjvparish.com

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

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



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Formation

FAITH FORMATION / FORMACION DE FE

Material Distribution for Home Faith

During regular office hours:
Monday and Wednesday 9am-3pm
Tuesday noon-5:30pm

First Eucharist

5/22/21 10am / with Rehearsal 5/20 6:20 pm

Registrations for 2021-2022

Will open in June

**Congratulations to all our students
receiving Sacraments!**

For Information contact:
Veronica Zeller 916-369-8669
faithformation@sjvparish.com



Distribución de Material para casa

Durante horas de oficina regulares:
Lunes y Miércoles 9am-3pm
Martes mediodía-5:30 pm

Primeras Comuniones

5/22/21 10am / con practica en 5/20 6:20 pm

Inscripciones año escolar 2021-2022

Serán abiertas en Junio

**Felicidades a nuestros estudiantes que
recibieron Sacramentos**

Para más información favor de contactar
a Veronica Zeller 916-369-8669
faithformation@sjvparish.com



Announcements

Catholic Communication Campaign collection is this week-end. Today we take up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC connect people to Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States, around the world using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half the funds we collect remain here in the Diocese of Sacramento to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the Gospel message. Support the collection today! For more information visit www.usccb.org/ccc. **Envelopes will be available at each of the church entrances.**

Camp Pendola Day Camps

This summer Camp Pendola is coming to parish near you! We will be offering day camps for campers entering 1st grade through 7th grade at four parishes around the diocese for four weeks in July. During Day Camp campers will get to experience the spirit of Camp Pendola closer to home with activities included crafts, games, nature activities, and community building. Each week we will have a new theme and be at a new location (listed below).

- ◆ Fun in the Sun July 5 - 9 (Coed) - Holy Family, Citrus Heights.
- ◆ Weird Science July 12 - 16 (Coed) - St. James, Davis.
- ◆ Christmas in July! July 19 -23 (Coed) - Sacred Heart, Anderson.
- ◆ Survivor Week July 26 - 30 (Coed) - Holy Trinity, El Dorado Hills.

For more information about Camp Pendola Day Camp go to www.pendola.org/2021-day-camp.html or contact Jennifer Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org or 916-733-0135.

15TH ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR THE POOR

Support the St. Vincent de Paul ministry, enter a drawing for a 6 day/5 nights vacation at the Sheraton Maui Resort and Spa in Hawaii. Drawing is June 15. Grand prize includes: airfare for two, car rental voucher \$400, and \$500 American Express Gift Card.

Winner does not have to be present to win. Raffle tickets are \$10 each. Make checks payable to **St. Vincent de Paul** (put Raffle Tickets in the memo line). Mail to the parish office at **10497 Coloma Road, Rancho Cordova CA 95670 (Attn: St. Vincent de Paul)**. Ticket stubs will be mailed to you to confirm receipt. Your tickets must be received no later than June 1, 2021.

Sacramento Loaves and Fishes

Our services embody the corporal works of Mercy: to feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, shelter the homeless, clothe the naked, visit the sick, visit the imprisoned, bury the dead. Many programs and services are run in collaboration with staff and volunteers to strengthen the connection between our guests and the community at large. For more information on program hours and services, or call 916-446-0874 Fax: 916-446-0875.

Dining Room, Friendship Park, Anneke's Haven, Mustard Seed School, Sister Nora's Place, Genesis Mental Health, Advocacy Jail Visitation, Tommy Clinkenbeard Legal Clinic, Mercy Clinic, Community Service, Spokes & Wrenches, Library, Mercer, Veterinary Clinic, Side by Side.

Go to info@sacloaves.org. to find out about these programs that make a difference to individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

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 Let us honor
 Our Heavenly Mother
 by praying her Rosary.



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