

May 31, 2020 Pentecost Sunday

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OUR MISSION

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

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<u>Video Overview</u>: Pentecost, the feast of the Church's birth. With a roaring of the heavens and in tongues of fire, the Holy Spirit comes and enlightens the Apostles. Peter begins to preach with boldness and authority what Christ's Life and Death truly means. From that moment, the great mission of the Church begins. The Apostles were emboldened to spread the Gospel through the power of the Holy Spirit who descended on the upper room that spring day. In many ways, the Holy Spirit is the most difficult of the three Persons of the Trinity for us to comprehend, yet he is fully and truly God, co-equal with the Father and Son. Indeed, the Holy Spirit is the bond of love between the Father and the Son. The mutual, eternal, perfect love of the Father and the Son is the third Person of the Holy Trinity- the Holy Spirit. When we are baptized, the Holy Spirit is breathed into our souls, but the Spirit's work within us is intensified in the Sacrament of Confirmation. When we are confirmed, like the Apostles, we are strengthened to give greater witness to the faith. The Holy Spirit comes to each of us, bestowing his gifts. He directs us in a particular way, as a member of the Body of Christ, for the common good of the entire Church.

Featured Study: Evangelizing Catholics. 5 Start message from Dr Scott Hahn. Learn how to witness.

<u>Topics of Interest</u>: In the feast of the Ascension we noted that in the Gospel reading for that day, we hear about a post-Resurrection appearance of Jesus to his Apostles prior to Pentecost, in which he tells them about a critical part of their future ministry; he gives them the power to forgive sins in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Jesus breathes the Spirit on them for this purpose, saying to his bishops, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Here Jesus echoes what he had said earlier to them: "Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatsoever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Matthew 18:18). Now they receive the gift of the Spirit to perform that ministry. Of all the wonderful gifts that the Spirit bestows upon the Church, this is perhaps one of the greatest, coming to us through the ministry of our bishops and priests. The mission of Son and the Spirit is to free us from sin, the slavery that binds us beyond our own power to loose. The Son and Spirit are still working in the hierarchical ministry of the Church-which is a ministry, not of power as the world speaks of it, but of the divine power of mercy.



SPIRITUAL COMMUNION SERVICE AT HOME

"StandSitKneel" has a number of helpful resources, including a printable prayer service called "Prayers in the Pew - Spiritual Communion Service at Home".

This home service offers an opportunity for parents to be prayer leaders in their own families. Other family members are encouraged to participate through readings, common responses and devotions. It is not meant to be a substitute for participation in a traditional Sunday liturgy and Mass, but is provided as a temporary means of renewing our commitment to the Lord and His table each week until such time as regular Masses resume.

Many have found it to be a perfect devotional aid to televised and livestream masses.

If you sign up for a *free* subscription, they will send new installments of the *Spiritual Communion Service at Home* straight to your email for the coming Sunday. For those who are looking for spiritual aids during this time of exile, this service may be helpful. For this and other devotional resources from Prayers in the Pew, visit:

https://sitstandkneel.com/spiritual-communion/

(Office of Worship, Diocese of Sacramento)



We celebrate our togetherness as a school community from each of our own homes as the 2019/2020 school year comes to an end. This has been a remarkable year for the St. John Vianney School students, teachers, families, and supporters for so many reasons, but the greatest among them is our shared mission - to preach the Gospel with our lives through prayer, study and service.

Our students have grown by leaps and bounds over the course of this academic year and are fully ready for what they will be asked to do when they return to school in August. We are so proud of the transition our teachers, students and parents made to Distance Learning. The students were on campus on March 13th and engaged in Distance Learning from their homes on March 16th. The success of Distance Learning is, in large part, a reflection of the strength of the St. John Vianney School community.

From the bottom of our hearts we thank each and every one of you for helping to make the end of our academic year wildly successful! From the prayers of support to the financial support, it all made a difference. Thank you, thank you, thank you!





READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;

1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23 (63A)

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 & 5, 6-7;

Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 & 16;

Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef; Mk 12:18-27 Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 & 14; Mk 12:28-34 Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Ps 119:157, 160, 161, 165, 166, 168;

Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22;

Mk 12:38-44



COMING BACK TO THE TABLE

Diocesan Guide to the Public Celebration of the Mass

"Our desire for the Bread of Life awakens in all the faithful a longing to be more a part of the mystery of the Lord's death and resurrection, the essence of our Lord's gift to us on the night before He died for us." ~ BISHOP JAIME SOTO

From the Bishop to the Faithful ...

- Letter to the Faithful English
- Letter to the Faithful Spanish
- Coming Back to the Table Power Point Presentation Eng.
- Coming Back to the Table Power Point Presentation Spa.

Note:

Read letter and download presentation from Parish/Diocesan websites.



SUNDAY OFFERTORY *May 24, 2020: \$2,443.00*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

This weekend, the 2nd Collection is for St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Thank you to those who mailed in donations for the work of St. Vincent de Paul. Although our 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 serve 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.

STV PARISH BUILDING FUND

As at 05.24.2020

Roof Replacement (Total Cost = \$171,667.00)

Parish Building Fund



\$46,760.00 (27.24%)

\$28,849.10

Mass Intentions: May 30 – June 6, 2020

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

Saturday 5:30pm Joe & Dora Corella †

Flor Manela †

Sunday 8:00am Florian Macapagal In Thanksgiving

9:45am Al Cervantes †

Alan Buenviaje †

11:30am SJV Parish Community1:15pm Mario & Augusto Solano †

6:30pm Breast Cancer Victims

8:00am Aaron Moronez †

COVID-19 Victims

Tuesday 8:00am Bruno Vargas †

Jim LaPietra †

Wednesday 8:00am Tars Fernandez †

Maria Diep Nguyen †

6:00pm Health Care Workers Sp. Intention

Thursday 8:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Esmaela S. Abesamis †

Friday 8:00am Terry Anuszczyk †
Saturday 5:30pm Maria Bich Nguyen †

Peter Van Nguyen †





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

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PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC.
PARISH STAFF ARE ON CALL
MONDAY—FRIDAY, 8AM—4:30PM



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

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

We follow four areas regarding Natural Conception to Natural death.

Pick up our pamphlet in the church or church office.



Call or text for more info: Chris Bailey (916) 361-1340

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.

BUILT ON THE ROCK

Spring issue is now available. You can pick up a hard copy inside the church entrance or send an email to Rich Alden for home delivery, richsjvrock@gmail.com. The issue is also available on the parish and ranchoknights websites. Over 30 parish families tell us what they are up to.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Donate ON-LINE, MAIL-IN or DROP OFF

Thank you to all who are able to send in their weekly donations during this pandemic. You are making a great difference!



- Check out Bill Pay at your favorite Bank or Credit Union or go to <u>www.sjvparish.com</u> and click on "Give" on top of the webpage.
- Mail-in to the Parish Office.
- Drop off at the new Mailbox of the Parish Office anytime.



<u>LITURGICAL MINISTERS: CHECK SCHEDULE ON</u> 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@sjyparish.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 <u>clow@sjyparish.com</u>

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

Divine Mercy Apostolate: Consuelo Cardwell divinemercy@sjvparish.com

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

Filipino-American Apostolate (FAA): Linda Magadia faa@siyparish.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@sivparish.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 <u>music2@sjvparish.com</u>, Bill Githens <u>music@sjvparish.com</u>; Spanish <u>musica@sjvparish.com</u>;

Parish Advocate for Annulment: Ross Viray

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

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

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

Young Adults: Mark Sohl youngadults@sjvparish.com

Youth Ministry: Samantha Ruiz vouthministry@sjvparish.com



PREGNANT? WORRIED? NEED HELP? You are not alone. We can help. The Gabriel Project





NEW WEBSITE FOR EVANGELIZATION

The Office of Family and Formation in Faith will launch this website Pentecost Sunday at 6pm. This site contains resources for Directors, Coordinators, leaders, catechists, families, and much more!

Visit us: www.evangelizenorcal.com.

YOUTH ON A MISSION ONLINE

Looking for a way to prepare your core team and teens to be ready to lead next year when you can't gather? The Dioceses in Northern California are excited to announce that Youth on a Mission is moving online for summer 2020! From June 23 through June 26, teens will receive the same high quality discipleship training that we have provided for the past five years, now from the comfort of their homes. They will have time each morning to work with a team from their home parish under the direction of their Youth Ministry Leader or other ministry leader. Get more information and register TODAY at www.norcalcatholicyouth.com



English Faith Formation REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR ALL!

Please print registration form from our website: https://sjvparish.com/learn and

submit along with payment to the Parish Office (Attn: English Faith Formation – Veronica Zeller).

All NEW students must also submit copies of their Birth certificate together with Baptism/First Eucharist certificates for sacraments received.

<u>Note:</u> Due to possible Covid-19 restrictions, no more than <u>15 students</u> will be registered per class. All other students will be placed on waiting list. We will know more when we get closer to September.

Have a blessed Summer!

Veronica Zeller, Faith Formation Coordinator 916-369-8669 • faithformation@sjvparish.com



Announcements

Sometimes we know what we have to do but we lack the *courage* to do it. Let us learn from Mary how to make decisions, trusting in the Lord.

Our Blessed Mother,
Oh! How I wish I could be this courageous!
~ Pope Francis

CHECK FOR PARISH/DIOCESAN UPDATES

SJV website: www.sjvparish.com

- From the Pastor
- ♦ From the Bishop

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 on our parish website.
- When prompted to "Create New Account", click "Not Now".

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NOTICE

Donations made by check to the Parish or the Diocese (Annual Catholic Appeal) are being recorded and deposited at a slower rate than usual.

Due to COVID-19, safety measures to protect our processing staff/volunteers have slowed the handling of gifts received by check. Please be assured that the checks should be deposited soon.

Win a Trip to Hawaii!

14TH ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR THE POOR Sponsored by St. Vincent de Paul

Raffle Tickets only \$10 each. Drawing will take place in mid-July. Grand prize winner will spend 6 Days / 5 Nights at the Sheraton Maui Resort and Spa. Includes airfare for two (\$1,000-max), Hertz Rental Car \$400 Voucher, \$500 American Express Gift Card! Value of Package \$3500! Winner does NOT have to be present to win. 50% of ticket sales come back to our Conference to assist the poor of our community. To buy tickets, mail in your check to the Parish Office, ATTN: St. Vincent de Paul. We will fill out the raffle ticket for you and mail it to you. Thanks in advance for your continued generosity to the poor.

WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH OYYA

Check out www.scd.org/oyya for a list of all weekly events that Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry has to offer.

CAMP PENDOLA IS GOING ONLINE FOR SUMMER 2020.

For four weeks in July, campers will enjoy a virtual cabin experience with our wonderful camp counselors. Campers will be led through various activities by staff. Each night there will be activities the whole family can join like a game night and a camp out in the back yard. For more information and to register your child visit www.pendola.org or contact Jennifer Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org or (916)733-0135.



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