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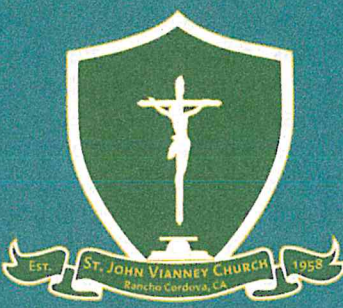
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MASS SCHEDULE
Weekend Mass
 Saturday Vigil English: 6:00pm
 Sunday English: 8:00am, 10:00am
 Sunday Spanish: 12:00pm
 Filipino 2nd Sunday: 2:00pm
 Indonesian 4th Sunday: 2:00pm

Weekday Mass
 Monday - Friday: 8:00am English
 Wednesday: 6:00pm Spanish
 1st Friday: 6:00pm Spanish


Confessions
 Wednesday: 5:00pm
 Saturday: 4:00pm
 Or by appointment

Adoration
 Monday: 8:30am - 6:00pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 3:30pm
 Closed: 12:30pm - 1:30pm

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS
 Monday - Friday: 7:00am - 3:30pm

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MAY 7, 2023 | FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?" - Jn 14:2

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

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OUR VISION

That all who experience St. John Vianney Parish in any way find Christ irresistible.

May 7, 2023, Fifth Sunday of Easter— Formed.org.

Review: Most of us have been either literally or figuratively lost at some time, not knowing which way to go, and feeling a surge of fear and panic. The Apostles in today's Gospel were feeling lost because Jesus had just told them he was going to leave them in order to be crucified and die. Thomas said what must have been in all their hearts: "We do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" Jesus's answer might have been confusing. He didn't give instructions or directions. Instead, he told them that he himself was the direction. He said that he was the way, the truth, and the life. We can understand the meaning of his words only when we realize that he was saying that he was going to the Father and that if we want to go to the Father, we must go through the Son, within the power of the Holy Spirit. That's how our prayers work and that's how blessings come to us—always through the Son. We know Jesus, and in knowing him, we come to the Father. Unlike the Apostles, we haven't had the experience of being physically in the company of Jesus, so how can we get to know him? The answer is simple: through the Holy Mass, by receiving Christ in the Sacraments of the Church, by studying his Word, participating in the sacraments of the church, and through our prayers and devotions. When we do those things, we come to know Jesus. And then we can truly confess that he is our way, our truth, and our life.

Featured study: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Reflection: This passage points us toward the Ascension. Jesus tells the apostles that he's going to prepare a place for them "in my Father's house." We discover that Jesus is leaving to go to the Father, but he assures his disciples that this absence is only so that he may prepare a place for them. He promises, I will come back again and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be. Where I am going you know the way." The last part of that phrase is a reflection of Jesus's Incarnation and mission. He comes to us to dwell with us in time, in the flesh, and in so doing, wins us the ability to dwell with him in eternity. What makes this astounding thing possible is Jesus's unity with the Father in the Holy Trinity. So much of what Jesus promised requires his divinity. Unless he was God, he couldn't save us from sin, he couldn't gain us entry to Heaven, and he couldn't give us his flesh to eat. This is what Jesus reveals in the second part of this passage. "I am in the Father and the Father is in me," Jesus says in language that seems to stretch to the breaking point in trying to convey these divine truths.



From the Pastor

GOSPEL MEDITATION MAY 7, 2023



If you had to summarize the essential core of the Christian life, what would it be? Mercy, truth, or love, perhaps? The readings today suggest another word which may surprise you. That word is priesthood.

St. Peter says to us, "You are a 'chosen race, a royal priesthood...'" To be part

of a priesthood is to offer a particular sacrifice in order for the community to survive and thrive. Jesus is the great high priest because he offers the one perfect sacrifice which heals and perfects the entire human race. Peter the Apostle wants us to know that all the baptized share in this priestly ministry. The whole of our lives, including every detail, is meant to become our acceptable offering to God.

The baptized exercise this priesthood in many ways, I'll mention three. At Sunday Mass, in private prayer, and in daily work. At Mass, we offer the sacrifice of our lives with that of the priest, who symbolizes Christ the Priest. In our prayer, a "morning offering" prayer is a great way to offer up all the joys and sufferings of the day to come. In our daily work, we sacrifice our time, comfort, money, and energy to do good for others. All this gives the deepest possible meaning to our lives: we share in the priesthood which saves the world. That's at the core of our faith.



SJV School

Incoming TK - 2nd grade families invited to visit St. John Vianney Catholic School!

Early Elementary Info Night
 May 9, 2023
 6:00 - 6:30 pm
 SJV School Campus in the Extension Room

You are invited to join us for a brief informational presentation, overview of school expectations and opportunity to ask questions at the Early Elementary Information Night. We welcome families with incoming TK-2nd grade students to hear about SJV School's academic, spiritual and social-emotional curriculum, take in a brief introduction to the SJV School community, meet teachers and visit classrooms; all in a family-friendly environment. Tuesday, May 9th, 6:00 - 6:30 pm SJV Campus, Extension Room, 10499 Coloma Road

Highlights

5th Sunday OF EASTER

"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back again and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be." - Jn 14:2-3



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2023 **MAY: For church movements and groups.** We pray that the Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

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 May 21, 2023 **May 9, 2023**
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 June 4, 2023 **May 23, 2023**

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Vatican News

By Christopher Wells, Vatican City, April 26, 2023

'Pope Francis: The Church is a vocational symphony'

Pope Francis reflects on the theme "Vocation: Grace and Mission" in his Message for the World Day of Prayer for Vocations, saying, "This day is a precious opportunity for recalling with wonder that the Lord's call is grace, a complete gift, and at the same time a commitment to bring the Gospel to others."

The Day of Prayer for Vocations falls each year on the Fourth Sunday of Easter, when the Church reads the Gospel passage of the Good Shepherd (John 10:1-10). The Day is marked this year on Sunday, 30 April.

In this year's Message, the Holy Father emphasizes that each human person is chosen by God, "created by love, for love, and with love, and made for love." Recalling his own call to the priesthood, Pope Francis explains that God's call "tends to make itself known gradually," and one that calls for a response on our part. "Vocation is 'the interplay between divine choice and human freedom' ... God calls us in love and we, in turn, respond to Him in love."

No vocation without mission

At the same time, the Pope continues, "God's call ... includes a 'sending'. There is no vocation without mission." Pope Francis once again highlighted that every baptized Christian is called "to bear joyful witness" to our experience of Jesus through spiritual and corporal works of mercy. In service to God and our fellow human beings, "we come to understand the heart of the Christian vocation: to imitate Jesus Christ, Who came to serve, not to be served."

(Read more on: [www.https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html](https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html))



Around the Diocese

R3 Dads Workshop

The Office of Family and Respect Life is partnering with Healthy Relationship California to provide parents and married couples to strengthen their most important relationships.

This workshop has a strong focus on positive parenting skills to build a strong relationship with their children, the communication and relationship skills taught are applicable at home and in the workplace. In addition, financial management and job improvement teaching are included.

**Classes start June 13, 2023 to September 5, 2023
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

Local instructor: Edixon Martinez
Contact at: Edixon@relationshipsca.org or (916) 591-9991.
For more information, contact: Moises De Leon at (916)-733-0133.

Cost: FREE
Location
St Joseph Parish
1717 El Monte Ave
Sacramento, CA 95815
Registration Link
<https://r3academy.org/dads/>



Spirituality

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22); 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12
Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21



Mass Intentions

MAY 6- MAY 13, 2023

Saturday	6PM	Maria Benitez Birthday Jimmy Paquerigan Birthday
Sunday	8AM	Joecimyn Abuyoa Birthday Sharon Cocker Birthday
	10AM	Dorita G. Villar † Brendaldette R. Major †
	12NN	Maria Isabel Lopez † Jose Alvarez Magawa †
Monday	8AM	Kimberly Gasuad Birthday Victor Belen †
Tuesday	8AM	Yolanda Otto Birthday Wilson D'Silva †
Wednesday	8AM	Isabela De Leon Birthday Trishelle Ravindran Birthday
	6PM	Jose Luis Pimentel † Juanita Cortes †
Thursday	8AM	Romeo Magsayo † Milagros A. Flores †
Friday	8AM	Josefina Ragadio † Jaime Ragadio †
Saturday	6PM	Mass For All Mothers



Parish Announcements



SJV Men's Event Cue Ball Classic VII

Sunday, May 7th, 2023

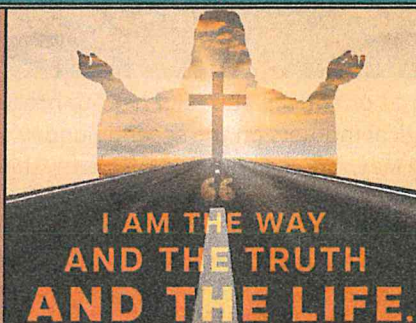
2:00 to 4:00 pm
at

Diamond Billiards
10303 Folsom Blvd, Rancho Cordova

Cost: \$5

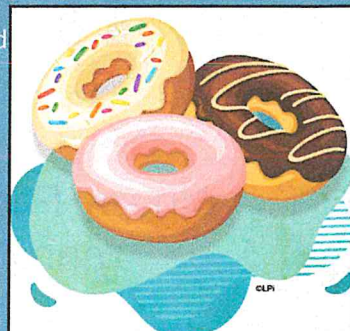
Questions? Contact Rich Alden 916-606-4992 or email aldenrich1492@gmail.com

Not a competitive event; shoot pool, watch football and enjoy a cold beverage. No experience needed.



MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

Join us this week for food and fellowship after all English & Spanish Masses.
Hosted by: FFA & Vocations Committee
Located in the Southwest Room.



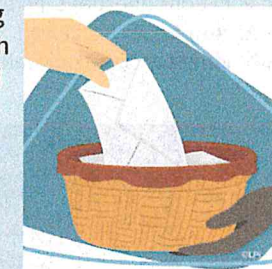
Stewardship Report

SUNDAY OFFERTORY
April 30, 2023: \$10,478.99

Parish Building Fund	\$159,844.95	
Roof Replacement	\$143,408.00	
(Total Cost = \$171,667.00)	(83.54%)	

SJV PARISH BUILDING FUND

Next weekend, the 2nd Collection will be for the Parish Building Fund. Take this opportunity to participate in the improvement and upkeep of our parish. Envelopes are available at the Church entrances or parish office. Simply return the envelope in the offering box, drop off or mail into the parish office. Your continued support and generosity make a great difference.
Thank you!



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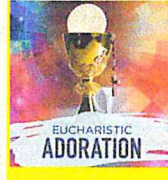
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Susan Chargulaf	Vice Principal	Ext. 113
Sandra Canenguez	Admin. Asst	Ext. 102

Ministries Spotlight



Every Monday in the Church
8:30am - 6:00pm
8:30am - 7:00pm (1st Mondays)
 Divine Mercy Chaplet @ 9am & 3pm
 with Benediction at the closing at 6pm.

ROSARY FOR THE MILITARY

Second Sunday after 8am Mass

Come join us in praying for the members of the Armed Services and their families.

LOAVES & FISHES

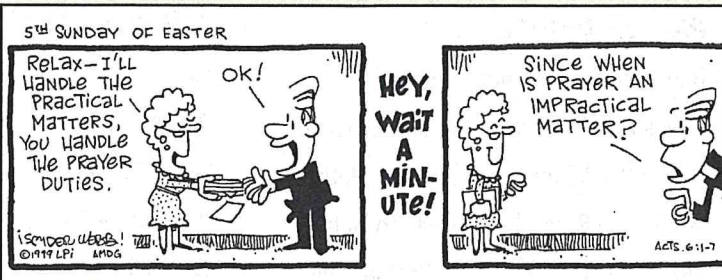
We are a successful, spiritual and giving ministry. We prepare a pasta meal for the homeless @ 12th & North C Street. After the 8:00 am Mass at SJV, 6-10 volunteers leave to prepare the pasta meal for 300-800 people. Our duties include cleaning the dining room and preparing the room for our homeless guests. We welcome all volunteers. For more information or to volunteer, contact: John Morales at 916-635-2019

MR. & MRS. CLUB

Meets 2nd Saturday, 7:30pm, Fireside Room (parish hall).

The club's purpose is the social enjoyment of its members. Its membership is open to any married couple from the parish. Social events are normally held on the fourth Saturday of each month. Come meet with us and have some fun!

For more information please call our membership couple: Lloyd & Connie Lagerstrom 916-635-3865



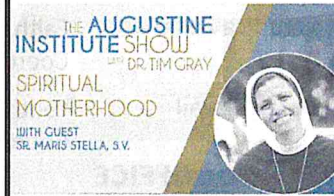
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May 7, 2023

Spiritual Motherhood

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Sr. Maris Stella for a conversation of the vocation of every woman, that of motherhood. Although all women will not be called to be physical mothers, every woman is called to be a spiritual mother.



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Parish Ministries

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

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS): Rosamaria Alavarez, CGS@sjvparish.com

RCIA: Amanda Reynaud rcia-english@sjvparish.com

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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

Couples for Christ: Leomi Ebalobo couplesforchrist@sjvparish.com

Divine Mercy Apostolate: Consuelo Cardwell divinemercy@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. Samantha Clark gabrielproject@sjvparish.com

Indonesian Catholic Community: Lily NLN icc@sjvparish.com

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

Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Joseph Henderson. For more info, go to www.ranchoknights.com

Martha and Mary Ministry: Gentle Touch Church cleaning. Connie Lagerstrom 916-635-3865

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

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 Bill Githens music@sjvparish.com Spanish Guadalupe Rangel musica@sjvparish.com Rosa Duenas sjv-coro@sjvparish.com

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Faith Formation

SCHEDULE THIS WEEK
ALL CLASSES 6:30PM-8PM
First Eucharist!

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¡Primeras Comuniones!

5/9/23 First Eucharist Rehearsal:
 6-7 pm English 7:30-8:30 pm Spanish

5/13/23 First Eucharist
 10 am English 1pm Spanish

Save the date for VBS
 Week of June 12

Registrations for 2023-2024
 Will open on June 5th
 Please look at future bulletins

Office Hours :

Monday-Thursdays 11AM-3PM or by appointment.

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

5/9/23 Practica Primera Comunion:
 Ingles 6-7 pm Español 7:30-8:30 pm

5/13/23 Primera Comunion
 Ingles 10 am Español 1 pm

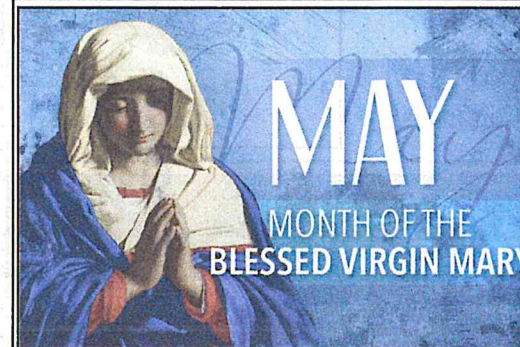
Guarde la fecha para VBS
 La semana del 12 de Junio

Inscripciones para 2023-2024
 Se abrirán el lunes 5 de Junio
 Buscar información en futuros boletines

Horas de Oficina:

Lunes a Jueves 11am-3pm O por cita.
 Para más información favor de contactar a
 Veronica Zeller 916-369-8669
faithformation@sjvparish.com

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD (CGS)



We are now starting the sweetest month of the year. Yes, this is the month of our Heavenly Mother, the Virgin Mary, and the Mother of Jesus. During this month, many families pray a daily rosary in her honor, to show her their love and appreciation and to ask her for her help and intercession before God and her merciful son, Jesus, our Good Shepherd. In our last CGS Family Mass on May 28th, we'll

crown her as our queen and offer her our hearts with fresh flowers. We'll celebrate our biological mothers on the second Sunday of May and Our Heavenly Mother at the end of May. We as children of the light, share in the light of Jesus Christ and also share His Mother. Please join us saying, "Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus."

MEDITATION

HOUSE

"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places."

JOHN 14:2

Sacramental Info

Anointing of the Sick:
 By appointment.

Unción de los Enfermos:
 Con cita previa.

Baptisms:
 English baptisms are held every 1st Saturday of the month at 9:30 am. Pre-baptismal classes are held online.

Bautizos:
 Bautizos en Español son cada 3er Sábado del mes a las 9:30 am. Clases pre-bautismales son el Domingo anterior al bautizo de las 9am-1pm.

Marriage:
 As a minimum requirement, couples must contact the parish office and set an appointment at least 6 months prior to the wedding date. Marriage preparation classes online.

Matrimonio:
 Se requiere que las parejas contacten a la oficina parroquial cuando menos seis meses antes de la fecha de matrimonio. Clases prematrimoniales son en persona.

First Eucharist:
 A two year family formation program preparation is required. Children must be a minimum of 6 years old. Classes run from September-May and registrations are open June-August.

Primera Comunion:
 Programa de dos años en el programa de formación familiar es requerido. Los niños deben tener 6 años cumplidos o más. Inscripciones son Junio-Agosto y las clases son Septiembre-Mayo.

Youth Confirmation:
 Candidates for Confirmation must be at least 12 years old and in 7th grade to start the program. A two-year religious education preparation is required prior to receiving the Sacrament.

Confirmación para Jóvenes:
 Candidatos para Confirmación deben de tener los 12 años cumplidos y cursar el séptimo grado. El programa es de dos años de educación religiosa antes de recibir el Sacramento.

RCIA and Adult Sacramental:
 For adults seeking one or more Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Eucharist, or Confirmation). Sessions begin in the fall. Please contact the parish office for more information.

RCIA y Sacramentos para adultos:
 Para adultos que buscan uno o más Sacramentos de Iniciación (Bautizo, Primera Comunion y Confirmación). Clases comienzan en el otoño. Favor de contactar la oficina parroquial.