



# ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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## ST. ANNE CHAPEL

36483 Road 606 - Raymond

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### MASS SCHEDULE

<b>Saturday:</b>	8:00 AM;
<b>Vigil of Sunday:</b>	5 PM; 6:30 PM (Spanish)
<b>Sunday:</b>	6:30 AM, 8 (Spanish), 9:30 AM, 11 AM; 12:30 PM (Spanish), 5 PM, 6:30 PM (Spanish)
<b>Holy Days:</b>	Vigil: 5:30 PM; 7 AM, 9 AM, 12:15 PM, 5:30 PM, 7PM (Spanish) <b>St. Anne Chapel:</b> Vigil 4 PM
<b>Weekdays:</b>	7:00 and 8:00 AM; Wednesdays 7:00 PM (Spanish)
<b>St. Anne Chapel</b>	9 AM (Confessions before Mass) Communion Service: Tuesday and Friday 9 AM
<b>Confessions:</b>	Saturdays: 9 - 11 AM; Wednesdays 6:00 PM
<b>Baptisms:</b>	Sunday 2 PM, (Registration: two weeks before Baptism)
<b>Weddings:</b>	Arrangements six months in advance.
<b>Funerals:</b>	Arrangements - 479-8231

**DECEMBER 1, 2013**



**“You...must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect,  
the Son of Man will come.” --*Mathew 24:44***

**MASS INTENTIONS December 2 - 8, 2013**

Mon	7:00	Ernest Valorosi - Anita & Larry Boyd & Family
	8:00	Dorothy Gurrola - Mr. & Mrs. Mark Gurrola & Family
Tue	7:00	Marie Cappelluti - Maurice Cappelluti
	8:00	Virginia Pinasco Barsanti - Ed Pia
	7:00	<b>Novenario Guadalupano</b>
Wed	7:00	Thanksgiving - Immaculate Conception Sisters
	8:00	Edwin Falqueza - Daughter
	3:30	(Cedar Creek) Mark Warburton - Family
	7:00	<b>Novenario Guadalupano</b> - Venditas Animas de Purgatorio
Thu	7:00	Wilma Chidlaw Loomis - Grandchildren
	8:00	Juan Ayala & Juan Garcia - Guadalupe Ayala
	7:00	<b>Novenario Guadalupano</b> - Daniel McBrady - Ed Pia
Fri	7:00	Gregoria Ortiz - Family
	8:00	Jaime & Susan Trujillo - Family
	7:00	<b>Novenario Guadalupano</b> - Elena Aguirre - Loretta C Castro
Sat	8:00	Robert R. Chairez - Family
	12:00	Wedding - Jorge Medranos & Dalia Salazar
	1:00	Virgen de Juquila - Juan Aguilar
	2:00	Ruben Barajas ( 1st Anniv of death)
	5:00	Frank Molina - Family
	6:30	Guadalupe Guillen - Familia
Sun	6:30	Frank, Flora Lorenzetti & Leo Tordini - Mark & Sunell Tordini
	8:00	Freddy Vasquez - Familia
	9:00	(Raymond) Arthur Rekart - Jeanne Walsh
	9:30	Roy, Joe & Betty Toschi - Ola Toschi Family
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
	12:30	Jose Maravilla - Dolores Morales
	5:00	Cara Lourenco - Luis & Mary Lourenco
	6:30	Guadalupe Guillen - Familia

**TODAY 2ND COLLECTION FOR THE BUILDING FUND**

**NEXT SUNDAY 2ND COLLECTION FOR RETIRED RELIGIOUS**

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED**

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: *Angelina Montoya, Adrian De Jesús Salazar*

**BAKE SALE**

The Italian Catholic Federation is having a Bake Sale today after the morning masses.

**VOCATION' CENTER**

Does your relationship with God sustain you, enliven you, invigorate you in such a way that you want to share the Good News with others?

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

**An Advent Retreat – God's initiative, your response!**

*"Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will enter his house and dine with him, and he with me"* (Rev. 3:20).

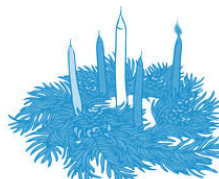
Jesus is taking the initiative. He stands at the door of my heart and knocks. How will I respond? The Scripture makes clear that an adequate response would be twofold. First, I must **hear** his voice. This means I must have a listening heart. I must cultivate a desire to hear Jesus' voice. I must believe and trust in the Good News that Jesus wants to cultivate an intimate friendship with me. Second, I must **open the door**. I must choose sufficient, daily, quiet personal prayer time. I must take the risk of entering into a quiet time of "dining" and conversing with Jesus and I must persevere. If I live with my family, I should make an agreement with my family members to help protect this quality prayer time from distraction and interruption. Am I a beginner in prayer? I should start with at least 15 minutes, in the morning, if possible, and begin my listening with a Scripture verse.

Visit the Marelo Bookstore to find resources on prayer. Blessings,

*Fr. John*

**ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE**

We are open today from 7:30 am to 2 pm and 4:30 to 8 pm. Come by and pick up your Advent wreath, candles, and books so that you can make the season meaningful for you and your family. We will also be open next Sunday and will have a children's presentation from 2:30-4:30 on "The Story of Guadalupe". Children ages 6-12 will learn the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe and have the opportunity to do crafts. To register for the class, call or come in by Thursday, December 5.



*First Sunday of Advent*

**St. Anne Chapel**

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- Chapel Board Meeting today following Mass. All are welcome to attend.
- In need of prayer? Call Julie Draska, 658-7308 to be put on prayer list..
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament next Sunday following Mass.

### ADVENT-CHRISTMAS BIBLE STUDY

Fr. John Warburton, OSJ will lead an Advent -Christmas Bible Study in three sessions on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of Advent from 2:30 to 4:00 pm in room 41. Using Sacred Scripture, Sacred Tradition, History and Astronomy we will try to answer three big questions and lots of little ones.

- December 8 - When was Jesus NOT born?
- December 15 - Can we know the year and the month of Jesus' birth?
- December 22 - Can we know the day and even the hour of Jesus' birth?

### CHURCH FAMILY ALBUM

We only have a few openings left for parish families to make an appointment with our professional photographer on the following days: December 27, 28. Don't miss out on your free 8x10 photo and copy of the album. Call Stephanie Molina, 706-1402 today.

### CATHOLIC PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS CLUB

Our December meeting of the Catholic Professional and Business Club will be our annual Christmas Party! Please bring new warm clothes and blankets for children and adults for distribution by Catholic Charities. December 13, 7 - 8:30am Pardini's Banquet Room, Van Ness & Shaw Avenue, Fresno. \$15.00 members & guests of member, \$20.00 non-members. Reservation deadline is December 11. Call 434-2722 for information.

### PILGRIMAGE TO ROME

Join us on a pilgrimage to Rome for the historic canonizations of Blessed John XXIII and John Paul II on April 27, 2014, Divine Mercy Sunday. Dates: April 23 - May 2, 2014. Places: Rome, Assisi, Castelli Romani and optional visit to Florence. Cost: \$4098 (for 40 or more). Deposit: \$400 to reserve a spot. Visit [www.sjoachim.org](http://www.sjoachim.org) to download itinerary or call Frances Boudreaux of Regina Tours, 1-888-948-3837.



HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

Come Support our school Tuesday, December 3, in the gym, from 2 to 6 pm. Sample refreshments while you browse through our merchants' booths and our gift card inventory for your holiday shopping needs. They carry an extensive scrip inventory: grocery stores, gas stations, restaurants, department stores and several of our local merchants.

### RINCÓN DEL PÁRROCO

**Retiro de Adviento - Su respuesta a la Iniciativa de Dios!**  
"Mira que estoy en la puerta y llamo. Si uno escucha mi voz y me abre, entraré, y cenaré con él y el conmigo." (Rev. 3:20)

Jesús está tomando la iniciativa. Él se para en la puerta de mi corazón y me llama. ¿Cómo le responderé? La Escritura deja claro que una respuesta adecuada sería una doble respuesta. Primero, debería **escuchar** su voz. Esto significa que debo de tener un corazón que escucha. Debo cultivar el deseo de oír la voz de Jesús. Debo de confiar y creer en la Buena Nueva de que Jesús quiere cultivar una amistad íntima conmigo. Segundo debo **abrir la puerta**. Debo de elegir tiempo de oración personal suficiente, diario y tranquilo. Tengo que tomar el riesgo de entrar en un momento de tranquilidad de "comer" y conversar con Jesús y debo de perseverar. Si vivo con mi familia, debería hacer un acuerdo con los miembros de mi familia para ayudar a proteger este tiempo de oración de alguna distracción e interrupción. ¿Soy un principiante en hacer oración? Debería empezar por lo menos con 15 minutos, en la mañana, si fuera posible, y empezar a escuchar un verso de la Escritura.

Visite la Librería Marelló para que encuentre recursos sobre la oración.

*Bendiciones P. John*

### NOVENARIO GUADALUPANO

La Sociedad Guadalupana de Madera les invita al Novenario del 3 al 11 de Diciembre. Horario Lunes a Viernes 6:30 pm el Santo Rosario a las 7 pm la Santa Misa. Sábado y Domingo a las 6 pm Santo Rosario y a las 6:30 pm la Santa Misa.

### POSADAS Y PASTORELA

Las posadas empezarán el día 15 de Diciembre y terminarán el día 23 de Diciembre. Si deseas una posada, favor de llamar a Isidro D. al 474-5804 o 675-8750. La Pastorela y cena de navidad se llevarán acabo el día 23 de Diciembre en el Salón de Los Santos Esposos a las 6:30 pm. Todo gratis. Te esperamos

**LOS LUNES:** 7pm Salón 31 & 32- Encuentro Matrimonial

**LOS MIÉRCOLES:**

6-7 p.m. Rosario a María y José

7-8 p.m. Santa Misa

8-9 p.m. Hora Santa de Reparación

**LOS VIERNES:**

7 pm Salón 2,3,4, & 7 - Noche de Alabanza para toda la familia.

7pm Salón 62 - Encuentro Matrimonial

**LOS SÁBADOS:**

7:30 pm Salón 2 - Jóvenes Unidos en Cristo

7:30 pm Salón 31—Familias Unidas en Cristo, para nuevos matrimonios, Hay cuidado de niños

**Parish Office 673-3290**  
**church@sjoachim.org**

**Hours**

Monday: 1 to 6 pm  
Tuesday thru Friday:  
9 am to 12 pm & 1 to 6 pm  
Closed Saturday and Sunday

**CCD Office - 674-5871**

**ccd@sjoachim.org**

**Hours**

Tuesday thru Friday: 10 am to 1 pm & 2 to 6 pm

**Youth Ministry - 674-9069**

**youth@sjoachim.org**

**Hours**

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10 am to 2 pm  
Thursday 3 to 7 pm  
Closed Monday

**St. Marello Bookstore - 662-0682**

**www.marellobookstore.org**

**Hours**

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 1:30 to 7:30 pm  
Thursday: 10 am to 7:30 pm;  
Saturday: 10 am to 8 pm  
2nd Sunday of month: 7:30 am to 2 pm; 4:30 to 8pm.

**St. Joachim School - 674-7628**

**St. Joachim PreSchool - 662-0372**

**Holy Spouses & Griffin Hall Rental - 674-9489**

**Doors of Hope Pregnancy Center - 662-8629**

**WEEKLY DEVOTIONS**

Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Tuesday after 8 am Mass.  
Seven Sorrows and Joys of St. Joseph - Wednesday after  
7 & 8 am Mass.

**DAILY ADORATION IN CHAPEL**

**Monday & Tuesday**, 8:40 am to 9 pm  
**Wednesday**, 8:40 am to 6:50 pm, 9 pm to Thursday, 6:50 am  
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**Friday**, 8:40 am to 6:00 pm

**BIBLE STUDY**

Wednesday: 7 - 8:30 pm in Room 71  
St. Anne - Tuesday 9:30 am