

ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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Deacon Steve Taylor

Deacon Alan Shearer

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday:

English: 8:00 AM

Vigil of Sunday:

English: 5:00 PM; **Español:** 6:30 PM

Sunday:

English: 6:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Español: 8:00 AM, 12:30 PM, 4:00 PM & 7:00 PM

Weekdays:

English: 7:00 & 8:00 AM (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

Español: 8:00 AM (Martes y Jueves)

Español: 7:00 PM (Miércoles)

Confessions:

Wednesdays 6:00 PM, Saturdays: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Holy Day Vigil:

English: Vigil 5:30 PM, **Español:** 7:00 PM

Holy Days:

English: 7:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 5:30 PM,

Español: 8:30 AM 7:00 PM

Baptisms:

Sunday 2:00 PM, (Register: two weeks before Baptism)

Weddings:

Arrangements six months in advance.

Funerals:

Arrangements 479-8231

ST. ANNE CHAPEL

36483 Road 606, Raymond, CA 93653

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Holy Days: Vigil 4 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM (Confessions 30 mins. before Mass)

Communion Service: Tuesday and Friday 9:00 AM

February 5, 2017



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Light shines through the
darkness
for the upright.

— *Psalm 112:4*

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MASS INTENTIONS February 6 - 12, 2017

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| Mon | 7:00 | Marie Cappelluti - Maurice Cappelluti |
| | 8:00 | Albert Prosperi - Family |
| Tue | 7:00 | Bennie Leal - Family |
| | 8:00 | Eduardo Perez - Familia |
| | 7:00 | <i>(La Vina)</i> |
| Wed | 7:00 | Don Sambueso - Maurice Cappelluti |
| | 8:00 | Charlie Gray - Bernie & Suzanne Molina |
| | 11:30 | St. Anne's - Staff Retreat |
| | 7:00 | Concepción Sandoval - Esposa e Hijos |
| Thu | 7:00 | Eugene Newman - Family |
| | 8:00 | Antonio y Escolastica Camarillo - Familia Camarillo |
| Fri | 7:00 | Peter L. Gonzales - Family |
| | 8:00 | Jacqueline Rose Ibarra - Nina Elisa |
| Sat | 8:00 | Larry Friedrick - Helen Rabbiosi |
| | 12:00 | Quinceañera |
| | 2:00 | Monica Maciel Bain - Susan & Louie Brosi |
| | 5:00 | Ryan - Mom |
| | 6:30 | Elisa Espinoza - Familia Espinoza |
| Sun | 6:30 | David & Danny Baca - Sarah Baca |
| | 8:00 | Jose Cuevas - Familia |
| | 9:00 | <i>(Raymond)</i> Tom Durcan - Joan Bausch |
| | 9:30 | Elena S. Aguirre - Martha Cardona |
| | 11:00 | For the People of the Parish |
| | 12:30 | Jose Luis Maciel Jr. - Familia |
| | 4:00 | Jose Cuevas - Familia |
| | 5:30 | Enrico Cortopassi - Jerry Houlding Family |
| | 7:00 | Jose Cuevas - Familia |

**TODAY SECOND COLLECTION FOR
OUR FAITH, OUR FAMILY, OUR FUTURE**

**NEXT WEEK SECOND COLLECTION FOR
BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: *Virginia Yturaldi, Most Rev. Joseph J. Madera, Gabriela Nunez, Isabel Vasquez Lopez, Brian O'Donovan*

ST. JOACHIM PARISH

Presents a Live Christ - Share Christ Evangelization Retreat in English on Saturday March 4, from 8 am to 5 pm at the Holy Spouses Hall.

St. Anne Chapel

- Chapel Board today following Mass
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament next Sunday following Mass

PASTOR'S CORNER

St. Joachim School – 90 Years of Catholic education – Is it worth all the effort?

In this Pastor's Corner, I intend to adapt the beginning of Archbishop of Philadelphia Charles Chaput's September 2016 Alex de Tocqueville Lecture at Notre Dame University to our local circumstances. "A lecture named after Alexis de Tocqueville will naturally involve politics. That's a good thing, and we'll have plenty to talk about. But I don't want to begin there today. I spent much of last week helping my brother and his wife with the funeral of their daughter Allison, my niece. Allison was 32. She was intelligent, beautiful and set to be married on Oct. 1. In May, she was diagnosed with cancer. Last week, she discovered that her medical treatments had failed. She died a few days later. I mention this not to cast a shadow on our discussion today — in fact, quite the opposite. Allison had a great life. She loved well, had a lot of joy and was very deeply loved. And that love will continue to live in the people who knew her." (These same words can be applied to Ana Rieping, a parent at St. Joachim School, whose funeral Mass was celebrated here last week). "I mention Allison (and Ana) because the farthest thing from anyone's mind as she and we measured her life last week was politics. Leon Bloy, the great French-Catholic convert, once said that — in the end — the only thing that matters is to be a saint. That's the ultimate task of a place like Notre Dame (St. Joachim School). It's not to help you get into a great law school, or to go to a great medical school, or to find a great job on Wall Street, as good as those things clearly are. It's to help you get into *heaven* — which is not some imaginary fairyland, but an eternity of life in the presence of a loving God. If you don't believe that, you're in the wrong place. Life is a gift, not an accident. And the point of life is to become the kind of fully human person who knows and loves God above *everything else* and reflects that love to others. That's the only compelling reason for a university (or a grammar school) that calls itself Catholic to exist. And it's a privilege for Notre Dame (St. Joachim School) to be part of that vocation." **Congratulations to St. Joachim School for 90 years of Catholic education – Forward, always forward; God will provide!** (school motto from Saint Carmen Salles, Foundress of the Sisters of the Immaculate Conception).

Blessings, Fr. John

OFFICE CLOSED

**THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8,
FROM 9AM - 2PM FOR A STAFF RETREAT**

LIFE GIVING LOVE - March 25 & 26



A Catholic workshop on marriage, sexuality and natural and responsible parenthood. The Saturday - Sunday daytime workshop, held in Holy Spouses Hall, is for married and engaged couples, as well as interested individuals. Donation: \$20 per person or \$30 per couple. Applications are available at the parish office. Registration is required by Monday, March 20. Fee doubles for late registrations.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

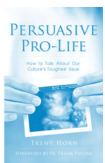


A Mini Retreat for all Parish Ministries. Sunday, February 12 from 2 pm - 4 pm. At the Holy Spouses Hall with Speaker Vernon Robertson.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Right on time for the 100th year Centennial of Fatima to the major shrines of Portugal, Spain & France from Monday, May 15 to Friday, May 26, we depart from San Francisco to Lisbon, Fatima, Coimbra, Santiago de Compostela, Leon, Loyola, San Sebastian, Lourdes, Barcelona, Montserrat, Zaragoza, Madrid, Avila and depart Madrid back to San Francisco. A deposit of \$350.00 (by check) plus \$288 (optional) insurance is required per person at the time of booking. Full balance is due on February 10, (any booking after February 11, is subject to availability plus late fee penalty will apply). Booking forms are available at the parish office or contact Bel at 777-6758. Information and reservation forms are also available with Sandy or Maira at the parish office at St. Patrick's Church in Merced. There are only two spaces left on the bus, so act now. God Bless!

ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE



Special price on a great book-- "Persuasive Pro-Life" by Trent Horn. This book tackles "How to talk about our Culture's Toughest Issue?" Either we think the subject is too impolite, or we don't want to be branded a fanatic. This book will help you overcome your fear.

Bookstore is in need of Volunteers. Can you help? Come to the bookstore for more information (must be 18).



Matthew Kelly is coming to the Valley - Saturday March 4th @ 6:30pm. Holy Spirit Church-Fresno. This is an amazing event to attend. Mr. Kelly is an inspirational Catholic speaker and author. "Living Everyday with Passion and Purpose" is the event title and tickets are available at the Bookstore. Don't wait to purchase your ticket. This will sell out soon as space is limited.

CONFIRMATION PARENT SESSION

On Tuesday, February 7th we will host our last parent sessions for confirmation parents. This session will be in Room 21 at 7pm. Refreshments and child care will be provided. For more information call the Youth Ministry office at 674-9069.

CONFIRMATION PARENT/SPONSOR MEETING

On Wednesday, February 8th we will have our last parent and sponsor meeting for 1st year candidates. This meeting will be in Room 41 at 6:30 pm. No Childcare will be available and candidates don't need to attend this meeting.

CONFIRMATION MINI RETREAT

On Sunday, February 12th, we will be having a confirmation Mini Retreat at Holy Spouses Hall from 6 - 9 pm. This retreat is for all confirmation candidates. Those candidates whose parents and sponsor attend will be receiving hours for their participation. This event will only be in English.

CATHOLIC PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS CLUB

Come join us to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the Catholic Professional & Business Club on Friday, February 10. Take a walk down Memory Lane with us. Pardini's will provide a special steak and champagne breakfast. Cost for members is \$17 and non-members is \$22 (no cost for clergy). Attendance is limited to prepaid reservations only. A drawing will be held for fabulous prizes. Reservations for Tables of Ten are available now. For questions or reservations call (559) 434-2722 or email reservations@cpbcfresno.org.

ST. JOACHIM SCHOOL DINNER DANCE

You're invited to the 2017 St. Joachim School "Roaring 20's" Dinner Dance Fundraiser on Friday, February 24, 2017. Tickets are now on sale at the St. Joachim School Office. Tickets are \$50 each (last day to purchase is February 1st) and \$60 each (February 2nd - February 14th). All proceeds benefit St. Joachim School. For sponsorship opportunities please contact Gloria @ 559-871-2311 or Donatelli.gc@gmail.com



COME AND SEE WEEKEND

All young single men 18 - 35 who have or are considering a vocation to the religious life or priesthood are invited to attend a Vocation Retreat with the Oblates of St. Joseph. The retreat will be February 17 - 19 at Mt. St. Joseph Seminary in Loomis, CA. For more information please contact Fr. Sergio Perez, OSJ at (916) 652-6336 ext 207 or vocations@osjusa.org. Visit the Oblates of St. Joseph webpage at www.osjusa.org, on Facebook, and on Instagram: @osj_usa

TALLER PARA MATRIMONIOS 1 Y 2 DE ABRIL



La Familia Natural Vive Mejor. Si usted está interesado en aprender como vivir su vida matrimonial mejor, este taller le ayudará a usted y a su pareja. Los temas serán La Sexualidad, El Matrimonio, La Comunicación, La Paternidad Responsable, La Formación de la Conciencia, La Planificación Natural y La Misión de la Familia. El retiro es para parejas comprometidas o casadas y para cualquier persona interesada. Donación: \$20 por persona o \$30 por pareja. Para más información favor de llamar al 673 -3290. Favor de entregar las registraciones antes del día Lunes 27 de Marzo, si no se le cobrará el doble.

MARQUE SU CALENDARIO

Marque su calendario

Un Mini Retiro para todos los Ministerios de la Parroquia. Domingo, 12 de Febrero de 2 pm - 4 pm. En el Salón de los Santos Esposos con el orador Vernon Robertson.

VIA CRUCIS



Los Jóvenes Unidos en Cristo te invitan a que formes parte de la representación de la Pasión de Cristo. Necesitamos mucha ayuda por favor ¡ÚNETE! Para más información comunícate al 536-1307. ¡ANIMATE, CRISTO TE NECESITA!

TALLERES PARA PADRES DE CONFIRMACIÓN

El Martes, 7 de Febrero tendremos el último taller para los padres de confirmación. El taller será en el Salón 41 a las 7 pm. Tendremos bocadillos y cuidado de niños disponible. Para más información llamar a la oficina de Pastoral Juvenil a 674-9069.

JUNTA DE PADRES Y PADRINOS DE CONFIRMACIÓN

El Miércoles 8 de Febrero tendremos la última junta de padres y padrinos para candidatos del primer año. Esta junta será en el Salón 41 a las 7:30 pm. No tendremos cuidado de niños y los candidatos no tendrán que asistir a esta junta.

MINI RETIRO DE CONFIRMACIÓN

El Domingo, 12 de Febrero tendremos un Mini Retiro para los candidatos de confirmación en el Salón de los Santos Esposos de las 6 - 9 pm. Todos los candidatos de confirmación deberán asistir. Los candidatos recibirán horas por sus padres y padrinos que participen. Este evento será en Inglés únicamente.

ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL MUNDIAL



Te invita a celebrar el día de los enamorados con una gran Cena-Baile, el 11 de Febrero, en el Salón de Los Santos Esposos, de 5:30 pm a 11pm. \$45.00 por pareja. **Habrà música en vivo!!** Para más información comuníquese con Juan Carlos y Antonia Rodríguez al (559) 474-1837 y (559)975-5922.

RINCÓN DEL PÁRROCO

Escuela de San Joaquín - 90 Años de educación Católica - ¿Vale la pena todo el esfuerzo? En este Rincón del Párroco, tengo la intención de adaptar el comienzo de la Conferencia de Alex de Tocqueville del Arzobispo de Filadelfia Charles Chaput de Septiembre del 2016 de la Universidad de Notre Dame a nuestras circunstancias locales. "Una conferencia en nombre de Alexis de Tocqueville obviamente implicará política. Eso es algo bueno, y tendremos mucho de qué hablar. Pero no quiero empezar con eso hoy. Pasé gran parte de la semana pasada ayudando a mi hermano y a su esposa con el funeral de su hija Allison, mi sobrina. Allison tenía 32 años. Era inteligente, hermosa y estaba por casarse el 1 de Octubre. En Mayo, le diagnosticaron cáncer. La semana pasada, descubrió que sus tratamientos médicos habían fracasado. Ella murió unos días más tarde. Menciono esto no para poner una sombra en nuestra discusión de hoy - de hecho, todo lo contrario. Allison tuvo una gran vida. Ella amaba, tenía mucha alegría y era muy amada. Y ese amor continuará viviendo en la gente que la conocía." (Estas mismas palabras pueden aplicarse a Ana Rieping, una madre de la Escuela de San Joaquín, su Funeral se celebró aquí la semana pasada.) "Menciono a Allison (y Ana) porque fue en lo que menos pensamos mientras ella y nosotros compartimos su vida la semana pasada se habló de la política. León Bloy, el gran converso Franco-Católico, dijo una vez que - al final - lo único que importa es ser un santo. Esa es la última tarea de un lugar como Notre Dame (Escuela San Joaquín). No es para ayudarte a entrar en una gran escuela de leyes, o para ir a una gran escuela de medicina, o para encontrar un gran trabajo en Wall Street, tan bueno como esas cosas son claramente. Es para ayudarte a entrar al *cielo* - lo cual no es un lugar imaginario, sino una eternidad de vida en presencia de un Dios amoroso. Si no lo crees, estás en el lugar equivocado. La vida es un regalo, no un accidente. Y el punto de la vida es convertirse en la clase de persona plenamente humana que conoce y ama a Dios *por encima de todo* y refleja ese amor a los demás. Esa es la única razón de peso para que exista una universidad (o una escuela de primaria) que se llama católica. Y es un privilegio para Notre Dame (escuela de San Joaquín) ser parte de esa vocación." **Felicidades a la Escuela de San Joaquín por 90 años de educación Católica - Adelante, siempre adelante; ¡Dios proveerá!** (Lema escolar de Santa Carmen Sallés, Fundadora de las Hermanas de la Inmaculada Concepción.)

Bendiciones, Fr. John

FE Y ESPERANZA

Te invita a celebrar el día de la Candelaria el Lunes, 6 de Febrero con Miguel Arturo de 7 pm - 9 pm, en el Griffin Hall. Habrá venta de tamales. Para más información comuníquese al 536-8580.

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Cuando des algo, procura que sea algo que al darlo se multiplique.

—Raymundo Lull

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Hours

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

Office Manager manager@sjoachim.org

CCD Office - 674-5871

ccd@sjoachim.org

Hours

Tuesday thru Friday: 10 am to 1 pm & 2 to 6 pm
Saturday 9:30 am to 6pm
Closed Monday

Youth Ministry - 674-9069

youth@sjoachim.org

Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10 am to 4 pm
Thursday 1 to 7 pm
Closed Monday, Saturday & Sunday

St. Marelo 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 - 8:30 pm.
Closed Monday

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WEEKLY DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help -Monday 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

Thursday, 8:40 am to Friday, 6:50 am

Friday, 8:40 am to 6:00 pm

STUDY THE SUNDAY LITURGY

Wednesday: 7 - 8:30 pm in Room 71

BIBLE STUDY

St. Anne - Tuesday 9:30 am

Doors of Hope Pregnancy Center - 662-8629

Rachel's Vineyard - 1-877-629-6626