

ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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Deacon Alan Shearer

Deacon Steve Taylor

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 AM (Monday - Friday)

& 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

38483 Road 606, Knowles-Raymond, CA 93653

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Holy Days: Vigil 4 PM

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

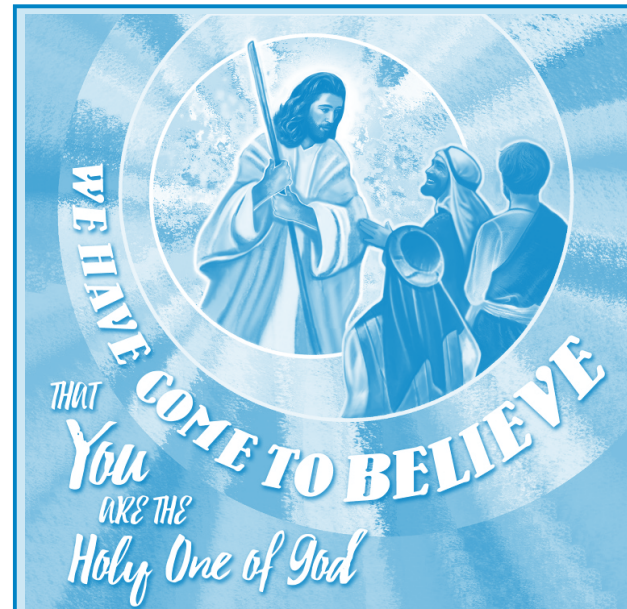
Communion Service: Tuesday and Friday 9:00 AM

August 26, 2018

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

As for me and my household, we will
serve the LORD.

— *Joshua 24:15b*



MASS INTENTIONS August 27 - September 2, 2018

Mon	7:00	Gemma Cortopassi - Jerry Houlding Family
	8:00	All Souls - Purgatory - Baltazar Rodriguez Jr.
Tue	7:00	Louis Garrett & Marcia Hawkins - Daughter
	8:00	San Agustin - Familia Posos
Wed	7:00	Isabel Avila - Family
	8:00	James Edward Langdon - Daughter in Law
	7:00	Ramon Espinoza - Familia
Thu	7:00	Al Farinelli - Wife Patti
	8:00	All souls / Purgatory - Eduardo & Maria Guzman
Fri	7:00	Albert G. Barsotti - Jim Barsotti Family
	8:00	Roger Godinez - Miguel Godinez
Sat	8:00	Katie, Louie, Robert & Jennie - Louis & Eva
	12:00	Quinceañera
	2:00	Pedro & Angela Garcia (50th Wedding Anniversary)
	5:00	Victor & Irene Magos - Goddaughter Jessie Macias
	6:30	Gustavo Ortiz - Merced Cortez
Sun	6:30	Victoria & Raulino Gomes - Gomes Family
	8:00	Felipe & Patricia Hernandez - Family
	9:00	(Raymond) Nole (Nokic) Edwards - James Kludjian
	9:30	John & Betty van Loon - Family
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
	12:30	Antolin e Isauro - Familia
	4:00	Familia Zamora Cuevas - Rebecca Zamora
	5:30	Abundio Jimenez (Birthday) - Family
	7:00	Ramon Espinoza - Familia

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: *Mrs. Jose Maria Ray Sanchez, Eneterio Castillo*

LAST WEEKS' COLLECTIONS

PLATE \$ 16,380.00

CATHEDRAL MAINTENANCE \$ 3,607.50

MESSAGE FROM BISHOP ARMANDO OCHOA

A message of Bishop Armando Ochoa regarding the sex abuse scandal is on the bulletin board on the back of the church.

PLEASE KEEP THE DOORS CLOSED

Please keep the doors to the Church closed. July's PG&E bill for the Church was \$5,081.38. Thank you.

St. Anne Chapel

- Chapel Board next Sunday following Mass

PASTOR'S CORNER

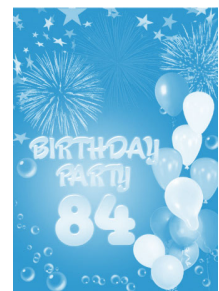
THE HOW OF THE HOLINESS (Part 3). Once I accept the desire of Jesus for me to spend sufficient daily personal heart-to-heart conversation time with him, and I respond by establishing a minimum of 20 to 30 minutes for PRAYER OF THE HEART, then the question becomes, HOW should I spend this time with Jesus? What should I do? Before anything else, I must recognize the first principle for all authentic prayer: God takes the initiative, and I make the response. Here is how St. Paul puts it. *"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with sighs too deep for words"* (Romans 8:26). Indeed, if I am in the state of Grace, the Holy Spirit is united with my spirit on a very deep level, and is praying within me constantly, even during the time when I am asleep. I need to understand this in accord with **the logic of love**. The Father, Jesus and the Holy Spirit are very present to me, indeed, they are holding me in existence, but, they refuse to overwhelm me with their irresistible and infinite BEAUTY, TRUTH, GOODNESS AND LOVE. By the logic of love, they are trying to maintain my **freedom to love**; my freedom to receive authentic **self-gift** from other persons, even Divine Persons, and my freedom to respond by authentically giving myself to other persons, even to Divine Persons. The most foundational truth which undergirds the discipline of PRAYER OF THE HEART is that God loves me first and always. **GOD IS LOVE**. God loves me with his whole heart, his whole soul, his whole strength and his whole mind. To keep the first Commandment is to respond to God loving me first. Thus, authentic prayer means that I need to allow the Holy Spirit to guide me in prayer; to repeat, it is God's initiative and my response. The first step in the **HOW** of PRAYER OF THE HEART is for me to **SURRENDER TO GOD**. Stay tuned for next week's Pastor's Corner as we begin to delve into the wisdom of **how to respond well** to Jesus' initiative of knocking at the door of my heart and wanting to share a meal with me. (cf. Rev. 3:20).

Blessings, Fr. John

AUGUST 30

FR. JAMES'

BIRTHDAY



MARIAN EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE

On September 28-30, 2018 @ Wyndham Garden Fresno Airport (5090 E. Clinton Way). Cost \$55 / adult. There will be a special youth track on September 29. Cost \$25/ youth. For questions please call Ben or Christy @ (559) 824-0732.

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION

We will be having the High School Confirmation Orientation for candidates, their parents and sponsor today in Holy Spouses Hall at 12pm for 1st year candidates and at 1pm for 2nd year candidates. No child care available.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

As the world's largest Catholic fraternal men's organization, the Knights of Columbus support issues related to faith and the common good, especially in the areas of culture of life, marriage and family, religious freedom, and being the strong right arm of the Church. Catholic men 18 years and older, Join Us - go to www.Knights.net

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR HOLY FAMILY TABLE

Holy Family Table is in need of additional workers, especially on Wednesdays and Thursdays. We also need a Monday kitchen crew leader. Please call Luis Zarco (664-7605), if interested. Thank you.

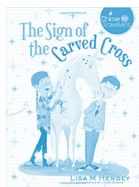
LECTORS MEETING

It is time again to get together and discuss the new lector schedules and join together to meet the new members, and share in our Ministry experiences. Please join me on: Tuesday, August 28 in Room 31 @ 7:00 pm. Anyone interested in joining our Ministry please give me a call or come to the above meeting. If you have any questions please call Cecelia Jones @ 673-3894 or 479-0388.

PRAYER AND LIFE YOUNG ADULT WORKSHOP

All Teens interested in a more meaningful prayer life join us for the introduction session of Prayer and Life Young Adult Workshop Friday, August 31 at 6:30 PM in the Youth Center Game Room. The workshop is ten Fridays 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm. Come and see how prayer can change your life giving you peace of mind and heart that can only come from God. Need more information? Call Chris 706-0517.

ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE



Kids & Parents—We have a special offer for you. This wonderful series has 4 amazing books; each book is \$6.95 but if you purchase the entire group you can get **All 4 books for only \$20**. These pages will inspire you and help you learn about Saints. Imagine if you could travel back in time and meet the Saints in Person....
Come in saying "I want to be a Chime Traveler"

THE HARVEST FESTIVAL

This year's Harvest Festival will be on September 21 & 22 from 6 pm - 10 pm

It's Easy to Volunteer!



Have you ever wanted to assist at the festival, but you didn't have the time or energy to physically help? Here's a way you can volunteer and help out.

In the boxes where the bulletins are, you will find envelopes. They have the cost of items we rent that are needed for the festival. If you want to "volunteer" to help cover the cost of rented items, simply take an envelope, make your donation and drop it in the collection basket or take to the Rectory. If you want to make a general donation rather than donating towards a specific item, you are welcome to do so. Although you won't be able to physically help out, by "volunteering" with a donation envelope, you will be helping out in a big way and help make the festival a success.

30TH ANNUAL DIOCESAN CONGRESS

On October 12 & 13, 2018 @ Visalia Convention Center, from 9:00 am - 5:00 pm. No Registrations accepted October 6 - 12. Children under age 14 will not be admitted. Childcare is not available. For more information please call Katrina Flores @ (559) 488-7474 ext. 105 or kflores@dioceseoffresno.org

The Guadalupe Society

Is having tamales pre-sale. \$17.00 a dozen
Call 871-5355 or 871-9899 to order.

On Saturday September 15, from 10:00 am -5:00 pm

Sunday September 16, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

They can be picked up in room # 21

RETROUVAILLE: A Lifeline for Troubled Marriages
Stress in Your Marriage? - Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the program in Fresno from November 9th through the 11th please call Rudy & Lori Torres at (559) 862-6765 or email: Fresno@RetroCA.com

RACHEL VINEYARD

Are you suffering from the effect of an abortion you had or perhaps one you encouraged? There is hope and help available for women and men through Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Ministry. Our next retreat in English is November 9 - 11, 2018. For more information call Jennifer @ 877-629-6626 or butcher_jennifer@yahoo.com



INSCRIPCIONES PARA LA DOCTRINA

Ya empezaron las registraciones para la doctrina. Por favor traiga el acta de nacimiento, el certificado de bautismo y la tarjeta de Seguro de salud o Medical. Si usted tiene hijos que comenzarán el Segundo año de preparación tiene que registrarse de nuevo, el niño debe de estar presente al momento de la inscripción. La cuota de inscripción será: \$45 por 1 niño, \$60 por 2 niños, \$75 por 3 niños y \$80 por 4 ó más niños. Empezando el 1° de Septiembre se le acumularán \$10 por cada niño con la cuota de inscripción. Por favor venga a registrarse lo antes posible. ¡Necesitamos catequistas para la doctrina! Si usted está interesado en servir como catequista o ayudante por favor venga a registrarse a la oficina de catecismo.

Horario de Inscripción

Lunes a Viernes de 2:00 pm a 6:00 pm

La Sociedad Guadalupana

Tendrá una pre-venta de tamales. A \$17.00 la docena.

Llame al 647-5201 o al 706-0169 para ordenar.

Sábado 15 de Septiembre de 10:00 am-5:00 pm.

Domingo 16 de Septiembre de 9:00 am hasta 2:00 pm.

Para recogerlos en el salón parroquial # 21

POR FAVOR MANTENGA LAS PUERTAS CERRADAS

Por favor mantenga las puertas de la Iglesia cerradas. La cuenta de P G & E en el mes de julio fué de \$ 5,081.38. Gracias

ORIENTACIÓN DE CONFIRMACIÓN

El día de hoy tendremos la orientación para los candidatos, sus padres y padrino en el Salón de los Santos Esposos a las 2pm para los candidatos de 1^{er} año y las 4pm para los candidatos de 2^{ndo} año. No habrá cuidado de niños.

FESTIVAL DE LA COSECHA

Este año el Festival será el

21 y 22 de septiembre de 6 pm - 10 pm

¡Es fácil ser voluntario!

¿Ha querido ayudar en el Festival, pero no ha tenido el tiempo o la energía física para hacerlo? Aquí está una manera de cómo puede ser voluntario y ayudar.

En donde también se encuentra el boletín, encontrará sobres. Tienen el costo de los

artículos que alquilamos y que se necesitan para el festival. Si usted quiere "ser voluntario" para ayudar a cubrir con el costo de los artículos alquilados, simplemente tome un sobre, haga su donación y póngalo en la canasta de la colecta o llévelo a la Rectoría. O si desea puede hacer una donación general en lugar de donar para algún artículo específico.

Aunque usted no estará ayudando físicamente, por ser "voluntario" con sobres, usted estará ayudando de una gran manera para que el festival sea un gran éxito.



RINCÓN DEL PÁRROCO

EL CÓMO DE LA SANTIDAD (Tercera Parte). Una vez que acepto el deseo de Jesús de pasar suficiente tiempo de conversación personal con él, y respondo estableciendo un mínimo de 20 a 30 minutos para ORACIÓN DEL CORAZÓN, entonces la pregunta es: ¿CÓMO debo pasar este tiempo con Jesús? ¿Qué debo hacer? Antes que nada, debo reconocer el primer principio para toda oración auténtica: Dios toma la iniciativa y yo respondo. Así es como lo expresa San Pablo. "*Somos débiles pero el Espíritu viene en nuestra ayuda. No sabemos cómo pedir ni qué pedir, pero el Espíritu lo pide por nosotros, sin palabras, como con gemidos.*" (Romanos 8:26). De hecho, si estoy en el estado de Gracia, el Espíritu Santo está unido con mi espíritu en un nivel muy profundo, y está orando dentro de mí constantemente, incluso durante el tiempo cuando estoy dormido. Necesito entender esto de acuerdo con la **lógica del amor**. El Padre, Jesús y el Espíritu Santo están muy presentes para mí, de hecho, me están sosteniendo en la existencia, pero, se niegan a abrumarme con su BELLEZA, VERDAD, BONDAD Y AMOR irresistibles e infinitos. Por la lógica del amor, están tratando de mantener mi **libertad de amar**; mi libertad de recibir el auténtico **regalo de sí mismo** de otras personas, incluso Personas Divinas, y mi libertad para responder dándome auténticamente a otras personas, incluso a Personas Divinas. La verdad más fundamental que sostiene la disciplina de ORACIÓN DEL CORAZÓN es que Dios me ama primero y siempre. **DIOS ES AMOR**. Dios me ama con todo su corazón, su alma, sus fuerzas y toda su mente. Guardar el primer Mandamiento es responder a que Dios me ama primero. Por lo tanto, la oración auténtica significa que necesito permitir que el Espíritu Santo me guíe en la oración; para repetir, es la iniciativa de Dios y mi respuesta. El primer paso en el **CÓMO** de la ORACIÓN DEL CORAZÓN es que ME ENTREGUÉ A DIOS. Estén atentos para el Rincón del Párroco de la próxima semana mientras comenzamos a profundizar en la sabiduría de **cómo responder bien** a la iniciativa de Jesús de llamar a la puerta de mi corazón y querer compartir una comida conmigo. (ver Apoc. 3:20).

Bendiciones, Fr. John

MENSAJE DEL OBISPO ARMANDO OCHOA

Un mensaje del Obispo Armando Ochoa en relación con el escándalo de abuso sexual esta en el tablero de anuncios en la parte trasera de la Iglesia.

VOLUNTARIOS PARA LA MESA DE LA SAGRADA FAMILIA

La Mesa de la Sagrada Familia necesita más voluntarios para ayudar, especialmente para los miércoles y jueves. Además, buscamos a una persona para ser líder en la cocina los lunes. Favor de ponerse en contacto con Luis Zarco al 664-7605, si tiene interés. Gracias.

Parish Office 673-3290

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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

Monday thru Friday: 10 am to 1 pm & 2 to 6 pm
Closed Saturday & Sunday

Youth Ministry - 674-9069

youth@sjoachim.org

Hours

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

St. Joachim School - 674-7628

Fax 674-8770

St. Joachim PreSchool - 662-0372

Holy Spouses & Griffin Hall Rental - 674-9489

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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