



# ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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**CCD ..... 674-5871**  
**PRE-SCHOOL ..... 662-0372**  
**YOUTH MINISTRY ..... 674-9069**  
**EVANGELIZATION ..... 674-5834**  
**HOLY SPOUSES, GRIFFIN HALL RENT 674-9489**  
**St. MARELLO BOOKSTORE ..... 662-0682**  
**Pregnant and in need? Call ..... 662-8629**

**MASSES:**

**Saturday:** 8:00 AM; 5 & 6:30 PM (Spanish) Evening Masses fulfill Sunday Obligation.

**Sunday:** 6:45, 8 (Spanish), 9:30, 11 AM; 12:30 (Spanish), 5 & 6:30 PM (Spanish)

**Holy Days:** Vigil 5:30 PM; 7, 9 AM, 12:15, 5:30 and 7 PM (Spanish) St. Anne: 4 PM

**Weekdays:** 7:00 and 8:00 AM; Wednesdays 7:00 PM (Spanish)

**St. Anne Chapel:** 9 AM (Confessions before Mass) Communion Service: Tuesday and Friday 9 AM

**CONFESSIONS:**

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

**BAPTISMS:**

Sunday 2 PM, (Registration: two weeks before Baptism )

**WEDDING:**

Arrangements six months in advance.

**MASS INTENTIONS April 30-May 6, 2012**

Mon	7:00	Omar J. Diaz - Ruiz Family
	8:00	Marty Taylor - Patricia Ashburner
Tue	7:00	Nick Cappelluti - Susan & Jim Cappelluti
	8:00	Conversion of Sinners
	7:00	<b>St. Joseph the Worker</b> - Angela C. Medina - Familia Medina
Wed	7:00	Patricia Gutierrez
	8:00	87th Birthday of Ruth Yavasile - Vieni Rommel
	3:30	(Cedar Creek) Thanksgiving - Immaculate Conception Srs.
	7:00	Javier Galarza - Familia
Thur	7:00	Jane & Baby - Family
	8:00	Michael Lopez - Family
Fri	7:00	Carmen Pisano - Charles & Victoria
	8:00	Javier Perez - Delia Ruelas
Sat	8:00	Noel Camacho Molina - Family
	11:00	<b>CCD 1st Communion</b>
	12:00	Quinceranera
	2:00	Sonny Mercer
	5:00	Katie, Louie & Robert Gonzales - Family
	6:30	Juan Ayala & Juan Garcia - Guadalupe Ayala
Sun	6:45	Jack Mahon - Barbara Mahon
	8:00	Consuelo Maciel Alejandre - Esposo e Hijos
	9:00	(Raymond) Ed Greer - Brother of Sue Greer
	9:30	Henry & Betty van Loon - Family
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
	12:30	Norberta Mares Gil - Familia Gil
	5:00	Deceased Members - YLI
	6:30	Ramiro Ruelas - Delia Ruelas

**TODAY SUNDAY 2ND COLLECTION FOR HOME MISSIONS**

**Next Sunday 2nd Collection for the Building Fund Debt & Our Faith, Our Family, Our Future**

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED**

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: *Patrick Sagouspe, Vera Kelly, Ruben M. Navarro, Jane Bettancourt, Edward Heredia, Matias G. Hernandez*

**WEEKLY DEVOTIONS**

Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help every Tuesday after the 8 am Mass.

Seven Sorrows and Joys of St. Joseph every Wednesday after the 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 6:45 pm

**BIBLE STUDY**

Wednesday: 7 - 8:30 pm in Room 71

St. Anne - Tuesday 9:30 am

Last Weeks Collection:

\$16,354

**PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR**

May 1	7 pm	St. Joseph the Worker Mass
May 6		ICF Bake Sale
May 12		Dads Can Cook
May 19		Catholic Daughters Craft Show

**ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE**

We will be open Mother's Day, May 13, from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm and 4:30 to 8 pm. Stop by and pick up a special gift for Mom. Bookstore hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 1:30 to 7:30 pm; Thursday 10 am to 7:30 pm; Saturday 10 am to 8 pm; second Sunday of each month 7:30 am to 2 pm and 4:30 to 8 pm.

**ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED**

4th through 12th grade students who have received First Communion are needed as altar servers. If you are willing to come to Mass early, dressed in your Sunday best and be a part of our most holy service, this is the ministry for you. Call Amanda, 661-1147, for more information.

**CATHOLIC MEN OF FAITH**

Men, are you looking for a more personal relationship with Jesus Christ? Come to our Catholic Men of Faith gathering on Monday, May 14, in Room 42 at 7 pm. Our topic will be "Role of Men". For more information, please call Bruce Simmons, 706-1160 or Chris Post, (209) 617-6683. All men over the age of 18 are welcome. We hope to see you there.

**MOVIE NIGHT**

Come join the **Catholic Men of Faith** for a free showing of the movie "**Courageous**", Holy Spouses Hall, May 4 at 7 pm. We look forward to seeing you at this inspiring film."

**APPARITIONS OF MARY**

Did you know there are many other approved apparitions of Our Blessed Mother besides Guadalupe, Lourdes and Fatima? Fr. Gustavo will give a video presentation on Marian apparitions throughout the centuries, including the first ever approved Marian apparitions in the United States. Thursday, May 10, 7 pm at Holy Spouses Hall.

**ICF BAKE SALE**

The Italian Catholic Federation will have a bake sale next Sunday. Proceeds will go to its scholarship fund

**St. Anne Chapel**  
**36483 Road 606 - Raymond**  
**www.stanneschapel.org**

• Chapel Board Meeting next Sunday following Mass.

## HOLY FAMILY TABLE CHALLENGE

The Holy Family Table is participating in the Alan Shawn Feinstein Foundation Spring Challenge to Fight Hunger. Food and cash donations or pledges received by April 30 will add to the amount to be donated to us by the Feinstein Foundation. Food donations will be valued at \$1 per item or per pound and can be left at Griffin Hall from 6 to 10 am any day of the week. You may also leave food at Curves for Women, 16810 Road 26. Monetary donations should be mailed or brought to the parish office.

## ST. JOACHIM SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM

On March 28 at a Mass dedicated to the Spiritual Adoption Program, 119 individuals or families pledged to spiritually adopt an unborn baby, and are praying every day for their baby's life, that he or she may be spared from abortion. Our unborn babies are now one month old. They have a heart pumping their blood and a backbone now. They are so appreciative of our prayers. Don't forget to check out the bulletin board in the back of the church to see how our babies have grown. For more info, Christin, 645-0980.

## CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Registration for High School Confirmation will start on May 15. Registrations will be available at the Youth Ministry Office. Your child has to be a 9th grader this fall. Please bring baptismal certificate. Registration fee \$40 per candidate per year. A late fee of \$15 will apply starting on July 10. **SECOND YEAR CANDIDATES MUST RE-REGISTER.** For information call Lucy, 674-9069.

## DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE AWARD

Applications are available for the "Distinguished Graduate of St. Joachim School Award." Candidates must be a graduate of our school, a practicing Catholic and have made significant contribution(s) to the Catholic Church, school or humanity. Applications are in the school office and can be picked up during school hours. They have to be returned by May 18.

## TRIP TO THE HOLY LAND

We need **29 more people for the pilgrimage or else the trip may be cancelled.** Log on to [www.sjoachim.org/holy-land-pilgrimage](http://www.sjoachim.org/holy-land-pilgrimage) to see and download the itinerary and registration form. Questions? Contact Fr. Gustavo , 673-3290.

## CRAFT SHOW

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas are having an Art & Craft Show Saturday, May 19, from 9 am to 4 pm, in Holy Spouses Hall. Free admission. Proceeds go to the Holy Family Table, Doors of Hope and the Marian Center.

## COMPETENCIA PARA EL BENEFICIO DE LA MESA DE LA SAGRADA FAMILIA

Las Mesa de la Sagrada Familia está participando en la Competencia contra el Hambre, patrocinada por la Fundación Alan Shawn Feinstein. Las donaciones de comestibles o dinero que se reciban entre el 1 de marzo hasta el 30 de abril, serán parte de la cantidad de donaciones que recibiremos de parte de la Fundación Feinstein. Las donaciones de comestibles se evaluarán a \$1 por cada artículo o por cada libra y pueden entregarse al Griffin Hall de 6 a 10 am cualquier día de la semana También pueden entregar comestibles en Curves for Women localizada en 16810 Road 26. Las donaciones de dinero para la Mesa deberán de entregarse a la oficina de St. Joachim.

## PROGRAMA DE ADOPCION ESPIRITUAL

El 28 de marzo se celebrará una Misa dedicada al Programa de Adopción Espiritual, 119 personas o familias se comprometieron para adoptar un bebe por nacer, y estan orando todos los días por la vida del bebé, para que pueda salvarse de ser abortado. Nuestros bebes por nacer cuentan con un mes de edad. Tiene la sangre palpitando el corazón y la columna vertebral. Aprecian mucho nuestra oraciones. No se olvide de ver el boletin en la parte de atrás de la iglesia para ver como han crecido nuestros bebes. Para más información comuniquese con Christin al 645-0980

## INSCRIPCIONES PAR CONFIRMACIÓN

Las inscripciones para confirmación empezarán el día 15 de mayo. Las inscripciones estarán disponibles en la oficina de pastoral juvenil. Su hijo deberá ser estudiante del 9no grado. Necesita traer su fe de bautizo. La cuota de inscripción es de \$40 por candidato por año. Empezando el 10 de julio habrá una cuota por retraso de \$15 por candidato. **CADIDATOS DE SEGUNDO AÑO DEBERAN INSCRIBIRSE UNA VEZ MAS.** Llame a Lucy al 674-9069

## ORIENTACIÓN Y APOYO O MORAL FAMILIAR

El Dr. Gabriel N. Martinez, SFO, estará en nuestras oficinas parroquiales el primer y tercer miércoles de cada mes a las 9 de la mañana para atender individualmente a personas con necesidad de orientación y apoyo moral. Donación para la Iglesia de \$10 por persona pagados en la oficina parroquial.

## LOS MIÉRCOLES:

6-7 p.m. Rosario a María y José  
7-8 p.m. Misa  
8-9 p.m. Adoración del Santísimo en Silencio

## LOS VIERNES:

7 pm Salón 2,3,4, & 72 - Noche de Alabanza para toda la familia.

## LOS SÁBADOS:

7:30 pm, Salón 2 - Jóvenes Unidos en Cristo  
7:30 pm, Our Lady of Guadalupe #31 - Familias Unidas en Cristo, para nuevos matrimonios. Hay cuidado de niños.