



ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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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: Vigil 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 DECEMBER 3 - 9, 2012

Mon	7:00	Natalia & Manuel - Daughter, Carlotta
	8:00	Conversion of Sinners
	7:00	Lucille Molina - Charles & Victoria Gray
Tue	7:00	Donald Knoll - 11 am Choir
	8:00	Edwin Falqueza - Daughter, Babette
	7:00	Louie Gomes - Maria & Joe Gomes
Wed	7:00	Juan Ayala & Juan Garcia - Guadalupe Ayala
	8:00	Deceased of Atilano Family - Lisa Valdez
	3:30	(Cedar Creek) Sr. Asuncion Medina- Immaculate Conception Sisters
	7:00	Freddy Vasquez - Familia
Thur	7:00	Ricardo Perez - Delia Ruelas
	8:00	GeeGee Palacioz - Wife & Family
	10:00	Saint Carmen Sallés
	7:00	Mary Lou Marquez - Frances Baldrice & Bina Velasquez
Fri	7:00	Jaime & Susan Trujillo - Trujillo Family
	8:00	Nicholas Sibley - Dilbeck Family
	4:00	(Raymond) Thanksgiving for miracle baby - Bev & Dick Rekart
	5:30	Tony Romo, Jr. - Wife & Daughters
	7:00	Emilio Cantu - Valorosi Family
Sat	8:00	Rebecca Saucedo (Birthday)- Family
	12:00	Quinceanera
	1:00	Jesus Cabrera - Family
	2:00	(St. Agnes) Virgen de Juquila
	5:00	Katie, Louie & Robert Gonzales - Family
	6:30	Betty Torres - Javier y Lorena Torres
Sun	6:45	Eugenia & Cisella Morini - Jo Morini Family
	8:00	Guadalupe Madrigal - Familia
	9:00	(Raymond) Hector Joubert - Madge Worthan
	9:30	Roy, Joy & Dorothy Toschi - Ola Toschi Family
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
	12:30	Julio & Amelia Perez - Hijos & Hijas
	5:00	Hope Saucedo - Family
	6:30	Celia Rodriguez - Husband & Children

TODAY 2ND COLLECTION FOR THE BUILDING FUND DEBT & OUR FAITH, OUR FAMILY, OUR FUTURE

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: *Victoria Valdez, Faustino Sandoval-Cervantes, Maria Guadalupe Gonzalez, Eduardo Santiago, Michael J. Morris*

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

PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR

Dec 3-11	Guadalupe Novena
Dec 16-24	Christmas Novena
Dec 23	Presentation on Church of the Nativity
Jan 13	Blood Drive

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

December 8 - Holy Day of Obligation.

Mass Times:

Friday Vigils: 5:30 & 7 pm (Spanish)

St. Anne's - 4 pm

Saturday : 8 am & 1 pm

Please note change of regular schedule of Holy Day Masses

ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE

We are open today from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm and 4:30 to 8:00 pm. Come by and pick up your Advent books, wreathes and candles. The bookstore will host a **"Baby Jesus Birthday Party"** on Sunday, December 9 at 2:30 pm for children ages 4-10. The event will include story time, pictures with Baby Jesus, crafts and refreshments. Space is limited RSVP by calling 662-0682 or stop by to reserve your space. Remember the bookstore is open 24/7 at www.marellobookstore.org.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR REHEARSALS

Rehearsals for the Christmas Eve Mass will be in the rectory dining room on the following evenings at 6:30: Tuesday, December 4; Monday, December 10; Tuesday, December 18. For information call 479-8231.

BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday: 7 - 8:30 pm in Room 71

St. Anne - Tuesday 9:30 am

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

Plate: \$16,510

Holy Family Table: \$11,334

St. Anne Chapel

36483 Road 606 - Raymond

www.stanneschapel.org

•Chapel Board Meeting today after Mass. All are welcome to come.

•Feast of the Immaculate Conception – Vigil Mass Friday, December 7 at 4 pm.

•In need of prayer? Call Julie Draska, 658-7308 to be put on prayer list.

•Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament next Sunday following Mass.

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

I will raise up for David a just shoot;
he shall do what is right and just in the land.

— *Jeremiah 33:15*



PRIMERO DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO

Yo haré nacer del tronco de David un
vástago santo, que ejercerá la justicia y el
derecho en la tierra.

— *Jeremías 33:15*

CELEBRATION OF CANONIZATION

We invite the entire parish community to join us on Thursday, December 6 at 10:00 am, as St. Joachim School celebrates, along with the Sisters of the Immaculate Conception, the canonization of their foundress, Carmen Sallés. St. Carmen was canonized this past October and pilgrims who traveled to the celebration will provide a brief presentation immediately after Mass. As the Sisters have served our community so faithfully for many years, we encourage you to attend and show our parish's gratitude for their devotion and witness.



HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

St. Joachim School Tuesday,
December 4, in Holy Spouses Gym,
from 2 to 6 pm.

RAKE & RUN

Camp Fire Heart of California is having a Rake & Run on Saturday, December 8, from 9 to 11:30 am. The group is looking for referrals of homes of handicapped and elderly shut-ins who live within the Madera city limits that need the physical help with their front yard. The group will rake the leaves from the yard out to the street. Contact the Camp Fire office, 673-5771, to submit your referral.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

Fr. Gustavo will give a one hour presentation on the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem, built over the place where Jesus was born. Included will be photos from the recent Holy Land pilgrimage. Sunday, December 23, 3 pm in Room 42 of the Parish Center.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER & AUCTION

Right to Life of Central California proudly presents "Follow the Star", the 24th Annual Christmas Dinner and Auction. It will be Friday, December 7 at the Fresno Convention Center's Valdez Exhibit Hall. All proceeds benefit Right to Life's efforts to promote the sanctity of human life. Tickets are \$65 and tables of 10 are also available. Call 229-2229 for tickets or reservations.

COOKBOOK AND BAKE SALE

The Italian Catholic Federation will have a cookbook and bake sale after all Masses today. All proceeds to benefit its scholarship and seminarian funds.

8 DICIEMBRE

Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción
Día de Obligación - La única Misa en español
es el Viernes 7 de Diciembre a las 7pm



NOVENARIO GUADALUPANO

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

Tambien les hace una atenta invitación el miercoles 12 de diciembre, a la procesion, empezará en la esquina de Josua Rd y Saquero Ave. a las 3am y terminará en la Iglesia. Habrá mañanitas en honor a la Santísima Virgen de Guadalupe a las 5:15am enseguida de la Santa Misa a las 6am. Al terminar la Misa, desayuno en el Salón de los Santos Esposos. Todos son bienvenidos. Para más información comuníquese con Leticia Rodriguez 647-5201.

Ademas se les hace una atenta invitación a las personas que deseen ser miembro Guadalupano. Deben obtener la aplicación antes del 10 de Diciembre. Para más información llame a Carlos Rodriguez 647-5200

PEREGRINACION A SAN JUAN BAUTISTA

La Familia de San José ha alquilado un autobus para el 16 de diciembre, para ir a San Juan Bautista a ver la espectacular y bella obra de «Las Apariciones de La Virgen de Guadalupe,» que será presentada en la Misión de San Juan Bautista. El costo es \$45 e incluye la entrada a la obra. Partiremos del estacionamiento de la iglesia a las 9am y regresaremos aproximadamente a las 8pm. Puede pagar en la rectoria. Para más información, comuníquese con Delia al 673-1716 o Lupe al 664-9141.

LAS TRES VENIDAS DEL ADVIENTO

Sabemos de una triple venida del Señor: su venida a la humanidad, su venida en la humanidad y su venida contra la humanidad.

—*San Bernardo*: Tercer Sermón para Adviento