



# ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

401 West 5th Street, Madera, California 93637 [www.sjoachim.org](http://www.sjoachim.org)

**Fr. Carlos Esquivel, O.S.J., Pastor**  
**Fr. Gustavo Lopez, O.S.J., Assoc. Pastor**  
**Fr. Sergio Perez, O.S.J., Assoc. Pastor**  
**Deacon Steve Taylor**

**RECTORY** ..... **673-3290**  
**SCHOOL** ..... **674-7628**  
**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: 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 24 - 30, 2012**

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| Mon  | 7:00  | Roy Jones Family   |
|      | 8:00  | Familia Cabrera - Anibal & Maria Vasquez                   |
|      | 6:00  | Fred & Evelyn Masetti - Family                             |
|      | 9:00  | For the People of the Parish                               |
|      | 11:00 | Sergio y Guadalupe Madrigal - Familia                      |
| Tue  | 6:45  | Virginia Peabody- Avellar Family                           |
|      | 8:00  | Jesus Cabrera - Hija                                       |
|      | 9:00  | (Raymond) Florine Guillemin - Anita Molina                 |
|      | 9:30  | Lillian McKinney - Avelar Family                           |
|      | 11:00 | Marian Abundis - Family                                    |
|      | 12:30 | Soledad Ortega - Familia Hernandez Gil                     |
|      | 5:00  | Dan & Blanche Bertozzi - Dan & Debbie Bertozzi             |
|      | 6:30  | Betty Torres - Javier & Lorena                             |
| Wed  | 7:00  | Mary Molina - Family                                       |
|      | 8:00  | John Mahon - Barbara Mahon                                 |
|      | 7:00  | Hector Saenz - & Guadalupe Flores - Family                 |
| Thur | 7:00  | Leo Ruiz - Wife & Children                                 |
|      | 8:00  | Jose T. Guadalupe Guillen - Genoveva Valenzuela            |
|      | 2:30  | (Country Villa) Jessie Lopez - Johnny & Lena Flores        |
| Fri  | 7:00  | Marie Cappelluti - Maurice Cappelluti                      |
|      | 8:00  | Nora Salazar - Dynette & Brent Fernandez                   |
|      | 5:00  | Wedding - Johnny Deniz & Adriana Diaz                      |
| Sat  | 8:00  | Leroy Brooks - St Vincent de Paul                          |
|      | 1:00  | Wedding - Jose Sanjas & Deysi Mora                         |
|      | 2:00  | Memorial Mass - Guadalupe Mendoza                          |
|      | 3:00  | San Juan Evangelista                                       |
|      | 5:00  | Antonio, Juanita & Lucille Molina - Ben Molina             |
|      | 6:30  | Freddy Vasquez - Familia                                   |
| Sun  | 6:45  | Linda Morin - Adolph Torres                                |
|      | 8:00  | Juanita Zuniga - Josefa Juarez                             |
|      | 9:00  | (Raymond) Living & Deceased of Walsh Family - Jeanie Walsh |
|      | 9:30  | Jose Hector Toste - Toste Family                           |
|      | 11:00 | For the People of the Parish                               |
|      | 12:30 | Rodolfo Gil - Esposa e Hijos                               |
|      | 5:00  | Daniel Perez - Grandchildren                               |
|      | 6:30  | Jose Rodriguez Garcia - Familia                            |

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED**

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: **Antonio Arellano, Alejandro Vasquez-Guerra, Isaura Ramirez, Alberto Ayala-Gonzalez**

**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

**PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR**

Jan 20

Blood Drive

**ST. MARELLO BOOKSTORE**

The bookstore is open today from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm and 4:30 to 8:00 pm for your last minute Christmas shopping. We will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. 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. Remember the bookstore is open 24/7 at [www.marellobookstore.org](http://www.marellobookstore.org).

**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. Today, December 23, 3 pm in Room 42 of the Parish Center.

**2013 CATHOLIC CALENDARS**



We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Jay Chapel for providing us with the beautiful calendars. May God bless you for your generosity.

**EARLY PARANEWS TRANSMISSION**

The bulletin for Sunday, December 30 has to be sent by Thursday, December 20. If you or your organization have an article you would like published, you must submit it no later than Wednesday, December 19. Also articles for January 6 must be submitted by Wednesday, December 26.



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Blessed are you among women,  
and blessed is the fruit of your womb.  
— Luke 1:42

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED DECEMBER 24 AND 25**

It will open at 1 pm on Wednesday, December 26.

**St. Anne Chapel**

**36483 Road 606 - Raymond**

[www.stanneschapel.org](http://www.stanneschapel.org)

•Christmas Mass on Tuesday, December 25, 9 am.

•St. Anne's Chapel Registration forms are on the bulletin board in the Social Room. Give form to Bing Hojio.

## CHRISTMAS SERVICES SCHEDULE

### Confessions:

Monday, December 24: 10:00 am & 3:00 pm

### Christmas Eve Vigil:

6:00, 9:00 & 11:00 pm (Spanish)

### Christmas Day:

6:45, 8:00 (Spanish), 9:30 & 11:00 am

12:30 pm (Spanish)

5:00 & 6:30 pm (Spanish)

St. Anne's: 9:00 am

### The Priests & Staff of

St. Joachim Parish extend

to all our parishioners and their families a very  
blessed and holy Christmas.



## SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL PARA LA NAVIDAD

### Confesiones:

Lunes, 24 de diciembre: 10:00 am y 3:00 pm

### MISAS

### Vigilia de Nochebuena

11:00 PM

### Navidad

8:00am, 12:30 y 6:30 pm

Los Sacerdotes y Equipo de la  
Parroquia de San Joaquín

Desean a Todos los Feligreses y sus Familias una  
Navidad Santa y Bendecida

## CAR SHOW SCHOLARSHIPS

St. Joachim Car Show scholarships are now available. Four Dell laptop computers with printers will go to high school seniors who are members of our parish, attend Madera High School, Madera South High School or San Joaquin Memorial High School and will graduate in June 2013. To be eligible the student must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0. Applications can be picked at the parish office. Deadline to return them is January 28, 2013. Finalists to be interviewed the week of March 25.



Once again our parish is hosting a Central California Blood Drive. It will be held on Sunday, January 20 from 7:45 am to 12:30 pm. We are starting earlier for the parishioners who attend the early Mass. There will be a mobile unit parked on 5th Street next to the Rectory. Discount coupons and T-shirts will be given to all blood donors. This drive follows a busy holiday when donations sometimes diminish due to busy schedules and family vacations. It is important to remember that the need for blood never takes a holiday. For more information, call Laura at 673-3434.

## KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS

St. Joachim School will be accepting applications for Kindergarten, beginning January 3. If you are interested in more information, please call the school to schedule an appointment at 674-7628. Challenge your children both academically and spiritually in our wonderful new classrooms and special Catholic environment

## LOS ACOMODADORES NO DAN CAMBIO EN LA COLECTA

Recientemente algunas personas han pedido a los acomodadores cambio durante la hora de la colecta, no se puede dar cambio. Si alguien no tiene la cantidad correcta que desee donar, por favor espere hasta el siguiente Domingo para depositar su donación en la canasta de la colecta. Gracias

## BIENVENIDOS NIÑOS Y FAMILIAS

Vengan a la celebración

Día De Los Reyes

Venerando Al Niño Jesús

Sábado, Enero 5, 2013;

Cuarto 41 3 a 4:30pm

## LA OFICINA ESTARÁ CERRADA

24 & 25 DE DICIEMBRE

Se abre de nuevo el Miércoles 26 de diciembre a la 1:00 de la tarde.



## CUARTO DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO

Bendita eres entre las mujeres,  
y bendito es el fruto de tu vientre.

— Lucas 1:42

## 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

## 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.