



ST. JOACHIM CHURCH

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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: 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 MAY 21-27, 2012

Mon	7:00	All Mothers
	8:00	Ronald T. Garcia
Tue	7:00	Fred Leon Valenzuela - Cole & Solese R. Truitt
	8:00	Joseph Cruz - Family
Wed	7:00	Rocky Valorosi - Family
	8:00	Natalie Deniz - Johnny & Family
	7:00	Marcos Primo & Gregoria Vasquez - Francisco Primo
Thur	7:00	Tomas Rodriguez, Jr. - Mom
	8:00	Decased of Baca & Orozco Family - Sarah Baca
Fri	7:00	Jaime & Susan Trujillo - Family
	8:00	Birthday of Mariana R. Medina - Parents
Sat	8:00	Benny Leal - Manuel & Corinne Machado
	11:00	CCD 1st Communion
	1:00	Wedding - Sergio Moreno & Daisy Gaeta
	3:00	Wedding - Daniel Montelongo & Elvia Contreras
	5:00	Gloria Hernandez - Lupe Trevino
	6:30	Leticia Vasquez - Padres
Sun	6:45	Teresa Costa - Daughters
	8:00	Evaristo Hernandez Gil - Familia Hernandez Gil
	9:00	(Raymond) Arlone Lang - Marilla Logsdon
	9:30	Joe H & Jose C. Toste - Toste Family
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
	12:30	Ada Luna - Mama
	5:00	Birthday of Karissa Saucedo - Grandparents
	6:30	Pedro Costa - Step-daughters

TODAY 2ND COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO RECENTLY DIED

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace: *Connie Skinner, Veronica Hernandez, Dolores Ruiz, Marcelina Suares Mendoza*

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 Collections:
Plate: \$18,188
Bishops Appeal: \$4557

PARISH EVENTS CALENDAR

- May 31 St. Joachim School Graduation
- June 2 Holy Family Table Golf Tournament
- June 2&3 Parish Council & School Board Election

COME, FOLLOW ME

Is Jesus calling you to serve Him as a priest or religious brother? Our next vocation discernment group meeting for young men, ages 15 and up, will be Friday, May 25, 6 pm in the rectory. Please contact Brother John, 481-1010, to sign up or for more information.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

Our parish religious education programs are seeking individuals to serve as catechists, co-catechists or catechist's aides. Duties include: conduct classes; follow the curriculum provided by the parish; offer support to the candidates as needed, especially through prayer. If you or someone you know could offer his/her gifts and skills to serve our children and youth, please contact our pastor, 673-3290, youth minister, 674-9069 or the CCD office, 674-5871. Training sessions are required.

SACRED LITURGY

Have questions about the sign of peace, how to receive Holy Communion properly, blessings during Communion, or church dress code? These and other information on the Mass can be seen on the following link of our parish website: www.sjoachim.org/sacred-liturgy

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today's celebration varies from place to place. In some parts of the United States, people gather for the Seventh Sunday of Easter, while other places celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. Several years ago, regions of bishops were permitted to decide whether to retain Ascension Day on Thursday, the fortieth day after Easter, or to move the celebration to the nearest Sunday. This new flexibility in the Christian calendar has to do with the desire to gather the Church to celebrate its central feasts fully, and with the Eucharist. Increasingly, as priests serve remote and scattered parishes, this is not always possible mid-week. The Ascension is a key moment for grasping what life in Christ is all about. It is not about a departure, but rather a plan for presence. We who are nourished by the Lord's body and blood in the Eucharist are transformed to be his abiding presence in the world. That is a truth so worth celebrating that we can adjust our calendar in order that the fullest possible gathering of the Church can be achieved.

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St. Anne Chapel

36483 Road 606 - Raymond

www.stanneschapel.org

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament today after Mass
- Cookie Sunday next week after Mass.

HOLYLAND PILGRIMAGE

We need 8 more pilgrims by the end of May for the pilgrimage to happen. Total cost: \$3250 due by June 17. Itinerary and registration forms available at the rectory or log on to www.sjoachim/holy-land-pilgrimage to view and download. Questions? Contact Fr. Gustavo, 673-3290.



TRIP TO THE
HOLY LAND

PEREGRINACIÓN HACIA LA TIERRA SANTA

Necesitamos ocho peregrinos más antes de los finales de mayo para que la peregrinación suceda. Costo total: \$3250 antes del 17 de junio. Itinerario y formas de inscripción disponibles en la rectoría o visite al www.sjoachim/holy-land-pilgrimage para ver y descargar la forma. ¿Preguntas? Llame al Padre Gustavo 673-3290.

MARY KASCHT MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, June 2, the 6th annual golf tournament to benefit the Holy Family Table will take place at the Madera Municipal Golf Course. The tournament will feature a \$10,000 prize for a hole in one, raffle prizes, lunch and the chance to benefit the hungry while enjoying a great time. Cost is \$80 per golfer—all are welcome. Additional lunch tickets may be purchased for non-players for \$20. Please consider sponsoring a tee for \$100. For information call Linda Parkhurst, 673-7254 or John Kascht, 706-3024.

S.H.A.R.E.S. CARDS

Savemart Supermarkets offers for non profit organizations an opportunity to raise 2 million dollars. When you do your shopping at Savemart or FoodMaxx swipe your SHARES card and your purchases qualify for a 3% rebate for the church. When you pay for your groceries, the church benefits from Savemart's generosity. We want to thank everyone who has been using the this card. We received a check for \$1551 for the first quarter of this year. Cards are available in the parish office.

PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council is looking for 4 people interested in serving a 3 year term on the Council. Two of the positions will be elected and the others will be appointed by Fr. Carlos. The Parish Council represents our parish and, in communion with the Pastor, meets to deliberate and resolve in common agreement those matters for which it is responsible and which concern the good of the parish. It meets the first Monday of each month. You must be 18 years old and a member of the parish. Contact Fr. Carlos or Sally Bompreszi, 673-3290 if you are willing to serve.

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Registrations are in the Youth Ministry Office. Your child has to be a 9th grader this Fall. 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. Special Ed candidates may register at this time. For information call 674-9069

YOUNG WOMEN'S RETREAT

The Sister Disciples of the Divine Master, 3700 N. Cornelia Avenue Fresno, are having a Retreat for Single Young Women ages 18-35, Saturday, May 26, from 9:30 am - 3 pm. To register call Sr. M. Tiziana, 275-9978. Bring sacklunch, notebook and pen. Donations accepted.

INSCRIPCIONES PARA CONFIRMACIÓN

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. Candidatos de Segundo año deberán inscribirse una vez mas. Candidatos con necesidades especiales pueden inscribirse al mismo tiempo. Llame a Lucy al 674-9069.

ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL MUNDIAL

Invita a toda pareja a vivir la experiencia de un Fin de Semana, donde juntos aprenderán una nueva técnica de comunicación; para así crecer mas en amor y unidad. "Nunca es demasiado tarde para aprender". La próxima experiencia del Encuentro Matrimonial se llevará a cabo los días 25, 26 y 27 de Mayo, en el Centro Pastoral de la Diócesis de Fresno, para más informes llamar a Hernan y Marisela al teléfono: 260-3762 o 514-2759.

HOMBRES VICTORIOSOS

Hombres, a ejemplo de San José como padre ejemplar y hombre de oración, vengan y recen el rosario en silencio como comunidad, todos los lunes de 6 a 7 pm. Para más información llame a Javier Bautista, 718-4045.

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:

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

LOS SÁBADOS:

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