

# St. Joseph Catholic Church



October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024 | Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Mass Schedule

### Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday: 8:15 AM  
Friday : 7:00 PM Spanish

### Weekend Masses

Sat. Vigil: 5:00 PM  
Sun: 8AM, 10AM 12PM Noon  
Sun: 5:00 PM Spanish

### Confessions

Saturdays: 3:30-4:30 PM English  
Sundays: 3:30-4:30 PM Spanish  
or by appointment

### Adoration & Benediction

ALL DAY - Every First Friday  
of the Month  
Fridays: 6:00 to 7:00 PM

### Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday  
9am to 4pm



*"Sell what you have, and follow me"*

Mark 10: 17-30 or 10: 17-27

## Clergy

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# Welcome to St. Joseph Parish

## ***All are invited to celebrate the Holy Eucharist with us!***

We, the community of St. Joseph Parish, in Christ Jesus, and guided by the Holy Spirit, are called to be witnesses to the gospel and servants within the Catholic tradition.

We are called to work toward:

- ◆ creating an open, hospitable & welcoming community;
- ◆ embracing diversity, celebrating the giftedness of each person
- ◆ committing to the spiritual growth and education of all members; and
- ◆ serving one another and our community.

### **If you are new to St. Joseph or if you have not registered with us, we encourage you to register online at [stjv.org](http://stjv.org) or follow the QR code!**

We promote our catholic identity by participating in the sacramental life as we are a Eucharistic community of worshippers sent on a mission.

#### **Who is a St. Joseph parishioner, one who:**

- ◆ Is registered in the parish at least one year
- ◆ Regularly attends Mass with us & participates in the Eucharist celebration
- ◆ Participates in church ministries as much as possible
- ◆ Supports the parish through online giving or with personalized parish envelopes

***You need to be a registered member in order to receive any special privileges.***



### ***Online Giving***

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## **REFLECTION**

We come here today in various states of disrepair. Perhaps we are worn down by an exhausting week of work. Perhaps we are trying to cope with family or marital difficulties.

Perhaps we have been wracked by grief, or guilt, or despair. The truth is that this is the human condition. We're human; we're imperfect.

We would do well to recognize this. We need to repent, to forgive, to reconcile. We need to look to God, who makes all things perfect. May Jesus' words to his disciples give us the hope we need: "All things are possible for God."



## **MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon. 10/14 - 8:15AM  
Tues. 10/15 - 8:15 AM  
Wed. 10/16 - 8:15 AM  
Thur. 10/17 - 8:15 AM  
Fri. 10/18 - 8:15 AM  
Sat. 10/19 - 8:15AM  
Sat. 10/19 - 5:00 PM

Sun. 10/20 - 8:00 AM  
Sun. 10/20 - 10:00 AM

Int. Mary Lauren Ong Abrantes  
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Sun. 10/20 - 12:00 PM  
Sun. 10/20 - 5:00 PM

*In Our Thoughts & In Our Prayers*



## **Meet and Greet**

Please join us for a meet and greet for Father Abraham after all the masses, next weekend **Oct 19 & 20** and give him a warm welcome. Refreshments will be served.



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## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Mon.** Gal 4: 22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1; Ps 113:1-7; Lk 11:29-32  
**Tues.** Gal 5: 1-6; Ps 119:41, 43-45, 47-48; Lk 11:37-41  
**Wed.** Gal 5: 18-25; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:42-46  
**Thur.** Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98: 1-6; Lk 11:47-54  
**Fri.** Tm 4: 10-17b; Ps 145:10-13b, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9  
**Sat.** Eph 1: 15-23; Ps 8:2-7; Lk 12:8-12  
**Sun.** Ish 53: 10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Heb 4:14-16;  
Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

### **Monday 10/14**

Rosary (Spanish) - 6pm, Chapel  
Parent Catechism Workshop-7pm, Church Meeting Room

### **Wednesday 10/16**

Faith Formation - 3:45pm or 6pm, NDS Classrooms  
Prayer Group - 7:30pm, Church Meeting Room

### **Friday 10/18**

Adoration & Benediction 6pm, Chapel  
Spanish Mass - 7pm, Chapel



# Upcoming Events & Information

## Faith Formation Retreat for Families and students

Dear Parish Family,

Greetings from Fr. Joshy.

Congratulations to all the faith formation families and students. I heard that it was a great success and that you all really enjoyed it. I join you to thank the Lord for this amazing opportunity. I am very pleased with the way the retreat turned out. We had a full participation of the students and parents. The feedback I received was great. I could see the excitement in the eyes of our students who participated. Mr. Michael Faber, from St. Mels was the lead this retreat. Thank you Mr. Faber. We pray for you. May the Lord use you in His vineyard to bring children and families in closer union with Christ. Thank you

Please join me to thank Mr. Valdez (Our Faith Formation Coordinator) and the entire faith formation team who planned and organized this treat for our Children And families. Congratulations to all. I truly appreciate your commitment and dedication to our children and parents. I am very thankful for the families. Parents and students, Thank each of you for your positive response and collaboration. You make a difference. We are here to help and grow together in our faith and it is a joy to serve you in this spiritual journey. Please enjoy some of the pictures from the retreat. union with Christ.

Thank you. God Bless you all, Fr. Joshy.



## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

**The Beginning of the end of Abortion  
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**Fairfield:** Fairfield Planned Parenthood  
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**Sunday, October 27th**  
After the 10AM and 12 Mass  
At the Parish Center

Proceeds going to St. Vincent de Paul

## UPCOMING ADULT BIBLE STUDIES



**Reading the Bible should bring us closer to Christ, but understanding it is often difficult.  
The good news is that you can understand the Bible!**

**We will offer The Bible Timeline on Tuesday nights beginning on October 29th from 7:00- 9:00pm.**  
Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship.

**For more information or to register call the Parish Office at 707-447-2354 or contact Deacon Scott at [deaconscoff@stjoseph-vacaville.org](mailto:deaconscoff@stjoseph-vacaville.org)**



**A Powerful Study on the Blessed Mother Begins November 5!**

**Join us for Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother, an 8-week study, beginning Tuesday, November 5, from 9:00am to 11:00am.**

**For more information or to register for the study, call the Parish Office at 707-447-2354 or email Deacon Scott at [deaconscoff@stjoseph-vacaville.org](mailto:deaconscoff@stjoseph-vacaville.org).**

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