

# St. Joseph Catholic Church



September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024 | Twenty-sixth 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



*“Whoever is not against us is for us. If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off “*

Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

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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***

This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Visit [stjv.org/donate](http://stjv.org/donate) or scan the QR code to get started!



## **REFLECTION**



We come together today to worship God, to receive our Lord in the Eucharist, to encounter him in each other, and to open ourselves to God's continuing revelation in the word.

Today's Gospel is a difficult one, with severe warnings about sin and hell. The second reading isn't much easier to take, warning of the corrosive effects of wealth and pleasure. Let us accept the challenge of taking a good long hard look at our lives and deciding what we need to cut from it in order to remain on the path to the kingdom.

## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Mon.** Jb 1: 6-22; Ps 17: 1-3, 6-7; Lk 9: 46-50  
**Tues.** Jb 3: 1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88: 2-8; Lk 9: 51-56  
**Wed.** Jb 9: 1-12, 14-16; Ps 88: 10b-15; Mt 18: 1-5, 10  
**Thur.** Jb 19: 21-27; Ps 27: 7-9, 13-14; Lk 10: 1-12  
**Fri.** Jb 38: 1, 12-21; 40: 3-5; Ps 139: 1-3, 7-10, 13-14  
Lk 10: 13-16  
**Sat.** Jb 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119: 66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130  
Lk 10: 17-24  
**Sun.** Gn 2: 18-24; Ps 128: 1-6; Heb 2: 9-11; Mk 10: 2-16 or 10: 2-12

## **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

### **Monday 9/30**

Rosary (Spanish) - 6pm, Chapel  
RCIA - 7pm, Church Meeting Room

### **Wednesday 10/2**

Faith Formation - 3:45pm or 6pm, NDS Classrooms

### **Friday 10/4**

All Day Adoration, Chapel  
Benediction 6pm, Chapel  
Spanish Mass - 7pm, Chapel

## **MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon. 9/30 - 8:15AM

Int. of Joyce Cao  
Int. of Fatima Bawayan  
Int. 33<sup>rd</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Chris & Marlyne Cowderoy

Tues. 10/1 - 8:15 AM

Int. of Fatima Bawayan  
Int. of Wilbert Tadios  
Int. of Winnie Tadios Nebres  
Int. of Fatima Bawayan  
Froilan Balagtas †

Wed. 10/2 - 8:15 AM

Int. Wilbert Tadios  
Int. Winnie Tadios Nebres  
Antonio Balagtas Jr. †  
Mary Ann Cross †

Thur. 10/3 - 8:15 AM

Int. Wilbert Tadios  
Int. Winnie Tadios Nebres  
Int. of the McLain Family  
Int. of Patricia Tomilloso  
Mary Ann Cross †

Fri. 10/4 - 8:15 AM

Int. Wilbert Tadios  
Int. Winnie Tadios Nebres  
Int. Leonardo D. Yalung †  
Sofia P. Timbang †  
Int. St. Joseph Parishioners  
Gaspar Rodriguez †  
Maria Del Refugio Arroyo †

Sat. 10/5 - 8:15AM

Sat. 10/5 - 5:00 PM

Sun. 10/6 - 8:00 AM

Sun. 10/6 - 10:00 AM

Sun. 10/6 - 12:00 PM

Sun. 10/6 - 5:00 PM

## **QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

In what way am I like the one who stores up treasure?  
In what way am I like the one whose wages are withheld?  
What can I do from my position to properly reflect the lessons Jesus taught?

**Download myParish App for Daily Readings, prayers & much more!**





# Upcoming Events & Information

## PRE-CANA MARRIAGE PREPARATION

The next series of Pre-Cana Marriage Preparation classes will be on **November 2<sup>nd</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 1pm**

These classes facilitate dialogue and prayer prior to a couple's wedding. The class satisfies the marriage preparation program requirement in the Diocese of Sacramento.

To register: Contact the Parish Office at 707-447-2354  
Cost: \$100 per couple

Those planning to be married in the Catholic Church should begin the preparation process at least 6 months before the desired wedding date.



## SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection next weekend, **October 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> for the Maintenance Fund.**  
Thank you for your generosity!

**In re: The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento,  
Case No. 24-21326**

U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of California

**Notice of Deadline for Filing Claims: October 1, 2024**

### YOU MAY HAVE A SEXUAL ABUSE CLAIM OR OTHER CLAIM AGAINST THE DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

On April 1, 2024, The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento aka Diocese of Sacramento filed a chapter 11 bankruptcy petition for protection under title 11 of the United States Code.

**If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim so as to be received by October 1, 2024, or otherwise you will be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting such claim against the Diocese.**

**Claims based on acts or omissions of the Diocese that occurred before April 1, 2024, must be filed on or before October 1, 2024, even if such claims are not now fixed, liquidated, or certain or did not mature or become fixed, liquidated, or certain before April 1, 2024.**



DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

For more information on how to file a claim or about the bankruptcy, please visit: <https://www.donlinrecano.com/rbcsacramento>, or contact the Debtor's claims agent Donlin, Recano, & Company, Inc. via email at [rbcsacramentoinfo@drc.equiniti.com](mailto:rbcsacramentoinfo@drc.equiniti.com) or by phone at 1-866-714-7301; or visit the Debtor's website at <https://scd.org> and follow the links for Chapter 11 filing.

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## 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!**

The Bible Timeline, a twenty-four-part Bible study, makes it easy! Presenter Jeff Cavins shows you how 14 of the Bible's narrative books tell the biblical story from beginning to end and gives you the keys to understanding the amazing story woven throughout Scripture. In this revolutionary approach to Bible study, The Bible Timeline divides the Bible into twelve color-coded time periods that make it easier to follow its narrative thread. Using a unique color-coded chart, you will learn the major people, places, and events of the Bible and discover how they all come together to reveal the remarkable story of our faith.

**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!**

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, **Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother** will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever. She will become a part of your daily life and help you to become more like Christ.

**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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