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Iglesia Católica
de San Joaquín

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January 15, 2017 | **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**



MASS SCHEDULES

Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM

Daily Mass

7 & 8:30 AM (Saturday 8:30 AM)

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4:00 PM

Misas Dominicales en Español

Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM, Sábado 3-4:00 PM

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit



From the Pastor's Desk:

On Saturday 7th 2017, as I was waiting for the entrance hymn to begin to proceed to the altar, one of our parishioners came closer to me and said, "It makes me feel sad that next week we are going to take down the Christmas decorations. This year's

Christmas decorations has given me such warm and festive feeling." On Sunday 8th 2017, another parishioner of ours who had gone to Lake Tahoe to celebrate Christmas along with her family came to me and said, "The decorations in and around our church is so beautiful. I missed all of these in Lake Tahoe." Another of our parishioner who had gone to be with her daughter who had lost her husband recently said to me, "Before they take down the decorations, I want to take photo of all these things." Well, these are a few of so many positive comments I heard from different people. A newcomer to church who had come from the state of Virginia said to me, "to do all these decorations outside the church you must be having a team of volunteers!" I said, "Well, you will be surprised that it is all the work of just one man, Abelardo Viveros, our maintenance man." Even though it was cold in the evening towards the end of November, Abelardo Viveros was seen working all alone decorating our campus. The colorful lights outside our church created such a festive atmosphere in our church campus. The never ceasing sound and laughter of children in our church placita in the evenings of December spoke all about it.

The inside of the church too, was beautifully decorated by a team of volunteers led by Mr. Chuck and his wife Mrs. Pat Ludwig. The liturgical team – the Ushers, the Lectors, the Eucharistic Ministers, the Choir and the Altar servers- did a commendable job.

I express my heartfelt appreciation to the Guadalupanos led by Guadalupe Sanchez for the flawless manner in which they organized the festival of Our lady of Guadalupe. Their team work and the selfless service to our church are greatly appreciated. Just two days of gap after the festival of Guadalupe, our church became once again alive with Simbang Gabi celebration in the mornings and Posada celebrations in the evenings. This year's Simbang Gabi celebrations were led by Simbang Gabi committee headed by Mrs. Edna Valderrama. It was amazing to see so many people in our church for the 5.30 am mass braving the cold weather. In the evening the campus was brought alive by Posada celebrations led by Mr. Jose Luis Gonzalez. Both the Guadalupe celebrations and Simbang Gabi celebrations brought in considerable amount of money to our church, the highest so far. That speaks all about the commitment, efficiency and leadership of Mrs. Guadalupe Sanchez and Mrs. Edna Valderrama. Well Done. In the name of St. Joachim parish, I express my heartfelt appreciation and thanks to everyone who contributed to the celebrations in our church campus in the month of December. Let us keep growing in our faith together.

Nota de nuestro pastor: El Sábado 7, 2017, mientras esperaba que el himno de entrada

comenzara para proceder al altar, uno de nuestros feligreses se acercó a mí y dijo, "me hace sentir triste que la próxima semana vamos a quitar las decoraciones de Navidad. Las decoraciones de Navidad este año me han dado un sentimiento cálido y festivo." El Domingo 8, 2017, otro feligrés de nuestra parroquia que había ido a Lake Tahoe para celebrar la Navidad junto a su familia vino a mí y dijo: "la decoración alrededor de nuestra Iglesia es tan hermosa. Las eche de menos en Lake Tahoe." Otro de nuestros feligreses que había ido a pasar con su hija, quien perdió a su marido recientemente, dijo "antes de quitar las decoraciones, quiero tomar fotos de todas estas cosas." Bueno, estos son algunos de tantos comentarios positivos que he oído de diferentes personas. Un recién llegado a la Iglesia que vino del Estado de Virginia, dijo, "para hacer todas estas decoraciones fuera de la Iglesia debe tener un equipo de voluntarios!" Dije, "Bueno, usted se sorprenderá que es todo el trabajo de un hombre, Abelardo Viveros, nuestra persona de mantenimiento." Aunque estuvo frío en las noches a finales de Noviembre, Abelardo Viveros fue visto trabajando solo decorando nuestro campus. Las luces de colores fuera de nuestra Iglesia crean un ambiente festivo alrededor de la Iglesia. El sonido y la risa de los niños en nuestra placita de la Iglesia en las tardes de Diciembre lo dijo todo. El interior de la Iglesia también fue decorado por un equipo de voluntarios dirigido por el Sr. Chuck y su esposa Sra. Pat Ludwig. El equipo Litúrgico, los Acomodadores, los Lectores, Ministros Extraordinarios de la Santa Eucaristía, el Coro y los Monaguillos - hicieron un trabajo estupendo.

Quiero expresar mi sincero agradecimiento a los Guadalupanos, encabezados por Guadalupe Sánchez, por la impecable manera en que organizaron la fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Su trabajo en equipo y el servicio desinteresado a nuestra Iglesia es muy apreciado. Apenas dos días de diferencia después de la fiesta de Guadalupe, nuestra Iglesia revivió una vez más con la celebración de Simbang Gabi en las mañanas y la celebración de la Posada por la noche. El Comité de Simbang Gabi presidido por la Sra. Edna Valderrama condujo la celebración de Simbang Gabi este año. Fue increíble ver a tanta gente en nuestra Iglesia para la Misa de 5:30am desafiando el frío. En la noche el campus revivió con la celebración de la Posada dirigida por el Sr. José Luis González. Las fiestas de Guadalupe y la celebración de Simbang Gabi trajo una considerable cantidad de dinero a nuestra Iglesia, lo más alto hasta ahora. Esto habla sobre todo el compromiso, eficacia y liderazgo de la Sra. Guadalupe Sánchez y la Sra. Edna Valderrama. Bien hecho. En nombre de la parroquia de San Joaquín, expreso mi sincero reconocimiento y agradecimiento a todos los que contribuyeron a las celebraciones en el campus de nuestra Iglesia durante el mes de Diciembre. Sigamos creciendo en nuestra fe juntos.

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week
of January 15, 2017

Sun/Dom:

Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Mon/Lunes:

Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110/Mk 2:18-22

Tues/Martes:

Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111/Mk 2:23-28

Wed/Mier:

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110/Mk 3:1-6

Thurs/Juev:

Heb 7:25--8:6/Ps 40/Mk 3:7-12

Fri/Vier:

Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85/Mk 3:13-19

Sat/Sab:

Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sun/Dom:

Is 8:23--9:3/Ps 27/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday - January 16th

Offices closed — The Rectory office, Faith Formation office and the school will be closed on Monday January 16th in observance of Martin Luther King Day. No meetings or gatherings will take place on our campus when the offices are closed.

Friday- January 20th

Seniors gathering — The Seniors will meet at noon in the Hall for a planning meeting for this years activities. This is a potluck meeting so please bring your favorite dish to share along with your GREAT ideas for a fun-packed 2017!!

OFFICE INFORMATION

Parish Office

783-2766

Parish Fax

783-2760

Parish Email

office@saintjoachim.net

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 10 AM-7:30 PM

Bilingual available T,W,F 4-7:30 PM

Saturday 10 AM-4 PM

Bilingual available 10 AM-4 PM

Sunday 9 AM-4 PM

Bilingual available 12 PM-4 PM

Rev. Joseph Antony Sebastian, SVD

Pastor

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday

10 AM to 12 PM

5 PM to 8 PM *(with appointment)*

lunes, martes, miércoles, y Viernes

10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM *(con cita)*

Rev. Stephen Ayisu, SVD

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Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

5 PM to 8 PM *(with appointment)*

lunes, miércoles, jueves y Viernes

10:00 AM a 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM *(con cita)*

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Monday-Friday

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Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial
Un Fin de Semana de descubrimiento...
27,28,29 de Enero del 2017

Una vida llena de amor!

Para informacion llamar a:

Ramon & Maria E. Gutierrez 510-432-9802

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En el Fin de Semana, los matrimonios reciben presentaciones impartidas por matrimonios catolicos y un sacerdote, Durante el Fin de Semana, todo matrimonio tendra el tiempo para compartir sus pensamientos y sentimientos, el uno al otro, en la privacidad de su habitacion. Cada pareja es motivada a centrarse en su relacion, dejando a un lado toda preocupacion para que puedan vivir de lleno esta exeriencia tan especial.



PRAY FOR

- Adam Pachkofsky
- Robert Burkfield
- Diana Cajilog Chua
- Teresa Castro
- Cesar Gutierrez
- Pilar Valenzuela
- Isabel Burkfield
- Jim Smith
- Pelagia Limos
- Anita Urbino
- Geraldine Fabio-Abdon
- Diego Trujillo
- Paul Seishas
- Felicisima Buendia
- Laura Soffiotto
- Iluminado Ramirez
- Michelle Ann Cavagnuolo

DONATIONS

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 Food offering for next week:

**Peanut Butter, Jelly
 or Crackers**

crema de cacahuate,
 mermelada o
 galletas

**CONTRIBUTIONS
 CONTRIBUCIONES**

COLLECTION FOR WEEK
January 1st ~ January 8th

- The Plate Collection**
 \$ 11,386.00 ~ \$ 8,029.00
- EFT Collection**
 \$ 540.00 ~ \$ 856.00
- On Line Giving**
 \$ 359.00 ~ \$ 529.00
- TOTAL for the WEEK**
Jan 1st ~\$ 12,285.00
- Jan 8th ~\$ 9,414.00**

MASS INTENTIONS

January 14-21, 2017

Saturday 4:30 PM

The Community of St. Joachim

Saturday 6:00 PM

Maria Ines & Alejo Velasquez †
Jesus Villalpando †
Victoria Rossi Torres † (1st aniversario)
Rosa Ortiz †
Animas del Purgatorio
Francesca Perez † (1st aniversario)
Juan Manuel Rodriguez † (4th aniversario)
Lizbeth Aguayo † (3rd aniversario)

Sunday 7:30 AM

Myla E. Reyes (thanksgiving)

Sunday 9:00 AM

Hoang Thi Dung †

Sunday 10:30 AM

Angela Kim Gordin (birthday)
Jocelyn Alcantara †
Souls in Purgatory
Nellie A. Hernandez †
Cornellio Gilbert Salazar †

Sunday 12:15 PM

Angel D. Dysico †

Sunday 2:00 PM

Maria Rossmann (89th cumpleaños)
Fanny Soto (salud)
Encarnacion Pantoja (salud)
Indocumentados
Mariano Ruiz † (8th aniversario)
Carmen Flores †
Juan Najarro † (aniversario)
Antonia Vazquez Gonzalez †
(4th aniversario)
Fidel Ortiz † (8th aniversario)

Sunday 6:00 PM

Ma. Luz Gallegos Avila † (aniversario)
Maria Eliza Amaya † (aniversario)
Maria Laura Amaya † (aniversario)
Guadalupe Barajas †
Andrea & Juana Gaytan †

Monday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Monday 8:30 AM

Angel D. Dysico † (anniversary)

Tuesday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Estrellita S. Villegas † (3rd anniversary)

Wednesday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Wednesday 8 :30 AM

Porfirio Loza (birthday)
Alex Gordin (birthday)

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Gregoria Nunez Oviedo † (2nd aniversario)

Thursday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Thursday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 8:30 AM

Remy & Tess Garcia (thanksgiving)

Saturday 8:30 AM

Matthew Jay I. Reyes (birthday)
Agnes Kim (thanksgiving)

St. Joachim SCHOOL
Annual Crab Feed & Silent Auction
Saturday, February 11, 2017

TICKETS
\$50 Early Bird Special
must be purchased by 1/22
\$55 Adult Ticker*
purchased after 1/22
*All guests must be 18 or over

5:30 PM Doors open
No-host cocktails
Appetizers
Silent Auction
6:30 PM Dinner Served

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\$800 January 23-February 10
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online at Eventbrite
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Menu
Appetizers
Clam chowder soup
Green Salad
Pasta
Fresh ACME bread
Dessert
ALL YOU CAN EAT FRESH CRAB*
*While supply lasts

Come enjoy a fun evening
& support St. Joachim School

VATICAN CORNER The newborn children of Vatican employees were baptized by Pope Francis on Sunday January 8, 2017 in the Sistine Chapel during the annual Mass celebrating the Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist. During the Christmas season, this Mass is one of the rare occasions when the Pope can celebrate a liturgy away from the large public crowds and with his immediate family within the Vatican. He baptized thirteen girls and fifteen boys at this more intimate setting where he could act more like a parish priest than a head of state. St. Pope John Paul II began the custom of baptizing the children of the Vatican personnel on this day, and it was continued by Pope Benedict XVI, and by Pope Francis.



In keeping with the informal feel of the event, Pope Francis spoke without a prepared text. He reflected on the faith which parents pass onto their children as a source of “light”, linking that image to the baptismal candle presented to the parents during the ceremony. As Francis was speaking, several of the babies began to cry, causing him to joke “the concert has begun!” He said “I like to think that the first sermon Jesus gave in the stable was a cry,” referring to baby Jesus in the manger. He reminded mothers that they can nurse their children if they’re hungry, saying, “go ahead, don’t be afraid, like Mary breastfed Jesus.” He kept his remarks short, noting the babies could be upset by a new place or perhaps were awakened early for the ceremony Sunday morning. Parents approached Francis one by one, with mothers holding their babies while dressed in finery. Francis pronounced each child's name as he performed the sacrament formally welcoming them into the Catholic Church. Some babies slept through it all; others fussed. Pope Francis told the parents “You’ve asked for the faith for your children, the faith that’s given in baptism, that means a life of faith, because faith must be lived ... to walk on the path of faith and give witness to the faith. Faith isn’t reciting the Creed on Sundays when we go to Mass, faith is believing in that which is the truth. Faith is trusting in God, and you must teach them this with your example and your life.”

Sources: cruxnow.com, dailymail.co.uk, zenit.org, news.va

Seniors Gathering

Attention all seniors :

Our next potluck gathering will be held on Friday, January 20th at noon in the St. Joachim Hall.

We will be planning the 2017 activities.

Please R.S.V.P. to Selena [\(510\) 517-3039](tel:5105173039).

All seniors are welcome



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On

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