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de San Joaquín

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May 2,
2021

Fifth Sunday of Easter



MASS SCHEDULES

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

Reconciliación

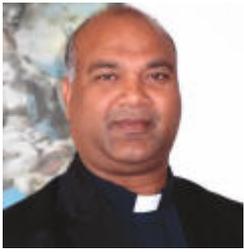
Miércoles 6-7 PM, Sábado 3-4PM

Masses Currently we have outdoor masses in English on Sunday at 9:00 AM and in Spanish on Sunday at 2:00 PM

Mass Schedule

We have indoor weekend masses at on Saturday at 4:30 PM in English and 6:00 PM in Spanish and on Sunday at 10:30 AM in English — All Masses are live streamed on Facebook or our webpage live. You can receive communion after the weekend masses by coming to the placita immediately after mass.

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit



From the Pastor's Desk:

Some years ago, in the city of Belfast in Northern Ireland, the members of one of the large Presbyterian churches decided to undertake a religious census among some 2000 homes in their district. When the results were in, the pastor of the

Church found himself seated at his desk, confronted with a huge heap of reports, and he began to note the visitors' findings and especially any comments made by the visitors at the bottom of the page. One remark that occurred again and again was, "Used to be a Presbyterian; now belong nowhere." Or, "The children go to Sunday School, but the parents aren't interested." And then his eyes fell on one unusual comment at the foot of one of the pages which startled him. It read simply, "Presbyterian, but disconnected." "Disconnected." That's a fascinating word. It sounds as though somebody had pulled the plug on the poor chap. Or perhaps he had pulled the plug on himself, thereby committing spiritual suicide. No longer was he connected up with the Church in which he was raised, or any other Church, for that matter. This is sad because God created us to be connected up with one another. God intended for us to be in communion with God and with one another. The New Testament knows of no such thing as solitary Christianity. To be a Christian at all is to be in relationship with other Christians. Anyone and everyone who belongs to Jesus Christ automatically belongs to anyone and everyone else who belongs to Jesus Christ. "I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing." (John 15:5)

Donald Grey Barnhouse tells about a grapevine in Hampton Court near London that is about 1,000 years old. It has but one root which is at least two feet thick. Some of the branches are 200 feet long. Because of skillful cutting and pruning, the vine produces several tons of grapes each year. Even though some of the smaller branches are 200 feet from the main stem, they bear much fruit because they are joined to the vine and allow the life of the vine to flow through them. If we, the branches, are not bearing much fruit, it may be that we are not feeding as we ought upon the life-giving flow from the vine. The great truth that Jesus is trying to tell us is that if we want life in all its fullness, then we must be connected to the "true vine," the very source of life. "Abide in me as I abide in you," Jesus said. We draw our life from him.

The Usher: An elderly woman walked into the local country church. The friendly usher greeted her at the door and helped her up the flight of steps. "Where would you like to sit?" he asked politely. "The front row please," she answered. "You really don't want to do that," the usher said. "The pastor is really boring." "Do you happen to know who I am? I'm the pastor's mother," she declared indignantly. "Do you know who I am?" the usher asked. "No," she said. "Good," he answered.

Nota de nuestro pastor:

Hace algunos años, en la ciudad de Belfast en Irlanda del Norte, los miembros de una de las grandes iglesias presbiterianas decidieron realizar un censo religioso entre unos 2000 hogares en su distrito. Cuando se recibieron los resultados, el pastor de la Iglesia se encontró sentado en su escritorio, confrontado con una gran cantidad de informes, y comenzó a anotar los hallazgos de los visitantes y especialmente cualquier comentario hecho por los visitantes en la parte inferior de la página. Un comentario que se repitió una y otra vez fue: "Solía ser presbiteriano; ahora no pertenezco a ninguna parte". O, "Los niños van a la escuela dominical, pero los padres no están interesados". Y luego sus ojos se posaron en un comentario inusual al pie de una de las páginas que lo sorprendió. Decía simplemente, "Presbiteriano, pero desconectado". "Desconectado." Esa es una palabra fascinante. Suena como si alguien hubiera desconectado al pobre tipo. O tal vez se había desconectado a sí mismo, cometiendo un suicidio espiritual. Ya no estaba conectado con la Iglesia en la que se crió, ni con ninguna otra Iglesia, para el caso. Esto es triste porque Dios nos creó para estar conectados unos con otros. Dios quiso que estuviéramos en comunión con Dios y entre nosotros. El Nuevo Testamento no conoce el cristianismo solitario. Ser cristiano en absoluto es estar en relación con otros cristianos. Cualquiera y todos los que pertenecen a Jesucristo pertenecen automáticamente a todos los que pertenecen a Jesucristo. "Yo soy la vid, ustedes son los pámpanos. Los que permanecen en mí y yo en ellos dan mucho fruto, porque separados de mí no pueden hacer nada". (Juan 15: 5)

Donald Gray Barnhouse habla de una viña en Hampton Court, cerca de Londres, que tiene unos 1.000 años. Tiene una sola raíz que tiene al menos dos pies de espesor. Algunas de las ramas miden 200 pies de largo. Gracias al hábil corte y poda, la viña produce varias toneladas de uvas cada año. Aunque algunas de las ramas más pequeñas están a 200 pies del tallo principal, dan mucho fruto porque están unidas a la viña y permiten que la vida de la viña fluya a través de ellas. Si nosotros, los pámpanos, no estamos dando mucho fruto, es posible que no nos estemos alimentando como deberíamos del flujo vivificante de la viña. La gran verdad que Jesús está tratando de decirnos es que si queremos la vida en toda su plenitud, entonces debemos estar conectados a la "viña verdadera", la fuente misma de la vida. "Permaneced en mí como yo permanezco en vosotros", dijo Jesús. De él sacamos nuestra vida.

El acomodador: Una anciana entró en la iglesia local del campo. El amable acomodador la recibió en la puerta y la ayudó a subir los escalones. "¿Dónde le gustaría sentarse?" preguntó cortésmente. "La primera fila, por favor", respondió ella. "Realmente no quieres hacer eso", dijo el acomodador. "El pastor es realmente aburrido". "¿Sabes quién soy? Soy la madre del pastor", declaró indignada. "¿Sabes quién soy?" preguntó el acomodador. "No," ella dijo. "Bien", respondió.

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week
of May 2, 2021

Sun/Dom:

Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32
[26a]/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

Mon/Lunes:

1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Jn 14:6-14

Tues/Martes:

Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21
[cf. 12]/Jn 14:27-31a

Wed/Mier:

Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [cf. 1]/
Jn 15:1-8

Thurs/Juev:

Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10 [3]/
Jn 15:9-11

Fri/Vier:

Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12 [10a]/
Jn 15:12-1

Sat/Sab:

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sun./Dom:

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3,
3-4 [cf. 2b]/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

THE WEEK AHEAD

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Saturday Mass — 9:00 AM

Weekend Masses

sign up in advance for indoor masses

- Saturday 4:30 PM English inside Church
- Saturday 6:00 PM Spanish inside Church
- Sunday 9:00 AM English parking lot
- Sunday 10:30 AM English inside Church
- Sunday 2:00 PM Spanish parking lot

ALL INDOOR CELEBRATIONS ARE LIVE STREAMED

RESERVE A SEAT FOR ALL INDOOR MASSES THROUGH
SIGN UP GENIUS — LINK SENT THRU FLOCKNOTE OR
ON FACEBOOK AFTER 10AM ON THE TUESDAY BEFORE
THAT WEEKEND'S MASSES .

OFFICE INFORMATION

Parish Office

783-2766

Parish Fax

783-2760

Parish Email

office@saintjoachim.net

Parish Office Hours

Mon- day-Friday 10 AM-7:30

PM

Bi-

ble

7:30 PM

Saturday 10 AM- 4 PM

Bilingual available 10 AM-4 PM

Sunday 12 PM -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. Ricardo Gonzalez, SVD

Parochial Vicar

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

5 PM a 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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Pat Ludwig

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783-0344

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Monday-Friday

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785-1818

Bertha Cruz

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Sandra Garzon

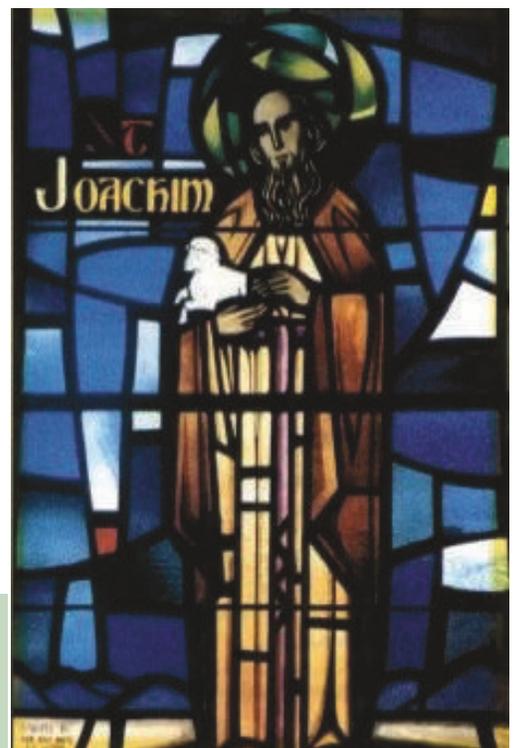
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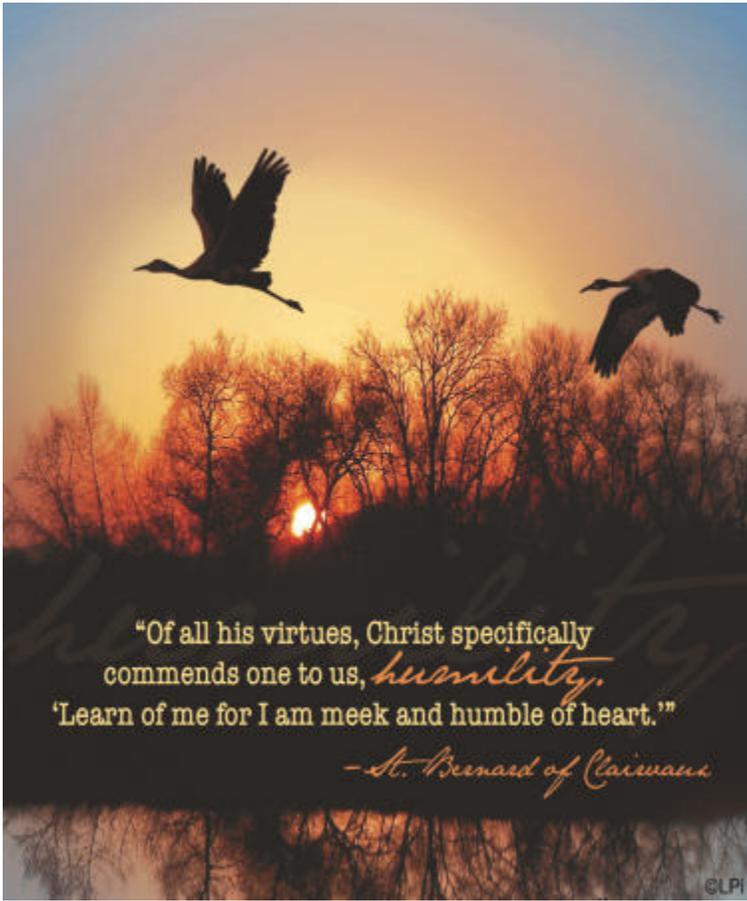
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Marisa Melgarejo

Director





“Of all his virtues, Christ specifically commends one to us, *humility*.
‘Learn of me for I am meek and humble of heart.’”

-St. Bernard of Clairvaux

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Rodelio Manuel
Florencio Rodriguez
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Albert Gonzales III
Brenda Gonzales
Gabby & Giselle Gonzales
Kristina & Angelita Gonzales
Hali & Hunter Bubon
Beatriz Perez
Tammie Chambless
Reena Salud

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COLLECTIO FOR
April 19-25, 2021

The Plate Collection

\$ 3,660.00

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\$ 495.00

On Line Giving

\$ 691.00

TOTAL

\$ 4,846.00

VATICAN CORNER

In 1869, the Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital of Rome was founded from the initiative of the Salviati family with the help of friends and benefactors.

Duchess Arabella Salviati was deeply moved when seeing young patients hospitalized alongside adults without any special regards. She advocated the founding of a hospital just for children modeled after the one in Paris. The Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital started with only four beds and with supervision from the Daughters of Charity of Saint Vincent de Paul. The City recognized the good deed that was started and the hospital grew. It came to be known primarily as serving Roman children afflicted with bone tuberculosis. In 1924, the Salviati family concerned about the future for the Hospital donated it to Pope Pius XI. It became known as the Hospital of the Pope and with the new ownership it continued to develop and grow thanks to donations by private patrons. However, World War II left the hospital

broken structurally and financially and recovery was slow. In the 1960s financial assistance came from American bishops. In 1978 Pope Paul VI gave the hospital a large area of sea coast located a few miles from Rome which already had three pavilions treating children with polio and spastic paralysis. The facility was redeveloped to become the Center for Vertebral Deformity and Diabetes Treatment. It later became the Hospital's facility at Palidoro, a leading medical facility for cutting edge surgical techniques. The hospital now carries out its healthcare at 4 locations, has 3,500 employees, currently has 600 beds and is ranked at an international level for the healthcare and treatment of children and adolescents. Per year the Hospital has almost 29,000 inpatient admissions, 30,000 surgical and interventional procedures, 85,000 emergency admissions and almost 2 million outpatient services. In 1985 the Hospital was certified by the Italian Ministry of Health as a research hospital and its intense research programs began working alongside its clinical and healthcare activities. In 2014 the Hospital's new laboratories opened covering 5,400 sq. ft. and containing the most modern equipment for cellular and genetic investigations, which includes a cell factory dedicated to large-scale manufacturing of advanced therapies. Researchers at the Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital in collaboration with the University of Rome and other European and U.S. research centers have recently made an important breakthrough in cancer research and the study was published in the science magazine Nature in April 2021. The new discovery opens the way to creating therapies that block the defense system of diseased cells and causing them to self-destruct. *to be continued ...*

Sources: ospedalebambinogesu.it, vaticannews.va



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1. ~Mail your donation to the Rectory office
2. ~Drop your donation in the mail slot near the front Rectory door
3. ~Donate on line — the easy way . Go to our website saintjoachim.net , in the upper right corner of the home page of the page click on donate/pay, select weekly/monthly donation and complete the form. It is easy to update and change as you want to. If you need assistance with this call the office and leave your name and phone and we will call you back and assist you. *We understand these hard times and appreciate you helping the church.*

MASS INTENTIONS

May 1-8, 2021

Saturday 4:30 PM

Jesusa Meno († *birthday*)

Saturday 6:00 PM

Aurora Delgadillo Sandoval (*salud*)

Rebecca Vazquez †

Teresa Zabalza † (*anniversary*)

Carmen Rios Alvarez †

Sunday 9:00 AM

Carlota David (*birthday*)

Alfredo, Agnes & Mateo (*special intention*)

Anastacia Ramirez († *birthday*)

Sunday 10:30 AM

Rafael Valderrama Jr. †

Jose Fulgado Jr. †

Edgar Delos Angeles †

Alcides Juarez †

Maria Silva †

David A. Tayco †

Vince Conti † (*anniversary*)

Paz Demonteverde †

Sunday 2:00 PM

Aurora Delgadillo Sandoval (*salud*)

Monday 9:00 AM

Carl Philip (*birthday*)

Domingo Marquez †

Terence Pereira †

Anthony & Mary de Bone †

Tuesday 9:00 AM

Edgar Delos Angeles †

Constacine Pereira †

Wednesday 9:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Thursday 9:00 AM

Danilo, Delia & Crystal Mendoza †

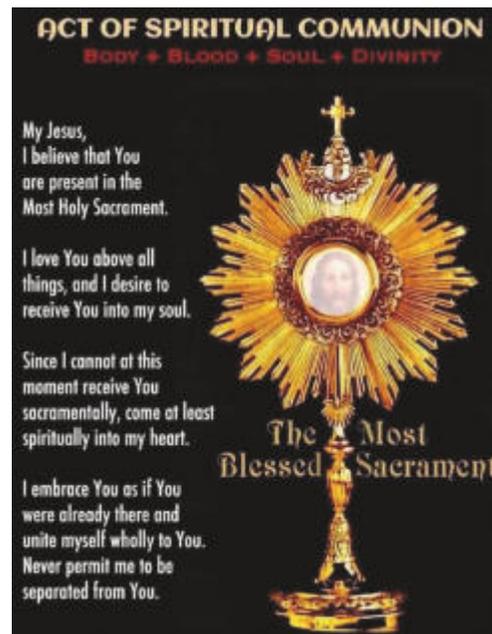
Friday 9:00 AM

Sacred Heart of Jesus Members

(*thanksgiving*)

Saturday 9:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim



Say this prayer
when Father receives
Holy Communion
when you are
participating from
your home in our
on line masses.

HOW TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION

If you would like to do a mass intention while the office is closed the easiest way is to do it online on our parish website saintjoachim.net / Select the Donate/Pay in the upper right hand corner and then select mass intentions , put all your payment information in and in

the comment section please put a date and time of the mass you would like your intention read at. Even though right now those mass times do not exist we would like to know which mass would be your preference. Intentions must be in by noon the day before except for the weekend masses - those must be submitted by noon on Friday. You can still drop mass intentions in the Rectory mail slot or in the mail but these must be a minimum of one week in advance since we are not in the office on a regular basis now. If you have questions about this process, please call the Rectory Office and someone will return your call.



Do you want to attend the weekend

Masses inside the Church?

~~ Sign up **EVERY** weekend to attend Mass in one of these ways: ~~ Sign up by clicking on the link you receive in a text via flocknote

 ~~ sign up by clicking on the link on our facebook page

    ~~~ Call the Rectory office after 10 AM on Tuesday morning before the weekend you want to attend — leave your name, phone number , which mass you want to attend and how many people are in your party—Someone will call you back to confirm your attendance.

~~~~ **What happens if you forget to sign up ?**

 ~~ We have a limited number of people that can come inside for each mass — if we are not full you can sign in the same day as you arrive for mass

~~ **Why do we take your name and phone number every weekend?**

    ~~~~ If we would have someone attend the weekend masses then be diagnosed with COVID and they called us we would be able to call everyone that was at that mass.

### What is different inside the Church ?

~~ We take your temperature before you can come in

~~ Every other pew is roped off

~~ The ushers will seat everyone who comes in to make sure all family groups will maintain social distancing from other groups.

~~ We wear a mask throughout the entire mass.

~~ There is no Holy Water in the Font

~~ No altar Servers yet

~~ You must be on time — there is no admittance once mass starts

~~ Everyone comes in at the placita door and exits through the side doors



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## Do We have ?

**Baptisms?** — Yes — twice a month, one Saturday in English and one Saturday in Spanish. Right now they are semi-private. We may have more than one family in the church at a time but only one family at the font at a time. We do not do immersions at this time.

**First Communion and Confirmation Class ?** Yes, Classes will start in the fall with Registration in July.

**Confessions?** Yes—At 6:00 on Wednesday Nights and 3 :00 Pm on Saturday Afternoon.

**Funeral Mass?** Yes, Contact the office

**Special Masses like Weddings, Quinceaneras?** Yes, Contact the office

**Group and Organization Gatherings or Meetings?** No, Sorry not yet

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