

St. Joachim
Catholic Church



Iglesia Católica
de San Joaquín

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June 27, 2021 | **Thirteenth 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)

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Misas Dominicales en Español

Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Mass Location

All masses inside the Church EXCEPT — the following are in the parking lot on Sunday 9:00 English and Domingo 6:00 PM Español

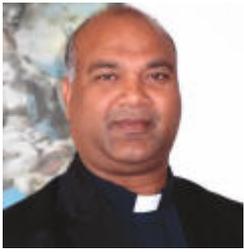
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Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM, Sábado 3-4PM



From the Pastor's Desk: While talking to me these days, quite a few of our parishioners have asked me to name one work of mine at St. Joachim in the last ten years that I feel so close to my heart. Without hesitation I have named the construction of the sanctuary in our church and bringing the tabernacle to the

sanctuary. Installing the tabernacle in the sanctuary changed the whole atmosphere in our church. It brought back the feeling of sense of sacredness once again to our church. I still vividly remember the first time I entered our church after reaching Hayward on June 10th, 2011. Before going into the Rectory, I entered our church to pray. When I entered our church, I was looking for the sanctuary and the tabernacle to pray. But I did not find that. I only saw a crucifix of which the corpus painted in compete white color hanging in the middle of the church. The first feeling that came me was, "What a weird church it is! Is this the church I am going to offer the mass?" It was looking like a Protestant church. More or less the same feeling was expressed by our Bishop Michael Barber, when he came to our church for the first time! After constructing the sanctuary, we also went on to purchase so many beautiful sterling silver chalices, ciborium, curvets, thuribles, Sanctuary lamp, Candle stands, Roman Missal stands, bells, crucifix, altar cross, sanctuary furniture etc., to enhance the solemnity of our liturgical celebrations. All these efforts of mine would not have been possible without the cooperation and generosity of all our parishioners, particularly those who generously donated the sanctuary materials. However, I would like to place on record the contribution of Mr. Abelardo Viveros, Ernesto Vázquez, José Luis Gonzalez, Victor Nochebuena, Alonzo Garcia, Francisco Muñoz, Manuel Pérez, Roberto Baires, the Knight of Columbus and others who worked so many evening to make our sanctuary look so beautiful and a fit place for prayer and worship.

For the last ten years, God gave me the privilege to lead the parish of St. Joachim. It was such a great privilege and opportunity to perform the sacraments such as Eucharists, Baptisms, Marriages, Confessions, Anointing of the Sick and Funerals. I never ever considered them as work. I always thought of them as privileges and opportunities. That is why on days when I had no help either from the diocese or from my Society, I happily offered eleven masses on a weekend and heard confessions for an hour. During these ten years I have experienced so much of love and affection from almost all of you. With confidence and trust you have confided with me news and information that you may not even share with your family members. Because you considered me a friend and a priest who will always stand with you and for you. As I leave St. Joachim to take up the new appointment, I go with a sense of fulfillment and joy for the privilege of being part of your life for the last ten years. Thank you and God bless you all abundantly. May He always watch over you, protect you, guide you and provide for you. Thank you and Good bye.

Nota de nuestro pastor: Estos últimos días he hablado con algunos de nuestros feligreses me han pedido que mencione uno de mis trabajos en San Joaquín en los últimos diez años que sienta tan cerca de mi corazón. Sin dudarlo he nombrado la construcción del santuario en nuestra iglesia y llevar el tabernáculo al santuario. La instalación del tabernáculo en el santuario cambió toda la atmósfera de nuestra iglesia. Devolvió el sentimiento de santidad una vez más a nuestra iglesia. Todavía recuerdo vívidamente la primera vez que entré a la iglesia después de llegar a Hayward el 10 de junio de 2011. Antes de ir a la rectoría, entré a la iglesia para orar. Cuando entré a la iglesia, estaba buscando el santuario y el tabernáculo para orar. Pero no encontré eso. Solo vi un crucifijo cuyo cuerpo pintado en color blanco completo colgado en medio de la iglesia. El primer sentimiento que me vino fue: "¡Qué iglesia tan extraña es! ¿Es esta la iglesia que voy a ofrecer la misa? Parecía una iglesia protestante. ¡Más o menos el mismo sentimiento fue expresado por nuestro obispo Miguel Barber, cuando vino a la iglesia por primera vez! Después de construir el santuario, también compramos tantos hermosos cálices de plata esterlina, copón, estolas, incensarios, lámpara del santuario, candelabros, soportes del misal romano, campanas, crucifijo, cruz del altar, muebles del santuario, etc., para realzar la solemnidad. de nuestras celebraciones litúrgicas. Todos estos esfuerzos míos no hubieran sido posibles sin la cooperación y generosidad de todos nuestros feligreses, particularmente de aquellos que generosamente donaron los materiales sancturay. Sin embargo, quisiera dejar constancia del aporte del señor Abelardo Viveros, Ernesto Vázquez, José Luis González, Víctor Nochebuena, Alonzo García, Francisco Muñoz, Manuel Pérez, Roberto Baires, los Caballeros de Colón y otros que tantas veladas trabajaron para hacer que nuestro santuario se vea tan hermoso y un lugar apropiado para la oración y la adoración.

Durante los últimos diez años, Dios me dio el privilegio de dirigir la parroquia de San Joaquín. Fue un gran privilegio y oportunidad realizar los sacramentos como Eucaristías, Bautismos, Matrimonios, Confesiones, Unción de los Enfermos y Funerales. Nunca los consideré un trabajo. Siempre los consideré privilegios y oportunidades. Por eso, en los días en que no tuve ayuda ni de la diócesis ni de mi Sociedad, ofrecí alegremente once misas en un fin de semana y escuché confesiones durante una hora. Durante estos diez años he experimentado mucho amor y afecto por parte de casi todos ustedes. Con seguridad y confianza me han confiado noticias e informaciones que tal vez ni siquiera compartan con los miembros de su familia. Porque me consideraron un amigo y un sacerdote que siempre estará contigo y para ti. Al salir de San Joaquín para asumir el nuevo nombramiento, me voy con una sensación de plenitud y alegría por el privilegio de ser parte de su vida durante los últimos diez años. Gracias y que Dios los bendiga a todos abundantemente. Que Él siempre los cuide, los proteja, los guíe y les provea. Gracias y adiós.

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week
of June 27, 2021

Sun/Dom:

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12,
13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or
5:21-24, 35b-43

Mon/Lunes:

Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11
[8a]/Mt 8:18-22

Tues/Martes:

Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [5]/
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Wed/Mier:

Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13
[7a]/Mt 8:28-34

Thurs/Juev:

Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/
Mt 9:1-8

Fri/Vier:

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2,
3-4a, 4b-5 [1b]/Mt 9:9-13

Sat/Sab:

Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/
Jn 20:24-29

Next Sun./Dom:

Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/
2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

OFFICE INFORMATION

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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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783-0344

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1:00-2:30 PM ONLY

Monday-Friday

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Oficina de Formación de Fe

785-1818

Bertha Cruz

Administrative Assistant

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Escuela de San Joaquín

783-3177

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Principal

Sandra Garzon

School Secretary

St. Joachim Pre-School

783-0604

Marisa Melgarejo

Director



THE WEEK AHEAD

MASS SCHEDULE

- inside the Church

Monday—Friday Mass—7:00 AM - English

Monday—Saturday Mass — 8:30 AM—English

Saturday - Mass—4:30 PM English

Saturday /Sabado Mass 6:00 PM Spanish

Sunday —Mass—7:30 AM - English

Sunday—Mass—10:30 AM English

Sunday—Mass —12:15 PM—English

Sunday /Domingo—Mass 2:00 Spanish

MASS SCHEDULE

- in the parking lot

Sunday—Mass —9:00 AM —English

Sunday /Domingo—Mass 6:00 PM Spanish

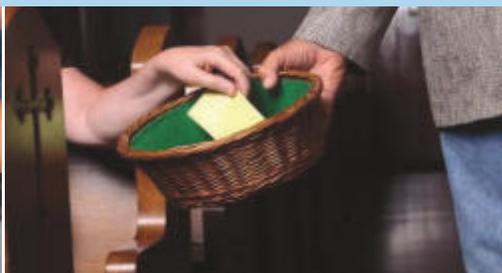




We now have Pre-pandemic Mass Schedule— Effective this weekend, Our regular weekend and daily mass schedule is back

We have received guidance from our Bishop on opening the church and this is how we are opening our church cautiously

- ~~Non-vaccinated people should continue to wear a mask—other individuals may wear a mask, but it is not mandatory.
 - ~~We no longer need to social distance inside the church
 - ~~There is no longer a limit on the number of people allowed inside the church for each service
 - ~~No Sign ups or temperature checks will be required to attend Mass inside the church.
 - ~~We will continue to have two outdoor masses for those not ready to come inside yet those masses will be at —9:00 AM Sunday in English and— 6:00 PM Sunday in Spanish.
 - ~~We will have Holy Water Fonts soon
- we have not heard from the Bishop yet on:**
- ~~If we can have gatherings of any kind inside our buildings—
 - ~~We will not have meetings or other gatherings inside the buildings
 - ~~We do not know yet when our Rectory and Faith Formation offices will open.



PRAY FOR
 Herminigilda Manuel
 Rodelio Manuel
 Florencio Rodriguez
 Albert Gonzales Jr.
 Albert Gonzales III
 Brenda Gonzales
 Gabby & Giselle Gonzales
 Kristina & Angelita Gonzales
 Hali & Hunter Bubon
 Beatriz Perez
 Tammie Chambless
 Martin Pina
 Felipe Gonzalez
 Wendy Bond
 Mary Hennessey
 Anita Adams
 Josephine Bilan-Gasper
 Jennie Harling

DONATIONS
St Vincent de Paul
 offering for next week:

Canned vegetables

verduras enlatadas
 Donations are very much appreciated—but please no expired food. ~ Thank You

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 COLLECTION FOR
June 14-20, 2021
 The Plate Collection
\$ 4,589.00
 EFT Collection
\$ 545.00
 On Line Giving
\$ 734.00
TOTAL
\$ 5,868.00

VATICAN CORNER

On Sept. 27, 2019, the

then former Vice President Joe Biden was denied communion at a Catholic church in Florence, South Carolina over his support for abortion rights. Father Robert Morey said “any public figure who advocates for abortion places himself or herself outside of Church teaching.” Biden in 2012 at a vice presidential debate explained that he personally opposes abortion, but said he refuses to impose that on others. “I do not believe



we have a right to tell women that they can't control their body. It's a decision between them and their doctor.” Biden has since become just the second Catholic U.S. President in history and he regularly goes to church and says his faith is a deeply personal aspect of his life. Recently conservative American bishops have been pushing to deny communion to politicians supportive of abortion rights, including President Biden. The Vatican has warned those conservative bishops to stop and “not to use access to the Eucharist as a political weapon.” Yet the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops met virtually the week of June 13, 2021 and at the end of 3 days voted to go forward with drafting a formal statement on the meaning of Communion, which will include whether pro-choice politicians like Biden should be denied it. The result of the vote was 168 bishops in favor, 55 against, with 6 abstaining. An in-person gathering by the U.S. bishops is planned for November, 2021 when a vote for formal adoption of the statement would take place. However, it is unlikely that the conservative bishops would be able to ratify the document since a two-thirds approval by the bishop plus Vatican approval would be needed, or it would require unanimous approval by all the countries' bishops. When asked recently about the possibility that the bishops would approve a document suggesting that his abortion position should disqualify him from receiving Communion, Biden said “That's a private matter, and I don't think that's going to happen.” Supporters of the measure said that a strong rebuke of Biden is needed because of his recent actions protecting and expanding abortion access, while opponents warn that such action would portray the bishops as a partisan force during a time of bitter political division across the United States. Cardinal Ladaria at the Vatican wrote that if the American bishops are going to open the door on the Communion issue then they should be prepared to consider extending the policy to all Catholics “rather than only one category of Catholics.” Cardinal Wilton Gregory, the archbishop of Washington has the ultimate decision on whether to deny Communion to President Biden in Washington. He has made it crystal clear that he will not.

Sources: apnews.com, nytimes.com, thehill.com, cnn.com

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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

June 26-July 3, 2021

Saturday 4:30 PM

Mary Dominguez †

Saturday 6:00 PM

Guillermina Velasquez Valle †
(6 meses aniversario)
Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Sunday 7:30 AM

Mary Dominguez †

Sunday 9:00 AM

Ed & Edna Valderrama (thanksgiving)
Francisca P. York †
Eugenio Del Mundo †
Pilar Baclayo †
Margarita & Trinidad Salta †
Mary Dominguez †

Sunday 10:30 AM

Teresa Loza (birthday)
Michael Leotta (healing)
Maria Silva †
David A. Tayco
Edgar Delos Angeles †
Mary Dominguez †

Sunday 12:15 PM

Romeo Herce (birthday)
Mary Dominguez †
Joshua Kevin Estavillo †

Sunday 2:00 PM

Paula & David Cruz
Rogelio Lucatero †
Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Sunday 6:00 PM

The Community of St. Joachim

Monday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Monday 8:30 AM

Ireneo Espinosa †
Mario Herrera †
Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Tuesday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Inocencia Salta Maglalang † (40th day)
Paula Herrera †
Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Wednesday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Wednesday 8 :30 AM

Teresita Catarroga Evangelista
(† birthday)
Conrada Sampaga † (anniversary)

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Thursday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Thursday 8:30 AM

Dory Lee (birthday)
Ted Libunao (birthday)
Allen Libunao (healing)
Jaime Varona († birthday)
Rossana Maribel Guadian †

Friday 7:00 AM

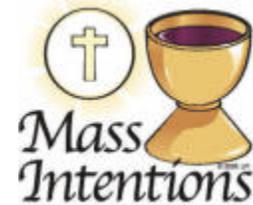
The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Saturday 8:30 AM

Ed & Edna Valderrama (thanksgiving)
Domingo Marquez †



First Communion and Confirmation Classes 2021-2022

Register for First Year Classes on our website—Saintjoachim.net

To register your child for classes you will need copies of your child's:

~~Birth certificate AND ~~Baptism Certificate

~~First Communion Certificate (for Confirmation Students)

Payment is due in full, you will receive a link to pay when you submit the registration. Cost for classes will be:

\$100.00 for one child in the family

\$140.00 for two children in the family

\$150.00 for three of more children in the family

Please listen to announcements at Mass and watch future bulletins for the date for Second Year sign ups.

Classes will begin in mid September.

Thank you Father Joseph for your 10 years serving as Pastor of our Church — We will miss you!!

Thanking you for some of the many things you accomplished here .

- ~ reconstruction of our bell tower
- ~ brought the Tabernacle back into the sanctuary of the Church , purchasing new crucifix , presiders chair, tables and building a new altar, walls and flooring for a new daily chapel
- ~created a new Holy Family Chapel and added a statue of the Holy Family
- ~ painting the statues in Church to freshen the look
- ~ polished the pews of the church
- ~ all new kneelers in the church
- ~ added more handicap seating in the church and padded those seats
- ~ added new candle holders for devotional candles in the church and in the Holy Family Chapel
- ~ painted the interior of the Church
- ~ added statues of St. Joachim & St Ann
- ~ added St. Anthony statue
- ~ purchased framed images of our Lady of Perpetual Help, Divine Mercy and Our Lady of Guadalupe
- ~ added video projectors and screens to use during mass displaying hymns and prayers and reduced the use of books and wear and tear on these books
- ~ remodeled St. Vincent de Paul office in the Hall
- ~ remodeled the interior of the hall and supplied new tables and chairs for the individual meeting rooms in the hall
- ~ installation of over 30 cameras through out the campus, both inside and out
- ~ repaired and replaced the roof on the rectory



- ~ purchased new albs for the altar servers including colors for the different celebrations through out the year
- ~purchased new tables and chairs for outside use
- ~ changed the entrance to the rectory by adding a ramp making it easier for families with strollers and delivery people to come to the office

- ~ created the grotto outside the church with the statue of Mary
- ~ polishing gym floor and installing new bleachers
- ~ purchased beautiful candle stands, chalices, ciborium censors, bread plates, communion cups, bells, cruets, chasubles, altar cloths
- ~ replaced the heaters in the church

Father, you have endeared yourself to our more than 4000

families, the nearly 800 children you have baptized and over 1000 who received their First Communion from you, the children you assisted at their confirmation, those whose marriages you blessed, the blessing of many parishioners homes and anointing of our fellow parishioners and family members. You brought us together as one parish — uniting us in faith, and believing in St. Joachim as “one heart—many faces”. We wish you well in your next assignment — know that we send you off with a heavy heart but wish you continued successes as you go to shepherd another faith community.

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