

St. Joachim
Catholic Church



Iglesia Católica
de San Joaquín

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**May 5,
2024**

Sixth Sunday of Easter

LOVE
ONE
ANOTHER
JOHN 15:9-17

MASS SCHEDULES

Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM

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

Daily Mass in English

8:30 AM Monday—Saturday

Misas Dominicales en Español

Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Adoration ~ Benediction/ Adoración ~ Bendición

Every Friday—9 AM till 1 PM

First Friday ALSO 6 PM-9 PM

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit

Everyday Stewardship

"Get Together" was a popular song in 1967 by the Youngbloods. I was not alive when the song was released, but it was a song I played frequently learning how to play guitar when I was younger. The song called for all of us to come together and "try to love one another right now." It was a song that came out in the Vietnam War era and during somewhat of a hippie revolution, but perhaps the words belong to no real moment in time. They are simply the commands of Jesus.

Sometimes we minimize the power of love by cute pop songs and slogans that mean little without action. However, we can never underestimate the power of love. Love can tear down barriers between people, change tears to laughter, and mend relationships torn apart by sin.

No option exists for disciples of Jesus Christ to not love others. Not only are we commanded to do so, but love is a gift we must pass on freely. If we give of our time, talent, and treasure, but choose not to love, we cannot claim to be truly committed disciples and good stewards. As this Easter season draws ever closer to an end, we must allow our love to bear witness to the source of all love, the Risen Jesus. This is our calling until, as the words of the Youngbloods' song states, "the one who left us here returns for us at last."

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

La corresponsabilidad diaria

"Get Together" fue una canción popular en 1967 de los Youngbloods. Yo no estaba vivo cuando salió la canción, pero era una canción que toqué muchas veces cuando empezaba a aprender a tocar la guitarra cuando era joven. La canción nos llamaba a reunirnos e "intentar amarnos ahora." Era una canción que salió en la era de la Guerra de Vietnam y fue como una revolución hippy, pero tal vez estas palabras no pertenecen a algún momento específico. Son simplemente los mandamientos de Jesús.

A veces minimizamos el poder del amor con canciones lindas de pop y slogans que no tienen mucho significado sin acción. Pero nunca podemos subestimar el poder del amor. El amor puede derribar barreras entre la gente, cambiar lágrimas en risas, y reparar relaciones que han sido destrozadas por el pecado.

Para los discípulos de Jesucristo no hay la opción de no amar. No es solo que seamos encomendados para amar, el amor es un regalo que tenemos que pasar libremente. Si damos nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro, pero sin amor, entonces no podemos decir que somos discípulos comprometidos participando en la corresponsabilidad. Ahora que acaba la Pascua, tenemos que dejar que nuestro amor sea testigo de la fuente del amor, Jesús Resucitado. Este es nuestro llamado hasta que, como dice la canción de los Youngbloods, "el que nos dejó aquí regrese por fin."

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WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week
of May 5, 2024

Sun/Dom:

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3,
3-4 (see 2b)/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Mon/Lunes:

Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and
9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tues/Martes:

Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/
Jn 16:5-11

Wed/Mier:

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13,
14/Jn 16:12-15

Thurs/Juev:

Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/
Jn 16:16-20

Fri/Vier:

Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

Sat/Sab:

Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/
Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sun./Dom:

Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9
(6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7,
11-13/Mk 16:15-20

THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday May 8th

Marian Festival

7 PM—Bilingual Mass with Rosary

Thursday—May 9th

Marian Festival

7 PM—Bilingual Mass with Rosary

Friday —May 10th

Marian Festival

7 PM—Bilingual Mass with Rosary

OFFICE INFORMATION

Parish Office

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510-783-2760

Parish Email

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Parish Office Hours

Monday & Friday (*lunes y viernes*)

11:00 AM— 7:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday (*martes y jueves*)

— 11:00 AM—5:00 PM

Wednesday (*miercoles*)

—1:00 PM— 7:00 PM

Bilingual available Mon.,Wed, Fri

(*lunes, miercoles y viernes*)

— 3:00 PM— 7:00 PM

Rev. Henry Noga, 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. Emilio Reyes, SVD

Parochial Vicar

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*)

Ariel Mayormita

Music Director/Director de Música

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stjoachimmusic1@gmail.com

Flor Herce

Bookkeeper

Pat Ludwig

Secretary

Fabiola Ordaz

Bilingual Receptionist

St. Vincent de Paul

510-783-0344

Office hours

1:00-2:30 PM ONLY

Monday-Friday

Gary Enos, President

Faith Formation

Formación de Fe

Baptism Preparation Classes—Eng/Sp

First Communion—Eng/Sp

Youth Confirmation—Eng

Marriage Preparation Classes—Sp

RCIA for Adults—Eng/Sp

Confirmation Coordinator

Gabriela Perez

Stjyouthconfirmation@gmail.com

Church Ministries

Amigos de Cristo

Bible Study—Sp

Fil-Am Ministry

Guadalupanos

Knights of Columbus—Eng/Sp

Lectors Eng/Sp

Legion of Mary—Eng/Sp

Ministry to the Sick—Eng/Sp

Music Ministry—Eng/Sp

~Contact the parish office for information
on any of the above ministries

~Comuníquese con la oficina de la rectoría
para obtener información sobre cualquiera
de los ministerios mencionados
anteriormente.

St. Joachim School

Escuela de San Joaquín

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Dana Bayer

Principal

Sandra Garzon

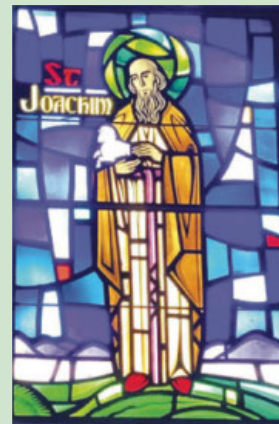
School Secretary

St. Joachim Pre-School

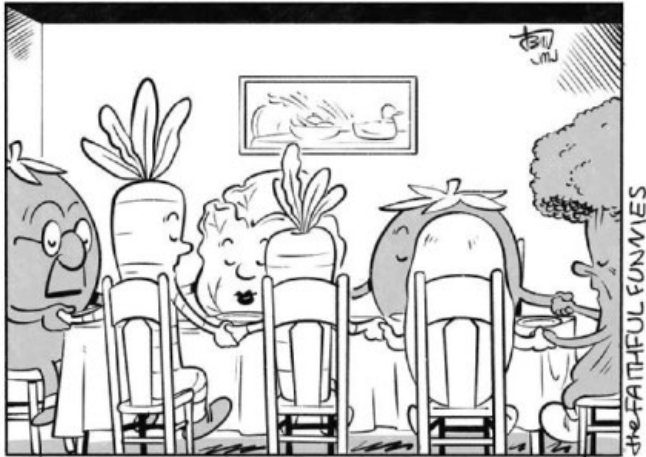
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Marisa Melgarejo

Director



“What did the vegetables say before they started praying?”



“Lettuce pray.”



FUN FACT! Praying together is a beautiful part of Christian life. We can pray to thank God for His blessings, ask for His guidance in our lives, or just to spend time with Him.

GLP!

We hope that you had a chance to buy some of the GREAT food that the Guadalupano group sold last weekend. They did a great job and they would like to thank everyone who came and purchased from them last weekend—all of you made it possible for them to donate \$1,710 to our church, and they would like to thank you!!.



PRAY FOR

- Geri Coelho
- Christiane Renard
- Behilda Fabia
- Olivia Guzman
- Marissa Dela Cruz
- Shawn Silva
- Joe Silva
- Celestina Enrique
- Lelia Nocon
- Paul Hennessey
- Yesenia Oseguera
- Melia Perrizo
- Malosi Meredith
- Ruben Perez
- Sally-Ann Thomas
- Junior Thomas
- Chaz Decoteau
- Porfirio Loza

DONATIONS

St Vincent de Paul

offering for next week:

Jelly or Crackers

Jalea y Galletas

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

**CONTRIBUTIONS
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COLLECTION FOR

April 28, 2024

1st Collection

\$9,759 .00

EFT Collection

\$ 180.00

On Line Giving

\$ 1,146.00

1st Collection

TOTAL

\$ 11,085.00

2nd Collection—School Support

\$ 2,689.00

VATICAN CORNER

At the end of October 2023, the Vatican Department of Culture and Education held an event in the Vatican's Paul VI Hall with seven thousand invited children from 84 different countries. There were musical performances by children and a clown before Pope Francis gave a short speech reminding the children that they have something to contribute to the world,



especially in their simplicity. "One can learn from you." Children from fourteen countries ask questions of Pope Francis. (Q.) What do you dream about at night and who are your friends? (A.) Francis said he does not usually dream while he is sleeping and his friends "are the people who live with me at home, they are friends. Then I have lots of friends outside, in some parishes, and then some cardinals too", "I have the grace to have friends, and this is a grace of God," "a person who doesn't have friends is a sad person." (Q.) How do you spend your time during the day? (A) "I wake up, I pray, and I work." "And there's a lot of work here," Francis asked the children to repeat the phrases: "To work is health" and "Work gives dignity." (Q.) What do you do when you get angry? (A.) "Yeah, sometimes I get angry. But I don't bite." "Once a person who helped me a lot in life, when I was a child, used to tell me "When you are angry, before you respond, drink a glass of water." This is good advice because you know that when you're angry, you don't speak, you bite. And that's not good. Let's leave anger to the dogs but let us try to be meek and not let anger get the best of us. Let' repeat one more time: when you're angry, drink a glass of water." (Q.) "Why do people kill children during war and no one defends them?" (A.) This is the "evilness of war," because if they only killed soldiers that would be another thing; but they kill innocent people, they kill children. Francis asked those in the hall to be silent for a moment and then led everyone in praying Our Father, for innocent children killed in war. Children from Palestine and Ukraine asked (Q.) how to bring peace into the world? (A.) "There is no method to learn to make peace. There's a gesture: You make peace with an outstretched hand." Let's make a gesture, all together: stretching out a hand. Peace is made with your heart and with an outstretched hand. Francis recalled the children who are suffering from war, hunger, disease, climate disasters, poverty, or danger "because bad people even put weapons in their hands." "God loves us so much, and it's beautiful to be together, to communicate, to share, and to give. Do this all the time. Our Lady will help you." Pope Francis asked the crowd of children if they pray for Mary's intercession and encouraged them to continue to do so. Children from Brazil, Africa, Samoa, Haiti, and Ghana asked: (Q.) what children can do to save the earth, how to avoid waste, and if he is worried about the environment? (A.) "we should all be worried for nature" and "people do not care for creation." Francis said children can have an impact, because "you are simple and you understand that to destroy the earth is to destroy ourselves." He asked them to repeat after him that "who destroys the earth, destroys us." "We should learn to take care of the planet." The Pope also encouraged children to not waste any meal because it is a "grace of God" to have something to eat while there are people who do not have enough. "if some food from lunch is left over, eat it in the evening." (Q.) If they didn't listen to you, who knows so much, why should they listen to us, and how can they? (A.) People are very worried about so many things, so many things, and they forget to listen to children. But you have to say things as you see them. Tell the truth, say what you feel because your voice is needed. You have to help so that adults will listen to us, that adults will listen to you, and then make adults listen to you because you are messengers of peace. "We have spoken about many beautiful things. But the most beautiful thing is peace." That is how he concluded the meeting.

Sources: catholicleader.com, aleteia.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

May 4–11, 2024

Saturday 4:30 PM

Emmanuel Cabigao (*thanksgiving*)

Ruby Santos †

Manolo Virey Nato †

Saturday 6:00 PM

Silvia Hernandez & Alvaro Octavio

Jimenez (*aniversario de boda 25th*)

Gumercinda Veliz Catalan † (*40th Dia*)

Jose Martin Delgado †

(*2 meses aniversario*)

Sunday 7:30 AM

Denilo, Delia & Dan Mendoza †

Arnold & Immanuel Dizon †

Souls in Purgatory †

Sunday 9:00 AM

Ben & Sol Salta (*thanksgiving*)

Elisa Ammay (*healing*)

Francis Carlo Salta (*healing*)

Anthony's Ancestors †

Edgar Delos Angeles †

David A. Tayco †

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Sunday 10:30 AM

Christian & Dolores Reese †

Antonio Ramirez †

Irene Olalo †

Daniel Tan †

Frank Viggiano †

Corazon Bajada †

Sunday 12:15 PM

Maria Santiago (*birthday*)

Orlando Eballo Jr. (*healing*)

Rodolfo Jimenez †

Jose Elayba † (*anniversary*)

Sunday 2:00 PM

Teresa Ayala †

Arnoldo Duenas † (*1st aniversario*)

Ignacia Mendoza († *cumpleanos*)

Augustin Aguilar †

Sunday 6:00 PM

Familia Martinez-Guzman

(*intencion especial*)

Jose Guadalupe Jimenez † (*aniversario*)

Familia Martinez-Guzman †

Aurora Rafael, & Juvenal Torres †

Nallely & Juan Ponce †

Antonio—Godfredo Guevara †

Monday 8:30 AM

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Souls in Purgatory †

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Din & Mary Mani

(*41st wedding anniversary*)

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Wednesday 8 :30 AM

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Marian Festival

Thursday 8:30 AM

Rheynar Guiao (*healing*)

Gregorio & Hermes Sampaga

(† *birthdays*)

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Clare Margaret Joseph † (*anniversary*)

Florencia Delos Reyes †

Azucena Orevillo †

Thursday 7:00 PM

Marian Festival

Friday 8:30 AM

Ethan & Elijah Chong (*8th birthday*)

Patric M. Solis (*thanksgiving*)

Joamil Dela Cruz (*special intention*)

Johnmel Guiao (*healing*)

Vicente Billardo † (*anniversary*)

Antonia Corcega Joyosa †

Mary & Brenda Tran †

Carmen & Paulita Rodriguez †

Amparo, Rosy & Paty Perales †

Friday 7:00 PM

Marian Festival

Saturday 8:30 AM

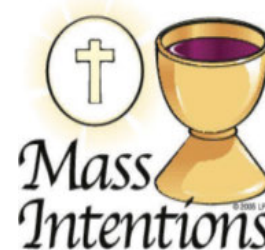
Mary & Brenda Tran †

Coralia Rivera †

Maria Cristina Barcenas †

Elena Rodriguez †

Helen Reader †



May is the Month of Mary for the global Catholic Church! The Church recognizes six formal titles for Mary like "Queen of Heaven" and "Mother of God" but, informally, she has a plethora of other titles like "Our Lady of Queen of Peace." What is your favorite?



*Saint Joachim Church
Marian Festival ~ Festival Mariano*

*We invite you to a
special celebration to pray
together in honor of Our
Mother Mary*

*Los invitamo a esta
celebrion especial para orar
juntos en honor a nuestra
Madre Maria*

*Saint Joachim Church
Marian Festival ~ Festival Mariano*

Wednesday (miercoles) May 8th—7:00 P.M

Rosary & Mass ~ ~ Rosario y Misa

Thursday (jueves) May 9th—7:00 P.M

Rosary & Mass ~ ~ Rosario y Misa

Blessing of the Sick after Mass ~ ~ Bendicion de los enfermos

Friday (viernes) May 10th— 7:00 P.M

Mass followed by procession ~ ~ misa seguida por una procesion)

