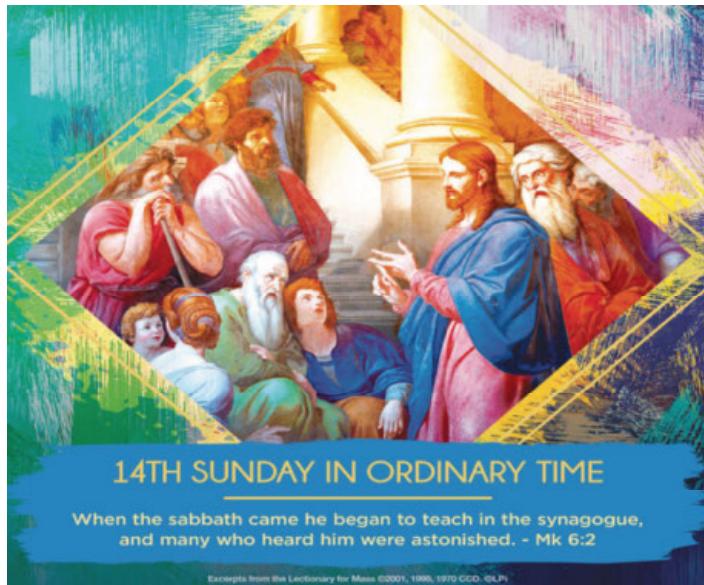


# ST. JOSEPH PARISH

## AND MISSION CHURCH OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

**Parish Mission Statements:** "We, the parish community of Saint Joseph Catholic Church (Elk Grove) and Mission Church of Saint Vincent de Paul (Rancho Murieta), enriched by many traditions and cultures, come together to worship God in Sacrament, liturgy, and prayer. We are committed to acting as One Body in Christ, and to living our One Faith with the help of the Holy Spirit. We continually seek to reach out in loving service to others, both within our parish as well as in the greater community, in order to spread the Good News of our faith."

**July 7, 2024**



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Sunday English: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Domingo *Español* 1:00 PM

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Liturgy of the Hours 7:30 AM

Daily Mass 8:00 AM

Rosary 8:30 AM

First Friday Mass 7:00 PM

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8:00 AM, 12:00 PM, & 7:00 PM

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Friday 8:30 – 10:00 AM

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 2:30 PM or By appointment

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Monday 6:00 PM

Mass (*Wednesday*) 8:30 AM

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesday Adoration 9:00 AM—5:00 PM

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:30 PM or by appointment

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# MASS INTENTIONS

## Monday, July 8 - 8am

Jaime Benigno †  
Manny Odukwe †

## Tuesday, July 9 - 8am

Christopher Encina †  
Jaime & Merlina Benigno †

## Wednesday, July 10 - 8am

Mary Gress †

## SVdP, RM - 8:30am

People of SVDP

## Thursday, July 11 - 8am

Mary Gress †

## Friday, July 12 - 8am

Carlo Audisio Sr. †  
David Audisio †

## Saturday, July 13 - 4:30pm

Melton Canumay Sr. †  
Melton Canumay Jr. †

## SVDP - 5:00pm

People of SVDP

## Sunday, July 14

### 7:30am

Mary Gress †

### 9:00am

Beora Hart †

## SVdP, RM

People of SVDP

### 11:00am

Ivan Castellanos †  
Lito Tuazon †

### 1:00pm

Khristine Barragan (H)  
Juan Francisco Alcala (B)

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY FAMILIES

Diosdado S. Pangilinan Jr.	Gabriel Cedeño
Cherie Pangilinan	Justin Dingman
Steven Alsop	Joey Feathers
Joey San Miguel	Graham Hebert
Shawn Tostado	Zach Schade
Gabriel Franzoia	Bryan Streiff
Matthew Franzoia	Jaime Wong-Lopez
Katherine Beltran	Sean Passmore
Dionn Perez	Everett Kerhulas-Yee

Contact 916-686-5977 or e-mail [wicket42@yahoo.com](mailto:wicket42@yahoo.com) to add a loved one to the active military list.

## Prayer for the Truth

Dear Lord, Your prophets were those who spoke Your Truth. Help me to be a speaker of truth as well, one who reminds of Your love, encourages the lowly, and points ever more deeply to You. Amen.

## Oración por la Verdad

Querido Señor, Tus profetas fueron los que hablaron Tu Verdad. Ayúdame a ser también un hablante de la verdad, alguien que recuerde de Tu amor, anime a los humildes y señale cada vez más profundamente a ti. Amén.

## INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

When Jesus taught in the synagogue of his native place, he didn't fit the image of the Messiah the people expected. They dismissed him. Let's learn from their example and remember that God often comes to us in forms that are surprising — even challenging.

## INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Cuando Jesús enseñó en la sinagoga de su lugar natal, no encajaba con la imagen del Mesías que el pueblo esperaba. Lo desecharon. Aprendamos de su ejemplo y recordemos que Dios a menudo viene a nosotros en formas sorprendentes e incluso desafiantes.

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

**Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday:** Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

**Next Sunday:** Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

**Domingo:** Ez 2, 2-5/Sal 122, 1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12, 7-10/Mc 6, 1-6

**Lunes:** Os 2, 16, 17-18, 21-22/Sal 144, 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9, 18-26

**Martes:** Os 8, 4-7, 11-13/Sal 113, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10/Mt 9, 32-38

**Miércoles:** Os 10, 1-3, 7-8, 12/Sal 104, 2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10, 1-7

**Jueves:** Os 11, 1-4, 8-9/Sal 79, 2 y 3, 15-16/Mt 10, 7-15

**Viernes:** Os 14, 2-10/Sal 50, 3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 y 17/Mt 10, 16-23

**Sábado:** Is 6, 1-8/Sal 92, 1, 1-2, 5/Mt 10, 24-33

**Domingo siguiente:** Am 7, 12-15/Sal 84, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/Ef 1, 3-14 o 1, 3-10/Mc 6, 7-13



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## Creation Care Team



Now it is time to go through books, office and school supplies for this weekend's SWAP MEET, July 6-7. Adult bicycles are also welcomed. Please drop off your donation items from Saturday, at 4 pm until Sunday at 1 pm in the St. Anthony Room. Everyone is invited to shop at no cost.

Contact Deb at [biblestudy.stj@gmail.com](mailto:biblestudy.stj@gmail.com) for a helpful guide to decluttering books, or for other information about the Creation Care Team.

## Grief Support Ministry

St. Joseph's Grief Support Ministry will be offering 7 weekly grief support sessions beginning on Wednesday, July 10, 2024 until Wednesday, August 21, from 6:30 pm until 8 pm.

We are present for those grieving the loss of a loved one. This ministry takes place in the context of faith and is caring and compassionate.

We will be meeting in the Renwald room at St. Joseph Parish. **For more information, please contact Mary Ellen Trapp 916 893-8863 or Laura Copsey 916 698-7622.**

## Register with our Parish Today!

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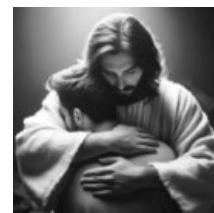
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## Grupo de Consolación

El Grupo de Consolación empezará sus sesiones semanales 1 de julio - 19 de agosto, cada lunes, 6:30pm-8:00pm, ubicado en salón Renwald.

Estas 7 sesiones son para personas quienes han pasado por una pérdida de un ser querido, o de otra pérdida difícil.

Si tiene preguntas, por favor comuníquese con **Jorge Alvarado (916) 747-1960 o Jesús Arroyo (916) 685-9672.**



## The Eucharist Makes Us Pro-Life

### The Eucharist Bears Witness to the Gift of Human Life

In its document, The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops recently recalled, "The personal and moral transformation that is sustained by the Eucharist reaches out to every sphere of human life." In this, my brother bishops and I echo the reminder of Pope Francis that we participate in Mass not simply to fulfill a precept but, more importantly, "because only with Jesus' grace, with his living presence within us and among us, can we put his commandment into practice, and thus be his credible witnesses" (Audience, Dec. 13, 2017). In other words, our specifically Catholic witness to the gift of human life flows from the Eucharist.

### Sent Forth, Fulfilled in the Eucharist

All of this is to say that the power and effectiveness of events such as the upcoming March for Life, as well as our hope for their success in bringing widespread protection to the child in the womb, emanate from Christ and the transformation he brings in the Eucharist. Joining us to himself, Our Lord Jesus Christ transforms us so that, day by )

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**Cost:** \$95.00

**Registration Link:**  
<https://scd.formstack.com/forms/quovadis>

(Late Registration is \$100 as of July 19th.  
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If you have any questions, please contact the Diocese of Sacramento Office of Vocations at 916-733-0258 or email [msmith@scd.org](mailto:msmith@scd.org)

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## — News —



### GET TO KNOW US

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### CELEBRATE WITH US

If you would like to join us in the planning process, and help spread the word about the celebration, scheduled for August 28th. Please contact Yasmin Castellanos at [ycastellanos@stelizabetheg.org](mailto:ycastellanos@stelizabetheg.org) and follow our alumni Instagram page for updates.

### JOIN US

We are accepting applications for the 2024-25 school year. To request a tour and/ or an application, please call the school office at 916-684-7903.

### **Verbum Dei**

Todos están invitados a este grupo semanal guiado por las Misioneras Verbum Dei y el Equipo Apostólico Verbum Dei de la parroquia de San José. La dinámica del grupo es muy sencilla, y se acompaña con predicación formación, oración contemplativa, grupos de compartir, retiros de un día o fines de semana, formaciones teológicas-humanas y eventos sociales.

**Nos reunimos todos los martes de 7pm a 9pm en el salón St. Catherine. ¡Ven cuando puedas!**

Para más información favor de comunicarse con Maria Calderon al (916) 856-8851 o con Luis Chavez al (916) 544-0963. Nos puede encontrar en Facebook bajo Verbum Dei Sacramento.



### **FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL PREPARATION**

It's that time of year once again to begin preparations of St. Joseph's Annual Parish Fall Festival! Please join us for our first planning meeting Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at 6:30pm in the St. Catherine Room. Everyone is welcome to attend, bring your ideas and be part of our biggest Parish fundraising event of the year.

### **PREPARACIÓN PARA EL FESTIVAL FAMILIAR DE OTOÑO**

*Es tiempo para comenzar los preparativos del Festival Anual de Otoño de la Parroquia de San José! Les invitamos a nuestra primera reunión de planificación el martes 16 de julio de 2024 a las 6:30 pm en el Salón San Catherine. Todos son bienvenidos a asistir, traigan sus ideas y sean parte de nuestro mayor evento de recaudación de fondos de la parroquia del año.*



### **Helping Hands Ministry**

The summer heat is here and Friendship Park at Loaves and Fishes are in need of bottled water for the homeless. The helping hands ministry will be collecting your donations of bottled water starting July 8th until August 30, 2024. Please place your donations near cart labeled "Helping Hands Ministry" in the vestibule. The ministry will collect them daily. Thank you for your donations and God Bless!

*El calor del verano ha llegado y Friendship Park en Loaves and Fishes necesita agua embotellada para las personas sin hogar. El ministerio de Helping Hands estará recogiendo sus donaciones de agua embotellada desde el 8 de julio hasta el 30 de agosto de 2024. Por favor, dejen sus donaciones cerca del carrito etiquetado como "Helping Hands Ministry" en el vestíbulo. El ministerio las recolectará diariamente. ¡Gracias por sus donaciones y que Dios los bendiga!*

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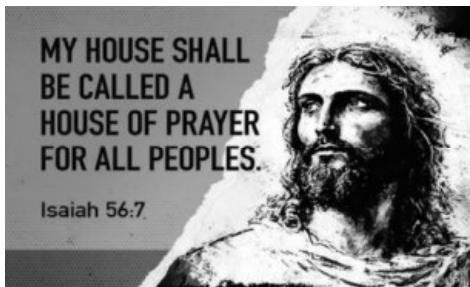
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## **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (EVERY WEDNESDAY)**

As we approach the summer months you are invited to stop by SVDP church on Wednesdays during Adoration 9am-5pm. This is a perfect opportunity to bring your children to the Blessed Sacrament.

Making a visit for 5 minutes just to say “hello God” could be the beginning of an amazing journey with our Lord. For more information - see bulletin board in Anderson Hall or contact Ali Armerich at (707) - 494-1518



## **What is Order of Christian Initiation for Adults?**

- Non-Catholics who want to find out more about the Catholic Faith.
- Those who were baptized as infants but did not receive religious education, Confirmation or First Communion.

Welcome to the Catholic Christian community of St. Joseph and St. Vincent de Paul. To explore the call of Jesus Christ and the life of discipleship, whatever your background and situation, email Deacon Greg at [deacon.gregmj@gmail.com](mailto:deacon.gregmj@gmail.com) of the Christian Initiation Team. Your story + our stories + the Gospel story = God's work in our lives.

## **SAVE THE DATE FOR AUGUST 18 , 2024**

### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MISSION CHURCH 25TH ANNIVERSARY**

Our church is 25 years old! Bishop Soto will be celebrating Mass at our church on Sunday, August 18th at 9:00 am. A reception will follow. We are putting together a video, so if anyone has pictures from an event at our church these past 25 years, such as Baptism, communion, marriage, etc., please email them to our Admin assistant Maggie. If you have any questions, contact the office.



## **July 7, 2024 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Recently I watched a bunch of YouTube videos on how to optimize willpower in the face of weakness. The message was: do not accept your weakness. Crush it. Dominate it. In one video, however, at the end of a rant by a willpower coach, the muscular stoic admitted, “You’ll never actually get what you want, no matter how hard you try.” Amazingly, he admitted that willpower alone is not sufficient for us weak-willed humans.

What does God want us to do with our weaknesses, if crushing them with willpower won’t work? For example, what should I do with my tendency to arrogance and self-isolation? Or my procrastination? Or my intellectual and physical limitations? Or my selfishness?

The counter-intuitive answer is clear in this week’s words from St Paul, “I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses in order that the power of Christ may dwell in me (2 Cor. 12:9).” Boast of our weaknesses? Paul isn’t promoting weak-mindedness or laziness. Rather, he perceives that Jesus loves us not despite our weaknesses but because of them. Boasting of our weakness means claiming human will is not all we have. It means turning to God whenever we feel weak, which—let’s face it—is almost all the time. When we do, we learn to love our weaknesses, because it’s there that we meet the strength of Christ. This week, I challenge us to find ways to boast not in willpower but in weakness. — Father John Muir

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