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## Our Mission:

*We, the parishioners of St. Clare Catholic Church, are a joyful and welcoming Eucharistic Community, united by our faith in Jesus Christ. We are a people of many backgrounds who pray together and work together as disciples of Christ. We use our time, talent, and treasure in service to one another and all.*

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## March 30, 2025 Fourth Sunday of Lent

### Masses:

**Saturdays:** Vigil 5:00pm

**Sundays:** 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 5:00pm

**Weekdays:** Monday - Saturday, 8:30am

**First Wednesday:** Mother of Perpetual Help, 6:30pm

**First Sunday:** Spanish Mass, 1:30pm

### Confessions:

**Tuesdays:** 4:00pm

**Saturdays:** 9:15am

*(or by appointment)*

### Eucharistic Adoration:

**Fridays:** 12:00pm-5:30pm

**First Friday:** 12:00pm-6:30pm

### Parish Office Hours:

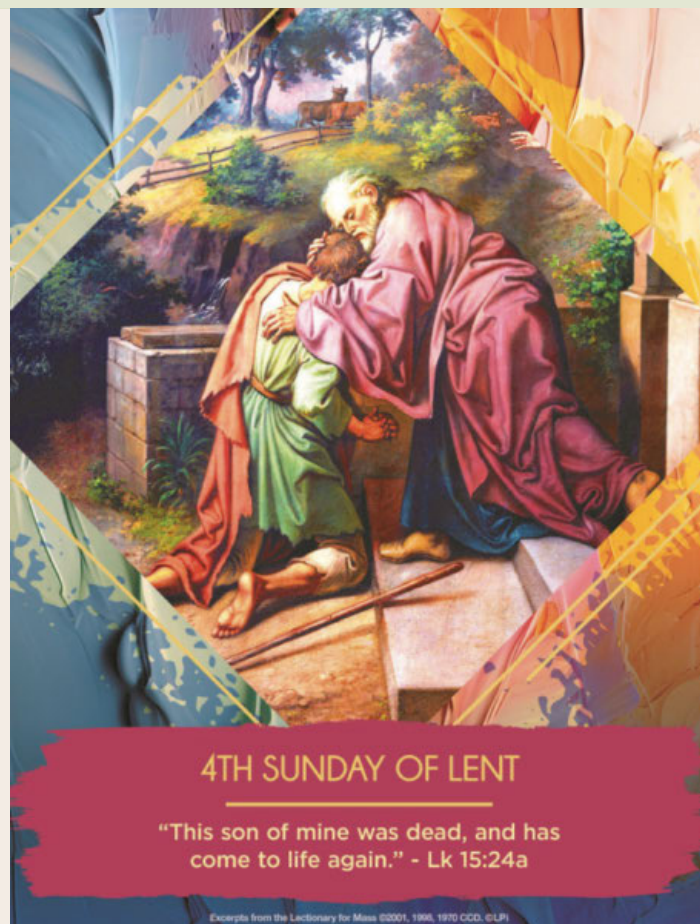
**Monday:** 9:00am-5:00pm

**Tuesday:** 9:00am-5:00pm

**Wednesday:** Closed

**Thursday:** 9:00am-5:00pm

**Friday:** 9:00am-4:00pm



## 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

"This son of mine was dead, and has come to life again." - Lk 15:24a

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### CLERGY

**Fr. George T. Snyder, Jr., Pastor**

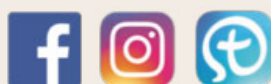
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**Larry Bertrand, Deacon**

**Ken Crawford, Deacon**

**Marinko Kraljevich, Retired Deacon**

**Carl Kube, Retired Deacon**



### PARISH STAFF

**Patty Murphy, Coord. of Liturgy/Interim Operations Manager**

**Barry Sinch, Facilities Manager**

**Regina Jiron, Parish Bookkeeper**

**Edgar Burgos, Maintenance Supervisor**

**Laura Rios, Coordinator of K-5th Grade Ministry**

**Andres Gonzalez, Coordinator of 6th-12th Grade Ministry**

**Tracy Kaschmitter, Faith Formation Assistant**

**Margie Perrault, Parish Admin Assistant**

**Veronica Romero, Parish Admin Assistant**

**Liza Lacambra, Liturgy Assistant**

**Rose Ochoa, Bookkeeper Assistant**

**Kathleen Calvert, Parish Admin Assistant (Bulletin/Web)**

## LITURGY AND PRAYER

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b/Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday:	Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday:	Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30
Thursday:	Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Jn 5:31-47
Friday:	Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday:	Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12/Jn 7:40-53
Sunday:	Is 43:16-21/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11 Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

### Lenten Regulations and Admonitions

Lent is a season of spiritual renewal and a time to examine one's relationship with God and others more carefully. The Church calls everyone, therefore, to a spirit of penance through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.



### Fridays in Lent: March 7- April 11

- **Soup & Bread Suppers**
  - 6:00pm-7:00pm in the Morris Hall
- **Stations of the Cross**
  - 7:00pm in the Church

### Taizé Holy Hour with Adoration

- Mondays, March 10 - April 7 at 7:00pm in the Church

### Penance Reconciliation Service

- **Tuesday, April 1** at 6:00pm in the Church followed by individual confessions

### Palm Sunday: April 12-13

- Regular weekend Mass schedule

### Divine Mercy Ministry The Hour of Mercy



Please join the Divine Mercy Ministry every Friday at 3:00pm, the Hour of Mercy, as we meditate on the Passion of Jesus Christ and pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy during Adoration. We will also pray the "Litany for Life."



### Saturday, March 29

- 8:30am Rick Morey + Estefania Menchavez +  
**Special Intention:** Marcie Espinosa
- 5:00pm Felix & Gregoria Salazar + Frank Wilgus, Sr. +  
Mylene Morales-Garza +

### Sunday, March 30

- 7:30am Julieta Querubin + Nickolas Ali +  
**Special Intention:** Cameron Cottingham
- 9:30am Mariano Garcia, Sr. + Wilfredo Garcia +  
Hidelito Pascual + Antonio Bruce +
- 11:30am Maeloticia Uclaray + Lois Nuner +  
Catalina Montenegro +  
**Special Intention:** Lyn & Elijah Morales
- 5:00pm Emmanuel Banzil + Ronald Zanzinger +  
**Special Intention:** Joel & Des Razo

### Monday, March 31

- 8:30am Christopher & Chuck Leming + Jaime Duran +  
**Special Intention:** Scott Wilson

### Tuesday, April 1

- 8:30am Luis Regalado + Leonard Lukas +  
**Special Intention:** Fr. Sinto

### Wednesday, April 2

- 8:30 am Johnny Caligan + Vince Pantalone +
- 6:30pm Sylvia Martinez +  
**Special Intention:** Lynn Watkins, Freidenfelt family

### Thursday, April 3

- 8:30am Aleyamma Thomas +  
**Special Intention:** Dina Mendiola & Victoria  
Martinez, Christopher & Nenita Barnes

### Friday, April 4

- 8:30am Martina Lagman + Eliodora Salmo +  
**Special Intention:** James Christopher Garcia

### Saturday, April 5

- 8:30am Richard & Lisette Jones +  
**Special Intention:** Dan Guerrero, Ariel de Rosas

### First of the Month Reminders

- **First Wednesday (April 2):** Mother of Perpetual Help Mass at 6:30pm
- **First Friday (April 4):** Adoration from 12:00-5:30pm
- **First Sunday (April 6):** Spanish Mass at 1:30pm



## MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Date	Meeting/Event Title	Start Time	Location
March 30	MFC Youth Meeting	12:30 PM	St. Luke Rm and St. John Rm
March 30	Confirmation Mass	5:00 PM	Church
March 30	Youth Ministry Adoration	6:30 PM	Church
March 31	Taizé Holy Hour with Adoration	7:00 PM	Church
April 1	Flowering Spirit Group Meeting	9:15 AM	La Salle Rm
April 1	Lenten Reconciliation Service	6:00 PM	Church
April 1	Encuentro con Cristo (Spanish)	7:00 PM	St. Matthew Rm
April 2	MOMS' Wednesday Rosary	9:15 AM	St. John Rm
April 2	KofC Assembly #3731 Officers' Meeting	9:30 AM	St. Matthew Rm
April 2	Inquiry for Becoming Catholic	7:30 PM	St. Matthew Rm
April 3	OCIA Adapted for Children Year 2	6:00 PM	St. Matthew Rm
April 3	Encuentro con Cristo (English/Spanish)	7:00 PM	St. Mark Rm
April 4	Soup Supper	6:00 PM	Morris Center
April 4	Stations of the Cross	7:00 PM	Church
April 5	Confirmation Year 1 Retreat	11:00 AM	Morris Center

### THE KNIGHTS' CORNER

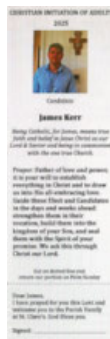
Brother Knights, please visit our website at [knightsofcolumbusroseville.com](http://knightsofcolumbusroseville.com) to see what events are coming up, and sign up for events where you would like to help out.

Looking for ways to continually grow in your faith? Want to lend a helping hand to those less fortunate or in distress? The Knights of Columbus would like to be your vehicle in accomplishing these and other ministry activities. Come join a great men's fraternal organization that can meet those and many other spiritual needs. Just look for our brothers in their blue and red shirts. Introduce yourself and let them know you are interested. They would be more than happy to answer your questions.



### Pray for our Elect and Candidates

On a table in the Narthex you will find 'bookmark/prayer cards' for each one of our Elect and Candidates. There are also two posters with their pictures so you can put a face to the name. Please take a bookmark/prayer card for one or more of these people and pray for them during Lent. On Palm Sunday, please return the bottom portion with your name on it. These cards will be given to the Elect and Candidates at Easter Vigil so they know who has been holding them up in prayer during Lent.



### Catholic Alumni Club of Sacramento

The Catholic Alumni Club of Sacramento is a nonprofit club of single, divorced, and widowed men and women of all ages coming together for worship and events. The cost of membership is \$20.00 per year! Please visit our website at [tonitino.wixsite.com/cac-sacramento](http://tonitino.wixsite.com/cac-sacramento). To request a membership form to join, contact the President, Toni Tino, at [tonitino@comcast.net](mailto:tonitino@comcast.net).



### COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS



College Scholarships are now available. Below are the qualifications:

- Have a GPA of at least 3.2 for 3 1/2 years.
- Be Roman Catholic and of Italian descent and live within the Roman Catholic Dioceses of California, where there are ICF branches.

OR

- Be Roman Catholic and have parents, guardians, or grandparents that are members of the ICF.

FIRST YEAR scholarships will be \$400. These scholarship winners will be eligible for second, third, and fourth year awards of \$500, \$600, and \$1,000, respectively. Applications are available at [www.icf.org](http://www.icf.org).



Are you ready to become Catholic? For those who are visiting, have been attending Mass for some time, and have wondered "How do I become Catholic?" or "What is being Catholic all about?" or you just have questions about our faith, please join us on any Wednesday evening in the St. Matthew Room at 7:30pm. No RSVP is necessary - just come! We would love to assist you on your journey home to the Catholic Faith. For more information, call Deacon Ken Crawford at (916) 772-4763 or Rita Schillin at (916) 223-4073.





# SACRAMENTS, CATECHESIS, & OTHER

## Faith Formation Program K-5th Grade Children & Families

For any questions, please contact Laura Rios, Coordinator of K-5th grade at [childrensministry@stclareroseville.org](mailto:childrensministry@stclareroseville.org) or (916) 772-4717 x113.



God is our loving Father in heaven. He will always forgive us and rejoice when we return to him and ask for his forgiveness.

- **Friday Soup Supper and Stations of the Cross:** Please join the Family Faith Formation families on **Friday, April 4** for some Soup and Stations of the Cross. If you are interested in also volunteering your time, please use the Sign-Up Genius QR code to the right. 
- **April Family Catechesis Session:** Come join us for our monthly Faith Formation session on **Sunday, April 6 at 3:00pm OR 6:15pm OR Monday, April 7 at 6:00pm**. Students in their second year of preparation (SPY2) are expected to attend the Family Catechesis gatherings with their parents as well. As a reminder, please add the number of family members attending the session using the Signup Genius QR code to the right. 
- **Adaptive Faith Formation:** Sunday, April 6 at 3:00pm in the St. Mark classroom. Students with developmental disabilities are part of our individualized Faith Formation program.
- **OCIA Adapted for Children Year 2:** Thursday, April 3 and 24 at 6:00pm in St. Mathew Classroom. For children who are seven years and older, who have not been baptized.

Please continue to keep the Children's Ministry in your daily prayers!



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## Saint Clare Youth Ministry LOVE GOD, SERVE GOD



### UPCOMING EVENTS

All events will be in the Morris Center.

- **Confirmation Year 1 Retreat:** Saturday, April 5, 10:00am-2:00pm
- **Middle School Social Night:** Tuesday, April 8 from 6:30-8:00pm
- **High School Social Night:** Thursday, April 10 from 6:30-8:00pm
- **Middle School Session 11:** Sunday, April 27 from 3:00-4:30pm OR Tuesday, April 29 from 6:30-8:00pm
- **High School Session 11:** Sunday, April 27 OR Thursday, May 1 from 6:30-8:00pm



## MINISTRY



### Social Concerns

Have you ever wondered where the items you donate go? Here is an explanation of where these things go almost every time!

- Men's clothing, shoes, sleeping bags, tents, older pots and pans, gloves, hats...to the homeless
- Women's and kids clothing, newer pots and pans, toys, and all kitchen supplies and appliances...to the Ukrainian refugees in North Highlands
- Diapers, wipes, baby supplies, and infant clothing... to the Sacramento Life Center, Sierra Pregnancy and Health, and Bishop Gallegos Home
- Food from the white lists in the Treasure Chest...to three alternative high schools for low income students in need
- Food not on the white lists in the Treasure Chest...to St. Vincent de Paul in Roseville

Thank you for your continued support, I hope this helps answer any questions you might have.



### Taizé Holy Hour - Monday, March 31 at 7:00pm in the Church

If you are looking for a way to deepen your Lenten experience, come and pray with us at our weekly Taizé Holy Hour. The last Lenten Taizé Holy Hour is on April 7. We will resume our monthly Taizé Holy Hour on May 19.

The Holy Hour consists of Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament along with meditative music, gospel readings with reflection, and ends with Benediction. Come spend some quiet time with the Lord in a meditative setting and deepen your relationship with Jesus. We hope you will attend.

### Grief, Consolation, and Hope Ministry



If you feel alone and struggle with grief, depression, sadness, or loss, we are here to accompany you on your journey of healing and wholeness. For questions, please call the parish office at (916) 772-4717 and leave a message for Carmela Kube with your name and contact number, or email Carmela at: [carmkuba@surewest.net](mailto:carmkuba@surewest.net). You can meet individually or you can attend group meetings on the 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month at 9:30am in the St. Mark room. The next meetings will be April 10 and April 24.

## RESPECT LIFE

*St. Joseph, defender of life, pray for us!*

[respectlife.org](http://respectlife.org)



### Take a Public Stand!

**March again on March 31**

12:00pm at the State Capitol

Tell legislators to support life

List of speakers:

Lila Rose from Live Action

Melissa Ohden, an abortion survivor

Jackie Turner, from Acres of Hope

Jonathan Keller, from CFC

### 40 Days for Life

Join the Respect Life Team

Thursdays at 9:00am - 11:00am and 1:00pm-3:00pm

At the 29th St. Planned Parenthood facility

[40daysforlife.com/en/sacramento](http://40daysforlife.com/en/sacramento)

## Holy Week Schedule



### 2025 St. Clare Catholic Church

#### Saturday, April 12 Palm Sunday Vigil

- 8:30AM – Mass
- 9:15AM – Confessions
- 5:00PM – Vigil Mass (also livestreamed)

#### Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday

- 7:30AM – Mass
- 9:30AM – Mass
- 11:30AM – Mass
- 5:00PM – Mass

#### Monday, April 14

- 8:30AM – Mass

#### Tuesday, April 15

- 8:30AM – Mass
- 4:00PM – Confessions

#### Wednesday, April 16

- 8:30AM – Mass

#### Thursday, April 17

- No 8:30AM Mass
- 7:00PM – Mass of the Lord's Supper. Blessed Sacrament moved to the Altar of Repose until Midnight (also livestreamed)

#### Friday, April 18 Good Friday

- No 8:30AM Mass
- 12:00PM – Good Friday Celebration of the Lord's Passion
- 2:00PM – Stations of the Cross
- 3:00PM – Chaplet of Divine Mercy & First Day Novena
- 6:00PM – Bilingual Stations of the Cross

#### Saturday, April 19 Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil

- No 8:30AM – Mass
- No 9:15AM – Confessions
- 8:00PM – Mass (also livestreamed)

#### Sunday, April 20 Easter

- 5:00AM – Salubong (Church)
- 5:30AM – Mass at Dawn (Church)
- 7:30AM – Mass (Church & Morris Center)
- 9:30AM – Mass (Church & Morris Center)
- 11:30AM – Mass (Church & Morris Center)
- 3:00PM – Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Church)



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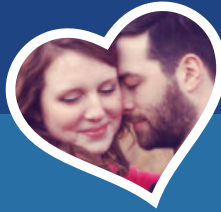
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## What is Salubong?

After the Resurrection, there is a tradition affirmed by St. Ambrose of Milan and St. Ignatius of Loyola that the Blessed Virgin Mary encountered her Son, the Risen Christ. This tradition is portrayed in the pious procession known as “Salubong” in the Philippines and “Encuentro” in Spain. “Salubong” literally means “meeting” or “encounter.” From separate directions, a procession of men bearing the image of the Risen Christ and a procession of women bearing the image of the Blessed Virgin Mary meet in the church. In this dramatic reunion of the Risen Christ and His Sorrowful Mother, we will see Mary’s deep sorrow at the loss of her Beloved Son turn into indescribable joy! The black veil of mourning will be lifted from Mary by one of the children dressed as an angel, who leads the assembly in the singing of the Easter Marian Antiphon, “Regina Caeli, Laetare” (Queen of Heaven, Rejoice).



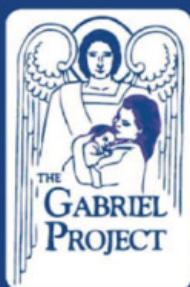
## Salubong—Easter Sunday

At dawn on Easter Sunday, April 20, at 5:00am, we will hold the traditional **Salubong**, a procession service commemorating the meeting of the Risen Lord Jesus and the Blessed Virgin Mary on Easter morning. This will be followed by Mass at 5:30am.

We need boys and girls, aged 5 to 11 years old, to participate as Regina Caeli Angels to sing and greet the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Risen Lord. We ask parents to encourage their boys and girls to come and participate in this solemn Easter tradition. To sign up your child, or if you have any questions, please contact Kaye Inton at [marykayeinton@gmail.com](mailto:marykayeinton@gmail.com) or Myra Dy at [arym72@yahoo.com](mailto:arym72@yahoo.com).

## Lenten Reconciliation Service

Please join us for our Lenten Reconciliation Service on Tuesday, April 1 at 6:00pm. We will have a short service followed by individual confessions. There will be 19 priests available to hear confessions. The season of Lent prepares us for the great Solemnity of Easter, and what better way to prepare than to be reconciled with God and your neighbor.



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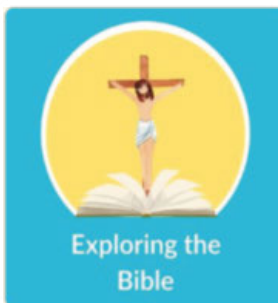
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This weekend, we take up *The Catholic Relief Services Collection* to reveal Christ's

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