

## Sunday, September 2, 2018

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### Mass Intentions

- 9/1 @ 5:00 +Andrea Wong  
9/2 @ 8:00 +Lupe & +Grace Mora  
9/2 @ 10:00 +Fred Anderson  
9/2 @ 12:00 People of the Parish  
9/4 @ 8:00 +Duvall Nicolas &  
+Soledad Nave  
9/5 @ 8:00 Stan Brenner – Happy 90th  
Birthday!!!!  
9/6 @ 8:00 +Dolores France  
9/7 @ 8:00 +Judy Hawryliak

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept. 1-2: Second collection for the Building Fund  
Sept. 3: Diocesan Holiday: Parish Offices Are Closed.  
Sept. 3: No Charismatic Prayer  
Sept. 5: FAITH FORMATION Starts  
Sept. 7: First Friday, Mass & Adoration.  
Sept 7: Happy Birthday Father Mervin!  
Sept. 8-9: Diocesan Priests Retirement – envelopes will be available.  
Sept. 8 – Oct. 5: Father Mervin is on vacation.  
Sept. 8 – 21: Welcome Back, Fr. Joe Ternullo.  
Sept. 10: Charismatic Prayer @ 6:30 in the Parish Hall; all are welcome.  
Sept. 11: Bible Study Starts.

- Sept. 12: FAITH FORMATION  
Sept. 20: FCCW Starts – see insert for more information.  
Sept 29: Daughters of Isabella' Fall Boutique, St Anne's Church Hall, Lodi 9:00am – 3:00PM

| WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT |             |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Sunday Collection       | \$ 4,303.00 |
| Church in Latin Amer.   | \$ 423.00   |
| (new total)             |             |
| No. Calif. Fire Victims | \$ 2,165.11 |
| Rio Vista Food Pantry   | \$ 439.00   |

### AMAZON LINK

Our charity link is:  
<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/45-3851348>

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

On September 1-2, the Knights will be selling raffle tickets after each Mass. Besides the \$5,000.00 in total prizes awarded in seven drawings, funds raised above that amount are used to support local charitable causes. Tickets cost \$20.00 each. Please support this charitable effort and receive a \$5.00 discount from The Pizza Factory on family-sized pizza with your ticket purchase.

### FELLOWSHIP OF CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN WOMEN (FCCW)

*Women gathering in the Spirit to grow closer to Christ Jesus*

A NEW ministry for women will begin at St. Joseph on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday mornings of each month starting on September 20<sup>th</sup>. Details and sign-up after all the English Masses on September 8-9<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please contact Barbara at 707 410-8780.

## + St. Joseph Catholic Church +

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Fr. Mervin Concepcion,  
Pastor

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Deacon Bill Bolduc

Fr. William K. Walsh, Pastor Emeritus

### WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00PM  
Sunday: 8:00AM & 10:00AM  
12:00PM (en Español/in Spanish)  
Weekdays: Tues. – Fri. @ 8:00AM  
Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
Sat. 4:00PM – 4:45PM or by appointment

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Janet Campbell, Secretary  
(707) 374-2155  
Mon. - Fri. 9:30AM-3:00PM  
(CLOSED for lunch 12:30PM-1:30PM)  
[stjosephoffice@comcast.net](mailto:stjosephoffice@comcast.net)

### PARISH HALL

Please contact the office (707) 374-2155 for keys/information concerning the Hall.

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the Month,

### FINANCE COUNCIL

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the Month  
Mike Pine, Chair

### BAPTISMS

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month at 11:00am. Preparation class for parents & Godparents on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday in the Parish Hall at 5:30PM. Must be scheduled first. Call the office to schedule.

### FAITH FORMATION

Suzette Sutton, CRE  
Classes – Wednesdays 2:00-4:00  
[stjosephcatechism@comcast.net](mailto:stjosephcatechism@comcast.net)  
(707)374-2607

Office Hours: Wed. 9-4, Thurs. 9-12

### YOUTH GROUP

Dan Mahoney, Leader  
Sunday at 7:00PM in Parish Hall  
High School Students

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Please contact the office for information  
“FIRST FRIDAYS”  
Mass @ 8:00 AM, Exposition & Adoration of the Eucharist 8:30 – 3:00; Benediction @ 3:00PM

### CHOIR PRACTICE

Every Thursday, Lee Muller, Director  
BIBLE STUDY  
First Corinthians

### ST. VINCENT dePAUL – For assistance:

(707) 374-3426 Monday – Friday

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the Month

### YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month

### **ST VINCENT DE PAUL'S FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALK**

Next weekend registration forms for St. Vincent de Paul's "*Friends of the Poor Walk*" will be distributed to everyone attending Mass. There are several ways to participate.

Our first objective is to bring awareness of the needs of the poor in our community, and to enhance the stature of St. Joseph Catholic Church to the people and businesses in Rio Vista. For this to succeed, we urge everyone to assemble outside the Church parking lot at 8:00AM on Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Those who wish can stroll with us around the park, and those capable of a longer walk can join the parade down Main St. and back. Refreshments will be served afterward.

Our second objective is to raise money for the work of our St. Joseph-Rio Vista Conference. For this we ask for your donations. Those willing to walk and donate a minimum of \$20.00 will receive a t-shirt. You do not need to donate to walk. All children who walk will receive a free t-shirt. Those unable to walk may still donate; any amount is welcome. We hope this will be a festive, sociable event in addition to a worthwhile effort to support our continuing mission to help the poor.

### **DIOCESAN PRIESTS' RETIREMENT**

Next weekend, there will be a chance to donate to the Diocesan Priests' Retirement Fund. This is an opportunity for parishioners to thank our priests for their long and loving service to the Diocese. Please consider making a donation. Special envelopes will be provided.

### **CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY**

Representatives from the Catholic Funeral and Cemetery Services, a Ministry of the Diocese of Sacramento, will be giving a brief presentation after each of the Masses the weekend of **September 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**. The presentation will be held in the Conference Room in the Parish Hall, where you can get all of your questions answered like; can we be cremated? What is the difference between Funeral and Cemetery? I think I have it all taken care of, I have a burial plot already at the Cemetery. Who picks up the deceased if they pass away at home? What are the Church's teachings around being buried? Why is a Catholic Cemetery important? We are here as your resource through one of life's most difficult times. For more information, please contact Nicole Zamora, Director of Community Outreach, at (916) 840-2138 or by e-mail at [nzamora@cfcssacramento.org](mailto:nzamora@cfcssacramento.org).

### **LIVE YOUR DREAM AWARD**

Soroptimist of Rio Vista is looking for a woman who is the primary financial support for herself and dependents and is in college or vocational training program who needs assistance. This cash award can be used to offset *any* costs associated with their efforts to attain higher education, such as books, childcare, tuition and transportation. If you have any questions or are interested in applying please contact Lupe Finch 425-785-6725 or Kay Kelley 909-234-6913. Or apply online at <https://www.soroptimist.org/ourwork/live-yourdream-awards/apply-for-the-live-your-dream-awards.html>. Type in zip code 94571 in the zip code search field and select SI Rio Vista for the name of the club.

### **SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL Caminata de los Amigos de los Pobres**

En todas las Misas, se distribuirán los formularios de inscripción para la "*Caminata de los Amigos de los Pobres*" de San Vicente de Paúl el próximo fin de semana. Hay varias formas de participar.

Nuestro primer objetivo es concientizar sobre las necesidades de los pobres en nuestra comunidad, y aumentar la estatura de la Iglesia Católica San José a las personas y negocios en Rio Vista. Para que esto tenga éxito, pedimos que todos se reúnan en el estacionamiento fuera de la iglesia a las 8 de la mañana el sábado, 22 de septiembre. Los que deseen, pueden caminar con nosotros por el parque, y aquellos que pueden caminar más pueden unirse al desfile por la Calle Main. Refrescos serán servidos después.

Nuestro segundo objetivo es de recaudar fondos para el trabajo de nuestra sociedad de San José-Rio Vista. Para esto, le pedimos donaciones. Aquellos que estén dispuestos a caminar y donar un mínimo de \$20 recibirán una camiseta. No necesita donar para caminar. Los niños que caminen recibirán una camiseta gratis. Los que no pueden caminar también pueden donar; cualquier cantidad es bienvenida. Esperamos que este sea un evento festivo y sociable además de un esfuerzo valioso para apoyar nuestra misión continua de ayudar a los pobres.

### **EL FONDO DE JUBILACIÓN DE SACERDOTES DIOCESANOS**

El próximo fin de semana, habrá una oportunidad para donar al Fondo de Jubilación de Sacerdotes Diocesanos. Es una oportunidad para que los feligreses puedan agradecerles a nuestros sacerdotes

por su largo y dedicado servicio. Por favor consideren hacer una donación. Habrá sobres especiales para esta colecta.

### **FUNERARIO Y CEMENTERIO CATÓLICO**

Representantes de Los Servicios Funerarios y de Cementerio Católicos, un ministerio de la Diócesis de Sacramento, darán una presentación breve después de cada Misa el fin de semana del 15 y 16 de septiembre. La presentación se llevará a cabo en el salón parroquial, donde tendrá la oportunidad de conseguir respuestas a preguntas como: ¿Podemos ser cremados? ¿Cuál es la diferencia entre Funeraria y Cementerio? Creo que ya tengo todo en orden, tengo un lugar en el cementerio, ¿eso es todo lo que necesito? ¿Quién levanta/recoge al difunto cuando ha fallecido? ¿Cuáles son las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica sobre la sepultura? ¿Por qué son importantes los Cementerios Católicos? Estamos aquí para servirle durante uno de los tiempos más difíciles de la vida. Para más información, por favor contacte a Nicole Zamora, Directora de Extensión Comunitaria, al (916) 840-2138 o por correo electrónico a [nzamora@cfcssacramento.org](mailto:nzamora@cfcssacramento.org).

### **CABALLEROS DE COLÓN**

Los Caballeros de Colón estarán vendiendo boletos de su rifa después de cada Misa septiembre 1 y 2. Además de los \$5,000 en premios totales otorgados en siete sorteos, los fondos recaudados se utilizarán para apoyar causas caritativas locales. Los boletos cuestan \$20 cada uno. Apoye este esfuerzo caritativo y reciba un descuento de \$5 de la Pizza Factory por una pizza de tamaño familiar con cada boleto que compre.