

30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 29, 2023

MISSION STATEMENT

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER is a Eucharistic community of believers commissioned through our Baptism to share the Gospel message of Jesus Christ with all people. Out of our diversity we create unity through respect for every person, common celebrations, sacramental worship, Christian education of all ages, and outreach programs.

WELCOME!

We are pleased that you have chosen to worship here today and hope you will find this community a place where your faith can be nourished. Visit the Parish Center or www.sjwchurch.com.

MASSES

Saturday

8:30 a.m.

5:30 p.m. (Vigil) English

7:00 p.m. (Vigil) Spanish

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Vietnamese 9:00, 10:30 a.m. English

12:00 p.m. Spanish Monday - Friday

6:30, 8:30 a.m.

PASTORAL STAFF

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Associate Pastor

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Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J. P. Fernandez

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Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

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The Great Commandment

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You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind ...

You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

-Mt 22: 37, 39



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Parish Center Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00 -7:00 p.m. • Sat.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • Sun.: Closed



READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

1.50-10/ WIL 22.34-40

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk

13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Lk

13:18-21

Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1.3 (Mt 5:1.1.2c)

3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom

5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6 Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-

15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10/Ps 131:1, 2, 3/1 Thes 2:7b-

9, 13/Mt 23:1-12

7:00 p.m.

Sunday

7:30 a.m.

7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

12:00 p.m. All Souls

MASS INTENTIONS

| Sunday | October 29 |
|------------|---|
| 7:30 a.m. | Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP) |
| 7:30 a.m. | Phero Tran Van Hung (Intentions) |
| 9:00 a.m. | Fidela Candelario (RIP) |
| 9:00 a.m. | Lolita Fong (RIP) |
| 10:30 a.m. | Tito Le Ba Le (RIP) |
| 10:30 a.m. | Emilio John Uy Nicolas (Get Well) |
| 12:00 p.m. | Ramon Lomeli, Jr. (Birthday) |
| 12:00 p.m. | Adela Ruiz (RIP) |
| Monday | October 30 |
| 6:30 a.m. | Dominico Hoang Vu (RIP) |
| 6:30 a.m. | Andrew, Maria, and All Souls (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Geronimo Gonzales (Birthday) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Fe Gonzales (Get Well) |
| Tuesday | October 31 |
| 6:30 a.m. | Ana and Juana Garcia (RIP) |
| 6:30 a.m. | Isidro and Rosa Tale Vicente (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Vincent Tuan Nguyen (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Peter An Chu (RIP) |
| Wednesday | , |
| 6:30 a.m. | Alfonso Castellanos Luna (RIP) |
| 6:30 a.m. | Honesto Dimayuga (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Agatha Nguyen Thu Thuy (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Lauro, Sr. and Lydia Mora (RIP) |
| Thursday | November 2 |
| 6:30 a.m. | Joaquin and Remedios Villagracia (RIP) |
| 6:30 a.m. | Alfredo and Milagros Sabillo (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Mahen and Daphne Gunatilake (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Victoria Reyes (RIP) |
| Friday | November 3 |
| 6:30 a.m. | Carmen De La Torre (Birthday) |
| 6:30 a.m. | Gregoria and Bernardo Mora, Sr. (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Raul Perez (RIP) |
| 8:30 a.m. | Althea Mae Krezinger (Birthday) |
| Saturday | November 4 |
| 8:30 a.m. | Memorial Society |
| 8:30 a.m. | Oscar de Jesus and Maria Bertha Rodriguez (RIP) |
| 5:30 p.m. | All Souls |
| 5:30 p.m. | Wilhelmino J. Bulan (RIP) |
| 7:00 p.m. | Micaela Miranda Nava (RIP) |
| | |

Angelica Mejia (Birthday)

Isabel de Leon (RIP)

Paulina Lindain (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Flora and Fernando Uy (RIP) 10:30 a.m. Joseph Dieu Le (RIP)

Agatha Nguyen Thu Thuy Giuse (RIP)

Giuse Dinh Viet Thua (Intentions)

November 5

PARISH LIFE

ALL SAINTS DAY - NOVEMBER 1

Wednesday, November 1 is All Saints' Day and a Holy day of

Obligation. Masses are as followed:

6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 6:45 p.m. (English)

5:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)

8:00 pm. (Spanish)

We will not have a Vigil Mass.

ALL SOULS DAY - NOVEMBER 2

Special Mass Schedule: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 6:45 p.m. (English) 5:30 p.m. (Vietnamese) 8:00 pm. (Spanish)

You are invited to bring a photo of your deceased loved one in a small picture frame. The altar with the portraits will remain until Sunday, November 19. Please put your name and phone number behind the frame, and remember to take your photos after. Also, our All Souls Novena will begin Thursday, November 2, and continue through Friday, November 10. Remember your family and friends, with nine days of Masses. Novena envelopes are available in the vestibule of the church and at the side exits.

CALLED TO RENEW

Called to Renew's Infrastructure Improvement Distribution for critical parish repairs and enhancements based on the facilities assessment prior to the pandemic begins Monday with repairs on our church roof. Additional repair projects will focus on church air conditioning, flooring, painting, and the rectory. As a reminder, please continue to fulfill your pledges as we look forward to our vision projects for sound, lighting, and gathering area.



GOSPEL MEDITATION

In our secularized culture, we all struggle with belief in God, at least to some degree. An atheist man named Robert Bridges once wrote to his friend, the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins, asking how he could possibly learn to believe in God. Hopkins pithily responded: "Give alms." Would that help someone tempted by atheism today, like you and me?

I think so, and here's why. This week Jesus speaks of love for God and neighbor. These dual commands were nothing new when Jesus used them to sum up the Jewish law. What is new is the way he links them together in mutual dependency. In Jesus, God and man have become one. Human-love and God-love are now inseparably married forever. The newness of the God-man means that there is now a permanently counter-intuitive way into the knowledge and love of God: love of our neighbor. To experience charity is to know God. That's what Hopkins was getting at for his friend. How we treat our fellow human beings is inseparable from faith in God. Do you want to have a stronger sense of God's loving presence and goodness? Commit to serving someone today and this week. Love him or her. Don't wait for love for God to appear in your heart before loving others. Jesus has united divine and human love. If you want to believe more in God, give alms.

Father John Muir ©LPi

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PARISH LIFE

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We invite you to be in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the church.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Your food donation is very well appreciated. Please bring the items to the SVDP donation bins at the entrances of the church or on Saturday morning at the SVDP pantry. When making donations to the needy of the parish please make checks payable to: *The St. Vincent de Paul Society* and take them to the Parish Center or visit the SVDP page on the parish website and you can donate online through PayPal.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Are you seeking to grow spiritually? Come and join us in the church every Thursday night from 7:00pm to 9:00pm for an evening of praise and worship, bible reflection, group sharing, video presentation and talks to help us grow in faith. Learn about the activities of our various ministries: Intercessory, Healing, Liturgy, Marian, Evangelization, Pastoral, Service and be an active participant in our Charismatic community. Healing Service:

November 16 - Fr. Ronnie "Joshua" Alvero, is with the Disciples of Hope, also serving as DS Chaplain, VA Medical Center Van Nuys, CA



SJW MEMORIAL SOCIETY

St. Joseph the Worker Memorial Society is intended as a meaningful and beautiful way for persons to remember their beloved deceased or to express their condolences to friends who have lost a loved one. Persons enrolled in the Memorial Society will share in the spiritual benefits of special Masses and prayers offered throughout the year, every year. A Mass is offered for those enrolled every first Saturday of the month at our 8:30 a.m. Mass. The enrollment list is kept in the Parish Center and is accessible during office hours. Each memorial is presented in a handsome leatherette folder, containing an enrollment card where the name of the person remembered is inscribed, along with the person who enrolled the deceased. The leatherette folder with personalized enrollment card is particularly suitable on the occasion of a death, to bring to a viewing or funeral, or to send as an anniversary remembrance. Call the Parish Center to make arrangements.

PRAY FOR YOUR PARISH FINANCES

Bring your full tithe to the church so there will be ample provisions in my Church. Test me in this and see if I don't open up heaven itself to you and pour out blessings beyond your wildest dreams. (Malachi 3:10)

| Weekly Goal | 10/22/23 | Last Year | Change |
|-------------|----------|-----------|--------|
| \$20,000 | \$13,957 | \$11,328 | +23.2% |

2023 Env \$5,885 (42.2%) E-giving \$1,973 (14.1%) 2022 Env \$4,516 (40.0%) E-giving \$1,823 (16.1%)

DEVOTIONS/PRAYER GROUPS

Rosary

Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. (Church)

Friday 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Grupo de Oración

Miércoles 7:00 p.m. (Salón Parroquial)

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday 7:00 p.m. (Church)

SACRAMENTS

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Confirmation Process (Grades 8th - 12th)

Year One - Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 pm OR Sundays 9:30 - 11:00 am

Year Two - Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 pm OR Sundays 9:30 - 11:00 am

Information: JP Fernandez, ext. 1018

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Information: Bill Sparks, ext. 1012. Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals

Call the Parish Center.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

This sacrament of healing is received by those who are seriously ill, approaching serious surgery, or near death. Please contact the Parish Center to arrange a convenient time. If a parishioner who has not been anointed is near death, please call the Parish Center at any hour.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Wendy Pelamati, Hazel Villanueva, Sofia Mckee, Raul Andia, Juana Ibañez, Joseph Alvarez, Adorable Manabat, Kurt Backe, Sisters Erlinda and Angelina Pocasangre Escobar, Victoria Spinoza, Dolores Rodriguez Calle, Maria Ines Medina, Brenda Aguilar, Ana Cristina Seabra, Natalia Camarillo.

If you have a loved one or friend in our parish community who would like a visit from a Eucharistic Minister to the Sick please call the Parish Center.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE

Please remember in your prayers all those who have recently lost a loved one.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Information: Karina Villanueva, ext. 1016.

Schedule of Classes

Elementary Grades 1-5 English

Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. or Saturday, 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Elementary Grades 1-5 Spanish

Saturday, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Middle School Grades 6-8 English

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Special Education

Wednesday, 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Elementary (Vietnamese)

Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

RCIA

(RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

Curious about Catholicism and want to know more? Interested in becoming a Catholic? Would you like to receive the Sacraments of Initiation?

Information: Bill Sparks, ext. 1012.

Inquiry Classes Adults (English)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres Conference Rooms

Sunday 11:30 a.m.

Adults and Youth or Teens (Spanish)

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Conference Room

Friday 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Adults (Vietnamese)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres

Conference Rooms

Youth or Teen 12-18 years (English)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Two Wednesdays a month 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (English)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres Conference Rooms

Two Wednesdays a month 7:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (Spanish)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Friday 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

What are the rules about minors serving as volunteers?

It is the job of adults — not minors — to protect children from harm and abuse. However, many minors are also volunteers at school and at church, which sometimes makes it difficult to know what roles minors should play. Within programs or ministries, there should always be an adult in an official supervisory role. Minors should be helping, but never directly in charge of younger children. Meeting this standard can be challenging but it is important in keeping all children, including minor volunteers, safe. For more information, read the VIR-TUS® article "Minors Who Are Serving or Assisting in Volunteer-Type Activities" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

SJW SCHOOL NEWS

St. Joseph the Worker School's Student Non-Discrimination Policy The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color, national origin, and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, medical condition, sex, or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies and practices, scholarship programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single-sex schools.

While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range of services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student's emotional, academic, and physical abilities and the resources available to the school in meeting the student's needs.

YOUTH NEWS / CONFIRMATION

Youth Mass: Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, October 31, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, November 5, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Gift of Sacred Scriptures"

Tuesday, November 14, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, November 19**, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Jesus Christ, the God-Man and Supreme Teacher"

Tuesday, November 28, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, December 3**, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Christ's Great Teaching: The Trinity"

Confirmation Year 2:

Tuesday, October 24, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, October 29,** 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Baptism and Confirmation" **Tuesday, November 7,** 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, November 12,** 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "The Eucharist & Holy Communion"

Tuesday, November 21, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, November 26th, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Structure of the Mass".

Upcoming Service Projects:

Friday, November 17 (6pm to 9pm – Parish Hall) – Thanksgiving Basket Preparation with the Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Saturday, November 18 (8am to 6pm – Parish Hall and Parking Lot) – Thanksgiving Basket distribution with the Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Sunday, December 3 (9am to 3pm - Parish Hall) - Parish Blood Drive with the American Red Cross

Youth Ministry Global Events:

July 28, 2025 to August 3, 2025: Jubilee of Young People (ages 13 – 35). Rome, Italy.

2027: World Youth Day (ages 13-35). Seoul, South Korea

Email: jpf@sjwchurch.com for more information.

PRE - BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Pre-Baptism Classes are available for parents and godparents in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton room, once a month. Please call the Parish Center (818) 341-6634 for information.

PARISH LIFE

MASS INTENTIONS

We are accepting Mass Intention Requests for the remaining of the year. You may download and print the Mass Intention Request form from our website or get one at the Parish Center. Complete the form and deliver or mail it to the Parish Center with your \$10 per Mass donation. A check payable to St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church is preferred; cash is accepted (exact amount, please). There is a limit of four requests per family. We do not accept phone requests.



SINH HOAT GIÁO Xủ

LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 30-10-2023 ĐẾN 05-11-2023

Thứ hai 30-10:

Trang: 1540-1541, 1542-1543

Thứ ba 31-10:

Trang: 1543-1544, 1546

Thứ tư 01-11: Các Thánh Nam Nữ

Trang: 1853-1856

Thứ năm 02-11: Các Tín Hữu đã qua đời

Trang: 1856-1864

Thứ sáu 03-11:

Trang: 1553-1554, 1556

Thứ bẩy 04-11: Thánh Chales Borromeo, Giám mục

Trang: 1557-1558, 1559-1560

Chúa nhật 05-11: Chúa nhật XXXI mùa thường niên

Trang: 1560-1562

IN THE COMMUNITY **VALLEY FAMILY CENTER**

We are located in the city of San Fernando. All services are in English/Spanish. Counseling services include: Marriage, family and child. Special groups: Teen girls, children 5 - 12, children of divorced couples, victims of abuse, children's bereavement group, parenting educational classes, domestic violence perpetrator groups (as needed) Sliding scale fees. Call (818) 365-8588.











LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Ex 22, 20-26/Sal 17, 2-3. 3-4. 47. 51 (2)/1 Tes 1, 5-10/Mt 22. 34-40

Lunes: Rom 8, 12-17/Sal 67, 2 y 4. 6-7. 20-21/Lc 13, 10

-17

Martes: Rom 8, 18-25/Sal 125, 1-2. 2-3. 4-5. 6/Lc 13,

18-21

Miércoles: Ap 7, 2-4. 9-14/Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/1 Jn 3, 1-3/Mt 5, 1-12

Jueves: Sab 4, 7-14/Sal 24, 6. y 7. 17-18. 20-21/Rom 5, 17-21/Mt 11. 25-30

Viernes: Rom 9, 1-5/Sal 147, 12-13. 14-15. 19-20/Lc 14. 1-6

Sábado: Rom 11, 1-2. 11-12. 25-29/Sal 93, 12-13. 14-15. 17-18/Lc 14, 1. 7-11

Domingo: Mal 1, 14–2, 2. 8-10/Sal 130, 1. 2. 3/1 Tes 2, 7-9. 13/Mt 23, 1-12

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

¿Cuáles son las reglas sobre los menores que sirven como voluntarios?

Es tarea de los adultos, no de los menores, proteger a los niños del peligro y del abuso. Sin embargo, muchos menores también son voluntarios en la escuela y en la iglesia, lo que a veces dificulta saber qué roles deben desempeñar los menores. Dentro de los programas o ministerios, siempre debe haber un adulto con una función oficial de supervisión. Los menores deberían ayudar, pero nunca estar directamente a cargo de los niños más pequeños. Cumplir con este estándar puede ser un desafío, pero es importante para mantener seguros a todos los niños, incluidos los voluntarios menores. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS® "Minors Who Are Serving or Assisting in Volunteer-Type Activities" (Menores que prestan servicios o ayudan en actividades de tipo voluntario) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

REQUISITOS PARA LA CELEBRACION DE OUINCE AÑOS

- 1. Reunirse con la secretaria parroquial o llamarla al (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003 para hacer arreglos no antes de 5 meses de la fecha deseada.
- 2. Presentar una copia u original de los certificados de Bautismo y Primera Comunión.
- 3. Deben estar ya confirmadas, en el programa de confirmación o mostrar prueba de que están registradas, ANTES DE QUE UNA FECHA PUEDA SER RESERVADA.
- 4. Asistir a misa regularmente.

para reservar la fecha.

- 5. La familia debe ser feligrés de la iglesia San José Obrero, ya sea porque vive dentro de los límites de nuestra parroquia, o es miembro registrado.
- 6. Bajo circunstancias especiales, podemos considerar familias de otras parroquias, si la fecha deseada está disponible. La cuota para los que no son feligreses es lo que su propia parroquia cobre por una misa de 15 años. 7. Requerimos un depósito no reembolsable de \$200

VIDA PARROQUIAL

Los invitamos a estar en la presencia del **Santísimo Sacramento** todos los viernes de 5:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia. Los Primeros Viernes tendremos el **Santo Rosario** a las 7:00 p.m. seguido de la misa en español a las 7:30 p.m.



DIA DE TODOS LOS SANTOS

El miercoles 1° de noviembre es la Solemnidad de Todos los Santos, día de precepto. El horario de misas es el siguiente: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 6:45 p.m. (Ingles) 5:30 p.m. (Vietnamita) 8:00 pm. (Español)

DIA DE LOS FIELES DIFUNTOS - 2 DE NOVIEMBRE

Horario de misas especiales: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 6:45 p.m. (Ingles) 5:30 p.m. (Vietnamita) 8:00 pm. (Español)

Se invita a las personas a traer una copia de la foto de sus seres queridos fallecidos en un portarretrato pequeño. Pongan su nombre y numero de teléfono detrás del portarretrato (la parroquia no se hace responsable si se pierde). El altar con las fotos permanecerá hasta el día domingo 19 de noviembre. No olvide llevarse sus fotos ese día. También les recordamos que nuestra novena de misas en honor a nuestros difuntos empezará el jueves 2 de noviembre y continuará hasta el viernes 10 de noviembre. Recuerde a sus familiares o amigos durante nueve días de misas que serán celebradas por ellos. Encontrará los sobres en el vestíbulo de la iglesia y cerca a las puertas de salida de los lados del templo. Gracias.

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

Hoy, la Liturgia, nos habla de dos mandamientos que son inseparables el uno del otro. El amor a Dios y el amor al prójimo, dos puntos fundamentales del Evangelio de hoy. No se puede poner solo énfasis en lo espiritual o en las obras de misericordia. Al poner importancia solo en uno de ellos, se corre el riesgo de perder la relación con el Señor. "Amarás al Señor tu Dios con tu corazón, con toda tu alma y con toda tu mente. Este es el gran mandamiento, el primero. Pero hay otro muy parecido: Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo. Toda la Ley y los profetas se fundamentan en estos dos mandamientos (Mateo 22,37-40). "En el Evangelio de hoy, una vez más, Jesús nos ayuda a ir a la fuente viva y que brota del Amor. Y tal fuente es Dios mismo, para ser amado totalmente en una comunión que nada ni nadie puede romper. Comunión que es un don para invocar cada día, pero también compromiso personal para que nuestra vida no se deje esclavizar por los ídolos del mundo. Y la verificación de nuestro camino de conversión y de santidad está siempre en el amor al prójimo" (Papa Francisco 10-25-2020). La enseñanza es que, en medio de nuestro ajetreo de cada día, no olvidemos que los mandamientos son fundamentales para nuestro bien personal y de la sociedad. Es decir, nuestro prójimo.

CLASES PRE - BAUTISMALES

Las clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos se ofrecen en el salón de Santa Elizabeth una vez al mes. Llame a la oficina parroquial para mas información.



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To promote a spirit of belonging, we encourage all who worship here to become registered parishioners. Having registered makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, school or religious education enrollment, weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor, and funerals. Simply attending Mass here does not make you a registered parishioner. Please call or visit the Parish Center to request a registration form or complete the form online at the parish website: www.sjwchurch.com. Also, please contact the Parish Center if you have a new address or phone number. The staff is able to serve you better if the parish records are accurate.

REQUESTING USE OF PARISH FACILITIES

Parish and School groups that would like to reserve any facility in the parish must contact Angela Escobar in the Parish Center (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003. Only rooms reserved in advance are open. If your group needs to cancel a reservation, please let Angela know so that the room can be made available to another group. Also, if your group needs a particular room arrangement, please bring a copy of the requested floor plan to the Parish Center a week ahead.

BULLETIN AND MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS

The deadline (strictly observed) for submission of **Bulletin** and **Mass** announcements is the previous Monday at noon. Deliver a copy of the bulletin or Mass announcement to the Parish Center or email it to Angela Escobar: angela_escobar4@hotmail.com. To submit a photo to accompany the bulletin text, send a digital file (jpeg or TIF), color or black/white, 300 dpi. See the front cover for the parish mailing address and fax number. For more information please contact Angela Escobar, (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003.

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