



February 11, 2024

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6th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Live-stream All Masses on the West Sac OLG YouTube Channel Daily Mass join Zoom Meeting ID 828 7609 4045 Passcode OLG

SUNDAY	Feb 10	5:30 PM	Vigil Patrick Marta	(Birthday)
	Feb 11	9 AM	All Parishioners	
		11 AM	Pacing McFeely	(Healing)
MONDAY	Feb 12	8:30 AM	Nick Gianatasio	(Spcl Int)
TUESDAY	Feb 13	8:30 AM	Musial Family	(Healing)
			Jan Valencia	(Healing)
WEDNESDAY	Feb 14	Ash Wednesday (Obligatory day of Fasting & Abstinence)		
		7 AM	Bill Hancock	+
			Matthew Clark	+
		8:30 AM	OLG School Mass	
		6 PM	Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena	
		7 PM	Jenna Haag	(Birthday)
THURSDAY	Feb 15	8:30 AM	Mass in Church	
FRIDAY	Feb 16	8:30 AM	Mass in Church	
		7 PM	Stations of the Cross	
SATURDAY	Feb 17	10:30 AM	Baptism: Santino & Abigail Nunez	

JESUS WANTS TO HEAL OUR HEARTS

The First Reading sets the stage for today's Gospel account of Jesus healing the leper. Here we find the law regarding leprosy. Any sort of skin disease, even severe acne or eczema was considered leprosy. All such citizens were severely segregated from the rest of the community and lost any right to participate in society. The priests were involved in the official declaration of uncleanness and healing of such. The Responsorial Psalm 32, speaks of God as the sole healer of physical disease and of our hearts. However, God's healing can only take place if we ask, admit to our own sinfulness, and seek His pardon. Sin denies love of ourselves and others. When we sin we are telling ourselves that we are worthless and may as well treat ourselves like trash. God does not so treat us. God treats us with more respect than we think we deserve. He always loves us even when we don't know enough to love ourselves. In the Second Reading, St Paul encourages us to imitate him because he already imitates Christ, having chosen to live for the Lord. All we do must be done to bring others to God. Today's Gospel is a miracle account of Jesus healing a leper. Jesus however, does not want to be known as a miracle worker, for His mission is much more profound. He wants to be the healer of our hearts. Today's healing, as is often the case with Jesus, is based on His compassion for the leper. The leper is told to tell no one except the priests who can certify his healing and allow him to re-enter society. The healed leper, however, did not follow Jesus' warning because he didn't understand. He told everyone about the matter, which made it impossible for Jesus to freely enter a town, forcing Him to stay in deserted places. May we have the grace to follow the Lord, even when we don't understand.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2024 Lenten Retreat
led by Dr. John Bergsma from St. Paul Center
Friday, February 16th - Saturday, February, 17th
St. Joseph Catholic Church | 1791 Marshall Road, Vacaville, CA. 95687 | <http://stjv.org>

Dr. John Bergsma
serves as Professor of Theology
at the Franciscan University of Steubenville
and Vice President at the St. Paul Center.

Register Here

<https://bit.ly/2024lent>
The retreat is FREE
of charge and the parish
will take up a free will offering to set off the cost.
If you would like to make a donation, please write a check to St. Joseph Parish

Retreat Schedule
Friday, Feb. 16th - 6:30pm - 8:45pm
Saturday, Feb. 17th - 8:15am - 12:30pm

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL - On the weekend of February 17/18, we will have the opportunity to offer ourselves as companions to those who suffer emotional, physical and spiritual poverty. Each of our gifts, no matter the amount, makes a difference in someone's life. Catholic Charities can respond to the greatest needs in our community. Prayerfully consider what you can give this year.



2024 LENTEN SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday Mass on February 14 (with imposition of ashes) Mass times at 7 AM; 8:30 AM School Mass; and 7 PM. **Abstinence: Catholics age 14 and older do not eat meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during lent. Fasting: Catholics age 18 to 59 limit the amount of food they eat. Exemptions allowed for those with medical reasons.**

Daily Mass on Monday - Thursday, at 8:30 AM during lent.

Stations of the Cross every Friday, at 7 PM.

- Feb 17 Knights of Columbus
- Feb 23 Lector & Commentators
- Mar 1 Society of St Vincent de Paul
- Mar 8 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Mar 15 Altar Servers, Youth & Young Adults
- Mar 22 All Ministry Groups

Rite of Sending on Sunday, February 18, at the 9 AM Mass, and **Rite of Election** at the Cathedral at 7 PM.

Lenten Penance Service on Tuesday, February 27, at 7 PM.

Confirmation Mass on Friday, March 22, at 6 PM in the school hall with Bishop Delegate Fr. Chris Fraser.

A STEWARD MAKES GOD'S LOVE VISIBLE BY IMITATING JESUS.



SERVICE

Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,271.00

Collection Summary:

January 28: \$3,881.00

Thank you for sharing your gifts with our Church!

ASH WEDNESDAY COLLECTION — On February 14, the collection will be taken for CRS Rice Bowl. You may give through the parish at the Ash Wednesday Masses, or donate online at: <https://support.crs.org/donate/change-life-lent-0>

PRAYER

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Please keep our brothers/sister in your prayers that God will grant them healing and strength: Grace Mosely, Leonila Arucan, Suzanne Shunk & Stefanie Smith
Pray for the dead, and that their loved ones be consoled:
Ken Musial+ Linda Stewart + Sharon Ramos+ Paul Davis+

FORMATION

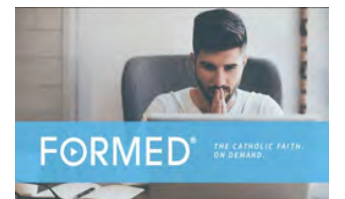
Children's Liturgy every Sunday at the 9 AM and 11 AM Masses. Contact Sunshine Arcinas for information.

Children's Faith Formation (CFF) Classes meet on Tuesday, at 5:30 PM at OLG school. Contact Dena Serrano to volunteer as a youth or adult catechist.

Adult Bible Study meet on Tuesdays, at 7 PM, except on the first of the month. Please contact Ana Ramirez-Palmer for information.

Baptism Class for parents & godparents on Wednesday, March 6, at 7 PM. Please call the Parish Office (916) 371-4814 to sign up.

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HOSPITALITY



Congratulations to couples celebrating a wedding anniversary in February!
Couples will receive a blessing at the end of Mass.

Baptism blessings to Charlotte Giordanengo!



Photo by Karen Kasmauski for CRS
Join our faith community in a transformative Lenten journey through CRS Rice Bowl. Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



PASTORAL & FORMATION SUPPORT -
Call the Parish Office: (916) 371-4814 for
spiritual formation assistance.

**Communion for the Homebound or
Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick** -
Call the Parish Office to schedule a visit. One
need not be in immediate danger of death to
request support.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL (SVDP) -

If anyone in our Parish or greater community needs assistance, or if anyone
would like to volunteer their time to work with our Parish SVDP program
please call: (916) 371-5264.

Life Long Catholic Faith Formation

Baptism - Mandatory class for parents and godparents is scheduled for
the first Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the rectory. Baptisms will
be scheduled for the First Saturday at 11:30 am after completion of the
class and all required paperwork. Please call the Parish Office to register
for the class or to schedule the Baptism.

Adult Bible Study - Tuesdays at 7pm in the Parish Center.

Baptism - Mandatory class for parents and godparents is scheduled for
the first Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the Rectory. Please call the Parish
Office to register for the class.

Children's Religious Education/Catholic Faith Formation (CFF)
T K4 - 8th - Tuesdays from 5:30 to 6:45 pm. Includes preparation in the
2nd grade to receive First Eucharist; and preparation in the 7th grade for
Confirmation. Both sacraments require 2-year attendance in CFF. Classes
for high school students available. Adult and Youth Catechists and Office
Help needed. Call the Director of Religious Education at (916) 371-4814 for
enrollment questions or to volunteer in our CFF program.

Marriage Preparation - Engaged couples should contact the Parish Office
to begin preparation six (6) months prior to the intended wedding date.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) - Thursdays 7pm-8:30pm
in the Parish Center. All are welcome, baptized and un-baptized Christians
seeking to complete their initiation into the Faith.

Graced Youth Ministry - Alternating Sundays at 4pm in the Parish Center.

Parish Council: Chair: Michael Babowal; Secretary: Carol Campbell;
Members: Jeremy Arcinas, Wilma Bulaong, Trudy Connolly, Sonya
Craighton, Keith Doyle, Mike Fritz, Patrice Griffith, and Rick Mayoral
Email parishcouncil@westsacolg.org

Finance Council: Chair: Kenneth Barrow; Members: Maggie Carson,
Anthony Tassone, & Harry Valencia Call the Parish Office (916) 371-4814
for questions.

Welcome to Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church!

New to the parish? Like to register?
Please fill in & tear this off & drop in the offertory basket.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

<p>"Shop us first & Save!"</p> <p>GROCERY OUTLET bargain market</p> <p>\$3 off any \$30 or more purchase</p> <p>845 Harbor Blvd • 916-372-6575 Matt & Jennifer Engstrom</p>	
<p>70 YEARS OF SERVICE</p> <p>RAMOS OIL COMPANY since 1951</p>	<p>God Bless America</p>
<p>RIVER CITIES FUNERAL CHAPEL Lic. FD1082</p> <p>Jon R. Daniel - Fourth Generation Catholic Director Call Concerning Pre-Need Arrangements ... For Your Peace of Mind.</p> <p>910 Soule St. West Sacramento 371-4535</p>	
<p>916-372-8484</p> <p>UBS UNITED BUILDING SERVICE MECHANICAL HEATING & AIR</p>	
<p>We meet @ 6:00pm starting with Hospitality 2nd Thursday of each month For details call: 916-371-5264</p> <p>SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SACRAMENTO</p>	<p>Paul A. Johnson, D.D.S., M.S. Board Certified Pediatric Dentist Proudly serving the community since 2015! 916-277-8055 Pediatric Dentistry of West Sacramento 2101 Stone Blvd., Suite 130, West Sacramento www.pdows.com</p>
<p>FREE TAX PREPARATION HELP VITA Voluntary Income Tax Assistance PREPARACIÓN DE IMPUESTOS GRATIS 916-572-0560</p>	
<p>Mercy McMahon Terrace Across from Sacred Heart Church Assisted Living At It's Best 3865 J St • 916-733-6510 Protecting Our Seniors During Difficult Times www.mercymcmahonterrace.org Holy Communion Available + Mass on Saturdays</p>	<p>MARY KAY Isabelle Cammarota Beauty Consultant 916-247-6279 try before you buy (virtual / in-person) www.marykay.com/isabellec</p>
<p>Our Lady of Grace Council #9469</p> <p>Knights of Columbus Meets 2nd Wednesdays at 7pm in the Convent Building, Our Lady of Grace School. For membership information contact Byron Paige, Membership Chairman: (916) 995-4570</p>	<p>Giannetti & Booms www.sacortho.com (916) 452-3584 info@sacortho.com</p> <p>invisalign DAMON SYSTEM</p>

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays (except Thursday): 8:30am
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 9am and 11am
First Saturday (Immaculate Heart of Mary): 8:30am
First Friday Eucharistic Adoration: 7 pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:45 to 5:15 or by appointment

Mission Statement - We are a welcoming Eucharistic
Community nourished by the Word of God, committed to
extend Christ's unconditional love to ALL.

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