



Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 5, 2021

"Jesus makes the deaf hear and the mute speak." - Mark 7:31-37

WELCOME GABE!



We welcome **Gabe Summers** to our parish staff as **Youth Minister for**

High School and Middle School, including High School Confirmation. Gabe has been a teacher at Salesians Sisters School for the past several years, and she has also been a public school principal. Gabe and her family (John, Giana, Siena) have been members of Resurrection for many years, and she has served on our Pastoral Council. We thank her for so generously responding to God's call to serve the young people and families of our parish!

To reach Gabe her phone number is 688-4300 x22 and email is gb-summers@att.net

LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY



LABOR DAY MASS AT 9:00 AM, SEPTEMBER 6: We thank God for the gift of work and our sharing in the creative, redeeming, and sustaining work of God. We pray for all workers and for greater respect

for human dignity.

LOOKING FOR ACOLYTES: Is the Holy Spirit calling you to serve at the Lord's table as an acolyte? For information, please contact Carol Laflin cjmlaflin@gmail.com or (cell) 831-251-4951.

SATURDAY MORNING MEDITATION: The Saturday Morning Interdenominational Meditation Group meets at 8:30 AM in the main church. All are welcome to join the group for about 30 minutes of silent meditation. Please come even if you do not have a regular meditation practice but would like to learn more about it. For further information, call Pat O'Brien (831) 566-8234. Thank you.

ZOOM PRAYER GROUP: A prayer group led by Susan Crovo is meeting on Mondays through Zoom at 10:00 AM. We would like to extend an invitation to any parishioners interested in joining us. Please call Kendra Rickwald at 805-296-9560 if you are interested and would like more information.

\$10,000 RAFFLE



Our annual \$10,000 Raffle Drawing will be held on **Sunday, November 14**. All registered parishioners should have received a letter with one raffle ticket. We will be having an **Early Bird Drawing for \$500.00** in cash on Sunday, October 17.

This fundraiser is our largest one of the year and supports the parish and our ministries.

How Can you Help?

1. **Purchase a raffle ticket** (or several). Tickets are \$100.00 each and can be paid via cash, check, or credit card. You will need to call the office if you'd like to purchase tickets with your credit card or fill out the form on the back of the letter.
2. **Donate a new raffle prize.** This could be something as simple as a gift card for a local restaurant or business, a gift basket that you have created, etc.
3. **Pray for the success of this endeavor.** This raffle is our major fundraiser for the year which supports the parish and all of our ministries.
4. At this time we are not selling tickets after mass so we have provided a mail back envelope in the letter for your convenience. You can mail it back, drop it in the collection or drop it by the office during office hours.
5. Tickets will be sale in the office M-F from 8:30 AM—12:30 PM.

Raffle Prizes to Date:

- Four \$250 Gift Cards to Deluxe Foods
- \$25 Erik's Deli Gift Card
- Wine Tour & Tasting for 10 at Byington Vineyard & Winery
- Handcrafted Wire Sculpture of a Boy & his Dragon by Lou Licon
- Italian Night Basket
- Wine Basket
- Basket of Homemade Jams
- Roaring Camp Gift Card
- Two Night Stay for 2 plus meals @ Villa Maria Del Mar Retreat Center in Santa Cruz

Questions? Contact Karen Victorino, 831-688-4300 x10, or kmvictorino@sbcglobal.net

**As of September 1 we have sold 203 tickets.
Our goal is to sell 405 tickets. Thank you!**

WELCOME BACK TO CHURCH!

We have **two masses each weekend: Saturday at 5 PM & Sunday at 10:15 AM**

Social distancing and reservations are no longer required.

- **Facemasks are required for everyone indoors.**

Thank you for your patience, prayers, and amazing support as we continue to safely adapt to living with the COVID-19 virus. The Bishop has suspended the Sunday mass obligation. We will continue to live stream our 8:30 AM weekday and our 10:15 AM Sunday masses. See below for more information.

SUNDAY MORNING LIVESTREAM MASS

Our live stream Sunday mass is at **10:15 AM**
Anytime after 10:00 AM on Sunday, here's how to join us:

Option 1: YouTube (non-interactive)

Go to our YouTube channel [Resurrection Church, Aptos](#) and look for the "Live Now" video. You'll be able to see and hear everything, but we won't be able to hear you if you want to share a prayer intention or peace greeting (but God will hear you!)

Option 2: Zoom (interactive)

From a computer:

1. Go to: <https://zoom.us/j/429472279>
2. Enter your name (so we'll know you're there!)

From a smart phone or tablet:

1. Download the Zoom app (if you don't already have it)
2. Start the app and select "Join a Meeting"
3. Enter Meeting ID 429 472 279

From any phone: (audio only)

1. Dial 1-669-900-6833 (a San Jose number)
2. Enter Meeting ID 429 472 279 and #
3. (Enter # again (no "Participant ID" needed)

An email will be sent each Saturday with a convenient one-click link and a link to a worship aid. Links are also on our website. A Zoom Visual Aid is available on our website as well.

You may wish to have a trial run by logging on ahead of time. If you get to a page that says "This meeting has not started" then you've succeeded!

The mass will be available for on-demand viewing immediately on our parish YouTube channel (search "[Resurrection Church Aptos](#)")

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday through Friday at 8:30 AM

Live and On-Demand on our YouTube Channel

Live on Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/98470808627>

MORNING PRAYER (Mondays)

On-Demand on our YouTube Channel: [Resurrection Church, Aptos](#)

NIGHT PRAYER (Nightly) On-Demand on our YouTube Channel: [Resurrection Church, Aptos](#)

GOOD NEWS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37
Monday: Col 1:24-2:3; Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday: Mi 5:1-4 or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
Thursday: Col 3:12-17; Lk 6:27-38
Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Lk 6:39-42
Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Lk 6:43-49
Sunday: Is 50:4-9; Ps 116:1-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35



THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED!

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (Mark 7:31-37) and homily as we live out our Eucharist this week. Reflect upon it in your heart and mind, and discuss it with your family, friends and faith community members.

- When have you helped someone who could not help themselves?
- How does learning to really listen to others help you to speak rightly to them?
- When have you been amazed at what God had done in your life or in the life of another?

Mass Intentions for September 4—12

Saturday, 09/04

5:00 PM (KJL) +Harry Reichstein, +Skip Morrissey

Sunday, 09/05

10:15 AM (JP) The People of the Parish, Mary Jane Drinkwater, Stephanie Day, Alex Medrano Family, +Curt Rettig, +Paul McGillicuddy, +Ted Lyell, +Frances Sikand, +Carol Bonanno

Monday, 09/06

9:00 AM (JP) Essential Workers

Tuesday, 09/07

8:30 AM (LP) +Mary Boyce Anderson
+Alan Kammersgard



Wednesday, 9/08

8:30 AM (LP) +Vince Rice, +Joyce Anne Asmussen

Thursday, 9/09

8:30 AM (KJL) +Jake Bregante, +Shirley Fasth

Friday, 9/10

8:30 AM (LP) +Lori Matusich, Katie Klotz, Gary & Jeanie Ewers

Saturday, 9/11

5:00 PM (RE) +Richard Gates, The People of the Parish

Sunday, 9/12

10:15 AM (RE) +Kathleen Bossio, +John Dennis Laflin, +Norma Romeri
+Fr. Larry Kambitsch, Ed Golditch
Mary Jane Drinkwater
+Vince Rice

Celebrants:

KJL=Fr. Ken Laverone, OFM, LP=Fr. Larry Percell
JP=Fr. Joseph Paradayil, SDB

PRAYER LINE PRAISE REPORT!



Have your prayers been answered? Have you experienced a sign of God's love? Please let us know so that we can give thanks and praise to God with you! You can email us or send your praise report to our PO Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001.

Stewardship of Treasure PLATE COLLECTION August 28 & 29, 2021	
Weekly Plate Collection:	
• Mailed In & All Masses	\$6,720.00
• Electronic	\$831.20
• Total	\$7,551.20
Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)	\$10,000.00
Plate Collection Average	\$9,716.00
Parish Assistance Ministry (PAM)	\$1,629.81

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL SUPPORT!

If you miss a week your donation can be mailed to the parish office at P.O. Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001-0087 or you go to <https://resurrection-aptos.org> and click on the donate now button. Thank you.

Remember Resurrection Catholic Community in your will. Contact Karen Victorino in the parish office.



Resurrection Church—Aptos, California



Resurrection Catholic Community



The parish office will be closed on Monday, September 6 in observance of Labor Day.

LABOR DAY



**PLEASE PRAY for ALL THOSE
in NEED OF HEALING**



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| Cyrella Ashley | Sophia Emmons | Judy Navarro |
| Cross/Boettcher/
Burghart families | Peter Empson | Zoe Nink |
| Lorenzo Abeyta | Annie Enright | Leo Olson |
| Gregory Ackerson | Sean Enright | Teresa Orosco |
| Marc Adato | Alicia Enriquez | Connor Paulbitski |
| Javier Anaya | Irma Enriquez | Dave Peasley |
| Baby Luke | Terry Erwin | Anita Perry |
| Becki Bailey | Dee Feci | Gabe Ponce |
| Emi Baldenegro | Trent Feliss | Oliver Potts |
| Adeline Bautista | Greg Finegan | Pablo R. |
| Dennis Berbach | Mark Emmet Fisher | Chris Randolph |
| Maria Bernstein-
Brumbaugh | Jen Garvey | Dawn Renz |
| Stacy Bischoff | Andre Grier | Mary Repetti |
| Jeraldine Boger | Lita Hebert | Joel Rivera |
| Lillian Bombardieri | Kelly Jo Hebert | Chellie Roberts |
| Vera Borroel | Mary Ann Herlihy | Suzie Roberts |
| Tracy Boyd | Robert Higgins | David Rovella |
| Rick Braun | Debra Hightower | Jose Rufino |
| Joe Brechel | Clive Hodson | Valerie Ruschke |
| Michelle Brown | Bea Holmes | John Sargetis |
| Betsy Burrows | Rick Housouer | Joseph Saucier |
| Wren Buse | Barbara Howley | Anna Seely |
| Carlos C. | Patrick Howley | Kim Sessa |
| Tony Cacache | Allan Hughes | Jill Schauf |
| Dante Calcagno | Jim Jackson | Kelly Scott |
| Ardith Campbell | Johnathan | Alisha Smith |
| Delores Carano | Ariel Johnson | William Smith |
| John & Marion
Cernac | John Jones | Diane Spot |
| Lucy Chacon | D.B.K. | Greg Stewart |
| Chelsea & Family | Tony K. | Agnes Subbiondo |
| Mary Church | Gerri Karleen | Donald Tavares |
| John Conway | Dylan Kinion | Paul Thompson |
| Dr. Abraham
Cordova | Kathy Klapheke | Sharon Turner |
| Trish Cronin | Mary Klaus | Amy V.F. |
| Ralph Cross | Joshua Kobinski | Mark Vaught |
| Edith Cuevas | Marion Kusanovich | Vlad |
| Nancy Daves | Michael Laflin | Lawrence W. |
| Larry Davis | Matt Lane | Stephanie Walsh |
| Carrie deHart | Joan Lawlor | Mike & Pauline
Whalen |
| Tavish deHart | Eric Lee | Gina Wilson |
| Maria Romo de
Soto & Family | Frank Leonetti | Mary Ann Wright |
| Lynnette Delgadello | Carrie Levin | Michele Wright |
| Nicole Dennis | Donald Lowery | Tannis Welch |
| Sr. Joan Derry | Matthew Ludlow | Thom Windsor |
| Ralph Desmond | Danny Lucas | Maggie Young |
| Mary Donatoni | Michael Lucas | Rosemary Zamora |
| Sharon Dougan | Rob Mallard | |
| Mark Duggan | Ginny Solari Mazry | |
| Robert Duggan | Jackie McDow | |
| Wyatt Duino | Connie McGill-Fergus | |
| Pat Emard | Kathleen McGinley | |
| | John McLeod | |
| | Mary McMenemy | |
| | Lisa McMenemy | |
| | Elaine McMenemy | |
| | George Mungai | |
| | Joleen Munoz | |

Please let the office know when a name can be removed from this prayer list. Thank you.

PRAYER LINE: Please call Rosalie Flores-Aguon (831-359-9799) or Mary Soltis (688-8326) if you or someone you know is in need of prayer or email resurrection.aptos.prayerline@gmail.com

WOULD YOU LIKE A MASS OFFERED FOR A LOVED ONE? We are still able to take mass requests for daily mass or for the weekend. Please email Jolene at jamcfeely@sbcglobal.net and she will be happy to set up a date for you or come by the office during office hours. The donation per mass is \$10.00. You can mail in a check or pay with your credit card. Thank you!



FAITH FORMATION



IS GOD CALLING YOU TO BECOME A CATHOLIC? If you'd like to explore this possibility, please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or pfconway@sbcglobal.net

CONFIRMATION FOR CATHOLIC ADULTS
Please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or pfconway@sbcglobal.net for more information.

K-5 FAITH FORMATION & FIRST EUCHARIST
For information please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or pfconway@sbcglobal.net

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL & CONFIRMATION
Please contact Gabe Summers at 688-4300 x22 or gb-summers@att.net

My Weekly Offering

Your weekly offering can be given securely to Resurrection via our website

<https://resurrection-aptos.org>

or by scanning the QR Code



GIVE PLUS+ or by downloading the free app **Give Plus+** in the Google Play Store or Apple Store

or by mailing your donation to Resurrection Church, PO Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001

Your weekly offering helps pay for 70% of our operating expenses. We thank you for your continued support of the parish!

OUTREACH

FOOD PANTRY: Our Food Pantry serves the needs of the poorest of our community each Monday and Friday morning from 10:00 AM to noon. Thanks to being an official distribution center for the Second Harvest Food Bank, and your generous donations, we have plenty of food to offer those who need it. Throughout the pandemic we haven't had to purchase any food from Second Harvest. All food from Second Harvest has been given to us free. We are so grateful for our generous volunteers who come each week to serve the clients and to make the food bags and keep everything organized. Truly Christ is revealed in the breaking of the bread!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

- September 11/12: Mission Appeal for the Diocese of Chingleput, India (see the flyer in today's bulletin)
- September 18/19: Catholic Charities

ATTENTION CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPE USERS: If you have returned to mass and would like your envelopes to resume please email Jolene McFeely at jamcfeely@sbcglobal.net or Karen Victorino at kmvictorino@sbcglobal.net or leave a message for us at the parish office 831-688-4300 and we'll make sure you begin to receive them again. Thank you!



HAVE YOU STOPPED RECEIVING OUR PARISH EMAILS? We send at least two emails out per day and if you have you stopped receiving emails from the parish they may have landed in your spam or junk folder. Please check these folders and mark them "not spam" and this should correct the problem. Emails come generally from the following email addresses: resurrectionparish@sbcglobal.net, pfconway@sbcglobal.net and kmvictorino@sbcglobal.net If you don't see our emails in your spam please call the parish office (831-688-4300) M-F from 8:30 AM—12:30 PM and Jolene or Karen can help you figure out what is going on.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY: SUNDAY ZOOM CHURCH

MONITOR: Would you like to interact with our church community in a new way? Become one of our Sunday Zoom church monitors. Training is provided ... and the training can all be done online. Ideal for a tech loving young person - all ages can experience this wonderful ministry. Let us know if you would like to join our Zoom Church Ministry. Contact Rob Darrow at robdarrow@aol.com for more information and to volunteer.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: GARDENING AT THE PARISH—TUESDAYS 10:00 AM—12:00 PM

Bring your gardening gloves, clippers (if you have them), a desire to maintain our grounds and make them beautiful & a willing spirit. If Tuesdays don't work for you and you'd still like to volunteer contact the parish office so we know when you'd like to volunteer so we can tell you where work needs to be done. Thank you!

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THE DIOCESE OF MONTEREY SCHOOL OF MINISTRY is pleased to offer Through Death to Life: The Ministry of Pastoral Care for the Grieving at the Time of Death and the Period that Follows.

Dates: Saturdays – **September 11, October 9, and October 23**

Cost: \$ 75.00 (includes cost of books)

Location: St. Joseph's, Spreckels, CA

Time: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

This three part in-person series will provide formation and training in *pastoral care* to the grieving including the review of the funeral rites in the *Order of Christian Funerals*, and helpful accompaniment of the grieving from the darkness of death and doubt to "to a living hope." We will review the Church's theological / liturgical insights & practicum; the spirituality of suffering, death and loss; and explore the competent human and ministerial skills for this important ministry to the suffering. Presenters are Deacon David and Lorie Ford and Fr. Peter Bosque.

These presenters come with much pastoral experience and education in the ministry to the grieving.

Register at the Diocesan School of Ministry website @ <https://www.dioceseofmonterey.org/school-of-ministry>. Please register early as we expect much interest. For more information, please contact Program Coordinator, Ann Ventura, at ventura@dioceseofmonterey.org or at 831-645-2848.

YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE FALL RUMMAGE SALE-

September 4th and 5th: Come and get your bargains at the YLI Rummage Sale. Sale Times: Saturday 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM – 1:00 PM (\$5.00 a bag on Sunday) at Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish Hall, 515 Frederick St. Santa Cruz. For Information: 423-8141

FERTILITYCARE SERVICES OF THE CENTRAL COAST

God's Design for Love and Life. You are invited to learn the tools to live God's design for love and life, through Natural Family Planning, by attending one of these Introductory Sessions. This free two hour Intro Session will explain the use of the FertilityCare System to avoid or achieve pregnancy, overcome infertility, and address health issues such as PCOS, PMS, miscarriage,

etc. All are welcome----engaged and married couples, those experiencing infertility or miscarriage, single women charting for health management and all those curious to learn more about scientific methods for observing and charting the fertility cycle. Choose from these FREE two hour sessions: November 9 at 7:00 PM, Pastoral Center 680 College Drive, Sacred Heart / St. Benedicts in Hollister or September 20 at 7:00 PM, Conference Room Madonna Del Sasso 320 E. Laurel Drive, Salinas. For more information: Sheila St. John, CFPC sheila@canfp.org 831-443-3743

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS offered by Holy Cross Church:

- Starting September 7, Tuesday evenings, at 7:00 PM, The Great Adventure: Galatians: Set Free to Live. Gayle Somers and Jeff Cavins lectures on the videos. Homework is light and videos run about 45 minutes. This is an 8 week study. Zoom meeting to start study
- Tentatively starting Friday, August 27 at 9:00 AM (if books arrive in time). Children of the Day 1 & 2 Thessalonians, by Beth Moore. This is a 9 week study. Zoom meeting to start study.

Please contact Kathy at 831-818-3034 if you would like to join us. Both sessions will be on Zoom and if we can meet in person, we will do both so those out of town can join us too!

AMAZON SMILE: Many of you already shop on Amazon—now you can support Resurrection Church's Building Fund for Markey Community Center by using Amazon Smile. Log into your Amazon account by going to smile.amazon.com, using your same credentials to log in and choose Resurrection Church in Aptos, CA as your charity of choice. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible smile.amazon.com purchases made by supporters to Resurrection Church. Help spread the word!

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Senior Resource Ministry

A Reflection by Erma Coty

We will celebrate Labor Day on Monday. As generations pass, many folks have no idea why a day was set apart to honor America's workers. Many never learned the rich history of the labor movement that inspired this national holiday. Most of us take the many benefits that were the products of the organized labor movement for granted. How many of us even think about the remarkable evolution of the workplace from the *Industrial Revolution* through today?

In the 1800's, workers typically worked 12 hours a day, seven days a week. Children started work when they were 5 years old in factories, mills and mines. Often they were chained to a work area to keep them from being distracted and wandering off. Adults earned pennies per hour and children made even lower wages. Needless to say, the working conditions were unsafe and workers had no leverage to improve their conditions. It is hard to imagine this type of work environment, though in some countries, child labor abuses continue.

The American Labor Movement led by the railroad and mine workers was met with violent opposition by industry owners. Each step forward by workers was preceded by massive strikes or shocking industrial accidents, such as the *Triangle Shirtwaist Factory* fire, that could not be covered up.

On Labor Day, we take a moment to remember those who fought for the 8 hour workday, weekends off, vacation time, sick time, and for medical benefits. And we take into account the work that still needs to be done to insure a safe workplace and equal opportunity for all workers.

I suppose we might wonder how this affects us, members of a Catholic Community, in the 21st century. Those of us, of a certain age, may remember the United Farm Workers when they were a young organization in the late '60s. Fr. Tennant Wright CSJ (those who went to the University of Santa Clara probably remember his theology classes) was a major participant in their cause, honest wages and decent working conditions.

Today many Americans work 2 to 3 jobs, often without any days off to make enough money to support themselves and their families. Again we see the clergy of all denominations join the Rev. Dr. William Barber's Poor Peoples Campaign, a movement to bring attention to those whose wages are insufficient to provide basic needs.

Labor Day is a good day to reflect on the many blessings that we enjoy every day, to remember those who lived before us believed in the value of dignified labor. It took a pandemic to remind us of the many workers who contribute to our daily lives. Let's be thankful for them and honor all workers on September 6th !

Seated Tai Chi

Seated Tai Chi with our instructor Pam Mensah will be held in the Markey Community Center on Thursdays from 11:30 AM to 12:15 PM, beginning September 16, 2021.

All participants must be vaccinated unless medically contraindicated. Masks are required for all as the class will be held indoors in Markey Center. I know we are all willing to help protect each other.

Tai Chi is a class dedicated to health and wellness. As COVID requirements ease, we will again be offering snacks and fellowship after each class. Of course water will be made available for all.



The class is free to all members of Resurrection. Donations are welcomed just as they were when we hosted Yoga.

Please send me a note if you are interested in participating. I will be notifying all those whose name I have on my email list. Consents and registration information forms will be emailed this week. We are looking forward to offering this class.

Erma Coty , elcoty@att.net

Music

Ensemble Monterey

Join us for our 2021-2022 concert season

Celebrate New Beginnings!

Season details coming soon (Rumor has it **Befana-A Christmas Fable** will be featured this year!)

Santa Cruz Symphony

October 3, 2021 at 2:00 PM marks the first "Spotlight on the Symphony Recital" with a live performance at Cabrillo's Samper Recital Hall. Concertmaster Nigel Armstrong is joined by guests artists Audrey Vardanega on piano and Saul Richmond-Rakerd on cello for a great afternoon of music in an intimate setting. Tickets available soon at: <https://www.cabrillo.edu/vapa> or call 831.479.6154

October 23-24, 2021 we celebrate the return of live performances at the Santa Cruz Civic and Mello Center for the Performing Arts with an all strings concert featuring the music of Barber, Corelli, Jessie Montgomery and Tchaikovsky!

Full Season Schedule can be accessed on the Symphony website. <https://santacruzsymphony.org>

