

RESURRECTION

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Dedicated to Growth in Christ and to the Challenges of Loving Service

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 8:30 am—12:30 pm;
1:30—4:30 pm by appointment
Friday: 8:30 am—12:30 pm

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Monday: Morning Prayer on Demand via YouTube
Tuesday-Friday: Mass 8:30 am
Friday: Holy Hour 9:00—10:00 am
Saturday: Mass 5:00 pm
Sunday: Masses 8:15 am & 10:15 am
(Sunday 10:15 am Mass live-streamed on Zoom & YouTube)

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Reconciliation: By Appointment
Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Deacon Patrick Conway to schedule a meeting and preparation classes.
Sacrament of Marriage: Bride & Groom must begin premarital preparation 6 months prior to date. Contact the Parish Office.
Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office to make an appointment

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CEMETERY

Located next to the church
Contact Holy Cross Cemetery • 831-475-3222

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Welcome! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office.

Name: _____ Address: _____
City: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Mobile or Landline
Email: _____ New Parishioner New Address New Phone Number
 Moving—Remove from List Please send contribution envelopes I would like to sign up for Electronic Giving



Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community Sixth Sunday of Easter May 5, 2024

“As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love.”

— Jn 15:9

UPCOMING EVENTS

CARD CRAFTERS: The card crafting group will be selling hand-made **Mother’s Day cards this weekend after the 5:00 PM mass on Saturday, May 4 and 10:15 AM mass on Sunday, May 5. There will also be a variety of assorted cards for sale.** Cards are \$4.00 each or 3 for \$10. If anyone is interested in making cards with our small group, please contact Pat Lorenzo for more information: e-mail at pat.lorenzo336@yahoo.com or phone (831)708-2068. As always, materials are donated, so all of the profits from card sales go to support the Faith Community Shelter at Resurrection.



TEACHING MASS WITH FR. TOM WESTON, SJ

Sunday, June 9 at 2:00 PM here at Resurrection. Ever wonder why we do what we do at mass? Come and learn! This is a regular Sunday mass that will be enhanced by Fr. Tom’s explanation of the history, purpose and spirituality of each part of the mass. This will transform your understanding and experience of the mass for the rest of your life! All ages and all faiths welcome. Fr. Tom Weston, SJ is nationally renowned for his work in spirituality, healing, counseling, and Church history. Come and see!



FIRST EUCHARIST THIS SUNDAY, MAY 5 at 2:00 PM
Please pray for the children who will be receiving the Sacrament for the 1st time and for their families.

LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

LIVE STREAM LITURGY SCHEDULE

- **SUNDAY 10:15 AM MASS via Zoom:**
<https://zoom.us/j/429472279> or open the Zoom app and join Meeting 429 472 279 or via our YouTube Channel.
- **SUNDAY MASSES, NIGHT PRAYER, & MONDAY MORNING PRAYER are available On-Demand on our YouTube Channel and can be viewed or prayed at any time.**
- **You Tube:** [Resurrection Church, Aptos](#)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED:

LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & GREETERS
Is God calling you to serve at mass in one of these ministries? If you have questions, want to find out more about the ministry, or to volunteer please contact Deacon Patrick at pconway@sbcglobal.net or 831-840-3750.

CALLING ADULTS, YOUTH, & CHILDREN! NEW ACOLYTES NEEDED!

Acolytes are essential members of our weekend liturgical team, and we need more of them! Is God calling you to serve him and our community at the altar as an acolyte? If you’d like to learn more about this wonderful ministry that brings you closer to God, please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or pconway@sbcglobal.net.

Mass Intentions for May 4—12

Saturday, 5/4

5:00 PM (RE) +Michael Lorenzo,
+Victor & Virginia Ardizzone,
+Mary Boyce Anderson

Sunday, 5/5

8:15 AM (RE) +John & Loretta Kollmann,
+Lorraine Millang, +Stephen Taylor

10:15 AM (RE)

The People of the Parish,
+Jake Bregante, +Patricia Rodman

Monday, 5/6

On-demand Morning Prayer (YouTube)

Tuesday, 5/7

8:30 AM Communion Service

Wednesday, 5/8

8:30 AM Communion Service

Thursday, 5/9

8:30 AM Communion Service

Friday, 5/10

8:30 AM (RE) +Lori Matusich, David Voss (healing)

Saturday, 5/11

5:00 PM (RE) The People of the Parish,
+Mary Boyce Anderson,
+Josephine Tanner



Sunday, 5/12

8:15 AM (RE) +Pauline Persley,
+Fatima Barredo,
+Gretchen Walsh

10:15 AM (RE)

+Doris “Pinky” Perez Cuenca,
+Sylvia Cordoni, +Libby Conway

Celebrants: RE=Fr. Romeo Evangelista



Fr. Romeo & Deacon Patrick will be at Clergy Study Days this week (Monday-Thursday). Please keep them and the clergy of the Diocese in your prayers.

WOULD YOU LIKE A MASS OFFERED FOR A LOVED ONE?

We are taking mass intention requests for daily masses and weekend masses. 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. Please note we are booking up fast. We can only accept 3 names per mass. Thank you!



SATURDAY MORNING MEDITATION GROUP

Anyone is welcome to attend the non-denominational mindfulness meditation group that meets each Saturday at 8:30 AM in the Daily Mass Chapel. If you have thought about trying meditation, here is the opportunity you've been waiting for!. People from several area congregations gather promptly at 8:30 AM each Saturday for a brief introduction to the meditation followed by 25 minutes of silent prayer. The session ends with a few words of "inspiration" for the week. There are no dues to pay nor tickets to buy—only peaceful silence to share. Please join us for a wonderful way to begin your Saturday with plenty of time left to enjoy other weekend activities. For more information, contact Pat O'Brien (831) 566-8234. Blessings!

DAILY READINGS:

<https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading>

You can listen to or read the readings, watch a reflection video. You can also sign up to get the readings emailed to you every morning. There is also the option to read them in Spanish.



THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED!

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (John 15:9-17) 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.

- Jesus says that he loves us like the Father loves him! What does this mean to you?
- Jesus stresses that we are to love one another as he loves us. What does this mean to you?
- How have you experienced being loved? How do you try to love others?

FAITH FORMATION

K-12 & SACRAMENTS: Please contact Deacon Patrick for more information at 831-840-3750 or pconway@sbcglobal.net

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 pconway@sbcglobal.net

YOUTH MINISTRY

HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (YEAR 1 & 2)

Sessions held on Sundays. Contact Mrs. Gabe Summers at gb-summers@att.net or 831-688-4300 x22

OUTREACH

CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

We are working with other faith communities to learn how we can work together to make better choices and to advocate for better policies and practices in our region to reduce our human impact on climate change. We can all be more conscious of how our individual, daily choices either increase greenhouse gases or reduce them. This can all seem overwhelming and hopeless at times. What difference can I make?



Pope Francis recently published a follow-up to his groundbreaking 2015 encyclical *Laudato Si, Laudato Deum* "Praise God". (Read *Laudato Deum* on our website <https://resurrection-aptos.org>, under Resource Center under Faith Formation.) In it Pope Francis reiterates the **moral imperative** for all Catholics and for all of humanity **to make choices** about what we drive, what we eat, what we wear, what goods we buy that lessen the effects of climate change, for the sake of the vulnerable now, and for the sake of generations to come.

Easy Earth Care Actions. Each month, your Dayenu Interfaith Climate Action team will be encouraging you to take a few quick actions that will benefit our planet and future generations. *Please note that these actions are being done across many faith organizations in Santa Cruz County, and you are part of a large interfaith effort!*

- **Sign On: Enshrine Environmental Rights in the California Constitution.** The Green Amendment: Constitutional right to clean air, water and a healthy environment. Let's join the growing list of states that have taken this critical step for a sustainable future.
- **Call for a Strong Global Plastics Treaty.** Delegations have committed to creating a legally binding treaty that covers the entire life cycle of plastic and centers on frontline communities — but we must speak up to ensure that they adhere to this framework and create policies that address the global plastics crisis.
- **Get Connected:** The beautiful and popular [Environtees Weekly Update](#) e-newsletter, serving Santa Cruz County, makes it easy for you to keep informed and empowered to protect and restore our environment! Go to www.environtees.org to sign up.
- **For more information contact Donna Cavaille at 831-335-2359.**

GET ON THE BUS THANK YOU: Due to your generosity we will be sending \$8,595.00 to Get on the Bus to sponsor a bus of children journeying to Soledad on June 29 to visit their Fathers who are at the Correctional Training Facility & Salinas Valley State Prison in Soledad. The cost of one bus is about \$7,000.00 so the amount raised over this amount will help fund another bus. Thank you so much!



MANTLES OF CARING: The Mantles of caring ministry is looking for new members. We are a group of ladies who love to knit or crochet. We make prayer shawls, hats, baby items...any item that the community may need. We supply all the yarn. If you are interested in joining this ministry, please contact Joyce Dinakar at (914) 330-2975.

DIAPER DRIVE: Raices y Cariño or RC Fam is a Community Center in Watsonville that provides a safe space for the community to gather and raise their children together. Many of the families are low income and farmworker families. Co-founder/Director, Nora Yerena works very closely with Dr. Ann Lopez, Director of the Center for Farmworker Families in Watsonville. **Currently the center is in need of diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5 & 6), and wipes.** If you can help, please bring the items to the parish office during the week or to mass this weekend (a bin will be in the church entrance). For up-to-date information on current needs, please contact Jolene at jamcfeely@sbcglobal.net. Thanks for your continued support! The families are very appreciative!



AFC 12TH ANNIVERSARY GALA: Our Annual Gala will be held on Saturday, May 18 from 6:00 PM—8:30 PM at Holy Cross Parish Hall, 170 High Street, Santa Cruz. If you haven't been to our Gala before, it's one part celebration, one part fundraiser. We look back on the collective work we've done throughout the year, and, as our biggest fundraiser of the year, make sure we can keep that work going. The night includes dinner, drinks, silent and live auctions, stories from former participants, a raffle and more. All proceeds go to AFC's work to shelter and house our unhoused neighbors. Tickets and details can be found at <https://www.afcsantacruz.org/gala.html>. Have questions? Email Sam at info@afcsantacruz.org. Hope to see you there!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO MARIANNA HEINECKE & ANGELINA SILVA WOMEN'S GUILD SCHOLARSHIP

RECIPIENTS: Join us at the 10:15 Mass on Sunday, May 19, when the Resurrection Women's Guild will be pleased to present this year's recipients of our Scholarship Award. The Women's Guild is committed to helping high school girls further their education. We are fortunate this year to award two \$ 2,000 scholarships. This is due in large part to the support of this community for our fundraising activities. This year's recipients: Marianna Heinecke and Angelina Silva are being recognized for their outstanding scholastic achievement and their dedicated service to church and community. Our congratulations and best wishes to these two young women as they begin their college education.



THANK YOU! The Resurrection Women's Guild wants to thank the People of the Parish for your outstanding support of the Bake Sale on April 20 and 21. We deeply appreciate your kindness which will continue to fund our College Scholarships, and other deserving charitable projects. Thank you.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS!

This week we are giving a shout out to: Summers Real Estate & Property Management, Dominican Hospital & Benito & Azaro Pacific Gardens Chapel. See the attached advertising page for all our advertisers. We are grateful for our advertisers continued support of the parish.

SEEKING NEW BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

If you would like to advertise your business in the church bulletin, the deadline for the next quarter (July/Aug/Sept) is coming up. And YES, we do have space for YOUR AD!

- Reasonable rates are as follows:
- Grand Slam: \$455 per quarter
- Home Run: \$375 per quarter
- Triple: \$310 per quarter
- Double: \$230 per quarter
- Single: \$130 per quarter
- "Memorial" space: \$230 per quarter



We are happy to work with you to design an attractive and effective ad (no additional cost for this). If you have any questions about advertising or know of a business that might be interested in advertising contact Karen Victorino, 831-688-4300 x10, kmvictorino@sbcglobal.net by **May 15**. Thank you!

IDAHO MISSION TRIP:



Twenty-six of our teens, young adults, and chaperones will be heading to Lapwai, Idaho June 9-17, 2024. This is the tenth year that our youth have made the journey via car, train, and van to help serve the Nez Perce Tribe. This will be the fourteenth year that Deborah & Hal Rovick have been leading teens to Lapwai. Over the years they have developed a relationship of trust with the native people. They look forward to the trip every year. Our teens will be working on several projects this year. In the past we have constructed 3 handicap ramps for the elders of the tribe, rebuilt the Trading Post, assembled a play structure, painted City Hall, painted 3 homes, replaced floors for 2 tribal members, and built and raised 2 shade/weather structures.

How can you help? You can participate in our trip without leaving home in several ways: you can pray for the group and the people of the Nez Perce Tribe. Each workday at noon the group will be praying The Angelus, you can participate in our fundraiser after the masses on **May 18/19**, by leaving a donation and putting your name on a rock or a nail which will be used in the projects that we will work on during our mission trip.

You can also help sponsor one of our youth. We ask each participant to pay for part of their trip. They pay \$500.00. In actuality the cost to send one person last year was \$700.00. We are still calculating the cost this year but don't expect it to be less than last year. Donation envelopes are currently available on the counter above the bulletins. You may also make an online donation on our website by going to <https://resurrection-aptos.org> and click on "Donate Now" and choose "Idaho Mission Trip." Thank you for your support!

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY REFUGEE FOSTER CARE INFORMATION SESSION—
May 23 at 6:30 PM: Refugee Foster Care supports unaccompanied refugee minors fleeing persecution and violence. We are seeking nurturing families to welcome a refugee youth into their home. Join us virtually to learn more! May 23 at 6:30 PM. Call 408-325-5107 or email ccollins@ccscc.org for more information.

SUMMER CAMP FOR GIRLS AGES 5-14 AT CAMP AUXILIUM IN CORRALITOS (Day Camp or Residential Camp): Camp Auxilium in Corralitos, CA offers the perfect setting for a summer of faith, friendship, and fun! Camp Auxilium is run by the Salesian Sisters with the support of camp counselors who are in high school and college. We offer all of the desired camp activities such as arts and crafts, archery, swimming, sports, dancing and campfires! We do this in a uniquely Catholic setting which includes daily Mass, the rosary, and a Good News message each day. Girls ages 5-14 are invited to join us for day camp or residential camp. **Camp Auxilium 2024 season runs from June 23-July 20.** To register resident or day campers, download the registration and medical forms.

- <https://www.salesianschool.org/summercamp>
- If you'd like to help send a child to camp you can make a donation directly to the Salesian Website: <https://salesiansisterswest.org/camps-oratory/camp-auxilium>
 - If you'd like to purchase supplies for camp & their activities you can go to their Amazon Wish List: Search for Gift List—Sr. TA Khong, fma, Camp Auxilium, June 1, 2024 or use the direct link: <https://www.amazon.com/registries/gf/quest-view/1CMUM9DN3EGK0>

BIBLE STUDY GROUP—ST. JOSEPH'S, CAPITOLA
 Please join us any Wednesday, downstairs in the St. Joseph's parish hall. If you would prefer to check us out online and have used zoom in the past, Just click on the link below. I am usually online at 10:00 AM or a few

minutes after. If you have any questions about our Catholic Bible Study group, please call Marion Santora at 831-661-5651 and leave a message.
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82128179551?pwd=cYMJOIFq9x8NmSflolCvN1r4fHYc74.1>

UPCOMING CURSILLO EVENTS:

- The Cursillo Movement of the Monterey Diocese will be hosting an **Ultreya/Potluck** on Friday, May 17 at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in Spreckels. The Ultreya will begin at 6:00 p.m. and all are welcome to attend, please join us for fun, food and fellowship.
- Also mark your calendars for the upcoming **Women's Cursillo** Retreat that will be held September 5-8 at Mission San Antonio de Padua located at 1 Mission Creek Rd, Fort Hunter Liggett.

- **What is Cursillo?** The actual word Cursillo means short course. The Cursillo is a 3-day retreat, a "short course" in Christianity. It is a wonderful weekend to learn more about your Catholic Faith and a time to know Christ better. For candidate applications or if you would like more information about Cursillo and the upcoming weekends, please contact Alicia Blanco at aliciablanca1967@gmail.com



**Annual Ministries Appeal (AMA)
 "Called to Bear Fruit with
 Jesus as the Cornerstone"**

It is a pleasure to invite you to participate in the 2024 Annual Ministries Appeal. I encourage you to consider making a meaningful gift to this year's AMA, as we continue to lift up our Catholic community throughout our Diocese. Your support maintains the ministries and parish communities that contribute to our vibrant spiritual life.

If you have given to the appeal in the past you should have received a letter from Bishop Daniel Garcia. A follow up letter from Fr. Romeo will be sent to all registered parishioners in March.

Thank you for your prayerful response and generosity.

We have met our Diocesan goal of \$44,800! Now anything we receive will be returned to the parish

to paint the exterior of the rectory (where the pastor lives), replace the rectory flooring, to help support our parish & ministries & to help with ongoing maintenance costs including retrofitting the church lights to LED. Our total goal is \$85,000.00.

You can return the envelope you received directly from the Diocese via mail to the Diocese, return it to Resurrection by placing it in the collection basket or dropping it off at the office.

You can also make an online give by going to: <https://dioceseofmonterey.org/giving>

Bishop's Annual Ministries Appeal as of May 2, 2024		
# of households participating	Amount Pledged	% of total goal
102	\$51,317	60%

Stewardship of Treasure PLATE COLLECTION April 27 & 28, 2024	
Weekly Plate Collection:	
• All Masses/Mailed In	\$6,958.00
• Electronic	\$1,566.00
• Total	\$8,524.00
Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)	\$11,950.00
Plate Collection Average Fiscal YTD	\$11,467.00
Liturgical Ministries	\$1,994.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL SUPPORT!



Your donation can be mailed to the parish office at
P.O. Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001-0087
or securely via our website
<https://resurrection-aptos.org>, click on "Donate Now"
or click on the QR Code to the left.
Thank you!!!

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

Sunday, 5/5

- Card Sales after 10:15 AM mass
- 10:15 AM—1:00 PM Confirmation 1st Year (hall & youth center)
- 11:30 AM—1:00 PM Middle School (hall)
- 2:00 PM—3:00 PM First Eucharist (church)
- 2:00 PM—5:30 PM Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) Meeting (hall)

Monday, 5/6

- 11:00 AM—12:00 PM Women's Guild Board Meeting (classrooms)
- 6:45 PM—9:00 PM Scouts BSA Troop #609/#2609 (hall)

Tuesday, 5/7

- 10:00 AM—12:00 PM Gardening (outside)
- 3:00 PM Shower the People! (main parking lot)
- 5:00 PM Faith Community Shelter (MCC)
- 6:00 PM—6:30 PM Knights of Columbus Officer's Meeting (CCR)
- 6:30 PM—8:00 PM Knights of Columbus General Meeting (CCR)
- 7:00 PM—8:00 PM RCIA (DMC)

Thursday, 5/9

- 11:30 AM—12:15 PM Seated Tai Chi (hall)
- 1:00 PM—1:45 PM Standing Tai Chi (hall)
- 3:45—5:00 PM K-5 Faith Formation (MCC & youth center)

Friday, 5/10

- 9:00 AM—10:00 AM Holy Hour (DMC)
- 11:15 AM Elaine McMenamy Funeral & Reception (church & hall)

Saturday, 5/11

- 8:30 AM—9:00 AM Meditation Group (DMC)
- 11:30 AM Shower the People! (main parking lot)



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



Marlene Avona	Mark Emmet Fisher	Josie Bua Rhea
Cross/Boettcher/	Tony Fusini	Margarita Rincon
Burghart families	Grace Gallagher	Sienna Rincon
Gregory Ackerson	Josue Garcia	Joel Rivera
Marc Adato	Andre Grier	Chellie Roberts
Javier Anaya	Lita Hebert	Suzie Roberts
Debi B.	Kelly Jo Hebert	Jose Rufino
Becki Bailey	Robert Higgins	Valerie Ruschke
Emi Baldenegro	Rick Housouer	John Sargetis
Adeline Bautista	Linda Hreno	Joseph Saucier
Maria Bernstein-	Allan Hughes	Anna Seely
Brumbaugh	Jim Jackson	Kim Sessa
Jeraldine Boger	Francisco Jimenez	Kelly Scott
Vera Borroel	Ariel Johnson	Therese Skrenes
Dita Bou-Sleiman	John Jones	Alisha Smith
Tracy Boyd	Tracy Jones	William Smith
Judy Boylan	Margaret Kain	Diane Spoto
Rick Braun	Gerri Karleen	Henry Sprenger
Joe Brechel	Kathy Klapheke	Bob Stegner
Betsy Burrows	Mary Klaus	Greg Stewart
Wren Buse	Joshua Kobinski	Mike & Barbara
Carlos C.	Marion Kusanovich	Stocker
Mary Beth C.C. &	Michael Laffin	Donald Tavares
Family	Matt Lane	Sally-Ann Thomas
Vickie Cadiante	Clara Lauck	Sharon Turner
Dante Calcagno	Sophia Lauwers	Amy V.F.
Ardith Campbell	Joan Lawlor	Mark Vaught
Delores Carano	Eric Lee	Lawrence W.
Elgin Cawaling	Carrie Levin	Franco Walsh
Marion Cernac	Franklyn Lopes, Sr.	Megan Walsh
Lucy Chacon	Donald Lowery	Michael G. Walsh
Chelsea & Family	Matthew Ludlow	Stephanie Walsh
Mary Church	Danny Lucas	Maureen Wright
John Conway	Rob Mallard	Patrick Wright
Tom Conway	Ruthie Mallard	Tannis Welch
Trish Cronin	Stacy Mariani	Thom Windsor
Ralph Cross	Theresa Martin	Maggie Young
Edith Cuevas	Jackie McDow	Jianzhe Yu
Joe D'Angelo	Graham McFeely	Rosemary Zamora
Frank Dallman	Connie McGill-	Nathan Zamzow
Sharon Dallman	Fergus	Lanxiang Zhen
Nancy Daves	John McLeod	
Larry Davis	Mary McMenamy	
Chaz Decoteau	Dianne Milburn	
Lynnette Delgadello	Emilio Escoto	
Nicole Dennis	Montagna	
Ralph Desmond	George Mungai	
Mary Donatoni	Marie Mungai	
Sharon Dougan	Joleen Munoz	
Barbara-Jean	Judy Navarro	
Duncan-Noel	Leo Olson	
Michael Duncan	Teresa Orosco	
Dr. Bruce Dunn	Connor Paulbitski	
Pat Emard	Dave Peasley	
Sophia Emmons	Anita Perry	
Peter Empson	Gabe Ponce	
Alicia Enriquez	Oliver Potts	
Irma Enriquez	Heidi R. & Family	
Terry Erwin	Pablo R.	
Karen F.	John Race	
Dee Feci	Chris, Kayla &	
Trent Feliss	James Randolph	
Greg Finegan	Mary Repetti	

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

PRAYER LINE: If someone you know is in need of prayer, please email resurrection.aptos.prayerline@gmail.com

12-DAY MARIAN SHRINES PILGRIMAGE

With Fr. Jason Taganahan, Fr. Romeo Evangelista
& Fr. Edwin Limpiado



September 16-27, 2024

Includes: Lisbon, Fatima, Santiago de Compostela, Avila, Madrid, Zaragoza, Lourdes, Manresa, Montserrat & Barcelona

Daily Mass at the Holy Sites

\$4,995 all inclusive from San Francisco

(see the brochure for all the details)

Deposit of \$500 per person.

The balance of the trip to be paid by July 1.

A few spots still available

Brochures are available in the church on the counter above the bulletin counter or on our website:

<https://resurrection-aptos.org>, Resource Center, Events, Marian Shrines Pilgrimage

UPCOMING MUSIC EVENTS

Link to Visual and Performing Arts events at Cabrillo College. <https://www.cabrillo.edu/vapa/ticket-info/>

The Santa Cruz Symphony events are posted. Remember to check the website or get on the email list to learn about free dress rehearsals that are offered.

<https://santacruzsymphony.org/concerts-events>

Santa Cruz Chorale—Johannes Brahms: Ein Deutsches Requiem

- Saturday, May 18, 2024 at 8:00 PM
- Sunday, May 19, 2024 at 4:00pm

Holy Cross Church, 126 High Street, Santa Cruz
www.purplepass.com/scchorale or 800-316-8559

Santa Cruz Symphony -Symphony Pops Concert

John Williams Spectacular

Featuring selections from *Star Wars*, *Indiana Jones*, *Harry Potter*, *ET*, *Jurassic Park*, and more!

- Saturday, June 8, 2024 at 7:30 PM, Civic Auditorium

 Senior Resource Ministry

TAI CHI CLASSES—SEATED & STANDING

Markey Community Center



SEATED Tai Chi Thursdays
11:30 AM— 12:15 PM



STANDING Tai Chi Thursdays
1:00 PM— 1:45 PM

Certified Instructor Pam Mensah invites you to come learn an easy, fun, and gentle form of tai chi. Tai Chi for Arthritis Program improves flexibility, muscular strength, balance, and fitness. Donations are welcome.

- **All participants must be vaccinated unless medically contraindicated. Masks are optional.**
- The class is free to all members of Resurrection. Participants are asked to wear loose, comfortable clothing and well-fitted shoes. **Please contact your physician FIRST, if you are unsure if you are medically able to take this class.**

Pam: pamluvschi@gmail.com or for more information about Tai Chi for Arthritis Program: <https://taichiforhealthinstitute.org/>

SANTA CRUZ

SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL 2024!

Mark your calendars: As You Like It”, July 13, and “Hamlet”, July 31. Matinee Previews. We will meet at Markey Center pre-theatre at 11:00 AM for appetizers and a discussion lead by our own Shakespeare expert Parishioner Kevin Kolp. We will car-pool at 12:00 PM to The Audrey Stanley Grove where we will have reserved seats for our brown bag picnic, and then the Main Event at 2:00 PM, our reserved premier seats for these timeless treasures from William Shakespeare! Tickets are on a “pay what you will basis, \$0 to \$25”. Please call 831-688-4300 ext. 17, or email rita@resaptos.org for more information or to reserve your place with us. “All the world’s a stage...”, come join us for a memorable afternoon. More information to follow.





TEACHING MASS

with Fr. Tom Weston, SJ

Sunday, June 9 at 2:00 pm

Resurrection Church, Aptos

Ever wonder why we do what we do at mass? Come and learn!

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Fr. Tom Weston, SJ is a dynamic speaker and nationally renowned for his work in spirituality, healing, counseling, and Church history.

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*"The Eucharist is 'the source and summit' of the Christian life."
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Communion of the Dying

We used to think that the anointing was our “last rites”—“extreme unction” we called it. But we know that you don’t have to be dying to be anointed. The strong grace of the sacrament of the anointing is available to all who are seriously sick.

So what are our “last rites”? Our last rite is our every-Sunday rite: holy communion. When holy communion is shared with the dying, it is called viaticum. This is a Latin word that means “food to go with you on the way.” The bread of life, the cup of eternal salvation—these are our final nourishment on this earth, and our promise of safe passover to the next. Jesus said that those who eat of this bread and drink of this cup have life to the full.

The most complete form of viaticum is to celebrate Mass at the bedside of the dying Christian. Since that is not always possible, communion can be brought from a celebration of Mass back at the parish church. The rite of communion of the dying is easy to follow, and it can be brief when necessary. It is best done with the participation of other parishioners, family members and friends, and even those caregivers present who may wish to join in. Depend-

ing on the condition of the dying Christian, there may be singing, and there will be a reading (maybe two) from scriptures, prayers, including the Lord’s Prayer, and times for silent reflection. Anyone who normally could receive communion at Mass is welcome to share in the eucharist at viaticum, too—a sure sign of our oneness in Christ, a love that is stronger than death.

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Remaining in Your Love

Almighty Father,
through your Son,
you have given us new life.
May we seek to remain in you
by yielding to your command
to love one another.

Grant that our hearts may be open
to meet the needs of others in our midst
so that we might truly call ourselves
your friends.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sunday, May 5, 2024
Joy and Love

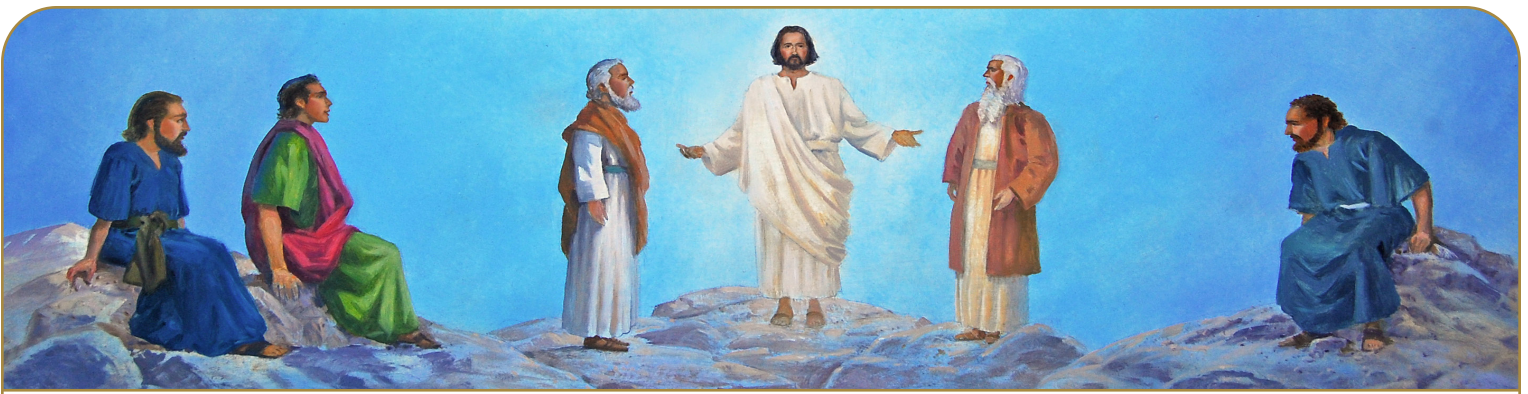


Today's readings: Acts 10:25–26, 34–35, 44–48; Psalm 98:1, 2–3, 3–4; 1 John 4:7–10; John 15:9–17. The Gospel provides a sense of the immensity of God's love in the first sentences today. "As the Father loves me, so I also love you," Jesus tells the disciples. Imagine what that means. Jesus is saying that he loves his followers with the same love that the Father loves him. From these few words, we can begin to understand the communion of love to which we are invited through our baptism.

In the first reading, it becomes apparent that God reaches out to all to share his bountiful love. "In truth, I see that God shows no partiality," Peter explains, citing his rea-

son for meeting with the Gentile Cornelius. Peter well knew that it was unlawful for a Jew to visit a Gentile; however, Jesus had shown him another way. No one was to be considered profane or unclean. As he ministered to the Gentiles, Peter became a living testimony of God's love.

The reading from the First Letter of John explains that we are to love one another because "love is of God." As followers of Christ, we are to spread what is God's. The author of the letter notes that, by loving, we come to know God. Consider who you refrain from loving. Read over today's Scriptures several times this week to deepen your understanding that "God shows no partiality."



THIS WEEK AT HOME

Monday, May 6 Take Your Place

Jesus predicts a dark future for his followers when he says, “They will expel you from the synagogues; in fact, the hour is coming when everyone who kills you will think he is offering worship to God.” Preceding that reading is a psalm of thanksgiving, directing that we remember that we belong to God. “We are his people, the flock he shepherds,” the psalm proclaims. Dispositions of trust and gratitude may have allowed Lydia, the dealer of cloth in Acts, to open her heart to preaching, seek baptism, and invite the disciples into her home. *Today’s readings: Acts 16:11–15; Psalm 149:1b–2, 3–4, 5–6a, 9b; John 15:26–16:4a.*

Tuesday, May 7 Ready Your Hearts

It is not surprising that the disciples grieve upon hearing that Jesus is leaving them. After all, they had spent years with Jesus, witnessing his preaching and healing. Since they had not yet experienced the Spirit, it might have been little comfort when Jesus explained, “For if I do not go, the Advocate will not come to you.” The Gospel today refers to the Spirit as the Advocate, and in the Nicene Creed, the Spirit is called “the Lord, the giver of life.” How does the Holy Spirit instill life in the Church? *Today’s readings: Acts 16:22–34; Psalm 138:1–2ab, 2cde–3, 7c–8; John 16:5–11.*

Wednesday, May 8 Go into the World

St. Paul and the other disciples acted as a Church on mission, traveling to spread the Good News. In today’s reading from Acts, St. Paul tells the Athenians that God “gives life and breath and everything.” As St. Paul preaches, he yields to the Spirit, who Jesus says in the Gospel will “guide you to all truth.” This Easter Time pray to the Holy Spirit for guidance. *Today’s readings: Acts 17:15, 22–18:1; Psalm 148:1–2, 11–12, 13, 14; John 16:12–15.*

Thursday, May 9 Thursday of the Sixth Week of Easter

“You will grieve but your grief will turn to joy,” Jesus tells the disciples before ascending to be with the Father. The disciples had no idea of what lay ahead so, of course, they were grieving the anticipated loss of their teacher. Can you imagine their joy when they discover that, as followers of Christ, they had a new life in Christ that demanded that they spread the Good News? *Today’s readings: Acts 18:1–8; Psalm 98:1, 2–3ab, 3cd–4; John 16:16–20.*

Ascension of the Lord

In today’s Gospel, we hear of God’s yearning for all to be saved. Each baptized person has the same mission as the first disciples to proclaim the Gospel. Have you considered that doing so is part of your baptismal responsibility? *Acts 1:1–11; Psalm 47:2–3, 6–7, 8–9; Ephesians 1:17–23; Mark 16:15–20.*

Friday, May 10 Focus on the Joy

Jesus likens the pain and suffering of the disciples to that of a woman in labor. Once the child is born, joy erases the pain. As the disciples anticipate Jesus’ departure, they are in pain; however, when they meet the Lord again, their joy will be eternal. As we hear today, no one will take that joy from them. *Today’s readings: Acts 18:9–18; Psalm 47:2–3, 4–5, 6–7; John 16:20–23.*

Saturday, May 11 For Your Joy to Be Complete

“Ask and you will receive, so that your joy may be complete,” Jesus tells the disciples. Usually, people request things that they think will bring them happiness, and sometimes only fleeting happiness. But Jesus points out that what the Father gives will bring joy. How has God been present during the joys in your life? What does it mean for your joy to be complete? *Today’s reading: Acts 18:23–28; Psalm 47:2–3, 8–9, 10; John 16:23b–28.*



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