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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

RESURRECTION PRAYER LINE

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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: _____
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Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community

The Baptism of the Lord

January 12, 2025

"... You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased"—Lk 3:22

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 MASS, 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:

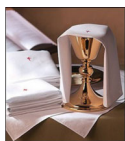
LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & GREETERS

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 dcnpatrick@resaptos.org 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 dcnpatrick@resaptos.org

ALTAR LINENS: We are looking for a volunteer to help launder and iron our altar linens in 2025! This would require a one month commitment. Training will be provided. We need help in the month of **April & June**. Please contact Jolene in the parish office if you can assist with this ministry at jolene@resaptos.org or call.



SATURDAY MORNING MEDITATION GROUP

Everyone 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.

DAILY READINGS:

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

You can listen to or read the readings, and watch a reflection video. You can also sign up to get the readings emailed to you every morning.

THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED!

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (Luke 3:15-22) 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.

- What are you excited about? What good things are you expecting to happen in the upcoming year?
- How do you experience the Holy Spirit? How is it like a "fire"? Does it warm you with faith in God's love? Inspire you with fervent love? Enlighten your darkness?
- Are you beloved and pleasing to God?

Mass Intentions for January 11—19

Saturday, 1/11

5:00 PM (RE) +Mary Boyce Anderson,
+Jim I. Smith, +Joe Brechel

Sunday, 1/12

8:15 AM (RE) The People of the Parish,
+Michael Teutschel, +Mike Silva

10:15 AM (RE) +Fr. George Batchelder,
+Marilyn Inderlied, William Batchelder

Monday, 1/13

8:30 AM Morning Prayer (YouTube)

On-demand

Tuesday, 1/14

8:30 AM (RE) +Vince Spoto

Wednesday, 1/15

8:30AM (RE) +Lori Matusich

Thursday, 1/16

8:30 AM (RE) +Harry Reichstein

Friday, 1/17

8:30 AM (RE) +Sherry Grassadonia

Saturday, 1/18

5:00 PM (RE) +Jean & Vince Rice,
+Joyce Anne Asmussen

Sunday, 1/19

8:15 AM (RE) +Phillip Bonanno

10:15 AM (RE) The People of the Parish,
+Gerry Landacre, +Libby Conway,
+Marita Rodriguez



Celebrants:
RE=Fr. Romeo Evangelista

FAITH FORMATION

THE ROSARY IN A YEAR with Fr. Mark-Mary Ames, CFR, launched at #1 on Apple Podcasts and has already surpassed 1 million downloads and views! It isn't too late to start a year devoted to the Rosary. Join Fr. Mark-Mary and faithful listeners worldwide on this daily journey with the Rosary. By starting small and adding on over time, you will find yourself falling more in love with this powerful Marian devotion, becoming a source of grace for the whole world. The best place to listen to the podcast is in the Ascension App, which includes special features as well as full recordings of the Rosary. (Episodes are also available on Spotify and Apple Podcasts.) "I didn't think I needed this because I already pray the Rosary daily ... it's not at all what I thought it would be. Thank you, God, for stirring my heart to give it a try. I listened to all 5 episodes ... absolutely beautiful! The meditations bring me to tears. I can't wait for Day 6!!!" – TeeCass-bl9ii on Facebook. Download the prayer plan at <https://ascensionpress.com/riy>



K-5 FAITH FORMATION

In-person classes for K-5 continue. Next class is on Thursday, January 16 from 3:45—5:00 PM. We meet in the church and then the children are dismissed to their classes. There is also a homeschool option. For more information please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or dcnpatrick@resaptos.org

MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6-8): Next session will be Sunday, January 19 from 11:30 AM—1:00 PM.

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 dcnpatrick@resaptos.org



MARKEY COMMUNITY CENTER PROJECT UPDATE 11-01-24

After 4 1/2 years, the permit for our insurance claim for the February 2020 tree damage to Markey Community Center repairs has been granted! We are currently just waiting for the green light from insurance to begin. Please pray that this happens soon!

In addition to repairing the actual damage to the hall, the county is also requiring that our building be brought up to current codes, including fire sprinklers, kitchen upgrades, ADA bathrooms, and ADA path-of-travel for the entire property.



PLEASE PRAY for ALL THOSE in NEED OF HEALING



Marlene Avona	Stephen Hedges	Marie Mungai
Cross/Boettcher/	Juliet Hoskins	Bonnie O'Clair
Burghart families	Robert Higgins	Israel Plascencia
Gregory Ackerson	Rick Housouer	Heidi R. & Family
Carlie Birch	Allan Hughes	Pablo R.
Rick Braun	Jim Jackson	Chris, Kayla &
Wren Buse	Francisco Jimenez	James Randolph
Mary Beth C.C. &	Margaret Kain	Mary Repetti
Family	Geri Karleen	Chellie Roberts
Marion Cernac	Marion Kusanovich	Jose Rufino
John Conway	Michael Laflin	Scotland Settle
Tom Conway	Clara Lauck	Dita Bou Sleiman
Monica Crowley	Joan Lawlor	David Smythe
Frank Dallman	Franklyn Lopes, Sr.	Diane Spoto
Sharon Dallman	Donald Lowery	Henry Sprenger
Nancy Daves	Bobby Mallard	Bob Stegner
Mary Donatoni	Rob Mallard	Greg Stewart
Dr. Bruce Dunn	Stacy Mariani	Savannah Stocker
Alicia Enriquez	Dan Marcus	Jim Van Lanen
Irma Enriquez	Theresa Martin	Beverly Vigliecca
Karen F.	Jackie McDow	Megan Walsh
Dee Feci	Graham McFeely	Michael G. Walsh
Trent Feliss	John McLeod	Stephanie Walsh
Greg Finegan	Mary McMenamy	Maggie Young
Jennifer Fries	Dianne Milburn	
Josue Garcia	Emilio Escoto	
Jackie Gehring	Montagna	
Kelly Jo Hebert	George Mungai	

If you'd like to add a name to this prayer list or need to remove a name please contact the office at resurrection@resaptos.org or call 831-688-4300. Thank you.

PRAYER LINE: If someone you know is in need of prayer, please email prayerline@resaptos.org

What is the Prayer Line?

It is a place for you to let us know your prayer requests and provide more details (if you like) rather than just a name in the bulletin. The list of names in the bulletin is separate from the prayer line.

We have a group of pray-ers who receive the requests and pray. If you'd like to be one of the pray-ers please contact the office at prayerline@resaptos.org or call 831-688-4300 and provide us with your email address and we'll add you to the list.

The work will accomplish some of our original remodel project, which will be completed at a future date. (For insurance purposes, we had to separate the two projects so that all the work required to repair the damage and meet current building codes would be paid for with the insurance settlement.)

We are hoping that the work will begin soon. Once construction begins it will take at least a year. (If possible, we'd like to start the rest of our remodel project near the end of the repair project, so this may extend the overall work time.)

Let us patiently endure this time of change with generosity, hope, and gratitude for a better, safer, and more accessible community center!

YOUTH MINISTRY

HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (YEAR 1 & 2)

- **Confirmation Year 1:** Next meeting, Sunday, January 26 begins with the 10:15 AM mass and concluding at 1:00 PM in the youth center.
- **Confirmation Year 2:** Next meeting, January 17-19 Retreat & Sunday, February 2 begins with the 10:15 AM Mass and concludes at 1:30 PM in the youth center.
- Contact Mrs. Gabe Summers at gabrielle@resaptos.org or 831-688-4300 x22

OUTREACH

MEN'S GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: If you have lost a loved one and need support, you are welcome to attend a men's discussion and grief support group. The group meets every other week at the home of Mike Moriarty here in Aptos, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Coffee and refreshments will be served. Those interested please contact Mike at 831-713-7636 for directions.

FAITH COMMUNITY SHELTER SEEKING

VOLUNTEERS: The Association Faith Communities (AFC)(Santa Cruz) has been operating overnight shelter and shelter dinner programs at Resurrection since early 2016 to help people in need within our community. The ministry consists of 8 rotating food teams who prep & serve dinner for about 16-18 people. We are currently looking for additional volunteers to support this ministry. We encourage all volunteers to stay and share the meal with our shelter guests. The shelter will be located at various churches within the area due to construction at Resurrection. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact the program coordinator, Pat Lorenzo, pat.lorenzo336@yahoo.com or 831-708-2068.

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 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS: In memory of Alfred & Elizabeth Young, Robert & Lorraine Dromgoole, Daniel & Kathleen Tavares, Herold & Marie Scott, James & Catherine Morgan by Larry & Deanna Young



2024 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS will be emailed this year no later than January 31. If you'd prefer a hard copy mailed to you please let me know. (If we don't have an email address for you, it will be mailed to you.) If you would like your statement mailed please call Karen Victorino at 831-688-4300 x10 or email karen@resaptos.org



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RESPECT LIFE MASS 2025

The annual Respect Life Mass celebrated by Most Reverend Bishop Daniel E. Garcia will take place on Wednesday, January 22, 2025, at 7:00 PM at Madonna del Sasso Pro-Cathedral, 320 E. Laurel Drive, Salinas. Bishop Garcia invites all parishioners in the Monterey Diocese to attend this annual mass.



BOOK CLUB: Please join us to discuss the book that was given out in church this Christmas, **33 Days to Eucharistic Glory**. Our book club is meeting on February 20 at 2:00 PM at Pacific Coffee Roasting in Aptos. All are welcome. Free copies of the book are available in the church entrance and in the parish office. Questions? Contact Maria at 831-588-7934.



SERRA MINISTRY CONFERENCE HERE I AM LORD

March 14-15
Sacred Heart School
123 W Market St, Salinas



Register now, \$35 for one day or \$45 for both days, prices go up on February 18.

Friday features two tracks in English—one for Catholic Schools and one for parish staffs, clergy & anyone in ministry

Saturday features two tracks—one in Spanish & one in English. Both are for anyone in ministry.

Speakers: Fr. Chris Bennett, Nancy Bird, Steve Botsford, Julianne Stanz, Dr. Joseph White, Rose M. Hernandez, Padre Juan Pablo Matilla, Ernesto Vega.

Music: Jessica and Korin Ruiz and the Monterey Diocesan Choir. Mass will be celebrated in the morning on Saturday with Bishop Daniel E. Garcia. Register at

<https://www.fgwebservices.com/monterey/>

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Weekly Plate Collection: • All Masses/Mailed In • Electronic • Total	\$5,054.00 \$12,899.00 \$17,953.00
Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)	\$12,140.00
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<https://resurrection-aptos.org>, click on "Donate Now"
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Thank you!!!

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

Sunday, 1/12

- 10:15 AM OCIA (OCR)
- 10:15 AM—10:45 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (CCR)
- 11:30 AM—12:30 PM First Reconciliation Practice (church)

Wednesday, 1/15

- 9:15 AM—12:30 PM Welcoming Network Food Distribution (church entrance)
- 7:00 PM—8:30 PM First Eucharist Parent Meeting (DMC)

Thursday, 1/16

- 3:45 PM—5:00 PM K-5 Faith Formation (CCR, DMC, Church Entrance, YC, OCR)

Friday, 1/17

- Confirmation 2nd Year Retreat (offsite)
- 9:00 AM—10:00 AM Holy Hour (DMC)
- 4:00 PM—5:00 PM Escoto/Altamirano Wedding Rehearsal (church)

Saturday, 1/18

- Confirmation 2nd Year Retreat (offsite)
- 8:30 AM—9:00 AM Meditation Group (DMC)
- 10:00 AM—11:00 AM Fernandez Baptism (church)
- 1:00 PM—2:00 PM Escoto/Altamirano Wedding (church)
- 3:30 PM—4:00 PM Silvestri Baptism (church)

CCR=Church Conference Room
DMC=Daily Mass Chapel
OCR=Office Conference Room
YC=Youth Center

Senior Resource Ministry

TAI CHI CLASSES—SEATED & STANDING

New Location: Church Entrance



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



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

Tai Chi Participants: Please bring a water bottle to stay hydrated during and after the class. We will provide a pitcher of water/cups and a light snack after classes.

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/>

TAI CHI DAYS OFF—2025

1/16

ENSEMBLE MONTEREY CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

A Sweet Dream

- Saturday, January 25 at 7:00 pm
First Presbyterian Church, 501 El Dorado Street, Monterey
- Sunday, January 26 at 5:00 pm
Peace United Church of Christ, 900 High Street, Santa Cruz

A Dream of Tomorrow

- Saturday, March 22 at 7:00 pm
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St. Joseph's of Capitola, Resurrection
officially became its own parish in the
Diocese of Monterey in 1968.

Resurrection serves over 1000 families
in the greater Aptos area and hosts many
Catholic families who visit the beaches
and resort areas of the county.

We strive to be a community of faith
where all are welcomed, nourished, and
empowered to be Christ for others.



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