

# 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

### RESURRECTION PRAYER LINE

prayerline@resaptos.org

### OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CEMETERY

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

### MAILING ADDRESS:

P.O. Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001-0087  
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**W**elcome! 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

## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### February 9, 2025



“...Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men.” — Lk 5:10

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### TAMALE FUNDRAISER UPDATE

Thanks to all who ordered Maria Elena's tamales! Over 500 were ordered! They will be ready for you to pick up after all the masses this weekend in the church entrance. If you did not place an order, you can leave your name and contact information at the pickup table in case there are extras left after the 10:15 am Sunday mass.



### THE GREAT CHILI COOK-OFF IS BACK!

Friday, February 28, 6:00-8:30 PM at Twin Lakes Church  
Please see the insert for all the information!

**THE JOURNEY OF LENT! ASHES TO EASTER! A TIME TO TURN!** This is the theme for the Women's Guild Annual Retreat which will be held on March 10th at Villa Maria del Mar Retreat Center. The day, facilitated by Father Ron Shirley, will begin with coffee and scones at 9:30AM and end with liturgy about 3:30 PM. Father will develop the theme through the day with time for discussion and reflection. Lunch is included in the \$90 retreat fee. All women of the parish are invited to participate in the day. Please send your information (name, address, phone #, email address) and retreat fee to The Women's Guild, Resurrection Church, PO Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001. For more information, please call Pat 831-566-8234 or Jeanne 831-236-1798.

**SECOND COLLECTION—FAITH FORMATION:** Next weekend, February 15 & 16 our second collection will be for our Faith Formation ministry, which provides catechetical instruction for people of all ages—children and youth in grades K-12, adults in our Christian Initiation and Confirmation programs, couples preparing for marriage and for parenthood. Thank you for your support of this ministry.

## 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](mailto: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](mailto: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 **June**. Please contact Jolene at [jolene@resaptos.org](mailto:jolene@resaptos.org) or call the parish office if you can assist with this ministry.



### 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 reading (Luke 5:1-11) 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 felt discouraged that your hard work didn't seem to be paying off?
- Have you ever followed someone's instructions or advice that didn't seem to make sense at the time, but later proved to be right?
- What is God calling you to do in your life now?

**The Knights of Columbus are selling Delicious Home Baked Irish Soda Bread** after all the masses this weekend for a suggested donation of \$5.00. There are five varieties. All proceeds benefit the Scholarship Program & local kids charities. Thank you for your support.



**Mass Intentions for February 8—16**

**Saturday, 2/8**

5:00 PM (RE) +Mary Boyce Anderson,  
+Joe Brechel,  
+Maria Elena Garcia de la Torre

**Sunday, 2/9**

8:15 AM (RE) +Joe Brechel, +Tony Avelar,  
+Bennett Avelar

10:15 AM (RE) The People of the Parish,  
+Gary Oing & Blessings for the  
Ramirez Family, +Dennis Berbach

**Monday, 2/10**

8:30 AM Morning Prayer (YouTube)

On-demand

**Tuesday, 2/11**

8:30 AM +Lori Matusich

**Wednesday, 2/12**

8:30AM (RE) +Jean & Vince Rice

**Thursday, 2/13**

8:30 AM (RE) +Mary de la Torre

**Friday, 2/14**

8:30 AM (RE) +Elaine McMenamy,  
+Bill Warmerdam,  
+Sherry Grassadonia

**Saturday, 2/15**

5:00 PM (RE) The People of the Parish,  
+Elaine McMenamy, +Dan Ardizzone,  
+Victor & Virginia Ardizzone

**Sunday, 2/16**

8:15 AM (RE) +Gerri Morrissey

10:15 AM (RE) +Dr. Robert Quinn, +Dee Feci,  
+Indianna Clark

**LENTEN RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS:** Spirituality & Humanity in My Christian Life on Saturday, March 22 from 10:00 AM—4:00 PM at Shrine of St. Joseph, 544 W Cliff Dr, Santa Cruz. The speaker is Fr. Christian Melendez (priest & psychologist from the Diocese of Yakima, WA. This is a free event but registration is requested. Email [gespinosa@dioceseofmonterey.org](mailto:gespinosa@dioceseofmonterey.org)

**MARKEY COMMUNITY CENTER PROJECT UPDATE**

After nearly 5 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 Cross/Boettcher/ Burghart families Carlie Birch Rick Braun Wren Buse Mary Beth C.C. & Family Marion Cernac John Conway Tom Conway Monica Crowley Frank Dallman Sharon Dallman Nancy Daves Mary Donatoni Alicia Enriquez Irma Enriquez Karen F. Dee Feci Trent Feliss Greg Finegan Jennifer Fries Josue Garcia Jackie Gehring Kelly Jo Hebert Stephen Hedges Juliet Hoskins	Robert Higgins Rick Housouer Allan Hughes Francisco Jimenez Margaret Kain Geri Karleen Marion Kusanovich Michael Laflin Clara Lauck Joan Lawlor Franklyn Lopes, Sr. Donald Lowery Bobby Mallard Rob Mallard Stacy Mariani Dan Marcus Theresa Martin Jackie McDow Graham McFeely John McLeod Mary McMenamy Dianne Milburn Emilio Escoto Montagna George Mungai Marie Mungai Bonnie O'Clair	Israel Plascencia Heidi R. & Family Pablo R. Chris, Kayla & James Randolph Mary Repetti Chellie Roberts Jose Rufino Scotland Settle Dita Bou Sleiman David Smythe Diane Spoto Henry Sprenger Bob Stegner Greg Stewart Savannah Stocker Jim Van Lanen Beverly Viglicca Gina & Rita W. & Family Megan Walsh Michael G. Walsh Stephanie Walsh Margaret Woolever Maggie Young
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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](mailto:resurrection@resaptos.org) or call 831-688-4300.



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

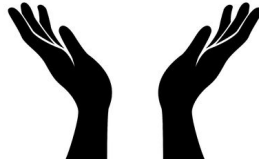
The work will accomplish some of our original remodel project, which will be completed at a future date. (For insurance purposes, we had to separate the two projects so that all the work required to repair the damage and meet current building codes would be paid for with the insurance settlement.)

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!

## DO YOU HAVE FIVE MINUTES?

Would you like to participate in a ministry but don't know what you'd like to do and you don't have a lot of extra spare time? We have a ministry that is available to everyone. There are no meetings, you can participate whenever you have time from where ever you are. It requires no special skills except a willing and open heart to talk to God.



**What is the ministry?** Resurrection's Prayer Line

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**What do I have to do?** Pray. Pray for the intentions that are received from parishioners. The office receives the emails through Resurrection's Prayer Line ([prayerline@resaptos.org](mailto:prayerline@resaptos.org)) and then we email the request to all those who have signed up to be members of the Prayer Line. You become one of the "pray-ers"

**How do I sign up?** Email [prayerline@resaptos.org](mailto:prayerline@resaptos.org) or call the parish office at 831-688-4300.

## 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.



## FAITH FORMATION

### K-5 FAITH FORMATION

In-person classes for K-5 continue. Next class is on Thursday, February 13 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](mailto:dcnpatrick@resaptos.org)

**MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6-8):** Next session will be Sunday, February 9 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](mailto:dcnpatrick@resaptos.org)

## 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.



To Register & View the Conference Brochure:

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

## YOUTH MINISTRY

### HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (YEAR 1 & 2)

- **Confirmation Year 1:** Next meeting, Sunday, March 9 begins with the 10:15 AM mass and concluding at 1:00 PM in the youth center.
- **Confirmation Year 2:** Sponsor Retreat, Sunday, March 2 from 1:00 PM to 5:30 PM.
- Contact Mrs. Gabe Summers at [gabrielle@resaptos.org](mailto:gabrielle@resaptos.org) or 831-688-4300 x22

## OUTREACH

**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:** The food pantry is in need of brown paper grocery bags to prepare food bags for those who come to our door. You may bring the bags to the office during office hours (Monday-Friday from 8:30 AM-12:30 PM) Thank you.



**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.



## 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

**2024 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** were emailed on January 29 and mailed on Friday, January 31 for those who requested them. If you still need a copy of your statement please call Karen Victorino at 831-688-4300 x10 or email [karen@resaptos.org](mailto:karen@resaptos.org)

**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.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** All registered parishioners were mailed a letter from Fr. Romeo regarding our annual 2nd collection schedule for national & universal collections. Please take a moment to read his letter and respond by returning the form which was enclosed with your donation. This is the only time you will be asked for funds for these collections. **All forms and donations are due by February 28.** You can choose to give via credit card, bank account, check or cash. We will still continue to have second collections for parish and diocesan needs, although you do have the option to pay them all at one time instead of waiting for the collection day. A form was enclosed on the reverse of Fr. Romeo's letter These will happen about once a month. Thank you for your continued generosity. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Victorino in the parish office at [karen@resaptos.org](mailto:karen@resaptos.org) or 831-688-4300 x10. Here's the link to letter and the forms:

<https://resurrection-aptos.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/2025-Combined-2nd-Collection-Letter-forms-for-website.pdf>



**PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS!** This week we are giving a shout out to: Evan Benevento, CPA, Marzo Design, Stewart's Floral. See the attached advertising page for all our advertisers. We are grateful for our advertisers continued support of the parish.

## WOMEN'S GUILD SCHOLARSHIP - ATTENTION GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS:

Resurrection Women's Guild is accepting applications for their Annual Scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior girl, who is a member of Resurrection Catholic Community. Are you involved in your parish, school and/or community, have good grades (honor roll not a requirement), and committed to entering college (including community college) in 2025? If you answered "Yes," you may be in line for this Resurrection Women's Guild Scholarship Award. Applications are due March 25, 2025 and may be acquired on our parish website: <https://resurrection-aptos.org> under "Resource Center - Events". For more information contact Resurrection Women's Guild Scholarship Coordinator, Kathi Melville at (831) 464-8316 or [mkathimelville@gmail.com](mailto:mkathimelville@gmail.com)



**MARRIAGE HELP** – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped 150,000+ couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on May 2-4 call 831-479-1260, email: [Monterey@RetroCA.com](mailto:Monterey@RetroCA.com) or register at [www.RetroCA.com](http://www.RetroCA.com)



**NEW NICHES IN THE CEMETERY:** This week a new section of the columbarium (where the remains of our loved ones have been laid to rest) was installed near the statue of Jesus the Good Shepherd. If you are interested in purchasing a niche for yourself or a loved one please contact Vero Matias at Holy Cross Cemetery at 831-475-3222 or [veronicam@domcemeteries.org](mailto:veronicam@domcemeteries.org)

## THE ANNUAL MINISTRIES APPEAL (AMA) HAS BEGUN

It is a pleasure to invite you to participate in the 2025 Annual Ministries Appeal: "Opening the Door To Christ". 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. 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> Be sure to indicate that your gift is for Resurrection Church so that we receive credit.



**Our March Fundraiser will be two-fold this year. We are holding our annual **Online Auction** in addition to **Dining for Dollars** at local restaurants throughout the month of March.**

### **Dining for Dollars**

Mark your calendars to enjoy a night out with your family & friends at the restaurants below. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to Resurrection.

Flyers will more details about what you need to do to participate & additional restaurants coming soon.

- **Mountain Mike's Pizza in Aptos on Thursday, March 13**
  - **Bittersweet Bistro on Thursday, March 27**

**We will be holding our **Online Auction** from Wednesday, March 5 through Saturday, March 8.**

Auction items are needed. If you have a new item to donate please contact Karen Victorino in the parish office. We don't have a lot of space to store items so please make sure you call.

Suggested auction items: gift baskets, weekend getaways, vacation home, sports memorabilia, if you belong to a gold club consider donating a round of golf, wine, a service to offer, (maybe you are a great baker, gardener, photographer, etc.), something you'd like to bid on.

Questions? Contact Karen Victorino  
831-688-4300 x10 or [karen@resaptos.org](mailto:karen@resaptos.org)

<b>Stewardship of Treasure PLATE COLLECTION February 1 &amp; 2, 2025</b>	
<b>Weekly Plate Collection:</b>	
• All Masses/Mailed In	<b>\$4,440.04</b>
• Electronic	<b>\$5,788.00</b>
• Total	<b>\$10,228.04</b>
<b>Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)</b>	<b>\$12,140.00</b>
<b>Plate Collection Average Fiscal YTD</b>	<b>\$11,406.00</b>
<b>COPA</b>	<b>\$1,734.00</b>

**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!!!

**Find us on Instagram**

Our handle is: resaptos

Or search for Resurrection Church



**WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:**

*Sunday, 2/9*

- Tamale pick-up after mass
- Soda Bread sales after mass
- 10:15 AM OCIA (OCR)
- 10:15 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (CCR)
- 11:30 AM—1:00 PM Middle School (OCR)
- 1:30 PM—5:00 PM Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) Meeting (Stewart's Floral)



*Thursday, 2/13*

- 11:30 AM—12:15 PM Seated Tai Chi (church entrance)
- 1:00 PM—1:45 PM Standing Tai Chi (church entrance)
- 3:45 PM—5:00 PM K-5 Faith Formation (CCR, DMC, Church Entrance, YC, OCR)

*Friday, 2/14*

- 9:00 AM—10:00 AM Holy Hour (DMC)

*Saturday, 2/15*

- 8:30 AM—9:00 AM Meditation Group (DMC)

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

**Senior Resource Ministry**

Our Resurrection Parish supports a Senior Resource Ministry with a volunteer coordinator, Rita Marseille. Rita can be reached at [rita@resaptos.org](mailto:rita@resaptos.org) or 831.688.4300 x 17. This Ministry exists to provide information about Senior assistance that may be available; referrals to agencies for transportation needs, or to hire someone for small repairs or caregiver services. Another resource for referrals is The Senior Network Services which is a local community nonprofit agency providing assistance to Seniors. It can be reached at 831.462.1433, the website is [seniornetworkservices.org](http://seniornetworkservices.org).

**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](mailto:pamluvschi@gmail.com) or for more information about Tai Chi for Arthritis Program: <https://taichiforhealthinstitute.org/>

**UPCOMING MUSIC EVENTS**

**ENSEMBLE MONTEREY  
CHAMBER ORCHESTRA**

**A Dream of Tomorrow**

- Saturday, March 22 at 7:00 pm  
First Presbyterian Church 501 El Dorado Street, Monterey
- Sunday, March 23 at 7:00 pm  
Peace United Church of Christ, 900 High Street, Santa Cruz

[www.ensemblemonterey.org](http://www.ensemblemonterey.org)



**8th Annual!**  
**The Great CHILI COOK-OFF**  
**Faith communities Turn up the Heat!**  
**NEW LOCATION TWIN LAKES CHURCH**



**MENU**  
 Chili  
 Cornbread  
 Dessert  
 Beverages  
 Live Music

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 Box for People's  
 Choice Award

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 People's Choice award  
 chosen by chili eaters  
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 Spirited Chili Team

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**Live Music by Poi Rogers!**



Donations: Adults \$20.00  
 Children Under 12 Free  
 Tickets available at EVENTBRITE  
 Use QR Code or at the Door  
 This event may sell out.



**Friday ★ February 28, 2025 ★ 6:00 to 8:30PM**  
 Twin Lakes Church Building 7000, 2701 Cabrillo College Drive, Aptos  
 midcountyhomelesscoalition@gmail.com 831.325.9615



Link to Register Online

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

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**MARCH 14 - 15, 2025**

REGISTER NOW - PRICES GO UP ON FEB. 18, 2025

# HERE I AM LORD / AQUÍ ESTOY SEÑOR

SACRED HEART SCHOOL  
123 W MARKET ST, SALINAS, CA

\$35 FOR ONE DAY  
OR \$45 FOR BOTH DAYS  
UNTIL FEB. 18

**SPEAKERS FEATURING :** FR. CHRIS BENNETT, NANCY BIRD, STEVE  
BOTSFORD, JULIANNE STANZ, DR. JOSEPH WHITE, ROSE M.  
HERNANDEZ, PADRE JUAN PABLO MATILLA, ERNESTO VEGA

**MUSIC FEATURING:** JESSICA AND KORIN RUIZ AND THE MONTEREY  
DIOCESAN CHOIR

**FRIDAY** FEATURES TWO TRACKS IN ENGLISH- ONE FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS  
AND ONE FOR PARISH STAFFS, CLERGY AND ANYONE IN MINISTRY

**SATURDAY** FEATURES TWO TRACKS- ONE IN SPANISH AND ONE IN ENGLISH  
BOTH ARE FOR ANYONE IN MINISTRY.

MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED IN THE MORNING ON SATURDAY WITH BISHOP DANIEL E. GARCIA

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