

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

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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.					
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Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community Third Sunday of Easter May 4, 2025

"He said to them, cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something". — John 21:6

UPCOMING EVENTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST EUCHARIST CANDIDATES who will be receiving Eucharist for the first time this Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 PM. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 15
MEMBERS WHO RECEIVED THEIR
SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION AT THE
FASTER VIGIL: Sandra Faith Leanna G

EASTER VIGIL: Sandra Faith, Leanna Garcia, Valeria Hernandez-Zamudio, Cruz Penick, Jaxon Perez, Gabriel Sauceda, Colton Stevens, Wyatt Ortiz, Angel Perez, Jayden Perez, Jordan Perez, Elkjaer Garcia, Thomas Patter-

son, Amelia Martinez, Olivia Martinez

CONCLAVE TO ELECT A NEW POPE:

The conclave begins on May 7. Please keep the Cardinals in your prayers. Pray that the Holy Spirit leads them to Pope Francis' successor. If you want you can sign up via email to pray for a specific



Cardinal. You will randomly receive the name of Cardinal by going to https://prayforacardinal.com/ Please see the flyer in today's bulletin about how a new Pope is Elected. Come Holy Spirit!

LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

LIVE STREAM LITURGY SCHEDULE

- SUNDAY 10:15 AM MASS via Zoom:
 - https://zoom.us/i/429472279 or open the Zoom app and join Meeting 429 472 279 or via our You Tube 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.

Mass Intentions for May 3—11

Saturday, 5/3

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

+Julie Etcheverry, +Elyse Etcheverry,

+Victor & Virginia Ardizzone

Sunday, 5/4 8:15 AM (RS)

Margaret Woolever (healing),

+Lloyd & Elizabeth Graff, Men & Women in the Armed Forces, those in harm's way and those

wounded physically & spiritually

10:15 AM (RS)

+Francisco & Bernie Peralta,

+Lea Rodriguez, +Angel Peralta

2:00 PM (RE)

The People of the Parish,

+Pope Francis

Monday, 5/5 On-demand Tuesday, 5/6 8:30 AM (JP) Wednesday, 5/7 8:30 AM (RE) Thursday, 5/8

Morning Prayer (YouTube)

+Franco Walsh

+Lori Matusich, +Michael Laflin

8:30 AM (RE) In thanksgiving for protection and

restoration

Friday, 5/9 8:30 AM (RE) Saturday, 5/10 5:00 PM (RE)

+Irmina Yeggy, +Michael Laflin

+Mary Boyce Anderson,

+Harry Reichstein,

+Deceased members of the Albert

Welling Family

Sunday, 5/4

8:15 AM (RE) The People of the Parish,

+Lloyd & Elizabeth Graff,

+Michael Laflin

10:15 AM (RE)

+Dee Feci, +Sherry Grassadonia,

+Jeanne Maurillo Sullivan

Celebrants:

RE=Fr. Romeo Evangelista,

RS=Fr. Ron Shirley, JP=Fr. Joseph Paradayil

ALTAR LINENS: We are looking for a volunteer to help launder and iron our altar linens. 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 or call the parish office at 688-4300 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 (John 21:1-19) 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 addresses the disciples as "children." Meditate for a few moments with Jesus addressing you lovingly as "My Child." What kinds of thoughts and feelings come up for you?
- Jesus gives Peter three opportunities to express his love for him, perhaps because Peter had denied Jesus three times. When do you have opportunities to verbally express your love for those whom you love?
- Who are the people in your life that Jesus is giving you to love, to "shepherd"? How do you "feed" them?

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. Our next class is on Thursday, May 8 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): Middle School classes have concluded for the year. Our 2025-2026 registration will begin in the fall. Check your email or our website for details late August/early September.



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



PLEASE PRAY for ALL THOSE in NEED OF HEALING



Carlos Raheem 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 Carmella Dautoff Nancy Daves Daniel DeMonner Mary Donatoni Alicia Enriquez Irma Enriquez Karen F. Trent Feliss Greg Finegan Jennifer Fries Josue Garcia Jackie Gehring

Kelly Jo Hebert Stephen Hedges Juliet Hoskins Robert Higgins Rick Housouer Allan Hughes Jeremy Francisco Jimenez Margaret Kain Geri Karleen Marion Kusanovich Clara Lauck Joan Lawlor Franklyn Lopes, Sr. Donald Lowery Rob Mallard Stacy Mariani Dan Marcus Theresa Martin **Graham McFeely** John McLeod Mary McMenamy Oliver Mendoza Dianne Milburn Emilio Escoto Montagna George 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 Vigliecca Gina & Rita W. & Family Megan Walsh Michael G. Walsh Stephanie Walsh Margaret Woolever Maggie Young

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.



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.

YOUTH MINISTRY

HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (YEAR 1 & 2)

- Confirmation Year 1: Next meeting, Sunday, May 4
 begins with the 10:15 AM mass and concluding at
 1:00 PM in the youth center. This will be our last
 class for the year.
- Contact Mrs. Gabe Summers at gabrielle@resaptos.org or 831-688-4300 x22

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

NEW YOUNG ADULT GROUPS IN SANTA CRUZ & WATSONVILLE: The Diocese of Monterey invites all young adults ages 18-30 to a gathering in Santa Cruz or Watsonville. Come and meet other young adults in the area. Come for one meeting or all of them!

- Holy Cross, 210 High Street, Santa Cruz on the following Tuesdays: May 6 & 20.
- St. Patrick's, 721 Main Street, Watsonville on the following Thursdays: May 3 & 15, June 5.

OUTREACH

IF YOU ARE HOSPITALIZED OR HOMEBOUND:

If you or a member of your family are hospitalized or homebound, please call to let us know. We want to visit you in the hospital or home, but are often unaware of your situation. Due to HIPAA regulations, hospitals will not contact us unless you specifically request it. In addition, if you would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick please contact our office.

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, and then choose to reduce them for the sake of those most vulnerable to climate change and for future generations.

bus full of children journeying to Soledad on August 2 to visit their Fathers who are at the Correctional Training Facility & Salinas Valley State Prison in Soledad. The cost to sponsor one bus is about \$7,000.00. As of today \$450 has been donated. Whatever we receive will be sent to Get on the Bus even if we are unable

to fund an entire bus. Donations can be made payable to Resurrection Church and can be mailed to PO Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001, or dropped in the collection. Please use one of the Outreach envelopes available on the counter above the bulletins. Please indicate that it is for "Get on the Bus". You can also go directly to our website and make an online donation. Choose Outreach and type in "Get on the Bus". Thank you for your generosity. All donations must be received by June 15.

To see what a trip for the children look like: go to https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=03AAhdSRTOE and https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uoKuZrMidDk

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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! Please support them and let them know you saw their ad in our bulletin!

IT'S TIME TO ACT! SEEKING BULLETIN

ADVERTISERS If you would like to advertise your business in the church bulletin, the deadline for the next quarter (July/August/September) 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

Payments can be electronically deducted each month or you can pay quarterly. 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, karen@resaptos.org by **May 15.** Thank you!

AN INVITATION TO DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF CHURCH MUSIC—"MUSIC OF THE CHURCH" The

Diocese of Monterey's Pope Francis School of Ministry is sponsoring this presentation (part one of three) exploring liturgical music during Ordinary Time, Christmas & Easter. Title: Music of the Church-In Ordinary Time Date & Time: Thursday, May 22 from 6:00—8:00 PM Where: Our Lady of Refuge, Castroville Speakers: Laura Schwingel—DMA (Director of Music & Liturgy, Carmel Mission Basilica) & Tiffany Hoffman (Basilica Organist/Pianist). Cost: \$10.000 Contact Ann Ventura at 831-645-2848 or aventura@dioceseofmonterey.org to register.

BOOK CLUB: All are welcome to join the book club on May 30 at 2:00 PM at Pacific Roasting in Aptos. We will be discussing Humble Pie: St. Benedict's Ladder of Humility by Carol Bonomo. According to Amazon, "Take a quick look around - politicians, entertainers, sports figures, and even our own circles of family and friends: Humble pie is not on the menu. It's a me-first society that turns pride into a virtue and humility into a vice...." Questions? Contact Maria at 831-588-7934.

AFC'S 13TH ANNIVERSARY GALA—The Associated Faith Community Annual Gala will be on May 17 at Holy Cross Parish Hall. Join us for dinner, drinks, a silent auction, and more as we celebrate another year of interfaith action! All proceeds go to AFC's work to shelter and house our unhoused neighbors. Purchase a ticket for \$50 or sponsor a table for \$1,000. More information and tickets at afcsantacruz.org/gala or mail checks to 501 Soquel Avenue, Suite G, Santa Cruz, CA 95062. If you have any questions, please email Sam at director@afcsantacruz.org.

4 STAGES OF MARRIAGE – The 4 stages of marriage are: (1) Romance, (2) Disillusionment, (3) Misery, and (4) Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 Stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4th Stage of Awakening. If your marriage suffers from Disillusionment or Misery please contact us. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on September 20-22 call 831-479-1260 or email: Monterey@RetroCA.com or visit the web site at: HelpOurMarriage.org

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Are you ready to jump in this Easter season and fill your heart with Beth Moore's new, updated bible study: A Heart Like His: Seeking the Heart of God Through a Study of David. Please join Holy Cross Women's Ministry Friday, May 2, 2025. We meet by Zoom and in-person, Fridays, 9:00 AM to 10:45 AM at the Holy Cross Cultural Center. Women new to Bible Study are welcome! Please text or call Kathy Pappas for information. 831-818-3034

VILLA MARIA DEL MAR invites you to a Day of Reflection with Ann Naffziger, on Monday, May 19 from 9:30 AM-3:00 PM. As we continue to live the joy of new life throughout the Easter season, come & renew your spirit in nature through scripture, reflection, conversation, and lunch. Cost is \$50.00 per person & includes lunch. To register: https://villamariadelmar.org or for information contact Sr. Michelle at 204-688-1785 or vmdmretreats@snjmuson.org



ADDITIONAL EASTER FLOWER DONATION:

In memory of Michael Laflin, Mary & John Matuiko, Jim & Jane Sue Laflin by Carol Laflin

CAMP AUXILIUM: SUMMER ADVENTURE FOR GIRLS AGES 6-14: June 22—July 19, 2025 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 much 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 6-14 are invited to join us for day camp or residential

Email campauxiliumcalifornia@gmail.com for further information or go directly to the website at https://www.salesianschool.org/summercamp for details and registration forms.



GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP **OPPORTUNITIES**

ATTENTION COLLEGE-BOUND HIGH **SCHOOL STUDENTS**: Resurrection Council of the Knights of Columbus will award a \$1000 scholarship to a qualified student who is a member of Resurrection Parish and is graduating from high school this year. Application forms are due by



June 1st, and are available from the parish office, parish website (www.resurrection-aptos.org, under Resource Center, under Events) and from Larry Young, 831-818-5083, lyoungaptos@gmail.com.

\$1,000.00 SCHOLARSHIP



Are you an **Aptos High senior...**a **Catholic...**going on to higher education...interested in a \$1,000.00 scholarship from the Italian Catholic Federation? If your answer is yes, contact Dottie at 831-254-7168 by June 1st.

Annual Ministries Appeal (AMA) "Opening the Door to Christ"

It is a pleasure to invite you to participate in the 2025 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.

We have reached our Diocesan goal of \$40,800! Now all gifts will be returned to our parish to help us reach our total goal of \$85,000 so we can change our lighting system in the church to LED, replace the flooring inside the rectory, to help support our parish and ministries, and ongoing maintenance costs. (These were some of the projects that we wanted to do complete last year but we didn't have the funds to do them all.

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.

Thank you for your generosity & prayerful response.

Bishop's Annual Ministries Appeal as of April 28, 2025

# of households participating	Amount Pledged	% of total goal
87	\$47,800	56%

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

Sunday, 5/4

- 11:30 AM—1:00 PM Confirmation Year 1 (YC)
- 1:30 PM—5:00 PM Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) Meeting (Stewart's Floral)
- 2:00 PM—3:00 PM First Eucharist (church) *Monday*, 5/5
- 11:00 AM—12:00 PM Women's Guild Board Meeting (Aptos Library)

Tuesday, 5/6

- 6:00 PM—8:00 PM Knights of Columbus Officer & General Meetings (CCR)
- 7:00 PM—8:30 PM OCIA (DMC)

Thursday, 5/8

- 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 Faith Formation (CCR, DMC, Church Entrance, YC, OCR)

Friday, 5/9

- 9:00 AM—10:00 AM Holy Hour (DMC) *Saturday, 5/10*
- 8:30 AM—9:00 AM Meditation Group (DMC)
- 10:00 AM Ihlen Baptism (church)
- 11:00 AM Adult Confirmation (Hollister)

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

Find us on Instagram

Our handle is: resaptos

Or search for Resurrection Church







"TWO EVENINGS WITH CYPRIAN CONSIGLIO"

Popular composer, musician, and Camaldolese monk Father Cyprian Consiglio will return to Santa Cruz for two evenings in May. On Thursday, May 15th, at Holy Cross Hall he will share his latest insights in a talk enti-

tled "Let us Come to a Common Word." On Friday, May 16th, he will present a concert of "New Songs" in the church. Both events begin at 7:30 PM. All are invited!



IDAHO MISSION TRIP June 8—16, 2025

This year, 19 of our teens, young adults, and chaperones will be heading to Lapwai, Idaho for an annual mission trip. This will be the thirteenth year that Deborah & Hal Rovick have led our youth and made the journey via car, train, and van to help serve the Nez Perce Tribe. Over the years they have developed a relationship of trust with the native people. Our youth will be working on several projects this year. In the past, we have constructed handicap ramps for the elders of the tribe, rebuilt the Trading Post, assembled a play structure, painted homes, replaced floors and built and raised 2 shade/weather structures.

How can you help? You can participate in our trip in several ways, without leaving home!

- 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 17 & 18, 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. The actual cost to send one person last year was \$700. Donation envelopes are 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 "Donate Now" and choose "Idaho Mission Trip".

Thank you for supporting this mission trip!

Update

MARKEY COMMUNITY CENTER PROJECT UPDATE 4-3-25

The insurance company finally agreed and approved all the necessary code upgrades in our building plan. Now we are waiting for updated bids which will hopefully be turned around in a couple of weeks. Once construction begins it will take a

least a year. Please keep the project in your thoughts & prayers so that we can begin soon. We appreciate your patience and your flexibility.

Stewardship of Treasure PLATE COLLECTION April 26 & 27, 2025	
Weekly Plate Collection: All Masses/Mailed In Electronic Total	\$10,960.00 <u>\$10,054.33</u> \$21,014.33
Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)	\$12,140.00
Plate Collection Average Fiscal YTD	\$11,969.00

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!!!

Santa Cruz Shakespeare 2025 Summer Festival

- A Midsummer Night's Dream, July 16, 8:00 PM preview: Perhaps, the greatest comedy ever written. Midsummer is a perfect evening of theatre, filled with magic, love, and wild laughter. In a moonlit forest fleeing lovers and earnest workingmen stumble into a fairy kingdom. Hijinks ensue, but by morning, all is set aright.
- Pericles, Prince of Tyre, July 29, 2:00 PM preview: Shakespeare's rarely performed late romance follows Prince Pericles' incredible journey through multiple kingdoms, a love affair and a shipwreck. Then some fourteen years later, Pericles' daughter, Marina, must survive her own trials until she is finally reunified with her father and her miraculously reborn mother.
- Details: For the 8:00 PM evening preview we will meet in the Resurrection's youth center at 5:00 PM for a pre-play discussion, and then at 6:00 PM carpool to the Audrey Stanley Grove for a picnic supper. For the 2:00 PM matinee preview we will meet at 11:00 AM in Resurrection's youth center for a preplay discussion, and then at 12 noon carpool to the Audrey Stanley Grove for a picnic lunch.
- Seating, Reservations & Payment: Seating is reserved premier in the shade (with cushions) close to the stage. Tickets are pay what you will \$5 to \$25. To reserve your tickets, place an envelope in the collection basket with cash or check to Resurrection

Church (memo: Midsummer or Pericles) **before** the June 30th deadline. For more information and to sign up contact Kevin Kolp, kkolp@comcast.net, 831-227-0865.



 Deadline for signups is Monday, June 30th. Don't miss out! SHAKESPEARE



WHAT IS 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 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.

TAI CHI CLASSES—SEATED & STANDING

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/

SANTA CRUZ SYMPHONY PRESENTS: MOZART'S REQUIEM



Works by Amadeus Mozart, Bjork/arr. Stewart, and Daniel Patrick Stewart

Saturday, May 3 7:30 PM Civic Auditorium

Sunday, May 4 2:00 PM Henry J. Mello Center

Tickets: Call 831-420-5260 or visit https://santacruztickets.com

A Quick STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE to How a Pope Is Elected



pon the death of a pope, the world turns its attention to the Vatican. The Church enters a period of mourning before the process of choosing a successor begins (no sooner than 15 days and no later than 20 days after the pope's passing). Cardinals from around the world gather in Rome to prayerfully discern and elect the next leader of the Catholic Church—a process that is rich in history, tradition, and faith. But how does this election take place? Who is involved in the decision, and what are the key steps in selecting the next pope?

Prayer for the New Pope

O God, Eternal Shepherd, who governs your flock with unfailing care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and toward us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Step 1:

The Cardinals Gather

It all starts when the pope's seat becomes vacant. The cardinals from all over the world meet in the Vatican for what is called "General Congregations." This is the time to pray, discuss, and prepare for the election, which is known as the conclave.

Step 2:

The Cardinals Celebrate Mass and Pray for the Holy Spirit's Guidance

Before the process begins, the cardinals celebrate Mass together in St. Peter's Basilica, asking the Holy Spirit to guide them.

Step 3:

The Cardinals Enter the Conclave and Secrecy Begins

The voting cardinals—those under 80 years of age—now process into the Sistine Chapel while chanting *Veni Creator Spiritus*, calling the Holy Spirit. They take an oath of secrecy, and then comes a dramatic moment: The Master of Papal Liturgical Celebrations announces "*Extra omnes*"—which means "All out!" Only the voting cardinals remain.

Step 4:

The Cardinal Electors Discuss Potential Candidates

Technically, any baptized male Catholic is eligible to be elected as pope. You don't have to be a cardinal! However, the pope is almost always chosen from among the College of Cardinals. The cardinals weigh all the important qualities carefully, keeping in mind the Church's needs. This process involves both prayerful discernment and practical considerations to select a leader who will guide the Church effectively in the years to come.

Step 5:

The Voting Begins

When it is time to vote, each cardinal writes the name of his choice on a ballot, folds it, and places it in a large chalice. Then, they count the votes. A pope must receive two thirds of the votes from the electors present to be chosen.

Step 6:

Black Smoke Means No Pope

If no candidate reaches the required two-thirds majority, the votes—and any notes the cardinals took during that round—are burned. If no pope is elected, a special mixture is added to make the smoke black.

Step 7:

A Cardinal Receives Two-Thirds Majority

Rounds of voting continue (four rounds each day) until a candidate finally reaches a two-thirds majority. When this happens, he is asked if he accepts. He can say no. If this were to happen, the voting would resume—but if he were to accept, he chooses a papal name and dresses in white for the first time.

Step 8:

White Smoke Means We Have a New Pope

Now the world gets the big news. We have a new pope! They add a special mixture to the papers and ballots used during that round of voting to produce white smoke. As the smoke rises from the chimney, bells can be heard ringing across Rome.

Step 9:

Habemus Papam!—"We Have a Pope!"

The senior cardinal deacon—called the cardinal Protodeacon—steps out onto the balcony of St. Peter's Basilica and announces, "Habemus Papam!" ("We have a new pope!"). The newly elected pope is presented to the world for the first time from the balcony.

Step 10:

The Urbi et Orbi Blessing

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