

# 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

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### MAILING ADDRESS:

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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: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile or <input type="checkbox"/> Landline
Email: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> New Parishioner <input type="checkbox"/> New Address <input type="checkbox"/> New Phone Number		
<input type="checkbox"/> Moving—Remove from List		<input type="checkbox"/> Please send contribution envelopes	
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to sign up for Electronic Giving			



# Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

### January 25, 2026

*“...Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men”*

— Matthew 4:19

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**BISHOP RAMÓN BEJARANO'S** Installation as the Sixth Bishop of the Diocese of Monterey will be held on February 19, 2026. Please keep the Bishop and the planning team in your prayers. Livestream information will be shared soon.

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR COPA** this weekend, January 24 & 25: This collection helps pay our membership dues. We are a founding member of COPA which is made up of 28 churches, synagogues, schools, unions & non-profit organizations who work collectively to address problems afflicting our communities. Our dues help pay for our lead organizers, secretary and operational expenses. Thank you for your generosity. The collection was originally scheduled for January 17 & 18 but the baskets were not put out at mass. If you gave to this collection last weekend, thank you!



**ANNUAL 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. Here's the link to letter and the forms: <https://resurrection-aptos.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/2026-Combined-2nd-Collection-Letter-forms-for-website.pdf>



### LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

#### **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 (Mt 4:12-23) 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.

- Have you ever had a “wake-up call” that opened your eyes to what was really important in life? How is Jesus’ message of “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand” a wake-up call to pay attention to the presence of God in your life?
- Have you ever made a sudden change or move in your life like the first apostles? How have you experienced Jesus calling you to follow him?
- What breakthrough discoveries have changed our world and our lives? How was the ministry of Jesus such an event? How do you see the breakthrough, life-changing ministry of Jesus continuing today?

### 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](https://www.youtube.com/@ResurrectionChurchAptos)

**SATURDAY MORNING MEDITATION:** If you are looking for the opportunity to meditate with an interdenominational group, please join us in the Daily Mass Chapel at 8:30AM each Saturday morning. We meditate for 25 minutes and end with a brief talk to carry us through the week. For more information call Pat O'Brien 831-566-8234.

**CALLING ALL MISSING PYXES:** Did you borrow a pyx from the sacristy that you are no longer using? If so, can you please return it. Please check your purses, cars, drawers at home, coat pockets, etc. We only have one available for someone's use. Going forward please be sure to sign the pyx in and out. If you would be interested in purchasing your own pyx please contact the parish office. Thank you!



## Mass Intentions for January 24—February 1

### **Saturday, 1/24**

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

**Sunday, 1/25**

8:15 AM (RE) +Lloyd & Elizabeth Graff,  
+Amanda Harris

10:15 AM (RE) +Richard Graham, +Gail Mendoza,  
+Dee Feci

**Monday, 1/26**  
On Demand Morning Prayer (YouTube)

**Tuesday, 1/27**  
8:30 AM (RE) +Fr. Mike Marini

**Wednesday, 1/28**  
8:30 AM (RE) +Terry Erwin

**Thursday, 1/29**  
8:30 AM (RE) +Dave & Sally Boggini

**Friday, 1/30**  
8:30 AM (RE) +Lori Matusich

**Saturday, 1/31**  
5:00 PM (RE) +Joe Brechel

**Sunday, 2/1**  
8:15 AM (RE) The People of the Parish,  
+Frank Millang, Jr.,  
+Amanda Harris

10:15 AM (RE) +Marilyn Nussbaum,  
+Carlos Santillan, +Carmella Dautoff



## FAITH FORMATION

**FAITH FORMATION (Grades 1-12)** (including First Eucharist & Confirmation) For information please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or [dcnpatrick@resaptos.org](mailto:dcnpatrick@resaptos.org)

**MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6-8):** The next meeting will be on **Sunday, February 8, 2026 at 11:30 AM.**

**IS GOD CALLING YOU TO BECOME A CATHOLIC?** If you'd like to explore this possibility, you are welcome to attend our Catholic Information Nights, Tuesday evenings at 7:00 PM in the Weekday Mass Chapel through November 18th. For more information please contact Deacon Patrick at 831-840-3750 or [dcnpatrick@resaptos.org](mailto:dcnpatrick@resaptos.org)

## YOUTH MINISTRY

### **HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (YEARS 1 & 2)**

- Confirmation Year 1 next meeting is Sunday, January 25, 2026** beginning with the 10:15 AM mass continuing in the Youth Center from 11:30 AM until 1:00 PM.
- Confirmation Year 2 next meeting is Sunday, February 1, 2026** beginning with the 10:15 AM mass continuing in the Youth Center from 11:30 AM until 1:30 PM.
- Contact Mrs. Gabe Summers at [gabrielle@resaptos.org](mailto:gabrielle@resaptos.org) or 831-345-1545

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

Carlos	Jackie Gehring	George Mungai
Raheem	Dan Gibbs	Carol Oberle
Marlene Avona	Kelly Jo Hebert	Connor Paulbitski
Lauren B.	Stephen Hedges	Israel Plascencia
Cross/Boettcher/	Allegra Hiura	Heidi R. & Family
Burghart families	Juliet Hoskins	Pablo R.
Carlie Birch	Robert Higgins	Chris, Kayla & James Randolph
Rick Braun	Allan Hughes	Mary Repetti
Donna & Stephen	Jeremy	Chellie Roberts
Brechfeldt	Margaret Kain	Jose Rufino
Wren Buse	Gerri Karleen	Scotland Settle
Mary Beth C.C. & Family	Marion Kusanovich	Dita Bou Sleiman
Tony Cadiente	Clara Lauck	Diane Spoto
Marion Cernac	Joan Lawlor	Henry Sprenger
John Conway	Carol Lopes	Greg Stewart
Tom Conway	Franklyn Lopes, Sr.	Jim Van Lanen
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Nancy Daves	Donald Lowery	Beverly Vigliecca
Daniel DeMonner	Rob Mallard	Jan W.
Krystyna Derecki	Stacy Mariani	Gina & Rita W. & Family
Mary Donatoni	Dan Marcus	Megan Walsh
Alicia Enriquez	Theresa Martin	Michael G. Walsh
Lety Enriquez	Graham McFeely	Stephanie Walsh
Karen F.	John McLeod	Margaret Woolever
Trent Feliss	Mary McMenamy	Maggie Young
Greg Finegan	Oliver Mendoza	
Jennifer Fries	Dianne Milburn	
Josue Garcia	Emilio Escoto	
	Montagna	

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.

## 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.

**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**—We are still accepting food donations for our pantry. A list of items needed can be found on the poster near the bin in the church or the parish office. **Our pantry can only except non-perishable food that has not expired.** Thank you for your continued generosity in helping us feed the most vulnerable in our community.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS!

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### THE FORGOTTEN WAY

Thank you to all our volunteer greeters at Christmas for their help in passing out the parish Christmas book "The Forgotten Way"! If you're looking for extra copies, contact Jolene in the office as a few more copies are available! Donations accepted.

**2025 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** were emailed on January 22. If you requested a hard copy or you don't have an email address the *Annual Giving Statements* will be mailed out no later than January 31. If you haven't received your statement or if you have questions please call Karen Victorino at 831-688-4300 or email [karen@resaptos.org](mailto:karen@resaptos.org)

<b>Stewardship of Treasure</b> PLATE COLLECTION January 17 & 18, 2026	
<b>Weekly Plate Collection:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Masses/Mailed In</li> <li>• Electronic</li> <li>• Total</li> </ul>	<b>\$9,401.64</b> <b>\$8,083.33</b> <b>\$17,484.97</b>
<b>Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)</b>	<b>\$11,907.00</b>
<b>Plate Collection Average Fiscal YTD</b>	<b>\$12,177.00</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!!!

## MARKEY COMMUNITY CENTER PROJECT UPDATE

Electrical, heating & fire sprinkler work are going on inside the hall. Picture of the fire sprinkler pipes being installed.

Follow along on Instagram.



### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

*Sunday, 1/25*

- Speaker—Idaho Mission Trip
- 10:15 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (CCR)
- 10:15 AM—11:30 AM OCIA (OCR)
- 11:30 AM—1:00 PM Confirmation Year 1 (YC)
- 11:30 AM—12:30 PM First Reconciliation Practice (church)



*Monday, 1/26*

- 1:00 PM—3:00 PM Women's Guild Meeting (YC)

*Wednesday, 1/28*

- 9:15 AM—10:15 AM Building Meeting (OCR)
- 6:00 PM—7:00 PM Finance Council (via Zoom)
- 7:00 PM—8:00 PM First Eucharist Parent Meeting (DMC)

*Thursday, 1/29*

- 9:30 AM—10:30 AM Staff Meeting (OCR)
- 11:30 AM—12:15 PM Seated Tai Chi (church entrance)
- 12:15 PM—1:00 PM Crovo Prayer Group (DMC)
- 1:00 PM—1:45 PM Standing Tai Chi (church entrance)
- 3:45 PM—5:00 PM Faith Formation (grades 1-5) (CCR, DMC, church entrance, YC, OCR)

*Friday, 1/30*

- 9:00 AM—10:00 AM Holy Hour (DMC)
- 7:00 PM—8:00 PM First Reconciliation (church)

*Saturday, 1/31*

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

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

## RESURRECTION WOMEN'S GUILD

The Resurrection Women's Guild invites all ladies to our upcoming meeting on Monday, January 26 at 1:00 PM in the Resurrection Youth Center. This month, we welcome Elana Lee Solon, Director of Resources and Development of Food What?!, a youth empowerment and food justice organization. Elana will share insights about the organization's mission and how it supports youth in our area. If you have any questions about the meeting or are interested in joining the Resurrection Women's Guild, please contact our membership chair, Sandi Oliver, at 831-708-4073. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting!

## WOMEN'S GUILD: A SPIRITUAL RENEWAL RETREAT

The Women's Guild of Resurrection Church invites you to a Spiritual Renewal Day Retreat with Fr. Roberto Vera at St. Clare's Retreat Center in Soquel on Tuesday, February 24 from 10:00 AM—3:00 PM. The fee of \$80 includes mass, lunch, the conference, and fellowship. Contact St. Clare's Retreat for further information. Please see the flyer in today's bulletin.

## THE SPIRITUALITY OF AGING WEEKEND RETREAT (non silent retreat for Women & Men)

- Where? El Retiro, the Jesuit Retreat Center of Los Altos, 300 Manresa Way, Los Altos
- When? Friday, February 6 at 4:00 PM through Sunday, February 8 at 2:00 PM.
- Presenters: **Anne E. Grycz & Mary S. Romo**
- The culture in the United States is one that admires youth, what is considered good looks, and high energy. As Walter Burkhardt, S.J. commented, "The only ideal of old age accepted in the U.S. is old age without limits or loss." How does an elder navigate the prevalent "culture of youth?" How might diminishment actually be an invitation to new, unimagined chapters in one's spiritual journey? This retreat will explore the questions of aging in light of the Ignatian vision of indifference and "letting go."
- For more information and to register go to
- <https://www.jrclosaltos.org/> or call 650-917-4024

## SOCIAL ISOLATION—HOW HEALTH AND FRIENDSHIPS ARE AFFECTED

Aptos Library, Betty Leonard Community Room. Learn how to build and maintain meaningful friendships in this winter series exploring the impacts of social isolation on health. Snacks for all! Doors open at 2:30 PM. Event begins at 3 PM. Social isolation affects the physical and emotional health of people of all ages. It can affect one's health in a myriad of ways. Developing and keeping friends is the focus of this series.

- February 7—will be led by 2nd District Supervisor Kim DeSerpa, a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, who has had vast experience with the impact of social isolation on emotional health.
- March 7--will be a lively discussion led by transformational coach Kara Hopkins on forging friendships as adults, a skill we can all use.

Join us, you will learn a lot and make new friends!

# Senior Resource Ministry

## WHAT IS SENIOR RESOURCE MINISTRY?

Our Resurrection Parish supports a Senior Resource Ministry with a volunteer coordinator, Rita Marseille. We welcome Cleta Keller who brings a vast amount of experience and will be working in tandem with Rita. Rita can be reached at [rita@resaptos.org](mailto:rita@resaptos.org) or 831-688-4300. 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. They can be reached at 831-462-1433, or via their website which is: [seniornetworkservices.org](http://seniornetworkservices.org).

## TAI CHI CLASSES—SEATED & STANDING Church Entrance



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

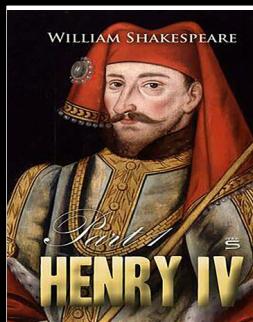


**STANDING Tai Chi Thursdays**  
1:00 PM— 1:45 PM

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. Donations are welcome.

- 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.**

Contact certified instructor, Pam Mensah at: [pamluvsch@gmail.com](mailto:pamluvsch@gmail.com) or for more information about Tai Chi for Arthritis Program: <https://taichiforhealthinstitute.org/>



## HENRY IV, PART 1, BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

Aptos Library on Saturday January 24, 31 & February 7 at 10:15 AM, Betty Leonard Community Room (in person or join by Zoom) . First hour: Conversation with a guest speaker Second hour: Volunteer readers will read aloud February 7: film, The Hollow Crown, Henry IV Part 1 For more information,

Zoom Link, or to volunteer to be a reader, contact: [saturdayshakespeare@gmail.com](mailto:saturdayshakespeare@gmail.com)

## REFUGEE FOSTER CARE INFORMATION SESSION:

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 on February 5, at 6:30 PM to learn more! Contact [Idella-Maggiore@ccscc.org](mailto:Idella-Maggiore@ccscc.org) or call 408-315-3602

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



Catholic Schools  
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We celebrate Catholic Education with Catholic Schools Week: January 25—31. If you are looking for a Catholic education for your children please be sure to see what our local schools have to offer you and your children:

- Salesian Elementary & Junior High (TK-8<sup>th</sup> Grade):** Catholic Schools Week is a joyful celebration of faith, academic excellence, and service. At Salesian School, inspired by St. John Bosco, we are committed to educating the whole child—mind, body, heart, and spirit—through the Salesian pillars of Reason, Religion, and Loving-Kindness, rooted in Christ and guided by Gospel values. We invite our parish community to celebrate the gift of Catholic education and to continue supporting our school where faith is lived, learning is inspired, and students are formed to serve God and others. Parish families are warmly encouraged to learn more about Salesian School and to schedule a tour to experience our campus and community firsthand. Contact us at 605 Enos Lane Corralitos, CA 95076; 831-728-5518; [info@salsianschool.org](mailto:info@salsianschool.org)
- St. Francis High School: Experience the St. Francis Difference!**  
Join us during Catholic Schools Week to celebrate the tradition of faith, excellence, and community that defines St. Francis High School. Meet our dedicated students, inspiring faculty, and supportive families who embody compassion, service, and academic success every day. Discover how St. Francis creates a nurturing environment where students grow in faith, knowledge, and character. We invite you to visit our campus, see our mission in action, and explore how a Catholic education can transform your child's future. For more information or to apply, visit [www.stfrancishigh.net](http://www.stfrancishigh.net) or call (831) 724-5933 today!
- Notre Dame Nigh School in Salinas:** Is accepting applications for 9th-12th grade young women. Scholarships & financial assistance are available. Notre Dame High School is a college preparatory Catholic high school for young women who seek wisdom, develop as leaders, and model Christ in service to others. Contact the school today to schedule a visit and find out what the school has to offer your child/ren. For more information contact the school at 831-751-1850 or check out their website at <https://notredamesalinas.org>
- Holy Cross School in Santa Cruz** (<https://holycsc.org/>)
- Moreland Notre Dame School** in Watsonville (<https://mndschool.org/>)



## AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED

We will be holding our **Online Auction** from Thursday, March 5 through Saturday, March 7.

**Auction items are needed no later than February 26.**

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: vacation homes, weekend getaways, cook & host a dinner for a group of parishioners, gift baskets, sports memorabilia, tickets to a game or museum, something you'd like to bid on, wine, a service to offer (maybe you are a great baker, gardener, photographer, etc.), etc.

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

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The Woman's Guild of Resurrection Church in Aptos  
Invite you to

**A Spiritual Renewal  
Day Retreat with Father Roberto Vera**

**Tuesday, February 24, 2026  
10:00 am to 3:30 pm**



at  
**The Saint Clare's  
Retreat Center  
2381 Laurel Glen Rd.  
Soquel, CA 95073**

**The fee is \$80 and includes Mass, lunch, a  
conference, and fellowship.**

**Registration required. Contact St. Clare's  
Retreat for more information at (831) 423-8093.**

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**Schedule of the Day**

- 10:00 - 10:45 Check In/Continental Breakfast
- 10:45 Mass in the Chapel
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:30 Conference with Father Roberto Vera
- 2:30 Adoration
- 3:30 Departure

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