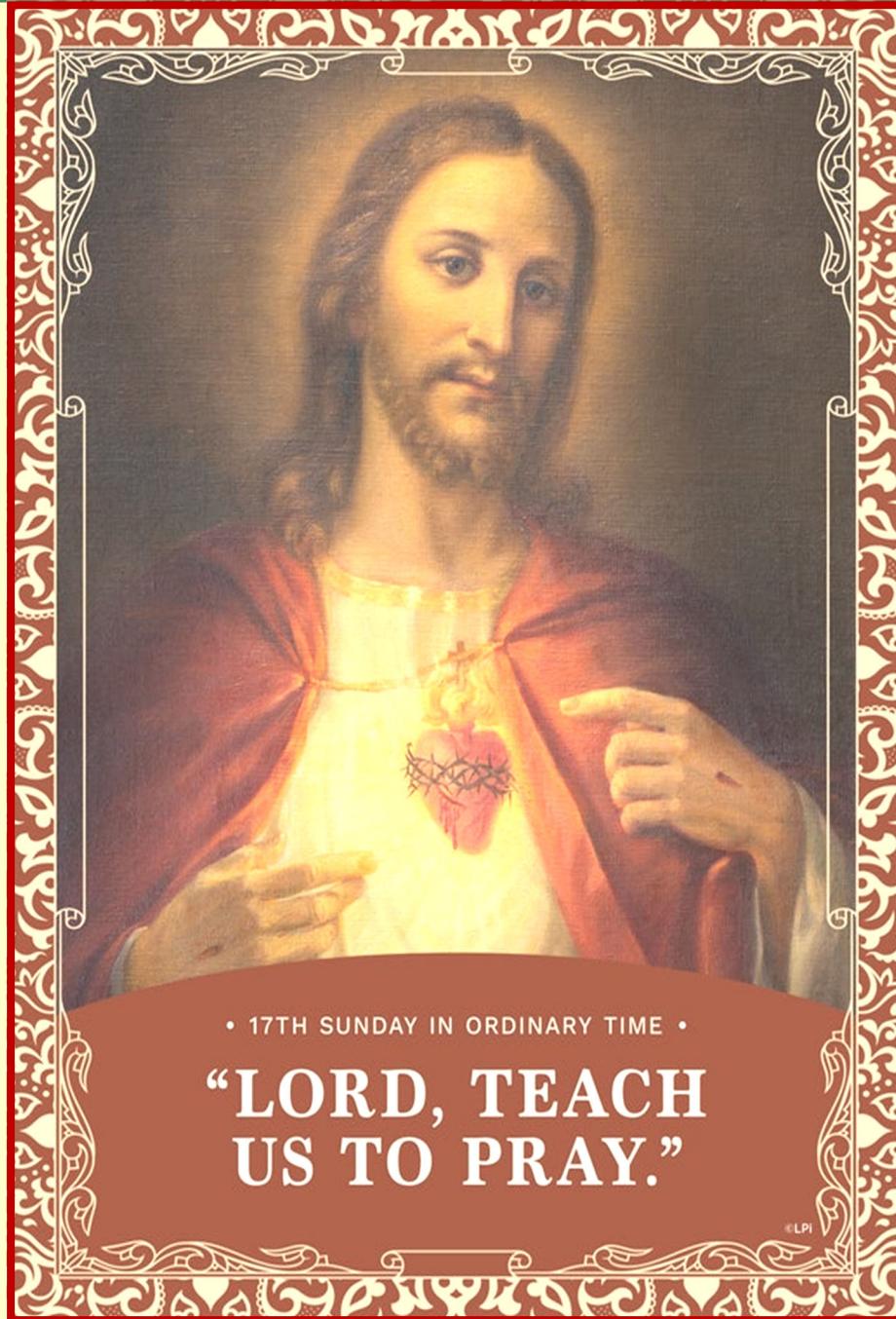


CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

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• 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME •

**“LORD, TEACH
US TO PRAY.”**

July 27, 2025

Parish Vision Statement

To be an enthusiastic, welcoming,
and serving Catholic Community of Christ's Disciples.

Parish Mission Statement

To joyfully and actively celebrate the sacraments,
to provide lifelong spiritual formation that nourishes our faith,
and to lovingly and compassionately serve the world.



Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4-4:45 p.m. Church.

Mass Schedule

Saturday, 8:15 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.
Mon.-Fri.: 8:15 a.m.
Tues. & Wed.: 5:30 p.m.

Parish Office 408-245-5554
For emergencies please call **650-447-5086**

Infant Baptisms

Contact Rev. Louis Lava at the Parish Office at 408-245-5554, anthony.louis.lava@dsj.org for pre-baptismal interview and instructions.

Marriage

Weddings normally take place in the parish of the bride or groom. Couples wishing to marry must contact one of the priests at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date.

Parish Staff

Pastor

Rev. Mark Gazzingan

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Louis Lava (Leveil), S.J., S.T.D.

Priest in residence

Rev. Andrew Salapata

Deacon

Mike Haas

Parish Secretary

Mary-Claire Affonso

Music Director

Amy Stacke

Religious Education Director

Jeanne Matsuda

Office Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
(closed for lunch 12n-1p)
Closed on Friday

San Jose Catholic Cemeteries,
Gate of Heaven,
650-428-3730

Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

BACKGROUND ON THE GOSPEL READING

Luke gives more attention to Jesus' teachings on prayer than any other Gospel writer. He also mentions Jesus at prayer more than the others. In today's reading, from the beginning of Chapter 11 of his Gospel, Luke presents the core of Jesus' teaching on prayer. It consists of Jesus teaching a prayer to his disciples, a parable on the persistent neighbor, and assurances that God hears our prayers.

The disciples notice Jesus praying "in a certain place." They ask him to teach them to pray just as John the Baptist had taught his disciples. Jesus teaches them a simple version of the most famous Christian prayer, the Our Father, or the Lord's Prayer. Matthew's version shows signs of being shaped by public prayer. Luke's version is probably closer to the original form that Jesus taught. Stripped of much of the language we are used to, Luke's version seems simple and direct. We pray that God's name will be recognized as holy and that his rule over all will be established. This is followed by petitions for our needs for bread, for forgiveness, and for deliverance. Luke uses the more theological language of "sins" rather than "debts," which is used in Matthew's version.

Having taught his disciples a simple, daily prayer, Jesus goes on to reassure them that God answers prayers. First he tells a parable about a persistent neighbor who asks a friend for bread at midnight. The friend is already in bed and has no desire to disturb his family by opening the door. But because the neighbor is persistent, the sleeping man gets up and gives him all that he needs. If a neighbor is willing to help us if we are persistent enough, how could God not respond to our requests?

This teaching concludes with the reminder that if we seek, we will get a response. If a human father, with all his faults, knows how to give good gifts to his children, how much more will our heavenly Father give us? Instead of good gifts, however, Luke substitutes the word *Holy Spirit*. This foreshadows the gift of the Holy Spirit, who is central to Luke's theology and who will play an important role in the growth of the early Church after Pentecost.

The parable and the concluding teaching in this section should not lead us to think of prayer as a series of requests presented to God. Rather, as Jesus teaches in his model prayer, prayer consists in recognizing God's holiness and his rule over all things.

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JOIN US ON A LIFE-CHANGING PILGRIMAGE!

Explore the sacred places where St. Paul preached and lived the Gospel — from the vibrant streets of Istanbul, the ancient ruins of Philippi, and the timeless beauty of Athens, to a breathtaking 3-night Greek Isle cruise, and the historic wonder of Ephesus.

Dates: April 16-28, 2026

Cost: \$5,199 per person (double occupancy)

Let Scripture come alive as you walk where St. Paul once walked, pray where he prayed, and deepen your faith with fellow pilgrims. Request a brochure: Email Fr. Mark at mark.gazzingan@dsj.org for a digital copy.

Prefer a printed copy? Pick one up at the Parish Office. Ready to reserve your spot? Book online at www.PaxVia.com I can't wait to share this unforgettable journey with you! Let's grow closer to God together as we follow in the footsteps of St. Paul.

MASS



SCHEDULE
& INTENTIONS

Intentions for July 26 - August 2

Sat.	8:15	Bill Dawson (special intention) (Fr. Kupo)
	5:00	Darina Kavanagh (health) (Fr. Mark)
Sun.	8:30	Paul & Elaine Gallus † (Fr. Louis)
	10:00	Bob Isola †, Richard Railton (birthday), People of the Parish (Fr. Mark)
	11:30	Virginia Hammrich (special intention), Henry & Eden Bonin (wedding anniversary) (Fr. Louis)
Mon.	8:15	Henry & Eden Bonin (wedding anniversary) (Fr. Mark)
Tues.	8:15	All Poor Souls in Purgatory † (Fr. Mark)
	5:30	Andy Hou † (Fr. Mark)
Wed.	8:15	(Fr. Louis)
	5:30	Melissa Dawson (health) (Fr. Louis)
Thur.	8:15	Quirino Patagoc † (Fr. Louis)
Fri.	8:15	Living & Deceased ICF Members, Bishop Oscar Cantú (living) (Fr. Mark)
Sat.	8:15	Maxima Somera †, Jose & Monserrat Marilao † (Fr. Louis)
	5:00	(Fr. Mark)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

17 Sun OT:	Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-3, 6-8 (3a); Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13
Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
18 Sun OT:	Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17 (1); Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

You are encouraged to look-up the weekly readings in your Bible as preparation for Mass and for daily Bible reading.



WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Thanks to our parishioners who returned their offerings to the Lord for:

July 19/20: Regular collection **\$4,644.**

AUGUST 2/3, 2ND COLLECTION FOR PARISH MAINTENANCE

Saints of the Week

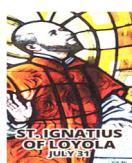
Tues, Jul 29: Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus.

In the household of Bethany, Jesus experienced the family spirit and friendship of Martha, Mary, and Lazarus. Martha, died 1st c.; sister of Mary and Lazarus; model of hospitality and faithful disciple; confessed her faith in Jesus as the Son of God. Luke describes Martha as “burdened with much serving” (Luke 10:40). About Mary, seated, listening to Jesus, Martha complained, “Do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving?” Jesus’ response, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things . . . Mary has chosen the better part” (10:41, 42), suggests to some the superiority of the contemplative life, leaving the rest of us, supporting families, earning livings, (helping others?), as second-class Christians. But Luke introduces Martha and Mary immediately after Jesus’ parable of the Good Samaritan, whom Jesus recommends as a model of practical compassion, concluding, “Go and do likewise” (10:37). Go and do! Sit and listen! Discipleship is never either/or but both. Jesus ministered in prayerful silence and hospitable service. Monastic calendars add Martha’s sister, Mary, and brother, Lazarus, calling all three “hosts of the Lord”; patroness of housewives, waiters and waitresses.

Wed, Jul 30: St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor.

Peter, died c. 450; called “Chrysologus” (“of golden speech”) for his exceptional preaching ability; one hundred and seventy homilies are extant; bishop of Ravenna.

Thurs, Jul 31: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest.



Ignatius, died 1556; soldier, founded the *Compañía de Jesús* (Latin: *Societas Jesu*); approved by Paul III, 1540; authored the *Spiritual Exercises*; founded the Roman College; at his death, the Society numbered 1,000 members in seventy-six houses in twelve provinces, including Brazil, Japan and India; devoted *ad maiorem Dei gloriam*; today numbers some 14,840 members, patron saint of retreatants and soldiers.

Fri, Aug 1: St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop, Doctor of the Church.

Alphonsus, died 1787; lawyer; founded (1732) the Redemptorists, today numbering some 4,785 members; opposed Jansenism, stressing Christ’s love (“*copiosa apud eum redemptio*”) and Mary’s intercession; bishop of Saint’ Agata dei Goti; master of moral theology; patron of confessors and moral theologians.

Sat, Aug 2: St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest.

Eusebius, died 371; considered the founder of the canons regular in the West; defender of St. Athanasius (May 2); exiled to Palestine by Constantius; with St. Hilary (January 13).

Peter Julian Eymard, died August 1, 1868; born at La Mure d’Isère, France, February 4, 1811; founded (1856) the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament, today numbering some 885 members, devoted to the worship and apostolate of the Eucharist as the center of the life of the Church and society; in 1858 founded the Servants of the Blessed Sacrament, the Association of Priest Adorers, and international Eucharistic congresses.

BLESSED FATHER MCGIVNEY RELIC TOUR

The Relic will be at St. Martin, Sunnyvale on Sunday, August 17 available for veneration in the Chapel before and during the 8 am Mass.

It will be inside the Church for the 10 am Mass.

After the 10 am Mass it will go back to the Chapel for veneration until about 2 pm.



Community Resources

THANK YOU FROM THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Thank you so much to everyone who purchased the admission and raffle tickets for the Diocese of San Jose Soccer Cup.

\$805 was collected and submitted to the Diocese of San Jose, Vocations’ Office.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CORNER

St. Vincent de Paul helpline# 408-773-6185
Website: svdpresurrection.yolasite.com

HELP!

We are very low on pantry supplies.

Does your weekly budget allow you to buy a few items for the poor?



This week we need canned fish, pasta sauce, pasta, cereal, peanut butter, canned vegetables, and canned fruit.

Please place your donations in the designated baskets at the Church entrances, or in the St Vincent de Paul area in the rear of the Church near the men’s room.

God bless you!

JOIN US IN HELPING THEIR COMMUNITY THRIVE SALT + LIGHT CULTIVATING COMMUNITY

Each year the Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) holds a National Convention-this year it will be held in Visalia, CA. As part of the Convention-the National ICF works with the local ICF organization to support the local community. This year the Italian Catholic Federation will be collecting mini or full-sized cleaning and personal care supplies at our Convention in Visalia.

The items collected will be donated to Salt & Light who are making a significant difference for those in need in Central California.

Please bring your donation to the vestibule of the Church after all the weekend Masses from now through August 17.



OCIA IS BOTH INVITATION & OPPORTUNITY

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, completing your sacraments, reconnecting with the Church, or simply growing your faith, then OCIA might be right for you.

More than a process, class, or program, OCIA is an invitation to fall in love with Jesus Christ.

Each person is accepted where they are in their faith journey and moved along at an appropriate pace in a warm, accepting environment. We will begin on Sunday, September 7.

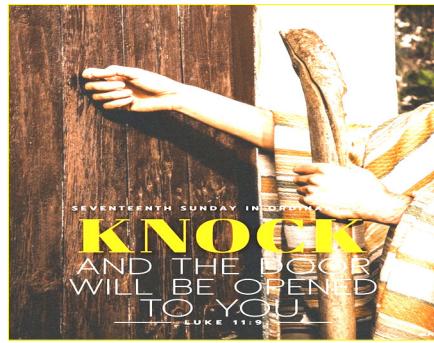
Pick-up an OCIA brochure at one of the exits to the Church for more information or contact Deacon Mike at 408-616-9315 or to register mhaas@resparish.org

FOR HEALING

Parents & Family, Jorona, Paul, Steve, Alvodo, Darina Kavanagh, Jan Orazem, Ken O'Connor, Caroline Hue, Alli M., Victor Lee, Susan Leurey, Steve Peluffo, Cress Sader, Luisito, Amalia, Irish Anastacio, Belinda Maderazo, Rosemarie Lim, Ray & Joan Flores, Marti Peters, Mary P., Geni, Karen, Melvin Paniaqua, Gladys, Luke & Angelica Dias, Lourdes Diaz, Peter Tobias, Jayson Brazie, Emily Garcia, David, Joaquin Delfin, Bobby McLean, Ed Weisner, Dave Wyckoff, Mary Ellen Krishnan, Mike Miller.

For Deceased

Lavinia Zacapa.



The Anointing of the sick with the Oil of the Sick and prayers for healing is celebrated with those who are seriously ill, preparing for surgery, or frail and elderly.

In case of an urgent need for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, call **650-447-5086**



WELCOME TO CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

You are cherished by God and are welcomed to celebrate with us here in our faith community. If you are interested in more information about our parish, would like to register with us, or are a current parishioner with a change in your contact information, please fill out this form and place it, in the collection basket, in the suggestion box at the door or in the mail.

Name:

Address: _____ City: _____

State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email:

() New Parishioner () New Address () Moving-remove from list
() Please send contribution envelopes

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Our Community parishioners in service to others Ministries' Page

Stewardship	Contact	Telephone/Email
Pastoral Council	Fr. Mark	408-245-5554
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Facilities	Tony Arrizon	408-245-5554

Liturgy	Deacon Mike Haas	408-616-9315
Director of Music	Amy Stacke	408-245-5554
Eucharistic Ministers	Ric Shimshock	408-205-2942
Eucharist to the Sick & Homebound	Parish Office	408-245-5554
Proclaimers	Tim Coté	408-482-1460
Altar Servers Training	Parish Office	408-245-5554
Liturgical Environment	Carol Bruce	
Ushers leader	Anthony Prakash	anthony.prakash@gmail.com

Religious Education Classes	Jeanne Matsuda	408-772-5383
Order of Christian Initiation for Adults	Deacon Mike Haas	408-616-9315
Baptisms	Parish Office	408-245-5554
Baptismal Preparation Class	Parish Office	408-245-5554
Respect Life Ministry	Roger Bonilla	408-736-7138
Cursillo (men)	Bobby Montalvo	408-518-2864
Men's Faith Sharing Group	Deacon Mike Haas	408-616-9315
Sat Morn Women's Faith Sharing	Letitia Roddy Masik	650-380-9962
Legion of Mary	Elvie McCallion	408-393-5734
Thur. Morning Prayer & Adoration	Parish Office	408-245-5554
Grief Ministry	Deacon Mike	408-616-9315
Rosary		

St. Vincent de Paul	Roger Bonilla	408-736-7138
Hospitality/Sun Donuts coordinator	Pauline De Souza	resparishhospitality@gmail.com
Hospitality/Sun Donuts scheduler	Remi Chattier	
Fil-Am Group	Eden Bonin	408-245-4567
Italian-Catholic Federation	Ric Shimshock	408-205-2942
Knights of Columbus	Paul Dismuke	408-482-5718

If you suspect abuse in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact: Child Protective Services at 833-722-5437; or call 911; or the Diocesan Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults at 408-983-0113 or email dsj.ethicspoint.com. If you suspect financial mismanagement in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact EthicsPoint, dsj.ethicspoint.com