

ST. JULIE BILLIART PARISH

You are loved by God and are welcomed to celebrate with us here in our community.

366 St. Julie Drive, San Jose, CA 95119 | 408-629-3030 | stjulies-dsj.org

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The seed sown on rich soil
is the one who hears the word
and understands it.

- Matthew 13:23 -

JUNE 12, 2026

PREPARING FOR SUNDAY

Here are simple ways to enter more fully into the Mass.

1. Arrive 5–10 minutes early. Give yourself time to quiet your heart and prepare to encounter the Lord.
2. Bring your whole self. Set aside your phone. Leave the week behind. You are about to meet Christ.
3. Look up the readings beforehand. A few minutes with Sunday's Gospel before you arrive can open your heart to hear it more deeply at Mass.
4. Join the Gathering Song and every song. Your voice matters, even if you think you cannot sing. When we sing together, we pray together.
5. Notice the entrance procession. Watch the crucifix, the candle bearers, the Gospel Book carried with reverence. Let these symbols speak to you.
6. Respond with conviction. Your "Amen," your "And with your spirit," and your "Lord, have mercy" are not formalities. They are your voice, joining the voice of the whole Church.



O most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendour of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me this my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me here-in you are my Mother.

O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succour me in this necessity; there are none that can withstand your power.

O, show me herein you are my Mother, O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee. (3 times)

Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands. (3 times)



Do you know someone who's homebound?

If you or a loved one are homebound, and would like to receive Holy Communion and anointing, please call the parish office at 408-629-3030 or

Carmen Lizardi Folley at 408-314-0328.

Leave your name, phone number and the date that you called. Or email us with the same information to office@stjulies-dsj.org. A minister will contact you and arrange a time to come to your home.

Conoces a alguien que esté sin poder salir de casa?

Si usted o un ser querido están enfermos o imposibilitados para salir de su hogar y desea recibir la Sagrada Comunión, llame a la oficina parroquial al 408-629-3030 x 107. Deje su nombre, número de teléfono y la fecha en que llamó. O envíenos un correo electrónico con la misma información a office@stjulies-dsj.org. Un ministro se pondrá en contacto con usted y concertará una cita para visitar su hogar.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE (RESPONSIBILIDAD COMPARTIDA)

Please make a personal family decision to help us reach our **weekly goal of \$7,500**

Offertory totals for July 5, 2026

Offertory	\$5,324.00
Online Sun. Giving	<u>\$3,137.00</u>
TOTAL	\$8,461.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Please consider ONLINE GIVING. Kindly go to our parish website: www.stjulies-dsj.org

DAILY MASS READINGS

7/12 | SUNDAY

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9 (103)

7/13 | MONDAY

Saint Henry

Is 1:10-17/Mt 10:34—11:1 (389)

7/14 | TUESDAY

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

Is 7:1-9/Mt 11:20-24 (390)

7/15 | WEDNESDAY

Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Mt 11:25-27 (391)

7/16 | THURSDAY

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Mt 11:28-30 (392)

7/17 | FRIDAY

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Mt 12:1-8 (393)

7/18 | SATURDAY

Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest

Mi 2:1-5/Mt 12:14-21 (394)

Mass Intentions

Sun	7/12	7:00 AM	Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juan Pelayo Leon +
		9:00 AM	Danasa Velasquez +
		11:00AM	Marcelino Bravo + Julieta Diaz +
		1:00 PM	Zinai Zavala Jr. (birthday)
Mon	7/13	9:30 AM	Pricilla Lumba + Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juana Pelayo Leon + Salvador Pelayo Pelayo +
Tue	7/14	9:30 AM	Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juana Pelayo Leon +
Wed	7/15	9:30 AM	Sanders Family (Living and Deceased) Ruperto Duran Pelayo (Spiritual Healing) Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juana Pelayo Leon +
Thu	7/16	9:30 AM	All Souls in Purgatory All Souls in Purgatory Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juana Pelayo Leon +
Fri	7/17	9:30 AM	Ignacio Gutierrez Pelayo + Juana Pelayo Leon +
Sat	7/18	5:00 PM	Eduardo R. Nuevo +

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

For the Sick & HOMEBOUND:

(Para Los Enfermos Y Confinados En Casa)

*Gonzalo Mellin, Evan Bowar Jr., Joseph Oliver
and Margarita Ramirez*

Recently Died (Murieron Recientemente)

Evan Bowar Sr. +, Remigio Niesta + and Vincent Sardi +

*Members of our Parish Family who are in the military,
hospitals, nursing homes and all who
have no one to pray for them.*

SUNDAY CONNECTION

First Reading: Isaiah 55:10-11

The Word of the Lord shall achieve its purpose.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 65:10-14

A prayer of praise to God for his abundance.

Second Reading: Romans 8:18-23

Together with all of creation, we await God's redemption.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 13:1-23 (shorter form: Matthew 13:1-9)

Jesus teaches that the kingdom of heaven is like seed that has been sown on good soil.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's Gospel marks the beginning of the third long discourse given by Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew. Over the next few weeks, the Gospel readings will consist of the entire 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel, a lengthy teaching discourse.

Throughout this discourse, Jesus will offer several parables to illustrate for his listeners what he means by the kingdom of heaven. He begins with the parable of the sower, which appears rather straightforward—of course seeds grow best in good soil. Seeds that miss the soil, are sown on rocky ground, or are sown among other plants will not grow. The surprise in the parable is the enormous yield of the seed that is sown on good soil.

Jesus then explains his use of parables. Jesus seems to suggest that he uses parables to teach because the meanings of parables are not self-evident. The hearer must engage in some degree of reflection in order to comprehend the message of a parable. In this way, the medium—the parable—models the point of the parable of the sower. Those who are willing to engage themselves in the effort to understand will be rewarded by the discovery of the message and will bear fruit.

To bring home the point, Jesus interprets the parable of the sower to his disciples. The different types of soil in which the seeds are sown are metaphors for the disposition with which each individual hears the teaching about the kingdom of heaven. Some will be easily swayed away from the kingdom of heaven. Some will receive it for a time but will lose it when faced with difficulties. Some will hear the word but will then permit other cares to choke it out. Yet some will receive it well, and the seed will produce abundant fruit.

Loyolapress

Conexión dominical

Primera lectura: Isaías 55, 10-11

La Palabra del Señor cumplirá su propósito.

Salmo responsorial: Salmo 65, 10-14

Una oración de alabanza a Dios por su abundancia.

Segunda lectura: Romanos 8, 18-23

Junto con toda la creación, aguardamos la redención de Dios.

Lectura del Evangelio

Mateo 13, 1-23 (forma breve: Mateo 13, 1-9)

Jesús enseña que el Reino de los Cielos es como una semilla sembrada en buena tierra.

Contexto de la lectura del Evangelio

El Evangelio de hoy marca el inicio del tercer gran discurso pronunciado por Jesús en el Evangelio de Mateo. Durante las próximas semanas, las lecturas del Evangelio abarcarán la totalidad del capítulo 13 del Evangelio de Mateo, un extenso discurso de enseñanza.

A lo largo de este discurso, Jesús presenta varias parábolas para ilustrar ante sus oyentes a qué se refiere con el reino de los cielos. Comienza con la parábola del sembrador, que parece bastante sencilla: naturalmente, las semillas crecen mejor en buena tierra. Las semillas que no caen en la tierra, o que se siembran en terreno pedregoso o entre otras plantas, no prosperan. El elemento sorprendente de la parábola es la enorme cosecha que produce la semilla sembrada en buena tierra.

A continuación, Jesús explica por qué utiliza parábolas. Parece sugerir que emplea este recurso para enseñar precisamente porque su significado no es evidente por sí mismo; el oyente debe realizar cierto esfuerzo de reflexión para comprender el mensaje de la parábola. De este modo, el medio mismo —la parábola— ejemplifica la enseñanza central de la parábola del sembrador: quienes estén dispuestos a esforzarse por comprender verán recompensada su actitud al descubrir el mensaje y darán fruto.

Para ilustrar este punto, Jesús explica la parábola del sembrador a sus discípulos. Los diversos tipos de tierra donde se siembran las semillas son metáforas de la disposición con la que cada persona escucha la enseñanza sobre el reino de los cielos. Algunos se dejarán apartar fácilmente del reino de los cielos. Otros lo recibirán por un tiempo, pero lo perderán al enfrentarse a dificultades. Algunos escucharán la palabra, pero permitirán que otras preocupaciones la ahoguen. Sin embargo, habrá quienes la reciban bien, y la semilla producirá fruto abundante.

VOCATIONS SOCCER CUP
DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE

CHU NHAT, NGAY 26 THANG 07

SUNDAY, JULY 26 | **DOMINGO, 26 DE JULIO**

SAINT FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL
1885 MIRAMONTE AVE., MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94040
DOORS OPEN 3:00 PM

LITTLE MARTYRS vs LITTLE SAINTS
Game starts 4:30 PM

PRIESTS vs SEMINARIANS
Game starts 6:30 PM

ADMISSION TICKET
BOLETO DE ENTRADA
VÉ VÀO CỬA
\$10 GENERAL

RAFFLE TICKET
BOLETO DE RIFA
VÉ XỔ SỐ
\$10 EACH

NEW! ALTAR SERVERS WILL BE PLAYING IN THE NEW ST. CARLO ACUTIS AND ST. MARIA GORETTI CLUB

NUEVO! LOS MONAGUILLOS Y MONAGUILLAS JUGARÁN EN EL NUEVO CLUB DE SAN CARLO ACUTIS Y SANTA MARIA GORETTI.

DIocese of San Jose

You are invited to enjoy a guided tour of St. Joseph's Cathedral Basilica in downtown San Jose. Make it part of your journey in this 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope. Learn about the history of San Jose along with the art and unique architecture of the Cathedral. Tours are Wednesday through Friday from 1-3pm.

We are also hoping to find people who would like to become a docent to share the beauty of the Cathedral with visitors. If you are interested, please contact Pat Graaff for information about the latest training schedule. Contact Pat at tennismumetepat@myyahoo.com

Karaoke NIGHT

DATE & TIME
JULY 18, 2026
SAT, 7:00 - 10:00 PM

VENUE
ST. JULIE BILLIART PARISH
6410 ST. JULIE DRIVE, SAN JOSE, CA 95119

ENTRY FEE: \$25.00

CONTEST
PRIZES UP FOR GRAB

1ST PRIZE: \$300.00
2ND PRIZE: \$200.00
3RD PRIZE: \$100.00
CONSOLATION PRIZE: \$50.00

Light Refreshments

Make check payable to Diocesan Council of Filipino Catholics (DCFC)
Zelle ID: dcfcsanjose@gmail.com
Contact: Jinky Peralta 408-991-3326

FUNDRAISING OF DCFC TO SUPPORT VARIOUS ACTIVITIES

NUESTRA SEÑORA DE FÁTIMA PEREGRINACIÓN

Unámonos en oración y caminemos juntos como Iglesia en San José, entregando nuestras familias al cuidado maternal de Nuestra Señora de Fátima.

PROGRAMA DE PROCESIONES Y MISAS

12 de mayo - Five Wounds hacia Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe (1.2 millas), Misa 6:00 PM
13 de junio - Centro Vietnamita hacia San Francisco de Asís (2.7 millas), Misa 8:00 AM
13 de julio - Santa Maria Goretti hacia Nuestra Señora del Refugio (2 millas), Misa 6:00 PM
13 de agosto - Santos Mártires Coreanos hacia Santísima Trinidad (2.4 millas), Misa 6:00 PM
13 de septiembre - Santa Cruz hacia Nuestra Señora de La Vang (1.2 millas), Misa 1:00 PM
13 de octubre - San Juan Vianney hacia San Hermano Alberto (1.7 millas), Misa 6:00 PM

Después de la Misa, continúa el Rosario. Invitación especial para las familias.

Reza el Rosario, Camina en la Fe, Protege a Nuestras Familias.

DIocese of San Jose

REPORT MISCONDUCT

ethicspoint

Financial:
888-325-7863
dsj.ethicspoint.com

Children & Vulnerable Adults:
844-372-1691
opcva.ethicspoint.com

FAITH FORMATION FOR ALL

Registration Now Open

We invite all families to register for the upcoming year of faith formation classes. Join us as we grow together in faith, learning, and community.

Registration forms and details are available through the parish office.

Please register early to help us prepare for classes.

For Children in 2nd grade through 12th Grade

What to Bring?
Copy of baptismal certificate

Please contact Malou at 408-960-8027 or email (malou.bautista@dsj.org) (check or cash accepted)

We look forward to another blessed

40 DAYS FOR LIFE
THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION.

Fall Campaign 2026: September 23 - November 1

Dear Fellow Parishioners of the Diocese of San Jose,

I invite you to prayerfully discern how the Lord is calling you to join our upcoming **Fall 40 Days for Life** campaign.

This is a grace-filled season of prayer, fasting, and peaceful witness for the unborn, their mothers, and the healing of our culture. Together we will:

- Deepen our prayer lives as we cry out to God for an end to abortion
- Offer hope and support to women in need
- Witness with compassion to the sacred dignity of every human life

I especially encourage you to **start or join a prayer group** during these 40 days—whether in your home, after Mass, or virtually. Many have found these focused prayer times to be powerful sources of grace and renewed faith.

Your participation, whether through prayer, vigil presence at Planned Parenthood (1691 The Alameda, San Jose), or spreading awareness, truly matters.

For prayer resources, vigil schedules, or help starting a prayer group, please contact me:
Paul Navarro | (408) 207-5781 | 40dfslsanjose@gmail.com

May this season draw us closer to Christ, the Author of Life.