



The Catholic Community of Saint Junipero Serra

September 14th,
2025



THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Jesus said to Nicodemus: "No one has gone up to heaven except the one who has come down from heaven, the Son of Man." For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. - Jn 3:13, 17

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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Weekday Masses

Tuesday & Thursday | 8:30am

Wednesday | 6:00pm

Friday | 6:00pm*

Weekend Masses

Saturday | 4:00pm

Sunday | 8:30am, 10:00am*, 12:00pm*

*Indicates Masses in Spanish

Reconciliation

Every Saturday of the Month | 9:00am

Marriages/Bodas

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

Arreglos deben hacerse con 6 meses de anticipación.

Baptism/Bautizos

Every First Saturday of the Month.

Please call the parish office three months prior to anticipated baptism date in order to review requirements. Sponsors (Godparents) must be practicing Catholics.

Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial tres meses antes del bautizo para revisar los requisitos. Los padrinos deben ser Católicos practicantes.

Quinceañeras

Every Third Saturday of the Month. Arrangements should be made one year in advance. Please call the Parish Office.

Los arreglos deben hacerse con un año de anticipación.



The Women's Ministry of St. Serra would like to invite all ladies of St. Serra to our monthly meetings held on the third Tuesday of the month at 10:30 a.m. We begin our meetings in prayer and have a spiritual teaching moment then to planning of events and fundraisers that support the youth of our Parish and other needs of the Church and Pastor. We hold several fundraising events; most popular our annual Bake sale in November and of course our much anticipated 50's Rock & Roll event held in April and last year our Italian dinner. So please join us as we resume our meetings on **September 16th at 10:30 a.m. followed by a potluck.** We look forward to meeting you.



The Knights of Columbus will be having a movie night featuring the Charles Dickens animated story "King of Kings". This will be held at St. Junipero Serra on Saturday, September 20th at 7:30pm, weather permitting. They will be selling food and drinks and all proceeds will benefit the **Coats for Kids** program.



St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry—

Second Tuesday of the month from 9am-12pm

Despensa de Alimentos de San Vicente de Paúl—

Segundo martes del mes de 9am-12 pm

Class Schedule

Children

K– 8th on Tuesdays

5:30 pm–7:00 pm

Youth Confirmation Classes on Wednesdays

5:00 pm - 6:30 pm Confirmation 1

6:00 pm—7:30 pm Confirmation 2

Sacramental Preparation (2nd year) on Thursdays

5:30 pm– 7:00 pm

Adults

OCIA and Adult Confirmation Classes on Mondays

6:30 pm—8:00 pm

Confirmación y OICA para Adultos en SJS (Español) los Domingos*

8:30 am—9:45 am

*Denotes classes taught in Spanish/*Denota clases impartidas en español.



El Grupo de Oración se reúne todos los viernes a las 7:00pm para compartir en comunidad la alabanza, la oración y la fe.

Quinceañeras

Young women preparing for their Quinceañera celebration are reminded that participation in the Mass and the reception of Holy Communion are essential parts of this beautiful tradition. Families should ensure that the Quinceañera is prepared to attend Mass faithfully and receive the Eucharist reverently as part of the celebration.

Se recuerda a las jóvenes que se preparan para la celebración de sus Quinceañeras que la participación en la Misa y la recepción de la Sagrada Comunión son partes esenciales de esta hermosa tradición. Las familias deben asegurarse de que la Quinceañera esté preparada para asistir fielmente a la Misa y recibir la Eucaristía con reverencia como parte de la celebración.

Prayer & Worship

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LITURGICAL AND SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Monday, September 15th

10:00 am Zumba

6:00 pm Rosary -English (Zoom)

Tuesday, September 16th

8:30 am Daily Mass

10:00 am Talleres de Oracion y Vida

10:30 am Women's Ministry Mtg

Wednesday, September 17th

10:00 am Zumba

6:00 pm Daily Mass

Thursday, September 18th

8:30 am Daily Mass

10:00 am Zumba

Friday, September 19th

9:00 am Bible Study

9:30 am Guadalupanos Mtg

6:00 pm Daily Mass

6:30 pm Youth Group

6:30 pm Grupo de Oración

6:30 pm Pre-baptismal Classes

Saturday, September 20th

9:00 am Confessions

9:00 am Clases de Inglés como segundo idioma

12:00 pm Quinceañeras - Carmina

Alvarez & Katherine Flores

2:00 pm Convalidation - Miguel

Gonzalez & Nubia Vizcaya

4:00 pm Mass

Sunday, September 21st

Catechetical Sunday

8:00 am Blood Drive

8:30 am Mass

10:00 am Mass - Español

12:00 am Mass - Español

OUR GENEROSITY TO GOD

September 6 & 7

\$3,860 - Online Giving (August)

\$5,488.86 - Collection

\$300 - Scrip

Today's Readings

FIRST READING

"We have sinned in complaining against the LORD and you. Pray the LORD to take the serpents from us." (Nm 21:7)

Hemos pecado al quejarnos contra el SEÑOR y contra ti. Rueda al SEÑOR que nos quite las serpientes. (Nm 21:7)

SECOND READING

He humbled himself, becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross. (Phil 2:8)

Se humilló a sí mismo, haciéndose obediente hasta la muerte, y muerte de cruz. (Fil 2:8)

GOSPEL READING

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

Porque de tal manera amó Dios al mundo, que dio a su Hijo único, para que todo aquel que en él cree, no se pierda, mas tenga vida eterna. (Jn 3:16)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Brandon Bustillo
Margaret Ramos
David Russell
Giovanni Avila
Moses Avila
Yvonne Ojeda
Daniel

Tony Cerda
Alberto Robles
Adriana Avila
Francesca Ortega
Jose Luis Martinez
Jim Jones
Barbara Gorski
Honorio Navarro
Selena Franco

Loseli Raass
Karina Avila
James Farias
Anne Park
Tony Villasenor
Jose Cossio Torres
Amanda Alaniz Ortega
Bart Antista
Sr. Maria Olga

Names will remain on the list for 4 weeks. Please resubmit after that time by contacting the office.

WEEKLY READINGS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6/Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10/Lk 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 (see 1a, 7b)/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

Lunes: 1 Tim 2, 1-8/Sal 27, 2. 7. 8-9/Jn 19, 25-27 o Lc 2, 33-35

Martes: 1 Tim 3, 1-13/Sal 100, 1-2. 2-3. 5. 6/Lc 7, 11-17

Miércoles: 1 Tim 3, 14-16/Sal 110, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 7, 31-35

Jueves: 1 Tim 4, 12-16/Sal 110, 7-8. 9. 10/Lc 7, 36-50

Viernes: 1 Tim 6, 2-12/Sal 48, 6-7. 8-10. 17-18. 19-20/Lc 8, 1-3

Sábado: 1 Tim 6, 13-16/Sal 99, 1-2. 3. 4. 5/Lc 8, 4-15

Domingo: Am 8, 4-7/Sal 112, 1-2. 4-6. 7-8 (ver 1. 7)/1 Tim 2, 1-8/Lc 16, 1-13 o 16, 10-13

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