

# SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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November 16, 2025

## REGULAR MASS TIMES

**DAILY MASS:** 9:00 am

**FIRST FRIDAY:** 7:30 pm

Mass Adoration until 10pm

**SATURDAY:** 9:00 am

(Vigil) 4:30 pm

(en español) 6:00 pm

**SUNDAY:** 8:00 am

10:00 am

12:00 pm

(Youth) 5:00 pm

## RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

## PRIESTS & DEACONS

### **PASTOR**

Fr. Geoffrey Baraan

### **PAROCHIAL VICARS**

Fr. Salvador Lopez-Ramirez  
SdeJ.

### **RETIRED IN RESIDENCE**

Fr. Francisco Figueroa-Esquer

### **DEACONS**

Dn. Ben Agustin

## OFFICE STAFF:

Aura Mendieta, Business

Manager

Teena Posas, Youth Ministry

Director

Christine Suarez, Faith

Formation & RCIA Director

Michael Chio, Music Director

Sr. Christine Le, Bookkeeper

## SACRAMENTS:

### **Baptism**

4th Saturday of the month call  
the Parish Office.

### **Wedding**

Call the Parish Office at least 6  
months ahead.

### **Funeral**

Call to coordinate with a priest or



## 33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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“It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are  
not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall  
give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will  
be powerless to resist or refute.” - Lk 21:13-15

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### **My dear friends in Christ,**

First, I want to express my heartfelt gratitude for your prayers for the people of the Philippines. As I shared last Sunday, our thoughts and prayers have been with them during this incredibly difficult time. Though we are separated by thousands of miles, we have shown them our love and concern. As St. Paul reminds us: "If one member of the body suffers, all the members suffer with it" (1 Cor 12:26). We are one body in Christ, and so we share in their pain.

The Super Typhoon has passed, but the devastation it left behind is beyond words. Many buildings, homes, and highways were destroyed, and countless people have been displaced. In some places, the flooding was so severe that entire villages were submerged. Watching the news has been heartbreaking, but what has truly inspired me is the extraordinary faith of the Filipino people. Even in the midst of such disaster, they have found strength in their faith. When I told my brother we had been praying for them, he simply replied, "Thank you." Tragically, last week, the Philippines was hit by another typhoon, killing hundreds and leaving many still missing. Our hearts ache for them in their grief and loss.

This coming Sunday, we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King—the last Sunday before the season of Advent begins. In a world filled with violence, division, despair, and suffering, this feast offers us a critical moment to reflect on the true meaning of Christ's kingship. Pope Pius XI established this solemnity in 1925 through his encyclical *Quas primas* in response to the rise of secularism and nationalism in Europe. In those years, many people—Catholics included—began to doubt Christ's authority and the Church's power to continue His mission. The world was changing rapidly, and earthly rulers were rising up, asserting their control over not just nations, but over the very hearts of the people. Secular ideologies were gaining strength, and Catholic faith was under threat. Christ the King was instituted to remind the world that no matter how powerful earthly rulers or ideologies may seem, Christ remains the true King of all.

When we reflect on the world of 1925, we can see that, unfortunately, many of the struggles of that time—secularism, materialism, and the rise of dangerous nationalism—are still with us today. It is easy to become distracted by the noise of our time, by all the ideologies and forces that seek to pull us away from Christ's teachings. But the feast of Christ the King reminds us that we cannot return to that world—the world that was losing its way, that thought power and authority could come from anything other than love and truth.

This feast calls us to examine our own convictions. In Christ, we have a King who rules with compassion, mercy, and love. In the Gospel of Luke, we hear of a King who shows extraordinary mercy, saying to the repentant thief, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in paradise." Our King does not rule through force, but through the power of love.

In a world still struggling with division and violence, we need a King who understands our deepest struggles, a King who speaks to our hearts and not just our minds. We long for a leader who seeks not to dominate, but to serve. As we prepare to celebrate Christ the King, we are invited to reflect on His heart and His Kingdom—not a kingdom of power and earthly glory, but a Kingdom of love, truth, and peace.

At the final judgment, Christ will come as King to separate those who have loved as He loved from those who have turned away from His message. The basis of this judgment will be love. "For I was hungry, did you give me food? I was thirsty, did you give me drink? I was a stranger, did you welcome me? I was naked, did you clothe me? I was in prison, did you visit me?"

Let us ask ourselves: Are we living as citizens of Christ's Kingdom? Are we answering the call to love? In a world filled with hatred, division, and fear, we are called to be witnesses of the Kingdom of Christ—a Kingdom where love conquers all.

VIVA CRISTO REY! Your servant in Christ,

Fr. Geoffrey

## CHILDREN, YOUTH & ADULT FAITH FORMATION/PARISH EVENTS



### CONFIRMATION

#### **THIS WEEK for Grades 7 to 12**

For attendance or questions, please contact your child's teachers as

soon as possible. Schedules are available from <https://campsite.bio/ymsjcpinole>. For specific questions, contact Teena Posas - Youth Ministry Director at 510-741-4900 extension 1010 or by email [tp.sjcpinole@gmail.com](mailto:tp.sjcpinole@gmail.com).

#### **\*\* MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY (7th & 8th gr)**

-REMINDER: Parents and students need to follow our MANDATORY traffic rules to keep everyone safe! This group meets in their classroom on Wed. November 19. Class starts at 6:30 PM and ends at 7:45 PM. Students must BRING their book bag of supplies. Questions, contact Ms. Diona or Mr. Marwin.

#### **\*\* YOUTH FIRST COMMUNION (2nd yr, 7th and up) - REMINDER:**

Parents and students need to follow our MANDATORY traffic rules to keep everyone safe! This group meets in their classroom on Wed. November 19. Class starts at 6:30 PM and ends at 7:45 PM. Students must BRING their book bag of supplies. Questions, contact Ms. Cecilia.

**\*\* YOUTH MINISTRY (1st yr, 9th to 12th gr)** -Our next class is Monday November 17 in the gym. Class starts at 6:30 and ends at 8:10 PM. We will be sending instructions home about our 11/24 meeting & student potluck. Questions, contact the Youth Ministry Director.

#### **\*\* CONFIRMATION (2nd yr, 10th to 12th gr) -**

REMINDER: Pre-approval for the required Works of Mercy projects is ongoing; visit <https://campsite.bio/ymsjcpinole> Candidates must BRING all of their assigned things to class. The first (of 2) Candidate Parent Sponsor class is in the gym on Sunday November 23. Class starts at 2:30 PM and ends at 4:30 PM. It is mandatory for candidates, parents AND sponsors to go to the 5:00 PM Mass on this day. Questions, contact your teachers.

### GRIEF SUPPORT:

An Evening with Wanda & Jonathan It is on Tuesday evening from 7pm to 8pm. It is a peer ministry and drop in session. That means that we are group of people sharing our experience of grief along with each



other. Being a drop in session means you can come when you can if you are not able to make it one week that's okay. You can come the next week or when you can. Here

is the link there is no password necessary. If you would like to reach out to

Wanda: [wandatziemba@gmail.com](mailto:wandatziemba@gmail.com) or  
Jonathan: [Jonathan.lisowski@gmail.com](mailto:Jonathan.lisowski@gmail.com)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://ccsf-edu.zoom.us/j/85965778722>



### **St. Joseph Volunteers**

Volunteers must have a current Safe Environment Certificate on file in the office. If you have not done Vir-

tus before or need to renew go to [VirtusOnline.org](http://VirtusOnline.org) to fulfill this requirement. If you need to confirm the renewal of your Virtus certification or please email Aura at [am.sjcpinole@gmail.com](mailto:am.sjcpinole@gmail.com).



### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

November 15-16, 2025

"By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Persevere in your marriage by using the tools learned on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on March 4-6, 2026 in Danville, April 10-12, 2026 in Zephyr Point NV or May 1-3, 2026 in San Juan Bautista. Go to [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) to find the Experience that is just right for you!

November 22-23, 2025

"Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord." Rejoice in your marriage. Attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on March 4-6, 2026 in Danville, April 10-12, 2026 in Zephyr Point NV or May 1-3, 2026 in San Juan Bautista. Go to [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) to find the Experience that is just right for you!



### **Remembrance Candle**

November is the traditional month of remembrance of our loved ones who have gone before us. Candles can be renewed for the next yearly period (November 1, 2025 to October 31, 2026) by visiting the Parish Center and submitting your dedication.

## WEEKLY PRAYER

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading:** But for you who fear my name, there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays. (Mal 3:20)

Psalm: The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice. (Ps 98)

**Second Reading:** Rather, we wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us. (2 Thes 3:9)

**Gospel:** "You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." (Lk 21:17-19)

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 16, 2025

**Sunday:** Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 (see 9)/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

**Monday:** 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43

**Tuesday:** 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 19:1-10

**Wednesday:** 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15/Lk 19:11-28

**Thursday:** 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44

**Friday:** 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48

**Saturday:** 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19/Lk 20:27-40

### PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY SERVICE MEMBERS & FAMILIES

**Air Force-** Gino Dela Rosa, Niko Dela Rosa, Jenna Keomany, Maxine Lucas, Alan Serrano, Chris Trias, Julian Trias

**Army-** Angel Caliz, Shawn Bets Chart, Andrew Fontejon, Darryl Jason Garcia, Jack Money maker, Justine RB Sangui, Benjamin Serrano, Darren Espeleta

**Coast Guard-** Meagan Toomey

**Navy-** Terrence Bauer, Austin Bressler, Leslie Lag Damen, Carlo Evangelista, Dean Trias, Jasmin Trias

**National Guard-** Rebecca Sabatini,

**Marines-** Carlos Aguilera, Richard Antonucci, Joseph Belman, Julian Chan, Carlo Spampinato, Pedro Mazar Egos, Jacob Rudis

### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Ron Acuna, Sally Aguilera, Virginia P. Alday, Jeannette Alm, Harper Ananyev, Dan Aquino, Joseph Avalos, Kristal Librato Baughn, Gil Bautista, William Black, Larry Burkhart, Diane Butson, Dennis Chattell, Pamela Chong, Laura Corona, Kevin Coughlin, Patria & Manolito Crizaldo, Erin Curry, Ludelia Datlag, Virgilio de la Vega, Marietta Domingo, Denise Elias, Elizabeth



Espanola, Aurora Fronda, Mary Ellen Gillis, Flor Gonzalez, Alexandra Gorgoletis, Elam & Claire Goundar, Alicia Guzman, Ceretta Morgan Hardin, Bill Harper, Michael Edward Rossi, Jeff M. Ibrahim, Joe Knoblauch, Tony Lagasca, Jack Lam, Jerin Lazaro, Ethan Benjamin Layne, Paulette Lemmon, Xavier Manga Lindan, Antonio Lopez, Joseph Magaoay, Imelda F. Magat, Nida Monzon, Jaime Ocampo, Ruby Ochoa, Severina Olivito, Claudette Peters, Jenna Peters, Maria Isabal Perez, Leticia F. Poblete, Mary Pratto, Patricia Rangel, Connie Ibara Ramirez, Deborah Reyna, Jim Richards, Flo Rodich, Lee Rondeau, Edwin Salgado, Lolita Santos, Romeo Santos, Leo Sendaydiego, Helene Staniszewski, Tim & Tom Taliaferro, Bernard F. & Abraham S. Trinidad, Joseph S. Trinidad, Jeffrey Tayag, Yolanda Tayag, Mike Ward, Charles Whaley, Joy Wi, Peter Wongworavit

### MASS INTENTION

#### **Saturday, Nov. 15, 2025**

9:00AM Mary Gabel †  
Concepcion Gonzales  
4:30PM Virgilio dela Vega (Healing)  
6:00PM Esther and Enrique Rojas

#### **Sunday, Nov. 16, 2025**

8:00AM Francisco A. Sonico  
10:00AM Joseph Nguyen †  
12:00PM Federico Munoz (Birthday)  
5:00PM Parishioners of St. Joseph

#### **Monday, Nov. 17, 2025**

9:00AM Faith H. Taylor B-Day  
Peblito Sandoc †

#### **Tuesday, Nov. 18, 2025**

9:00AM Hermelinda Lopez †  
Leon C & Pura A. Morano †

#### **Wednesday, Nov. 19, 2025**

9:00AM Leandro Perez †  
Brendi Alhambra †

#### **Thursday, Nov. 20, 2025**

9:00AM Norma Cabaya †  
Gloria & Rodolfo Bernal †

#### **Friday, Nov. 21, 2025**

9:00AM Eduardo Low †  
Concepcion Gonzales †

#### **Saturday, Nov. 22, 2025**

9:00AM Antonio Villaluz †  
Rudy Raymond Sandico  
4:30PM Parishioners of St. Joseph  
6:00PM Jose Salome and  
Consuelo Duenas †

## PARISH, DIOCESAN & OTHER EVENTS/FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP



**St. Joseph School**  
Learning through Faith, Service, and Community

### **What is Happening at St. Joseph School**

St. Joseph School students **were chosen to be featured in a Countywide Shelter-in-Place drill teaching video.** This opportunity will provide a teaching reference for other schools to practice their "Shelter, Shut and Listen" steps that everyone should follow to be safe in case of a chemical emergency.

The students at St. Joseph School are collecting items for our **annual Thanksgiving Food Drive.** These items will be donated to the Bay Area Rescue Mission and our own families and church members. This is such a good way to show our gratitude to the friends and neighbors around us who need our assistance.

**Applications for the 2026-2027 School year at St. Joseph School is now open** for Preschool, Junior Kindergarten, Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Tell your friends and family about the wonderful school that teaches the heart, mind and spirit.



**Please Join Alumni and Friends at**

[www.Facebook.com/groups/204136270336908](https://www.facebook.com/groups/204136270336908)

And on Instagram [@stjosephpinolealumni](https://www.instagram.com/stjosephpinolealumni)

**Check out** our website for the latest happenings at the school at [stjosephpinole.org](https://stjosephpinole.org) and <https://www.facebook.com/StJosephSchoolPinole/>  
**Click Here** to check out our Alumni News

### **SUNDAY COLLECTION**

#### **NOVEMBER 1 & 2**

Sunday \$ 13,289

Building Fund \$ 1,233

All Saints \$ 2577

All Souls \$ 2,704

Thank you for your Generous Contribution

#### **ONLINE GIVING**

- Safety. In times when there are concerns about exposure to disease or spreading of a virus, Online Giving is a convenient option to continue to support your church and its mission. Whether you are attending weekly service at the church or worshipping at home, your vital support can still happen regardless of where you are.
- Forget your envelope? Use Online Giving to keep up on offertory. Click on the Online Giving link, it's quick and easy. Your support throughout the year helps sustain our church.

Make giving easier. Visit your church website on your mobile device, click the Online Giving link, and begin giving. Your support throughout the year helps sustain our church. Manage gifts. Another easy way to manage your church giving is with Online Giving. You can manage your giving or give a one-time gift right from your phone. Visit our church website and click the Online Giving link and register with our church. Your support during the year helps sustain our church.



### **SWEET TREATS FOR A SWEETER CAUSE!**

**ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL  
POP UP CHRISTMAS  
SWEET CANDY  
FUNDRAISER**

**NOVEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup>  
THRU  
DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>**

Participate in this yummy fundraiser and help Santa and his elves fill up those stockings. 2024 each student ages six and eligible to go towards your 2000 PTO fundraising requirement for the school year. All proceeds help the school provide crucial teaching/learning materials, resources and extracurricular activities for the kids. Please use the email link/info from your classroom parent that will arrive in your inboxes today.

If you wish there was more to choose from buy the see's gift card (20% off) and go to your local store.

QUESTIONS: TEXT VANESSA AT (510) 414-4377 OR EMAIL AT [vanessahonias@gmail.com](mailto:vanessahonias@gmail.com)



THE HISPANIC MINISTRY OF ST. JOSEPH WILL CELEBRATE LA PURISIMA FOR THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6. MASS AT 6:00 P.M., RECEPTION AT THE PARISH HALL TO FOLLOW. ALL ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE WITH THEIR TIME, TALENT, OR TREASURE. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL MARCIA @ 510-222-5593.

**FEAST OF THE  
IMMACULATE  
CONCEPTION OF MARY**  
December 6th

## WEEKLY CONTENT

### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 16, 2025**

Sunday: 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

Tuesday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Friday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

### **LAS CONMEMORACIONES DE LA SEMANA DEL 16 DE NOVIEMBRE 2025**

Domingo: 33er Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: Santa Isabel de Hungría, religiosa

Martes: La dedicación de las basílicas de San Pedro y San Pablo, apóstoles; Santa Rosa Filippina Duchesne, virgen

Viernes: La presentación de la Santísima Virgen María

### **LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

Jesus' words today are filled with fire and brimstone, vivid with images of pain, suffering, confusion — and, ultimately, peace.

Do we believe what he promises? Do we have the endurance to stay with him until the end?

### **VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA**

Las palabras de Jesús hoy están llenas de fuego y azufre, vívidas con imágenes de dolor, sufrimiento, confusión y, en última instancia, paz. ¿Creemos en lo que promete? ¿Tenemos la resistencia para permanecer con él hasta el final?

### **WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED**

#### **Calling Priests Father**

##### **Question:**

Why do Catholics call priests Father?

##### **Answer:**

One of the common objections evangelical Christians have to Catholics is our practice of calling priests by the title Father. They will often cite a passage in Matthew's Gospel in which Jesus tells his followers: "Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven" (23:19). It seems pretty straightforward, but when we put this verse in context, we see that Jesus is speaking out against religious leaders who had forgotten what their proper role was and who were bad examples through their own hypocrisy and elitist attitudes.

In other Gospels, we find Jesus himself using the title father for different characters, such as in the Parable of Lazarus and the Rich Man (Luke 16:19-31) and the Parable of the Prodigal Son (Luke 15:11-32). If we put the verse from Matthew into the full scope of Jesus' teachings, he isn't saying that we can't use words like "father," "rabbi," or "master." Rather, he is telling us that we should be mindful of the full meaning of those titles and not to misuse them. To call a priest "Father" is more than a sign of respect for the office of the priesthood. It goes all the way back to the way St. Paul understood his own work as a missionary and evangelizer. Paul wrote, "I am writing you in this way not to shame you but to admonish you as my beloved children ... It was I who begot you in Christ Jesus through my preaching of the Gospel. I beg you, then, be imitators of me. This is why I have sent you Timothy, my beloved and faithful son in the Lord" (1 Corinthians 4:14-17). Yes, we

have God alone as our heavenly Father, but there are also those here with us who nurture and nourish our faith through their teaching and care. This is why the title of Father has been applied to the church's pastors in different ways since the earliest days of the Church, including monks and nuns using the title "abbot" and "abbess" (from abba) for their spiritual leaders and Christians around the world recognizing the "Holy Father" or "pope" (from papa) as the head of the family that is the Church. The title Father is a reminder that priests have a special responsibility to care for, protect, feed, listen to, and nourish those who have been entrusted to them, all after the example of our Father in heaven who never ceases to give us what we truly need.

### **¿POR QUÉ HACEMOS ESO? - VIDA CATÓLICA EX- PLICADA**

#### **Llamando a los Sacerdotes Padre**

##### **Pregunta:**

¿Por qué los católicos llaman a los sacerdotes Padre?

##### **Respuesta:**

Una de las objeciones comunes que los cristianos evangélicos tienen hacia los católicos es nuestra práctica de llamar a los sacerdotes por el título de Padre. A menudo citan un pasaje del Evangelio de Mateo en el que Jesús dice a sus seguidores: "A nadie en la tierra llames padre tuyo; no tenéis más que un Padre en los cielos" (23:19). Parece bastante sencillo, pero cuando ponemos este versículo en contexto, vemos que Jesús está hablando en contra de los líderes religiosos que habían olvidado cuál era su papel apropiado y que eran malos ejemplos a través de su propia hipocresía y actitudes elitistas. En otros Evangelios, encontramos a Jesús mismo usando el título de padre para diferentes personajes, como en la parábola de Lázaro y el hombre rico (Lucas 16:19-31) y la parábola del hijo pródigo (Lucas 15:11-32). Si ponemos el versículo de Mateo en el alcance completo de las enseñanzas de Jesús, él no está diciendo que no podemos usar palabras como "padre", "rabino" o "maestro". Más bien, nos está diciendo que debemos ser conscientes del significado completo de esos títulos y no hacer un mal uso de ellos. Llamar "Padre" a un sacerdote es más que un signo de respeto por el oficio del sacerdocio. Se remonta a la forma en que San Pablo entendió su propio trabajo como misionero y evangelizador. Pablo escribió: "Os escribo de esta manera, no para avergonzarlos, sino para amonestarlos como a mis hijos amados... Yo os engendré en Cristo Jesús mediante mi predicación del Evangelio. Os ruego, pues, que me imitéis. Por eso les he enviado a Timoteo, mi hijo amado y fiel en el Señor" (1 Corintios 4:14-17). Sí, solo tenemos a Dios como nuestro Padre celestial, pero también hay quienes están aquí con nosotros y nutren nuestra fe a través de sus enseñanzas y cuidados. Esta es la razón por la que el título de Padre se ha aplicado a los pastores de la iglesia de diferentes maneras desde los primeros días de la Iglesia, incluidos los monjes y monjas que usan el título de "abad" y "abadesa" (de abba) para sus líderes espirituales y los cristianos de todo el mundo que reconocen al "Santo Padre" o "papa" (de papa) como la cabeza de la familia que es la Iglesia. El título de Padre es un recordatorio de que los sacerdotes tienen una responsabilidad especial de cuidar, proteger, alimentar, escuchar y nutrir a aquellos que les han sido confiados, todo siguiendo el ejemplo de nuestro Padre celestial que nunca deja de darnos lo que realmente necesitamos.



**YLCI 78 ST ANNE'S  
FALL BAKE SALE  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2025  
After the 8am, 10am and 12noon  
Masses, in the Parish Hall**

**Cookies, Cakes, Cupcakes  
and other baked goods needed!**  
(Wrap them up pretty)

**Can't Bake?  
Volunteer time  
to help set up at 7 am  
or sell after each Mass  
Be a cashier  
Help Clean up**

**Contact Anita Siegel  
510 704 3682  
or email  
anitasiegel@comcast.net**



**ADVENT SEASON 2025**

11/29 – 11/30 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
12/07- IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 6 pm Mass  
(Spanish) CELEBRATION IN THE PARISH HALL  
AFTER THE SPANISH MASS  
12/6-12/7- SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
12/08- IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASS 9AM,  
5PM, 7PM (SPANISH)  
12/12- LAS MANANTIAS FOR OUR LADY OF  
GUADALUPE IN THE CHURCH 5AM, 9AM &  
6PM (SPANISH) MASS  
12/13-12/14- THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
12/16-12/24- SIMBANG GABI IN THE CHURCH  
5:30AM  
12/16- ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS 9AM ?  
12/21-12/22- FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
12/24- CHRISTMAS EVE MASS 9AM, 5PM FAMI-  
LY MASS, 7PM SPANISH, 12AM MIDNIGHT MASS  
12/25- NATIVITY OF THE LORD CHIRTMAS  
MASS 8AM, 10AM, 12NN  
12/28- HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, WENDY, AND  
JOSEPH 8 & 10 AM 12 & 5PM  
12/31- NEW YEARS EVE MASS 9AM, 5PM  
01/01- NEW YEARS DAY MASS 10AM, 12NN

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL | PINOLE

**BREAKFAST  
WITH SANTA**

**OH WHAT FUN!!!  
SUNDAY  
12.07.25  
9AM - 1PM**



**Free  
Photos  
With  
Santa!**



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HOUSE CONTEST | HOT COCOA BAR | KIDS  
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Celebrate with us

**Paskuhan**

Experience the joy of Christmas!

**Sunday, Dec. 14, 2025**

**St. Joseph Church 1pm**

**837 Tennent Street, Pinole, CA**

**Entertainment \* Music \* Food \* Vendors \* Games \* Parol Making Contest \* Parade**



**2pm Deanery 7 Simbang Gabi Kick-off Mass  
3pm Program, Parol Making & Contest  
6pm Concert**

Oakland Diocese  
Deanery 7



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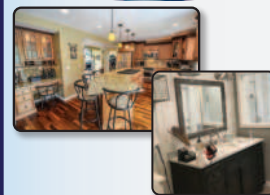


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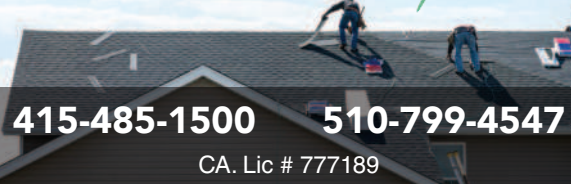
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