

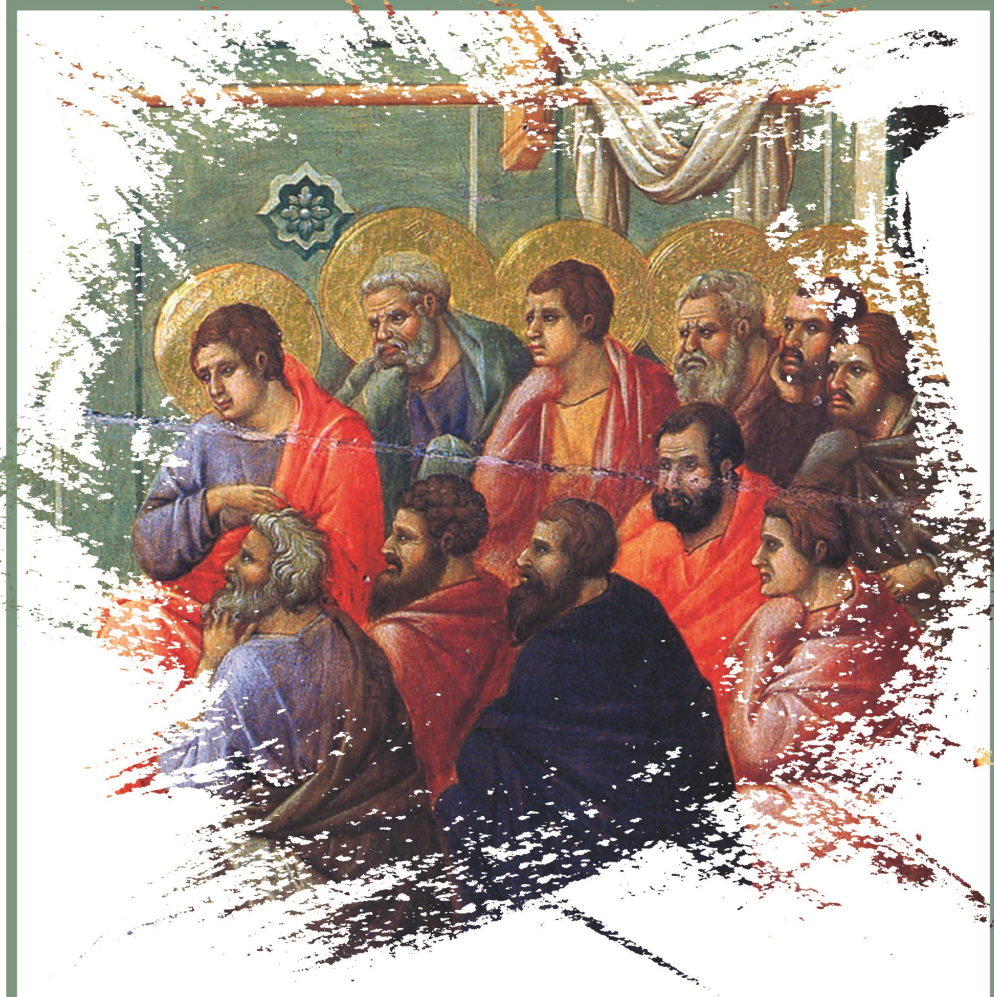


PARISH COMMUNITY
Santa Clara, California

*Fifteenth Sunday of
Ordinary Time*

July 14, 2024

*Decimoquinto Domingo de
Tiempo Ordinario*



JESUS SUMMONED THE TWELVE AND BEGAN TO
SEND THEM OUT TWO BY TWO. - MK 6:7

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

EN AQUEL TIEMPO, LLAMÓ JESÚS A LOS DOCE,
Y LOS ENVIÓ DE DOS EN DOS. - MC 6, 7

15^º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

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From Monsignor Fran Cilia

Jesus sent the Twelve on a mission. The gospel narrates not only what they were to do (“preach repentance” and heal the sick), but how they were to go (two-by-two, no food, no sack, no money in their belts, and only a walking stick).

We are sent as they were: Do not go alone. Travel light. Remember who it was who sent you, whose message you bear, and if you are not welcome, move on.

This is the commission for all the baptized. Following it can keep us honest and focused. None of us should be doing “our thing,” but the Lord’s.

As we enter into a new budget year, we anticipate the need for our weekly collections to average \$10,100. This will allow us to cover all budgeted expenses. Due to your generosity, this past year, we actually received more than we are requesting this coming year.

This is a good time to consider our weekly, monthly or annual gifts. So many continue to give what they gave 5, 10, or more years ago. What was a sacrifice then may no longer be today. Others dig into their pockets or purse to see if they have any spare change to put into the basket. The only way that we can continue our ministries is for all who are part of Saint Clare to do what they can for the good of all. Thank you for your prayerful consideration

Quarterly School Collection

We will take up our quarterly collection to benefit our Parish School next weekend. Your gifts help to increase the school’s ability to assist parents who need help in paying tuition. Thanks for your generosity.

Thank You, Catholic Community Foundation

Once again, we have received four grants from the Catholic Community Foundation to benefit parish programs in the coming year. Just received are a \$500 grant for Scholarships for Youth and Confirmation retreats; \$500 to help in printing worship aids for our Sunday Masses; \$500 to help the work of our Saint Vincent de Paul Society; and, \$700 for a Liturgical Music Workshop.

We are grateful to the Foundation for including Saint Clare as a recipient of these grants.

Youth Ministry News

This summer, we are featuring *Monsters, Inc. (July 19th)*, *Big Hero 6 (July 26th)*, *Lion King (August 2nd)*, and *Inside Out (August 9th)*. Catch a movie under the stars for **FREE** with your family in the rectory garden. Bring some extra cash for concession to help support our Youth Ministry. Movies begin at 8:15pm.

Our next **Youth Ministry event** will be **July 28th**, at 1:30pm which will feature a plethora of water games! All youth 8th-12th grade are invited!

Bible Study continues throughout the summer on **Tuesdays at 7:30pm** in the selected dates shown. All 8th-12th graders are welcome to deepen their faith through scripture.



Young Adult Assembly
September 21, 2024

Pastoral Plan | *The Journey to 2031*

 DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE



Calling on Young Adults to Provide Feedback via Online Survey.

Are you between the ages of 18 and 35, married or single, with or without children?

The Diocese of San José cares about you and wants to hear about your experiences, hopes, and needs through our new, confidential, online survey for young adults!

Your voice matters and can significantly impact how the Church responds to the needs of young adults. We encourage everyone to share this survey with any Catholics—active or inactive—between 18 and 35 in Santa Clara County. We want to walk with you on your journey, and your input is invaluable. Please take and share the survey with others!

Survey now open! Scan the QR code below!



SURVEY FOR
Young Adults 18-35
Single or married; with kids or no kids
Open July 1st to August 30th

Let the Church know about your experience, hopes, and needs.

Scan QR code to fill out the survey

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dsj.org/young-adult-assembly



PARISH COMMUNITY

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses
Saturday Evening Vigil
5:00 p.m. (English)
Livestreamed

Sunday
7:30 a.m. (English)
9:00 a.m. (Portuguesa)
10:30 a.m. (English)
12:00 p.m. (Español)
Livestreamed

Liturgy of the Word for Children during
10:30 a.m. Mass (English)

Liturgia de la Palabra para Niños durante Misa de
12:00 p.m. (Español)

Weekday Masses
Monday-Saturday
8:00 a.m.
Holidays - 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays
3:00 p.m.– 3:30 p.m.
(In the church)

Parish Staff

Boletim Paroquial Português 14 de Julho de 2026; Domingo V do Tempo Comum – B Reflexão Por: João Pereira Arruda

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then press 9

“Mostrai-nos Senhor, o vosso amor, e dai-nos a vossa salvação.” Quer Deus que os povos de toda a terra saibem que Ele é de misericórdia infinita e que por nos amar tanto nos enviou o seu Filho únigenito que nos remiu do pecado com a Sua morte e ressurreição e consequentemente nos salvou. Assim Jesus enviou seus discípulos aos pares em missão de evangelizar outras terras e outras gentes. Quando se refere a falar de Deus, dar a conhecer Deus a povos que desconhecem Sua existência, ser enviado em missão e porque a missão não é um acto isolado ou individualista Jesus envia os Apóstolos aos pares a dois. Ao envir-los não promete: fama, glória ou serem bem recebidos, pelo contrário dá-lhes instruções para viverem sem haveres de maior e quando não os quizerem receber que sacudem o pó das sandálias daquele lugar e seguirem para outro lugar. Jesus porém deu-lhes poderes de fazerem milagres, de expulsar demónios e para que sempre tivessem suas mentes e coração focadas na missão de espalhar a Palavra de Deus por todos os povos. Também Jesus preparou os Apóstolos para quando a Evangelização não for aceite para não desanimarem; nem sempre os terrenos são apropriados para as sementes que recebem darem fruto. O Evangelho não diz que algum Apóstolo tivesse recusado a oferta e o chamamento de Jesus. Todos eles aceitaram e corresponderam ao chamamento de Jesus; assim também a igreja nos propõe pelo Baptismo sermos profetas e sacerdotes e de certo chamados a evangelizar. Será que temos o coração livre de inundices que nos impedem de escutar o chamamento do Senhor? Mais do que nunca a nossa Igreja necessita de homens e mulheres de corações limpos e abertos para receberem a missão de servir nos dons que receberam do Espírito Santo servindo a Deus nos irmãos. Se os cristãos não pregarem Jesus Cristo e a sua igreja, os grandes canais televisivos espalham por toda a parte as guerras, a violência, os roubos e mais tudo o que seja negativo e que é uma afronta á obra criativa de Deus, mas que chama mais a atenção das pessoas e as modifica usando um tipo de linguagem de acordo com a cor do partido político, ou ideologia dos poderosos, das enormes companhias que controlem os destinos dos operários e as vidas das famílias. Por assim ser a missão de evangelizar é difícil, mas, Jesus fez saber aos Apóstolos que não esperassem facilidades e estivessem sempre focados no objectivo da missão. Esta tem que superar a desinformação dos meios de informação do mundo. A missão tem por objectivo transformar o mundo: do ódio para o amor, da guerra para a paz, da violência para a mansidão e tolerância, da injustiça para a justiça, da desigualdade de haveres para uma distribuição equitativa pelos carentes de receberem os bens essenciais para viverem. É nisto que está o interesse de Deus: Evangelizar para que o mundo viva segundo a Sua Palavra, conheça o Seu Amor, e que por esse Amor estamos salvos.

Novos Ministros Extraordinários da Eucaristia: Nesta missa damos as boas vindas ao casal Pedro e Maria Fernanda Ricardo que a partir de hoje passam a fazer parte na equipe dos leigos portugueses a exercerem o Ministério da Santa Comunhão. Nesta missa pelas mãos do sacerdote que presidirá á Liturgiaela o Pedro e a Maria Fernanda receberão a benção de aceitação e envio dos novos Ministros Extraordinários da Santa Comunhão . Que a nossa comunidade seja agradecida em aceitar a generosidade do Pedro e a Fernanda em oferecerem-se em servir a Deus na nossa comunidade. Bemvidos Pedro e Fernanda e que o Espírito Santo vos assista com os dons de bem servirem a Deus na comunidade portuguesa nesta paróquia de Santa Clara em que pelo Ministério da Eucaristia se comprometem servir.

Um Santo e Alegre Domingo para Todos!!!

Stewardship Report

Collection:
July 6th and 7th
Goal: \$10,100.00
Actual: \$ 13,272.12

Thank you !!

SUPPORT OUR PARISH

Scan one of the QR codes for direct and safe way to donate.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Daily Mass Readings



Sunday:

Amos 7:12-15; Ephesians 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mark 6:7-13

Monday:

Isaiah 1:10-17; Matthew 10:34—11:1

Tuesday:

Isaiah 7:1-9; Matthew 11:20-24

Wednesday:

Isaiah 10:5-7, 13b-16; Matthew 11:25-27

Thursday:

Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Matthew 11:28-30

Friday:

Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Isaiah 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16; Matthew 12:1-8

Saturday:

Micah 2:1-5; Matthew 12:14-21

Next Sunday:

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34



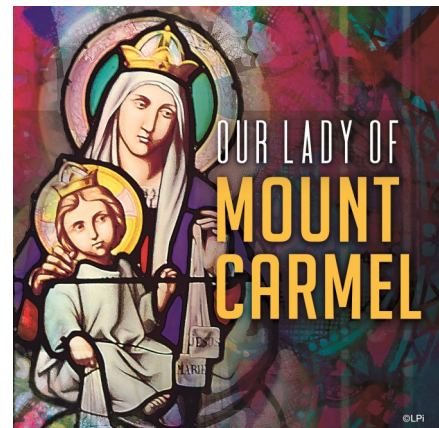
Parish Mission Statement

Founded in 1777, Saint Clare Parish is an ethnically diverse Catholic community of faith, united in worship, discipleship and service. In welcoming immigrants, newcomers and strangers, we strive to live the virtues of justice and love, so as to be the face of Christ in the world, becoming in Him a sign of unity and an instrument of God's peace.

Mass Intentions

July 13th– 20th, 2024

Sat	5:00 pm	John Marseline †
Sun	7:30 am	Tereza Silveira—Health
	9:00 am	Constantina Silva † Andre Sardinha † Maria Lucia Cardoso † Ernesto Gonsalves † Jose Mendonça † Vidalia Gaspar Rocha † Margarida Arias † Thanksgiving— Saint Anthony
	10:30 am	Saint Clare Parishioners
	12:00 pm	Alicia Suárez - Health Ida López— Health Noelle Ortiz— Health John Cunha †
Mon	8:00 am	Peter L. Rowland †
Tues	8:00 am	Maria Monteiro †
Wed	8:00 am	Joan Cabral— Health
Thu	8:00 am	Margaret Sabino †
Fri	8:00 am	Ruth Gardenhire-Cabral †
Sat	8:00 am	Romeo Valbuena †



De Monseñor Fran Cilia

Jesús envió a los Doce a una misión. El evangelio narra no sólo lo que debían hacer (“predicar el arrepentimiento” y sanar a los enfermos), sino cómo debían ir (de dos en dos, sin comida, sin costal, sin dinero en el cinturón, y sólo un bastón).

Nos envían como ellos: No vayas solo. Viaja ligero. Recuerda quién te envió, cuyo mensaje llevas, y si no eres bienvenido, sigue adelante.

Esta es la comisión para todos los bautizados. Seguirlo puede mantenernos honestos y concentrados. Ninguno de nosotros debería estar haciendo “lo nuestro”, sino lo del Señor.

A medida que entramos en un nuevo año presupuestario, anticipamos la necesidad de que nuestras colectas semanales promedien \$10,100. Esto nos permitirá cubrir todos los gastos presupuestados. Gracias a su generosidad, el año pasado recibimos más de lo que solicitamos el próximo año.

Este es un buen momento para considerar nuestras donaciones semanales, mensuales o anuales. Muchos siguen dando lo que dieron hace 5, 10 o más años. Lo que entonces era un sacrificio puede que hoy ya no lo sea. Otros hurgan en sus bolsillos o carteras para ver si tienen algo de cambio para poner en la canasta. La única manera en que podemos continuar con nuestros ministerios es que todos los que forman parte de Santa Clara hagan lo que puedan por el bien de todos. Gracias por su consideración en oración.

Colecta Escolar Trimestral

Realizaremos nuestra colecta trimestral en beneficio de nuestra Escuela Parroquial el próximo fin de semana. Sus donaciones ayudan a aumentar la capacidad de la escuela para ayudar a los padres que necesitan ayuda para pagar la matrícula. Gracias por tu generosidad.

Gracias, Catholic Community Foundation

Una vez más, hemos recibido cuatro becas de la *Catholic Community Foundation* para beneficiar a los programas parroquiales durante el próximo año. Se acaba de recibir una beca de \$500 para adolescentes y retiros de Confirmación; \$500 para ayudar a imprimir los folletos música de las Misas dominicales; \$500 para ayudar al trabajo de nuestra Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl; y \$700 para un Taller de Música Litúrgica. Agradecemos a la Fundación por incluir a Saint Clare como beneficiaria de estas becas.

Ministerio de Adolescentes

Este verano, presentaremos *Monsters, Inc.* (19 de julio), *Big Hero 6* (26 de julio), *Lion King* (2 de agosto) e *Inside Out* (9 de agosto). Vea una película bajo las estrellas GRATIS con su familia en el jardín de la rectoría. Traiga algo de dinero extra para una concesión que para apoyar a nuestro Ministerio Juvenil. Las películas comienzan a las 8:15 p.m.



PARISH COMMUNITY

Parish Organizations
Organizaciones Parroquiales

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Bible Study

Search the Scriptures to know the truth

Facilitated by Sister Marcia Krause, O.P.



JOIN US ONLINE!

Every Tuesday morning
9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
on Zoom.



Participants are provided the readings and commentary sent by email before each session. The session includes prayer, reading the Sunday Scriptures and studying the historical/cultural background. Included with the email are some suggested reflective questions.

SISTER MARCIA KRAUSE is the Adult Faith Formation Coordinator at St. Joseph Parish/ Old Mission San Jose in Fremont. She is a Dominican Sister of Mission San Jose and has many years of experience as an Elementary and High School teacher, Director of Campus Ministry at San Jose State University, and Director of Vocations for the Dominican Sisters.

Register at https://bit.ly/2021_BibleStudy
(Registration is required in order to receive the materials.)



Lectio Divina

Praying with the Sunday Readings

Facilitated by Sister Marcia Krause, O.P.



JOIN US ONLINE!

Every Thursday morning
9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
on Zoom.



Lectio Divina, a Latin term, means "divine reading" and describes a way of reading the Scriptures whereby we gradually let go of our own agenda and open ourselves to what God wants to say to us. Lectio Divina or Praying with the Word of God, uses the upcoming Sunday Scriptures.

Participants are provided the readings sent by email before each session. The session includes a prayer, two/three reflective readings of the Sunday Gospel with a reflective pause between each reading. It is Spirit led and allows for a deepening of God's Word that leads to living out its meaning in our lives.

Register at https://bit.ly/2021_LectioDivina
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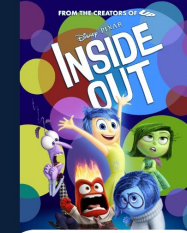
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Welcome! ¡Bienvenido!

Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.

Nuestra más cordial bienvenida a todos los que están celebrando con nosotros, ya sea que han estado por largo tiempo o estén recién llegados a la parroquia. Damos gracias a Dios por ustedes. Si aún no está registrado, por favor, llene este formulario y póngalo en la canasta de la coleta o mándelo por correo a la oficina de la parroquia.

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Yes/Sí

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