



# St. John Neumann Catholic Church

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#### OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY-FRIDAY  
8:30 AM TO 12 NOON; 1:30 PM TO 5:00 PM

SATURDAY  
8:30 AM TO 4:00 PM

CLOSED SUNDAY  
CLOSED MONDAY

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)**

Saturday, 3:00 to 3:30 p.m., or upon request during office hours except on Sundays.

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Sundays during Mass (except during Lent). Parents & godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Prep. Class. Those held at our church are on the 1st Tuesday at 7pm & the 3rd Saturday at 10am each month. **It is necessary to call the office & pre-register for the class.** The Baptism date should be scheduled with the church prior to making plans for the celebration with family and friends.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Consult with the priest before you set the date. A minimum of six months preparation is needed.

#### **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

Call the parish office at any time if you or a member of your family seeks the Sacrament

#### **Communion for the Sick or Homebound**

Please contact the parish office during office hours. In case of hospitalization, inform the admissions office that you are a Catholic so that they may inform ministers.

#### **Funeral Arrangements**

Please call the parish office at any time.

#### **Mass Intentions**

Mass requests are scheduled in the parish office. The calendar fills up rapidly, so mass intentions may have to be made up to a year in advance.

#### **House Blessings**

Parishioners are encouraged to bless their own homes. Holy water and appropriate prayers are provided by the parish.

#### **Faith Formation Registration**

Open registration.

Call the Faith Formation Office.

**Annulments - Please call the office.**

Sunday, March 14, 2010  
Fourth Sunday of Lent



#### **The Schedule of Liturgies**

*Saturday:* 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)

*Sunday:* 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.;  
12:00 noon, (with ASL Interpretation);  
& 5:00 pm

*Tuesday through Friday:* 8:00 a.m.  
*Holy Days:* 8:00 a.m., 12 noon, & 6:00 p.m.

#### **Rosary**

Tues.- Fri: 7:15 am (Church opens at 7:10 a.m.)

#### **Morning Prayer**

Tuesday through Friday: 7:35 a.m.



### Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MARCH 13

9:00 am † Vicente & Anna Quichocho  
By Quichocho Family

4:00 pm † Aileen Pynnonen  
by Teri Jennings

SUNDAY, MARCH 14

8:00 am Parishioners of SJNC

10:00 am † Mrs. Aileen Abigail Walsh  
In Honor of the Holy Spirit  
By Fr. Bede, Staff, & Parishioners

12:00 pm Josephine & Celius Johnlewis

5:00 pm † Harriette Fitzgerald  
by Margery Mazurk

TUESDAY, MARCH 16

8:00 am Frank Lucardie  
by Corine A. Lucardie

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17

8:00 am † Sebastian "Ben" Porello  
By June Langnecker & Debbie Burdine

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

8:00am Alvin Jay Acuesta In Thanksgiving

FRIDAY, MARCH 19

8:00 am Camacho Family in honor of  
St. Joseph Husband of Mary  
by Fred & Mona Camacho

SATURDAY, MARCH 20

4:00 pm † J. Carl Kreutler  
by The Schneider Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 21

8:00 am † Anthony Paturzo  
By Joseph & Georgiana Napolitano

10:00 am † Maria Magdalena Serna  
by The Family

12:00 pm Gonzales Family  
by The Hernandez Family

5:00 pm SJNC Parishioners

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13,  
16-18,22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

### NEXT WEEK FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Is 43:16-21; Ps 126; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

Other daily scripture resources:

[www.usccb.org/nab](http://www.usccb.org/nab)

(daily scripture on the web)

[www.usccb.org/nab/nabpodcast](http://www.usccb.org/nab/nabpodcast)

(daily scripture podcast)

## Lenten Prayer & Devotions

### Weekday Masses

are celebrated at 8 a.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,  
and Friday

### Spiritual Exercises on Fridays During Lent (except Good Friday)

8: 00 AM Mass

8:45 AM Jerusalem Way of the Cross

12 Noon Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament

1:00 AM Benediction of the  
Blessed Sacrament

5:30 PM Soup & Bread Dinner

7:00 PM Roman Way of the Cross with  
Prayer around the Cross and Taize Prayer

### Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confessions

March 23, 7:00 PM (*Parish Reconciliation Service  
with Eight Priests*)

Saturdays of March 20, 27 from 10-12 Noon  
Every Saturday (except Holy Saturday- April 3<sup>rd</sup>)

3-3:30 PM



### Extra Liturgical Ministers for Easter Sunday Needed



We are in need of **Lectors, Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers and Sacristans** for all Easter Sunday Masses, April 4th. Mass times will be 6:30am, 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00noon and 5:00pm. If you are able to serve, please sign-up in the Youth Room.

Thank you for your willingness to serve your parish family. May God bless you.

## Stewardship

The following is a listing of parish financial obligations:

**NEEDED WEEKLY:** \$33,655.00  
**NEEDED MONTHLY:** \$145,835.00  
**NEEDED ANNUALLY:** \$1,750,000.00

We need to raise \$ 252,000.00 from other fundraising and program income. This will bring down our weekly *expectation* from collections to \$29,375.00. We average about \$24,100.00 a week. That means each week we fall short \$5,500.00. The monthly mortgage for the Parish Center is \$31,768.00 and whatever we don't have when the payment is due, must be taken out of our "less than substantial" savings, which will soon disappear.

### MARCH 6/7

**1st Collection** - \$ **26,356.42**  
**2nd Collection,**  
**Building Fund** \$ **6,147.00**

Church Attendance 3137 Our church holds 663

	Attendance	1st	2nd Collection
4:00 pm	501	\$ 4,815.50	\$ 1,593.00
8:00 am	588	\$ 3,846.82	\$ 1,243.00
10:00 am	764	\$ 3,846.50	\$ 1,233.00
12:00 pm	738	\$ 3,176.00	\$ 693.00
5:00 pm	546	\$ 2,355.60	\$ 754.00
Electronic payment		\$ 4,930.00	\$ 226.00
Mail in		\$ 3,386.00	\$ 405.00

## Second collection

Next week's second collection is for Easter flowers. Always, after the somber 40 days of Lent, we greet the Risen Christ with alleluias and a beautifully decorated worship space, to symbolize the new life that He sacrificed to bring us.



Please be as generous as possible in next week's collection, and welcome the Lord with a beautiful environment.

*the fruitful vine*

### Victim Advocacy Number

Advocacy is available through the diocese for any individual who has been sexually and/or physically abused.

**The 24-hour hotline number is: 235-7723**

## Pastor's Notes

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March 14, 2010



Dear Parishioners,

Recently, I wrote letters to all our contributing members, asking them, if possible, to increase their donations. Many of them responded positively. Some told me they will do it as soon as possible, some will begin giving more in the coming months and others after they complete their Service Campaign pledge with the diocese and so on.

The uncertainty of their future was evident in many of those who responded. They spoke of layoffs, unemployment, underemployment, losing their homes and there were also those who needed to help their children who have become unemployed and various other reasons. To these families, please know that you and your loved ones are especially remembered in my prayers. I also encourage our entire parish community to lift up these families in prayer to our heavenly Father during this difficult time.

There were a number of people that told me, even with their present difficulties that they will do their best. Personally, I am extremely moved and very grateful to those who are keeping our parish alive. It is for such as these, that my prayers for all our parish families are heartfelt and continuous.

*I appeal to those who do not* contribute of their time, talent or treasure to look deep into their hearts to see if they truly consider themselves to be participating members of this parish community. It takes all of us working together to be able to carry out the work of God: spreading His word, teaching, baptizing and helping the ever increasing poor and unfortunates during this difficult time. I thank you in advance for prayerfully considering this.

May God bless you all.

*J. Bede Aleviz*

# PARISH ACTIVITIES

## HEALING MASS

Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated during the 8 am mass on **Friday, March 26**. The Sacrament is offered in hope of strength and healing to any person who is seriously ill or about to undergo surgery.



It makes good sense then, that one should never wait until death is eminent (if at all possible) to seek this sacrament. It can be administered again and again, if the condition changes and suddenly becomes worse or if the person becomes gravely ill with another sickness. Also, if you know that you are having surgery or are about to be admitted to the hospital, please let us know as soon as possible.

- You will be able to face the impending surgery or crisis of health with a clear conscience, if in addition to receiving the Sacrament of the Sick, you may also make a good confession.



## VISITING MARY SCHEDULE

3/13 — Mary Helen Hearn  
3/20 — E. Kathy Wedmore  
3/27 — Elsie Lyon

## SNAP Program Extension

Staff from Threesquare will continue to evaluate families for this food stamp program every Thursday from 9 am to 12 pm in the parish library **through the end of March**. Bring your photo ID, social security numbers for all family members, and proof of residency to see if you qualify. Please pass along this information to anyone else you think might be able to be helped by the program.



## Thanks Ladies!

Our thanks go out to the Marthas & Marys, who sponsored and prepared this past Friday's delicious soup for the simple supper. It was enjoyed by all who attended. The whole parish is invited to attend the Simple Soup Suppers on Fridays at 5:30 pm in the Youth Room, followed by the Roman Way of the Cross at 7 pm in the worship space.



## Outreach

*"With self-discipline, most anything is possible."* Theodore Roosevelt



Things are really humming along at Outreach! Our numbers haven't dropped, unfortunately, but our food donations continue to hold steady! It is so gratifying to see that families who may be a bit strapped still continue to help the families that are less fortunate than them. Thank you for thinking of them.

### Wish lists:

**Pantry:** Spaghetti sauce, pasta, mac & cheese, peanut butter, **protein** (canned chicken, tuna, ham, Spam, beef stew), Ramen, tortillas, **RICE, DRIED BEANS**

**Lunches:** Soft drinks, water, chips

## MEN'S CLUB NEWS

The Men's Club will be Hosting the Wine & Cheese Event on Saturday, March 20th after the 4 pm mass. There will be several members of the Men's Club there to talk to anyone who has an interest in joining the club and to answer any questions that may arise.



## A Reminder

On Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup> (Holy Thursday), the parish offices will close at noon.

On Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> (Good Friday), and April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> (Saturday, Sunday, and Monday), the offices will be closed, reopening on Tuesday, April 6<sup>th</sup>.

## TV Masses

TV Masses for Palm Sunday and the Easter season will be celebrated and taped on **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24**, at 8, 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, & 11:00 am.



These Masses are for the benefit of the elderly and shut-ins in our diocese. They are a part of our Catholic Christian family. We help them to feel more involved through our participation as we respond to the celebrant, and sing. If you can attend any or all of these Masses, (especially the later Masses) you can become part of an essential ministry.

Masses can be viewed every Sunday at 7:30 am on channel 33, or cable channel 6.

## YOUTH NEWS

### JHYG

The Junior High Youth Group is calling all 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> graders!

There will be no Friday Meeting in March due to parish Lenten services. The next meeting has been scheduled for **Monday, March 15th**. We will be creating homemade Easter cards and jeweled crosses for the residents at the Silver Hills Health Care Center. RSVP Jenn at 399-6710 or email [JLBauchrowitz@cox.net](mailto:JLBauchrowitz@cox.net)

### World Youth Day 2011

**What:** Information Night on World Youth Day 2011



**When:** Tuesday, March 23, 2010, 7- 9p.m. or  
Thursday, March 25, 2010, 7-9 p.m. or  
Wednesday, March 31, 2010, 7-9 p.m.

**Where:** Anderson Hall at Guardian Angel Cathedral, 336 Cathedral Way.

**Who:** Youth and young adults in the Diocese of Las Vegas.

**More Information:** Dr. Marc González, 702.735.6044 or [www.lasvegas-diocese.org](http://www.lasvegas-diocese.org)

## FAITH FORMATION

### FIRST EUCHARIST

Celebration of First Eucharist will be held Saturday, April 24, 2010 at 10:00am and 1:00pm.



### CONFIRMATION NEWS

The Confirmation II retreat on Mt. Potosi will be March 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Keep checking [www.sjnc.org](http://www.sjnc.org) for details.

### LITTLE CHILDREN'S LITURGY

LCL is currently offered at the 10 am Mass and lasts about 25 minutes. For more information, contact Helen Silva, Candy Kenny, & Tania George [littlechildrensliturgy@yahoo.com](mailto:littlechildrensliturgy@yahoo.com)/657-0200ext215



During the Lenten season, the children in LCL will be listening to the weekly Gospel and discussing how it applies to them. Some of the topics they will be discussing include "Happiness Is...", "Temptation In the Desert", and "Jesus Shines Like the Sun".

Thanks to all our LCL volunteers, and parents who bring their children to participate in this wonderful ministry!

### THE HEART OF CONVERSION

Today's scriptures bring us to the heart of the meaning of the Christian journey of conversion. Saint Paul sums it up beautifully: "Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away" (2 Corinthians 5:17).

The Gospel passage, the parable of the prodigal son, shows us just what this new creation is like. It is all about reconciliation. Just as God removes the yoke of slavery from the shoulders of the Israelites—see today's first reading—so, too, does the father in the Gospel remove the yoke of guilt and shame from the shoulders of his wayward son. That son first needed to turn away from his sin and seek out and ask forgiveness of his father. That is precisely what we have been doing during this season of repentance. We can only begin to imagine the kind of reconciliation feast that awaits us when we are embraced by our forgiving God.

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### Living Stewardship Now

Who in your life has injured you, angered you, or hurt you? Don't wait for their change of heart. Change yours, and run out to meet them on the road of forgiveness.

# event-ville!



Flyers are in the lobby, please take one-grab one for a friend!

## ***Sunday, March 21st Special Benefit Night at Sammy's Woodfired Pizza-(Centennial Hills Location)***

Bring your "SJNC Benefit Night at Sammy's flyer" (located in the info bins in the church lobby) and dine anytime between 11am and 9pm, March 21st at "Sammy's Woodfired Pizza"-Centennial Hills (located at Durango & Elkhorn-Montecito Marketplace) and 20% of the proceeds of your meal will be donated to our SJNC building fund. Bring your family and friends and join your fellow SJNC parishioners for a great (and certainly tasty!) event. Not a pizza fan? No matter, Sammy's has a large and varied menu. You must bring the special benefit flyer with you to this event.

## ***Fall Festival VI Open House: Tuesday, March 16, 6:30pm***

If you're interested in learning about the SJNC Fall Festival and how you can put your God-given talents to work, join us for an **Open House, Tuesday, March 16th** in the **Youth Room**. Here you'll meet members of the Festival Committee that served on the various teams (games, food & beverage, raffle, etc) and see what sounds like a perfect fit for you. We need **you** to make the Festival a continued success. Please join us! Coffee and yummy treats will be served.

## ***Spring Dinner Dance***

**Friday, April 16th 6:00pm  
SJNC Parish Center**

Dinner prepared by:  
Chef Gustav Mauler  
of award winning *Spiedini Ristorante*

**Tickets \$50 each**

Tickets go on sale beginning March 20th before and after Mass and in the parish office.

There will be no at-the-door sales the night of the event.

Adults only. Semi-formal attire suggested.

**Exciting Raffle Prizes  
Great Music for Dancing**

**Bring your friends, dress up for an unforgettable  
Spring Extravaganza!**



## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### **SACRED CHRISM MASS**

Bishop Joseph A. Pepe invites the parishioners of the Diocese of Las Vegas to attend the celebration of the Mass of Sacred Chrism to be held on Tuesday, March 30, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at the Guardian Angel Cathedral, 302 Cathedral Way.

At this liturgy the sacred oils that are used to anoint the newly baptized, those being confirmed and to anoint the sick and dying will be blessed by the bishop for each parish.

Our priests will renew their vows of Holy Orders. It would be a sign of great support for parishioners to witness this beautiful liturgy.

### **St. Joseph's School Registration**

St. Joseph's School, located at 1300 Bridger Ave. is currently registering for the next school year. Call 384-6909 more information.

### **CHRIST THE KING FISH FRYs**

Every Friday of Lent 4-7 pm

Price – Adults: \$6 Child under 12: \$3

4925 S. Torrey Pines —For info: 871-1904



### **RETROUVAILLE...**

#### **You can save your marriage!**

Is your marriage suffering from distress? Poor communication? Misunderstanding? Are you considering Separation or Divorce? Give your marriage a new beginning!! Join us for our upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend—April 16-18, 2010. Call Chuck and Carol Moore at (702) 615-4339.



### ***Special Easter Novena***

Delight your family and friends with the gift of prayer throughout the Easter Season. Nine consecutive Sundays, beginning with the 10 a.m. mass on Easter Sunday, have been reserved for a very special Easter Novena for you to offer to those you love.

A beautiful Mass card will be available beginning next weekend. We ask for a donation of at least \$10 for these beautiful metallic gold embossed cards. Just include the names of those you would like remembered and drop it in the box with your donation.



### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES JOB OPENING**

#### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

Director of WIC (Women Infant and Children) Program



Catholic Charities  
of Southern Nevada

#### **Overview:**

This is a newly created senior management position that reports directly to the Executive Director. Responsibilities include overall management and administration of the WIC program.

#### **Specific Job Duties:**

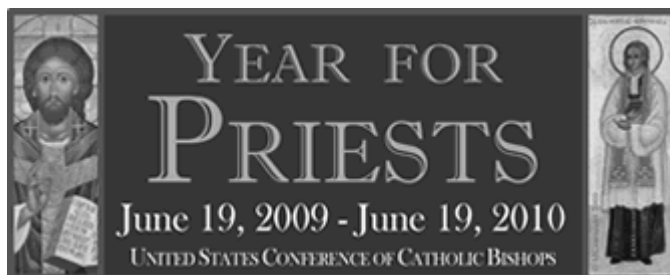
- Manage grant to ensure budget compliance
- Set participation rates at each clinic and monitor to ensure these goals are met or exceeded
- Oversee any sub-grants that are awarded
- Ensure exceptional service is provided to all clients
- Represent the Agency during any audits of the program
- Serve as Agency contact with the State grantors
- Supervise and develop staff
- Other duties and projects as needed

#### **Education and Experience:**

Bachelor's degree preferred. Familiarity with WIC programs and guidelines desired. Must be analytical and detail oriented with excellent communication and customer service skills. Multi-site management required. Strong organizational and leadership experience are a must.

We offer an excellent benefits package including 12 paid holidays and matching retirement contributions after 1 year of service. Catholic Charities is an equal opportunity employer.

Interested applicants should forward their resumes to [HR@catholiccharities.com](mailto:HR@catholiccharities.com) by March 15, 2010.



*"It is a Year intended to deepen the commitment of all priests to interior renewal for the sake of a more forceful and incisive witness to the Gospel in today's world". ( L'osservatore Romano)*

## AMAZING GRACE

After apartheid was abolished in South Africa, special hearings were held to allow victims a voice, and to establish justice and peace.

One day an elderly black woman and a white police officer faced each other across a courtroom. The officer, a Mr. van der Broek, had just been found guilty of murdering the woman's son and her husband. He had come to her home a number of years earlier, shot her son, and burned the body while he and his cronies reveled in the act. Later, he returned and took her husband.



For two years, she heard nothing about him. Then van der Broek came and led the woman to a river bank, where she saw her husband bound and beaten on a pile of wood.

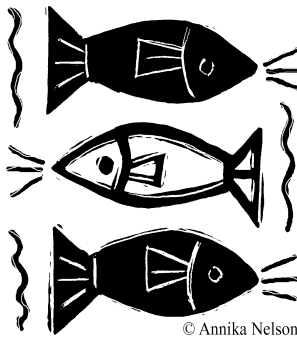
The last words she heard him say were, "Father, forgive them," as the officers poured gasoline over him and set him on fire.

Justice caught up with Mr. van der Broek. He was found guilty, and it was now time for sentencing. The judge asked the woman, "What should be done to this man who so brutally destroyed your family?" She replied, "I want three things. First, I want to be taken to where my husband's body was burned so that I can gather up the dust and give him decent burial. My husband and son were my only family, so I want, second, for Mr. van der Broek to become my son. I would like him to come twice a month to the ghetto and spend a day with me so that I can pour on him whatever love I still have within me. Third," she said, "I would like Mr. van der Broek to know that I forgive him because Jesus Christ died to forgive me."

She walked across the courtroom and embraced him. The policeman fainted, overwhelmed by her response. Then quietly, friends, family, and neighbors—all victims of similar oppression and injustice—began to sing, "Amazing grace, how sweet the sound."

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## Holy Week Schedule



**Palm Sunday**  
Saturday 4 PM  
Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM,  
12 Noon  
and 5 PM

**The Chrism Mass**  
Tuesday 6 PM  
(Guardian Angel Cathedral)

**Holy Thursday**  
7 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

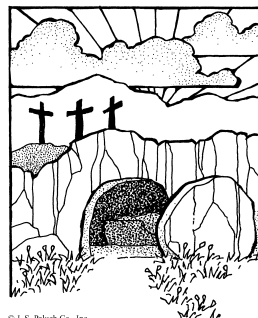
**Good Friday**  
7 PM Good Friday Liturgy

**Holy Saturday**  
9 AM Morning Prayer and Preparation Rites  
7 PM Holy Saturday Vigil (3 Hours)

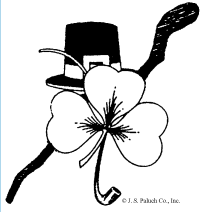
Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday are one continuous Liturgy and not three different Liturgies. At least once in your life time you need to experience these three evenings (*The Triduum*).

**Easter Sunday Services**  
6:30 AM \* 8 AM \* 10AM \* 12 Noon \* 5 PM"

It's highly recommend that you attend the 6:30 AM Sunrise Mass, if you really want to find easy parking, a seat at the church, experience the Easter Morning, and provide hospitality to our visitors."



## THE LEGEND OF ST. PATRICK



Maewyn was a young Christian who lived in Scotland. When he was sixteen, he was captured by Irish pirates. The pirates sold him as a slave.

The Irish were not Christians. After six years working for an Irish master, Maewyn was able to run away and leave Ireland. He vowed he would come back to Ireland some day and teach the Christian religion to the Irish people.

Maewyn became a priest in the Christian church. Later he became a bishop. In the year 431, the Pope gave him the name Patricius (Patrick). The Pope sent **him** to Ireland. "Take Christianity to Ireland," said the Pope.

Patrick went into each town in Ireland. A man walked in front of him, beating on drums. The drums announced that Patrick was coming **into** the town.

Patrick was very brave. He faced many dangers. The Irish threw stones at him. They put him into prison. But he got out. And he never gave up.

He taught people about Jesus Christ. The people became Christians. He baptized them. He started schools and churches.

An important idea of Christianity is that there are three parts of God in one: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The Irish people could not understand how three could be the same as one. So Patrick used the shamrock to help them understand. *a* With the three leaves of the shamrock, he showed how the three parts made up the whole.

Patrick worked in Ireland for forty years. He died on March 17, 493. Many years later, the church made him a Saint.

There are many legends of miracles that St. Patrick did. He healed sick people. Some legends tell that he healed dead people too. One story tells that he made snow burn. Another story tells that St. Patrick chased all the snakes out of Ireland by beating on his drum. There are no snakes in Ireland today.

## SAINT JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

March 19

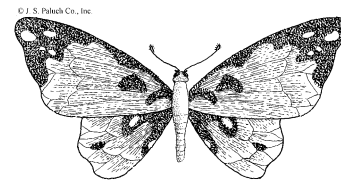
Joseph, someone once joked, was indeed the perfect husband: the only major character in Jesus' story who never utters a word! But the Gospel recounts and the liturgy celebrates his silent witness of faith-filled deeds: "With a husband's love he cherished Mary, the Virgin Mother of God; with fatherly care he watched over Jesus" (Preface of Saint Joseph, *Sacramentary*). Catholic devotion, therefore, hails him as patron-protector of the universal Church.

Some cultures set a festive "Saint Joseph's Table," welcoming the poor and strangers to feast with family and friends. Tradition keeps today as the anniversary of his death, which we presume was peaceful, with Jesus and Mary present. Thus, Catholics invoke Joseph as "patron of a happy death." Descended from David's house, which God finished "building" through Joseph's provision of a home for Mary and Jesus, he was, fittingly, a carpenter by trade; thus, patron of workers.



Spring, nature's rebirth, begins between his feast and Annunciation (March 25), appropriately, since Joseph's silent obedience and Mary's "Let it be done to me according to your word" (Luke 1:38) usher in humanity's spiritual rebirth.

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Whoever is in Christ is a new creation:  
the old things have passed away;  
behold, new things have come.

— 2 Corinthians 5:17

## **Parish Staff**

<b>Pastor</b>	Fr. Bede Wevita	
<b>Visiting Priests</b>	Msgr. Joe Cosgrove	
	Fr. Albert Felice-Pace	
	Fr. Joe Annese	
<b>Deacon</b>	Frank Oettinger	
<b>Parish Secretary</b>	Nancy Hoover	x 203
<b>Receptionist</b>	Leonarda Serna	x 200
<b>Business Administrator</b>	Cheryl Shaffer	x 216
<b>Director of Faith Formation for Children</b>	Cathy Trawinski	x 210
<b>Director of Youth &amp; Young Adult Ministry</b>	Greg Sinclair	x 214
<b>Asst. to Faith Formation &amp; Youth Ministry</b>	Rosie Arellano	x 217
<b>Coordinator of CGS</b>	Helen Silva	x215
<b>Director of Events &amp; Activities</b>	Mary Santos	x 211
<b>Coordinator of Pastoral Care</b>	Kathy Oettinger	
<b>Director of Music &amp; Adult and Children's Choir</b>	Sean Davis	255-5269
<b>Cantors</b>	Sean Davis & Lissy de Jesus	
<b>Organists</b>	Kara Davis & Delma Reid	
<b>Maintenance Supervisor</b>	Chuck Miller	
<b>Custodian</b>	Tio Serna	

## **Parish Calendar**

Baptismal Prep	1st Tuesday, 7pm
	3rd Saturday, 10am
Marthas & Marys	2nd Tuesday, 7pm
Young Adult Choir	Tuesdays, 7pm
Children's choir	Wednesdays, 6:00 pm
Adult Choir	Wednesdays, 6:45 pm
Men's Club	1st Wednesday, 7 pm
Senior Luncheons	2nd Wednesday, bi-monthly, 12 noon
Finance Committee	4th Wednesday, 5:30 pm
Bible Study	Thursdays, 8:45 am
Staff Meetings	Thursdays, 10 am
RCIA	Thursdays, 6:45 pm
Lector Workshop	Thursdays, 7pm
Parish Council	Last Thursday, 7pm
Jr. High Youth Group	2nd Monday & Last Friday, 6-7:30pm
Little Children's Liturgy	Sunday 10am & 12noon

## **Contacts for Ministries/Organizations**

<b>Altar Linens</b>	Mary Lou Bodan	658-1953
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Marie Ricci	399-6327
<b>Baptismal Preparation</b>	Call the office to register	657-0200
<b>Bulletin</b>	Maureen Zander, Caroline Jasso	657-0200
<b>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd</b>	Helen Silva cgs@sjnc.org	657-0200
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	Aruna Silva arunaisilva@yahoo.com	595-5798
	Marge Nelson	649-3318
<b>Gift Shop</b>	Nelda Schafer	657-0200
<b>Junior High Youth Ministry</b>	Jenn Bauchowitz	399-6710
<b>Hospitality</b>	Elsie Lyon	657-0200
<b>Lectors</b>	Bob & Adrian McKechnie	645-4882
<b>Little Children's Liturgy (ages 3 through Kindergarten)</b>	Candy Kenny, Tania George, & Helen Silva littlechildrensliturgy@yahoo.com	
<b>Marthas &amp; Marys</b>	Lori Gabriel	445-7548
<b>Men's Club</b>	Bob Huddleston	385-3943
<b>Military Family Support Group</b>	Caroline Jasso	672-2451
<b>Ministry to Sick &amp; Shut-ins</b>	Deacon Frank Oettinger	657-0200
<b>Outreach</b>	Marge Pinto	657-0200
<b>RCIA</b>	Phil Lee	642-5450
<b>Sacristans</b>	Max Fightmaster	657-0200
<b>Senior Luncheons</b>	Bob Chiodo	649-5989
<b>Sponsor Couple Program; Marriage Prep</b>	Deacon Frank Oettinger	657-0200
<b>Ushers</b>	Bob & Adrian McKechnie	645-4882
<b>Youth Group</b>	Greg Sinclair	657-0200 x 214

## **Parish Council 2010**

Terry Lamuraglia (President)	Tony Urevich	Shelley Robertson
Marie Ricci (Secretary)	Jay Rodrigues	Arlene Martin
Harry Shull (Consultant)	Chris Lee	Caroline Jasso
John Cruz	Phil Lee	James Frater

## **Parish Finance Council**

John Kilduff	Tim Coughlin
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