

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Sunday, May 3

7:00 am Familia Arevalo Mata  
 9:00 am + Leo & Dolores Abenis  
 11:00 am + Thomas & Joseph Carcel  
 1:00 pm + Fredi Mayo  
 7:00 pm Por el Pueblo de Dios

## Monday, May 4

12:10 pm + Peter Lee  
 7:00 pm Por la Salud de Martina Ramirez Avila

## Tuesday, May 5

12:10 pm Healing of Julia Burnette

## Wednesday, May 6

12:10 pm + Antonio Macias

## Thursday, May 7

12:10 pm + Teresa Linh Nguyen

## Friday, May 8

12:10 pm Birthday of Tram Anh Do  
 7:00 pm + Bricia Avila Morales

## Saturday, May 9

5:00 pm + Briana Carcel  
 7:00 pm Por la Salud de Concepcion Ramirez

## Sunday, May 10

7:00 am Cumpleaños de Pillar Trujillo  
 9:00 am + Mary Roldan  
 11:00 am + Otilia Soria Guzman  
 1:00 pm + Sra. Francisca Lopez  
 7:00 pm Por el Pueblo de Dios



## For the sick ... Por los enfermos

Jose Reynoso, Laura Felix, Nancy Rojas,  
 Ramon Salinas, Aurora Bautista, Goya Estrada,  
 Maria de Jesus Perez, Magda Pinedo,  
 Estela Cruz, Steve Baur, Andres Sierra,  
 Catalina Corral, Maria Delgado, Lucila Lagunas,  
 Alfredo Navarro Arevalo, Guadalupe Martinez,  
 Bonfilia Diaz, Rosendo Ramirez,  
 Antonia Machado, Ana Burlington, David Kuiper,  
 Gloria Estrada, Liliana Virgen, Julia Burnette,  
 Moetai Masina, Ivan Nuñez, Herson Go,  
 Maricruz Martinez, Carlos Silva, Aurelia Beltran,  
 Catalina Calvillo, Manuel Delgado,  
 Cecilia Turingan, Julieta Turingan,  
 Corazon Turingan, Carmela Turingan,  
 Concepcion Turingan, Maria Elena Aguirre,  
 Kristynne Cortes

## For the deceased... Por los difuntos

+ Juan Carlos Hernandez, + Jesus Hernandez,  
 + Jose Martin Navarro, + Ramiro Ochoa,  
 + Pauline Garvey, + Eurogia Mondragon,  
 + Josefina Clvillo, + Nicolasa Soria Maciel,  
 + Concepcion G. Mendoza, + Antonia S. Maciel,  
 + Lucinda C. Gomez, + Martha Y. Zuniga,  
 + Rosa Rios, + Ignacia Lopez

## Virtues, Explained! Diligence

Diligence is the opposite of negligence; the diligent man pursues his goal with the same faithfulness with which God has pursued us, wayward as we are, through the long course of salvation history. St. Thomas Aquinas writes that "diligence, no less than solicitude, is required for every virtue." (Sum., II:II, 54, Art. 1)

Christians are called to diligence in prayer, in self-scrutiny, in exercising virtue, in seeking God's will, in detachment from the world and in reflecting on God's word in Scripture: "If we are diligent in observing all of these commandments before the Lord, our God, as he commanded of us, then this will be our righteousness." (Deuteronomy 6:25)

Diligence is made possible by the freedom of will that we have been granted by God, and it is the virtue by which man can secure for himself true happiness. (Gaudium et spes, 17)



# Saint Joseph Catholic Church

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## May 3, 2026



### Mass Schedule / Horario De Misas

Monday – Friday : 12:10 PM (English)  
 Lunes & Viernes : 7:00 PM (Español)

Vigil / Vigilia (Saturday / Sabado)  
 5:00 pm (English), 7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday / Domingo  
 7:00 am , 1:00 pm, 7:00 pm (Español)  
 9:00 am , 11:00 am (English)

Confessions / Confesiones  
 Saturdays/ Sabados : 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

### Adoration / Adoracion

Thursdays / Jueves  
 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

### Baptisms / Bautismos

2º Domingo (Español)  
 3rd Sunday (English)  
 2:30 pm

### Marriages/ Matrimonio

Must register 6 months in advanced  
 Necesitan registrarse con 6 meses de anticipacion

### Quinceañeras

Call office for information (6 months in advance)  
 Llame a la oficina para informacion (6 meses de anticipacion)

### Funerals/ Funerales

Call our office/ llame a la oficina

### Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa

In-person at office / En persona en la oficina

### Parochial Administrator

Fr. Ruben Ruiz

Deacon Alfredo Rios



### Parochial Vicar

Fr. Ramon Cisneros

Deacon Stan Necikowski



### PARISH OFFICE HOURS / HORARIO DE OFICINA

Monday - Friday / Lunes a Viernes  
 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM , 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
 Sunday / Domingo  
 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
 (714) 542-4411

email: receptionist@stjosephsa.org



## Reflexion del Evangelio...Gospel Reflection

**3 de mayo de 2026**  
**V Domingo de Pascua**

El amor de Jesús es tan grande por nosotros que quiere que estemos donde Él está. Cada una de sus palabras está llena de esperanza. Él se va a preparar un lugar para cada uno de nosotros: “Y después de ir a prepararles un lugar, volveré para tomarlos conmigo, para que donde yo esté, estén también ustedes” (Juan 14:3-4). Luego sigue mostrando su amor al decir: “Yo soy el Camino, la Verdad y la Vida”. No tenemos ninguna excusa para decir que no sabemos por dónde ir en la búsqueda de ser mejores. El único Camino es Jesús. Sin embargo, también existe la oportunidad de preguntar, como lo hicieron Tomás y Felipe. La tarea de Jesús es conducirnos al Padre; sus palabras nos dan serenidad y esperanza en la vida futura.

Es importante aprender, en nuestra vida cotidiana, que para llegar al Padre es por medio de Jesús. Jesús y el Padre son uno. Entonces, como bautizados, ¿cuál es nuestra tarea? Desde el tiempo de las primeras comunidades cristianas hasta nuestros días, la Iglesia ha tratado de seguir las enseñanzas de Jesús. Tenemos un Padre que nos ama, y confiar en Él nos da paz, aunque haya guerra y mucho sufrimiento en el mundo. Estamos llamados a luchar por la justicia y la paz, con acciones concretas cuando sea posible y con la oración, como nos lo recuerda el Papa León XIV:

“En verdad les digo: el que crea en mí hará las mismas obras que yo hago, y como ahora voy al Padre, las hará aún mayores” (Juan 14:12).

**May 3, 2026**  
**5th Sunday of Easter**

We generally approach life with the question, “What can this do for me?” We try a new workout, a low-carb diet, intermittent fasting, or a new career path, hoping it will make us healthier, stronger, happier. The assumption is that if I invest in this, I’ll eventually reap some benefit, or I won’t do it.

It is easy to think of faith the same way: if I really practice my faith, what will it do for me? Will it make me calmer, more moral, more successful?

But in today’s Gospel, Jesus says something astonishing. He doesn’t present himself as a teacher who shows us the way to life. He says, “I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life.” (John 14:6) He is not merely a guide toward some higher benefit. He is the benefit itself. To know him is to know Life.

Thomas Aquinas explains that every desire in the human heart — love, joy, meaning, all of our restless cravings — is really an indirect cry for life. Even despair testifies to this longing: people despair precisely because they feel they are not, and might never be, fully alive.

The good news is that Jesus is not simply the means to a better life; He is Life itself. To believe in him is to share in God’s own eternal vitality. Not simply later but even now. Faith is not a transaction that produces results — it is a union that fills us with joy. To be in communion with Christ is to be truly, fully alive.



### Bendición de la Paz

Querido Señor,

Has dicho: "No dejéis que nuestros corazones se inquieten."

Bendíceme con tu paz.

Llena mi corazón de confianza en Ti,  
y esperanza en tus promesas.

Sé mi roca en tiempos de angustia,  
mi luz en tiempos de oscuridad,  
y mi descanso en la tormenta. Amén.



### Blessing of Peace

Dear Lord,

You have said, “Do not let your hearts be troubled.”

Bless me with Your peace.

Fill my heart with trust in You,  
and hope in Your promises.

Be my rock in times of distress,  
my light in times of darkness,  
and my rest in the storm. Amen.

**¡San Peregrino,**  
Patron de los que sufren de cancer,  
y de los jovenes en riesgo,  
Ora por nosotros!  
**Misa en la Cathedral de Cristo**  
y bendiccion con las reliquias de San Peregrino  
**Miercoles, 6 de Mayo | 6:00pm**  
Obispo Timothy Freyer D. D.

**St. Peregrine,**  
Patron of cancer patients,  
and hope for youth at risk,  
Pray for us!  
**Mass at Christ Cathedral**  
And blessing with relics of St. Peregrine  
**Wednesday, May 6th | 6:00pm**  
Bishop Timothy Freyer D.D.

### Wedding Banns / Amonestaciones

The following couples would like to express their intention to be made One in the Sacrament of Matrimony at St Joseph Church in Santa Ana,

**Noe Fuentes Cortez & Ana Cruz Abundez,**  
**Anthony Mora & Guadalupe Leon**

If anyone has knowledge of any impediment or hindrance to the proposed marriages between the mentioned couples, please contact the parish office.

**“Did you hear about the Sister who opened a travel agency?”**



**“She schedules PRAY-cations!”**




It’s always a good idea to schedule some time to step away from your everyday hustle and bustle and spend some time in prayer.

### Venta de aguacates:

Apoya a nuestros queridos sacerdotes

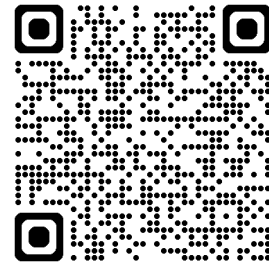
### AVO-GREAT CAUSE:

SUPPORT OUR BELOVED PRIESTS

 6-7 de junio

27-28 de junio

1-2 de agosto



**6 for \$10**

June 6-7

June 27-28

August 1-2

