

# Saint Joseph Marello



**JESUS**  
HIMSELF DREW  
NEAR AND WALKED  
WITH THEM.

— LUKE 24:15 —

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKEND

#### Sunday

8:00am, 9:45am,  
11:30pm, 5:00pm

#### Saturday

8:00am, 5:00pm (Vigil)

### CONFESSIONS

#### Saturday

8:45am-9:30am  
3:45pm-4:30pm

**Wednesday** 6:00pm

Or by appointment

### WEEKDAY

#### Monday-Friday

8:00am

### ADORATION

#### First Friday of the Month

8:30am-8:00pm

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday -Friday

8:30am-11:30am

## WELCOME!

**APRIL 19, 2026**

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

To invite all into community and partake in joyfully learning, experiencing and making known the teachings of Jesus Christ.

# Mass Intentions and Prayer Requests

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, APRIL 18

8:00am - Holy Souls in Purgatory

5:00pm - Liz Kuhn

### SUNDAY, APRIL 19

8:00am - Parishioners of SJM

9:45am - Georgette Schofield

11:30am - Charles Roig

5pm - Ann and Nathan Baker

### MONDAY, APRIL 20

8:00am - Lukas Sultan

### TUESDAY, APRIL 21

8:00am - Sherry Montoya

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

8:00am - +Betty Smith

### THURSDAY, APRIL 23

8:00am - Bob Smith

### FRIDAY, APRIL 24

8:00am - Molly Crowley

### SATURDAY, APRIL 24

8:00am - +Hugh Hageman, Sr.

5:00pm - +William Harold

Conron

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers. We will update the list monthly. If you would like to add/remove a name from the list, please email the information to [marelloparish@gmail.com](mailto:marelloparish@gmail.com). In the case of an illness, please be sure that the individual or family has given permission to submit his/her name.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Annabeth Palacios. Aniceta V. Edradan

Connie Bearden

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK, IN PAIN OR RECOVERY, OR IN NEED OF

### SPIRITUAL HEALING

Karen Phillips

Dave Brutski

Jeffrey Gaspar

Rutchel Tadina

Suzanne Renda

Deserie Donae Janousek

Maureen Spell

Michael Gaspar

Rex Sanchez

Nike McPherson

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL WHEREVER DUTY CALLS THEM TO SERVE:

Joseph Conron

Tyler Kong

Stevan George

Joseph Mugno

Audrey Jane Kong

Nathan Fischer

Roland DeMarco, Jr.

Jonathan Kasel

Joey Lynch

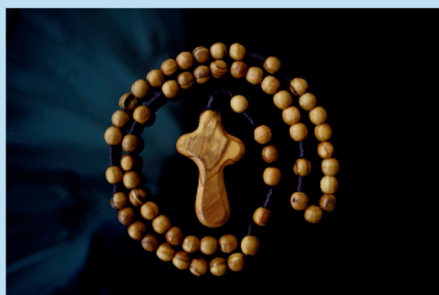
Andrew Pecha

Alex Cooke

Evan Tate

Ben Clark

To have an intention mentioned at Mass,  
e-mail Georgette Schofield at [sjmarelloparish@yahoo.com](mailto:sjmarelloparish@yahoo.com).  
A \$10 donation is suggested.



We are now saying the rosary 6 days a week after 8am Mass. Individuals in distress with urgent intentions are reaching out and finding comfort in this important ministry. Please join!

# Parish Contacts and News

## OUR STAFF AND CONTACTS

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Youth and Family Faith Formation

Coordinator:

Katerina Austin

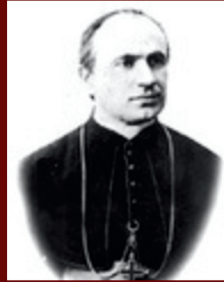
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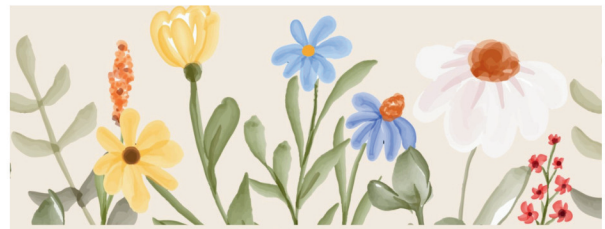
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Let us plant, let us irrigate, but above all let us keep our eyes fixed on the great Divine Star from which descends the kindly heat that gives supernatural growth.

--St. Joseph Marello



## Ladies Social Outreach

The next quarterly coffee will be held on April 20, 2026, at 9:30 a.m., again at LaBou near Hobby Lobby on Douglas Blvd. No reason to RSVP, just show up!

## WINE & PEACE OF MIND

### WINE TASTING

APRIL 25TH | 1:00 PM-4:00 PM

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## CELEBRATE

### THE BLESSING & BUD BREAK AT MOUNT SAINT JOSEPH WINES



*Join us on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm as we bless the vineyard & celebrate bud break!*

Gather with us at Mount Saint Joseph Wines Vineyard Terrace for a special blessing and to celebrate bud break with a "vineyard crawl" through the vines.

*Explore our budding vineyard, taste our Estate Wines and meet our winemakers!*

*Mount Saint Joseph Wines Vineyard 6530 Wells Avenue, Loomis*

## Support your St. Joseph Marelle Parish WYD Pilgrims!

Your parish youth are going on a pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea, in 2027 for World Youth Day! To support us on our trip, scan this QR code or text "Give" to this number.

916-620-2602



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### St. Stephen Ministry

St. Stephen Ministers provide Christ-centered care and support to those experiencing the many difficulties of life including grief, divorce, cancer, unemployment, spiritual crisis, and other challenges. This one-to-one, confidential care is provided for members of our parish and the surrounding community.

Our St. Stephen Ministers are ready to bring Jesus' love and care to those in need and would like to be there to listen and care as you sort through your feelings.

To find out more about St. Stephen Ministry or to receive a St. Stephen Minister's care, contact one of the St. Stephen Ministry Leaders, Darlene McClure or Deacon Jeff McClure at [darlenejeff@sbcglobal.net](mailto:darlenejeff@sbcglobal.net)

# PRAYERFULLY PROTECT THE EARTH!



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## Liturgical Life

### (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

**Mini Reflection:** Christ gave us everything. He gave us “happily ever after.” But what do you do with everything? What do you do with “happily ever after?” What do you do with the Resurrection? What do you do with salvation?

#### The Story That Never Ends

The biggest mistake we can make as Christians is to think that the Resurrection is the end of the story.

Of course we *know*, logically, that it isn't — there are whole books of the Bible that come after it, detailing not just the activities and teachings of the Risen Christ, but the development of the early Church and the Gospel's first baby steps into the wider world. We know this.

But sometimes we don't act like it.

The thing is, we like stories that can be tied up neatly in a bow. It's why “happily ever after” is a thing. These tidy endings are especially satisfying following an emotional gut punch and a twist — for instance, let's say the crucifixion of the story's hero and a *gotcha!* moment where it turns out he's not dead after all. Drinks all around! And...scene. The curtain falls.

But the curtain didn't fall. It still hasn't.

Look at Cleopas. He has heard the testimony of people he knew, people he trusted — and yet, he's in a world of confusion. He's stumbling along the road, wondering what to believe.

Christ gave us “happily ever after.” But what do you do with “happily ever after?” What do you do with the Resurrection? What do you do with salvation?

The Resurrection left loose ends — not because it was insufficient, but because it was not a final chapter. So being a Christian means embracing the life of a loose end. It means figuring out what to do with the Resurrection, with salvation, with forgiveness — with this hard-won “happily ever after” that is a gift but also a commission.

Because the curtain is still up, and we are all characters in the Greatest Story Ever Told.

So, what's the next scene?

— Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

### Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

#### Question:

What do Catholics believe about the end of the world?

#### Answer:

We hear the phrase “the end of the world” casually today. Often in film or media, it means the end of civil society or the threat of human annihilation by natural disasters. For the Christian, our perspective is distinctly Christ-centered. Numerous times through the Gospel, Jesus notes that he will come again, even after he has ascended into heaven. The Church typically refers to this as the Second Coming of Jesus or the Latin “Parousia,” meaning “presence” or “arrival.”

We believe that Christ will come again, and at his Second Coming, temporal time will end. Human history will end, at least as we know it. However, it doesn't mean that creation will be destroyed. The book of Revelation speaks of a renewal, indeed a “*new heaven and a new earth*” (Rev 21:1). Christ will come again in glory. Our souls will be reunited with our bodies. While our lives were judged individually at our deaths, which we call the particular judgment, something new will happen here. Theologians call it the general judgment or the last judgment, in which our deeds and the effects — for good or ill — will be known to all. For the early Christians, this second coming was hoped for! They knew it was the completion of God's work of redemption for the human race. We, too, should pray with them, “Come Lord Jesus!”

# Community Happenings




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11:00 AM to 1:15 PM  
Visit to Marelo Youth Retreat Center & Mount St. Joseph, lunch included.

1:30 PM to 4:30 PM  
Visit to St. Joseph Marelo Parish, opportunity for confessions.





4:30 PM to 6:00 PM  
Holy Spouses Rosary & Vigil Mass of Pentecost.





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## MARELLO PILGRIMAGE

JOIN US MAY 23<sup>RD</sup> TO HONOR ST. JOSEPH MARELLO

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Spiritual Director:  
**Fr. Michael Marascalco**

Spiritual Director:  
**Dcn. Jeffrey McClure**

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## Pilgrimage to SICILY & MALTA

**September 30 – October 10, 2026**

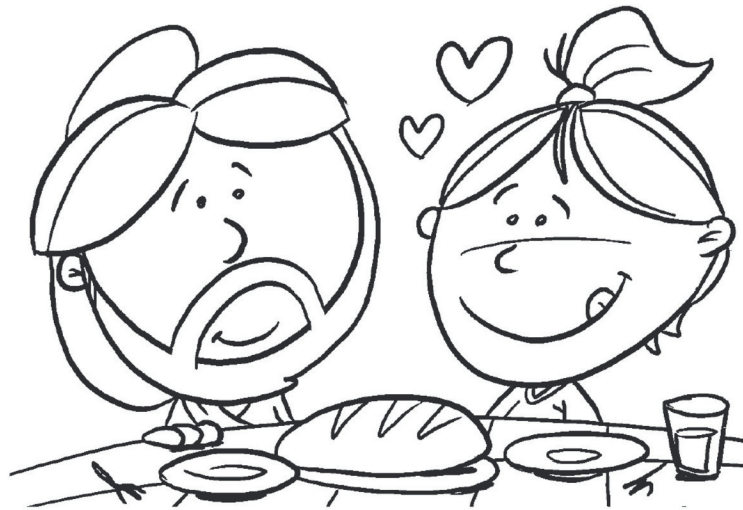
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## GOSPEL

Pretend Jesus is at your home. He sits at the dinner table with your whole family. He breaks bread with you. He fills each cup with a drink. He plays with you and helps you with your homework. He tells you that he loves you. You thank him for the food and ask him to bless your family. Jesus says, "I've got to go, but I'll remain in your heart forever."



## PRAYER

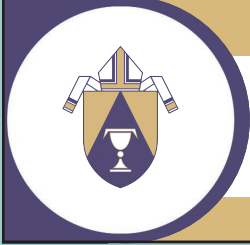
Lord, help me show others that I am a Christian by my words and actions.



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