

January 18, 2026 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish News

Palm Leaves for Ash Wednesday

Every year, we collect our dried palms from last Palm Sunday to create ashes for Ash Wednesday.

Please return your dried palm leaves, there will be a basket in the church vestibule or you can bring them directly to the church office.

Thank you for participating!

Walk for Life: Join Us in San Francisco!

Stand for life with our community on Saturday, January 24, 2026. Sister Celina is organizing a bus to take parishioners directly from our parking lot to the event in San Francisco.

Reserve Your Seat: If you would like to ride the bus, please contact Sister Celina directly at (916)-491-0156 or Anely Garcia at (916) 266-3389

Parish Gift Shop

Just a reminder that our Parish Gift Shop will be open this Sunday, January 18th from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM.

Explore a variety of unique items perfect for gifts or personal treasures. Your support helps our community thrive!

Stop by and discover something special!

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 19th for the Martin Luther King Holiday

This Week

Sunday | January 17, 2026

— Regular Sunday Mass Schedule—

Monday | January 18, 2026

8:00am - Daily Mass
7:00pm - Holy Hour
7:00pm - Youth Community ("The Believers") Msgr Corkell Parish Hall

Tuesday | January 19, 2026

8:00am - Daily Mass
6:00pm - Confessions
7:00pm - Mass (Spanish) every first Tuesday

Wednesday | January 20, 2026

8:00am - Daily Mass
10:30am - Legion of Mary (English) (Msgr. Corkell Hall)
6:00pm - Charismatic Prayer Group (English) (Divine Mercy Chapel)

Thursday | January 21, 2026

8:00am - Daily Mass
7:00pm - Charismatic Prayer Group (Spanish) (Parish Church)

Friday | January 22, 2026

8:00am - Daily Mass
5:30pm - Legion of Mary (Spanish) (Msgr. Corkell Parish Hall)

Saturday | January 23, 2026

3:00pm - Confessions (English) (Parish Church)
— Regular Saturday Mass Schedule—

Today's Reflection

One Halloween afternoon, Brother Mark, a Franciscan, realized the friary had no candy. He rushed to the mall, where the store was packed with parents and kids in costume. Arms full of sweets, he waited in line when a small tug on his brown robe startled him. A four-foot Yoda looked up and asked, "Who are you supposed to be?" Brother Mark smiled—and paused. That's a question: Who am I supposed to be?

Today marks the beginning of a Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, a time to reflect on who we are as disciples of Jesus. Each Sunday, we declare in the Creed that we are one, holy, catholic, and apostolic. Is that truly who we are?

One of my theology professors, a Lutheran minister back in the 1940's, once shared a muted act of rebellion. As a young pastor, he joined Catholic priests and other ministers in the Basilica's crypt at Notre Dame. There, they defied their denominational authorities and recited the Our Father together. In 1986, St. Pope John Paul II was denounced by some Catholics for his interfaith prayer service in Assisi. We've come far, but we still have a long way to go. Unity requires humility, love, and the courage to focus on what we share: faith in God, the grace of Christ, and the universal call to holiness. As baptized Christians, that's who we are supposed to be.

Chuck Zannetti
SVdP Society Member

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry



Last week, we distributed \$680. We helped five neighbors pay utility bills, one buy food and one to pay rent. Your prayers and financial support help make our ministry and assistance to our neighbors possible. Thank you and may God bless you.

Saint Vincent de Paul Donation Box Please consider contributing to our Saint Vincent de Paul Fund. You can always put money in the *Alice Asay Memorial Poor Box* located in the vestibule next to the gift shop.

Tithings

January 4 - 11, 2026

General Collection Fund	\$ 5,015.00
Parish Development Fund	\$ 2,700.00
Saint Vincent de Paul Fund	\$ 0.00
Altar Society Fund	\$ 1,571.00
Total	\$ 9,286.00

Discover the ease of Online Giving!

Enjoy a hassle-free way to donate—no more envelopes or cash on Sundays. Our secure platform ensures your financial safety and provides annual summaries for tax reporting. Contributions can be made using all major credit/debit cards or via e-Check from your checking account.



Mass Intentions and Prayers

Please Keep In Your Prayers:

Lucas Abella, Jr. Gina Alarcon Richard Avila April Boone Grant Boone Betty & Jack Brocchini Daniel Cacho Lee & Diane Charles Fred Castano Frank + Carmen Chisler Maria Curiel Lupe Cisneros John Dickens Diana Diggs Catherine Dominquez Chris Donovan Ann Marie Duesbury Gigi Fleming	Janna Gilden John Gonzales, Sr. Rodney Guidry Maria Hernandez Bob Herold James Herold Joseph Hoa Hoang Flora Jones Austin Klaas Richard Lagunas Claudia + Alexis Lopez Hector Lopez Bailey Luper Sofia Martinez Trini McClinton Nathan Montoya Wang Tou Moua Chau Moua	Ysidro Mora Michelle Morales Maria Dzung Nguyen Elizabeth F. Petzold Gertie Petzold Jessie Petzold Isaias Ramirez Angie Raymundo Zenaida Rata Juan Reyes Marcelina Reyes Mariano Tovar Yolanda Tanihara Tony Whitehead George Ziblay
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May they receive the love and support of our Community

Liturgy Aid

Gathering Song: All the Ends of the Earth (#580)
Presentation of Gift: We Are Many Parts (#457)
Communion: Here At This Table (#309)
Sending Forth: Stand By Me (#423)

Saint Michael the Archangel Prayer, composed by Pope Leo XIII for protection:

"Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen."

Diocesan News

Bishop Soto has designated January 22nd as a **Diocesan Day of Reparation for the 1973 passing of Roe v. Wade.** All the faithful are asked to observe this day with fasting, prayer, penance, and works of mercy.

Bishop Soto will offer a Mass of Reparation at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, January 22, at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.

Family Counseling and Individual Resources

Catholic Counseling Resources
Mercy Medical Group Behavior Health Department
1792 Tribute Rd., Ste 350
Sacramento, CA 95815
(916) 924-6400

Ignatian Institute for Family Life, Sacramento
St. Ignatius Church 3235 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95825 (916) 482-9666
(916) 482-9666

Day	4:00 pm	6:00pm
Saturday Jan. 17, 2026	† Deceased Silva Family members † Robert & Jean Jenkins	† Luis Armando Quirate † Salvador + Hermelinda Villaseñor
Sunday January 18, 2026	8:00 am † Elena Mora † Guadalupe Mora	12:30 pm
	10:30 am Parish Community	2:30 pm
	7:00 pm	
Monday Jan. 19	8:00 am † Raymond E. Cervantes SI B. M. Cervantes "B-Day"	
Tuesday Jan. 20	8:00 am † M/M R. E. Cervantes	
Wednesday Jan. 21	8:00 am † Rosie Gayton † Kimberly Courtney	
Thursday Jan. 22	9:30 am	
Friday Jan. 23	8:00 am Si Gertie Petzold SI Gigi Fleming	

Baptism Classes

English: 3rd Saturday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the small meeting room in the Parish Hall,. Both parents and godparents must attend.

Spanish: 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. In the small meeting room in the Parish Hall. Both parents and godparents must attend.
For more information and to register for a class, call the Parish Office at: 916-456-7206

Weekly Readings & Saints

Day	Readings	Saint
Saturday Jan. 17	1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Mark 2:13-17	St. Anthony, Abbot
Sunday Jan. 18	Isaiah 49:3, 5-6; 1 Corinthians 1:1-3; John 1:29-34	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday Jan. 19	1 Samuel 15:16-23; Mark 2:18-22;	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Tuesday Jan. 20	1 Samuel 16:1-13; Mark 2:23-28	
Wednesday Jan. 21	1 Samuel 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mark 3:1-6	St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr
Thursday Jan. 22	1 Samuel 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Mark 3:7-12	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
Friday Jan. 23	1 Samuel 24:3-21; Mark 3:13-19	