

APRIL
19
2026

ST. LAWRENCE THE MARTYR CATHOLIC PARISH
Celebrating our Catholic Faith through Worship, Education and Service

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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
TERCER DOMINGO DE PASCUA



3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" - Lk 24:33-34

Regresaron a Jerusalén, donde encontraron reunidos a los Once con sus compañeros, los cuales les dijeron: "De veras ha resucitado el Señor y se le ha aparecido a Simón". - Lc 24, 33-34

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Welcome!

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil | 5:00pm
Sunday | 8:00am, 10:00am,
& 12:30pm - Español

Weekday Mass

Monday | 8:30 am
Tuesday | 8:30 am
Wednesday | 8:30 am
Thursday | 8:30 am
Friday | 8:30 am
Saturday | 8:30 am
Reconciliation

Wednesday | 4:00pm - 5:00pm
Saturday | 9:00am - 10:00am
3:30pm - 4:30pm
or by appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS

Thanks for Coming!

We are blessed to have you with us. Our parish is a family united in faith, prayer, and service.

New to the Parish?

We invite you to register at the parish office and become an active part of our community. There are many ministries and groups to grow in faith and fellowship. We look forward to walking this journey of faith with you.

SUPPORT US

Donate Online

www.saintlawrence.org/supportsl

Donate in the Mail

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ABOUT OUR CHURCH

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ST. LAWRENCE THE MARTYR CATHOLIC PARISH

Our Mission

To share in the mission of Jesus by bringing about the Reign of God through proclaiming the message, building community, leading to worship, and motivation service.

Office Hours

Monday - Friday | 9:00am - 9:00pm
Saturday & Sunday | **CLOSED**

Follow Us

Follow us on social media to get all of the latest updates.



SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Baptism

Parents requesting the sacrament of Baptism for their child should call the parish office at least three months in advanced.

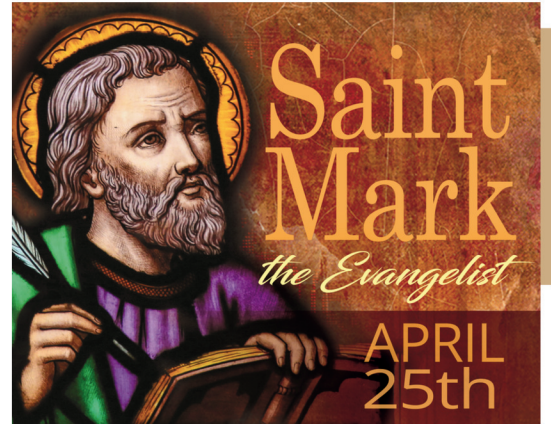
Matrimony

Couples should call the parish office at least six months before the proposed wedding date to discuss marriage preparation.

STEWARDSHIP FOR WEEK ENDING 03/01/26

Ash Wednesday.....	\$65.00
Immaculate Conception.....	\$65.00
Daily/Sunday Mass.....	\$5,021.85
In Office/Mail.....	\$1,115.00
Online Giving.....	\$13,311.77
Total Offering.....	\$14,784.47

MASS INTENTIONS



5th Sunday in Ordinary Time / April 19, 2026

5º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario / 19 de April de 2026

5:00 PM †Paul Sanville - Peaceful repose of Soul

Sunday, April 19

8:00 AM Anney Morris - Happy Birthday
†Dorothy Sanville - Death Anniversary
†Isaiah M. Mendoza - Peaceful repose of Soul

10:00 AM †Ernani Atangan - Death Anniversary

12:30 PM †Maria Camacho
†César Antonio Gutiérrez Vargas

Monday, April 20

8:30 AM †Norberto Relucio - Death Anniversary

Tuesday, April 21

8:30 AM Joseph Esquivel - Full Initiation Anniversary

Wednesday, April 22

8:30 AM Fawn Pashby - Happy Birthday

Thursday, April 23

8:30 AM †Virgilio Pascual, Jr. - Death Anniversary

Friday, April 24

8:30 AM Jayden Galimba - Happy Birthday

Saturday, April 25

8:30 AM †Juan Cabral

Recently Departed

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen

† **+Jose Eduardo Ocampo Santana**

It is recommended that Mass Intentions are scheduled at least TWO MONTHS in advance to increase the probability of obtaining the Mass date and time requested. We will try our best to grant your Mass intention on the specific date requested and can not promise that each Mass intention will be celebrated on the specific date requested.

To request a Mass intention, contact the Parish Office at:

parish@saintlawrence.org or

giuliana.razon@dsj.org or call and leave a

message for Giuliana at (408) 296-3000 ext. 431, with the information needed below.

* Their name and contact number

* Requested date for Mass Intention

* Info for Mass Intention

* Requested donation is \$10 per Mass as determined by diocesan policy (#206), is to accompany each Mass request

* Make checks payable to: St. Lawrence the Martyr Parish.

* Mail your donation to:

1971 St. Lawrence Drive, Santa Clara, Ca 95051

Or you may request a Mass intention and complete your donation on our parish website:

saintlawrence.org/massintention-requests or scan the QR code below:



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Every Thursday
after the 8:30 am mass**

FROM THE DESK OF FR. MARK



Let us sing Alleluia as we give glory and praise to God on this Third Sunday in Easter. What blessings from the Lord are we thankful for this day?

The next few weeks are filled with many sacramental blessings. This coming Friday (April 24) Bishop Cantú will be visiting our parish to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for the teens who have been intentionally preparing for this night for the past few years and then the following weekend (May 2-3) we will be gathering to offer joyful praise as many young children come to the altar of the Lord for the very first time after a time of intentional preparation. Give glory and praise to God. I write "intentional preparation" because in our Catholic faith we are called to be in constant preparation in following our Lord Jesus. From the very moment the child is conceived in the mother's womb, the child is being prepared to receive the sacramental grace of God's love. (Jeremiah 1:5)

At the moment of birth, the Christian mother and father begin the process of showing forth the love of God to their child. They and the godparents will testify for their child at baptism. They will show the child the love and mercy of God through the practice of their faith, teaching their child about worship and prayer through attending Mass, daily prayer at home and acts of mercy and sacrificial love in the everyday life of the domestic church. Throughout the years they will be helping the child to discover their proper faith in God, in the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. And then bring them to the intentional time of preparation as the moment of their reception of these Sacraments draw near.

This is not just for First Communion and Confirmation, but also for all Sacraments. A home filled with forgiveness and mercy for Reconciliation. A home filled with mutual love and sacrifice preparing the child for his or her call to Holy Matrimony, Holy Orders or the Consecrated Religious life. Preparation always begins within the domestic church of the family.

This is why we are called to continual conversion and the growing in knowledge and love of the Lord.

In that, our Pastoral Plan Team is working hard in continued preparation. We need your continued prayers and openness to serve. Please join us in the Spiritual renewal of our parish community and the Church of San Jose.

1. Don't forget to register and spread the news of our Summer Camp.
2. Don't forget the upcoming Spaghetti Feed on April 25th.
3. Thank you for your prayers.

God Bless,
Fr. Mark

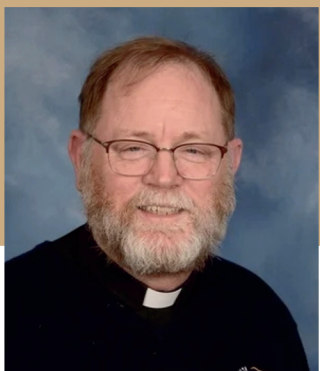
Please Pray for the Parishioners Listed Below

Troy Alfonso	Bernadette Cabarles	Carla Gerrard	Corazon Kalt	Lucia Pacheco Mara
Jayden Amys	Marisa Carlini	Badiyah Handal	Diana Marie Kalt	Vivian Mara
Kiernan Arata	Barbara Gasdick	Joseph Handal	Laura Salgado	Mary Ann Miller
Mike Armstrong	Jessie Garibaldi	Margaret Haselden	Maes Family	Elizabeth McGuire
Erika S. Barragan	Margaret Gradwohl	Alexa Hechemma	Karina Magallanes	
John McGuire	Dcn. Greg Ortiz	Lulu Razón	Gina Santiago	Martha Schmitz
Mendoza Family	Lina Pirota	Pedro Rincón	Elizabeth Sanville	Hortensia Valadez
Jackie Mussynski	Ana Quijada	Teresa Rincón	Rachel Sanville	Soledad Valadez
Pat Naki	Laura E. Quijada	Tiburcia Rodriguez	Lizzy Sanville	Rosalio Villagomez
Ellen Navarra		Arman Santiago	Rose Siudzinski	Maria J. V Northey

STEWARDSHIP FOR WEEK ENDING 03/08/26

Daily/Sunday Mass.....	\$9,026.64
In Office/Mail.....	\$1,365.00
Online Giving.....	\$2,123.77
Total Offering.....	\$12,515.41

DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PADRE MARK



Cantemos ¡Aleluya! mientras damos gloria y alabanza a Dios en este Tercer Domingo de Pascua. ¿Qué bendiciones tenemos que agradecer al Señor en este día?

Las próximas semanas estarán colmadas de muchas bendiciones sacramentales. Este próximo viernes (24 de abril), el Obispo Cantú visitará nuestra parroquia para celebrar la recepción del Sacramento de la Confirmación para los adolescentes que se han estado preparando intencionalmente para esta noche, durante los últimos años. Y luego, el siguiente fin de semana (2 y 3 de mayo), nos reuniremos nuevamente llenos de alegría, para alabar a Dios, toda vez que muchos niños pequeños se acercaran al altar del Señor por primera vez, tras un tiempo de preparación intencional. ¡Demos gloria y alabanza a Dios! Escribo «preparación intencional» porque, en nuestra fe católica, estamos llamados a estar en constante preparación para seguir a nuestro Señor Jesús. Desde el mismo momento en que el niño es concebido en el seno materno, está siendo preparado para recibir la gracia sacramental del amor de Dios (Jeremías 1:5).

En el momento del nacimiento, la madre y el padre cristianos inician el proceso de manifestar el amor de Dios a su hijo. Ellos, junto con los padrinos, darán testimonio en nombre del niño en el Bautismo. o. Le mostrarán al niño el amor y la misericordia de Dios mediante la práctica de su fe, enseñándole sobre la adoración y la oración a través de la asistencia a Misa, la oración diaria en el hogar y los actos de misericordia y amor sacrificial en la vida cotidiana de la «iglesia doméstica». A lo largo de los años, ayudarán al niño a descubrir su propia fe en Dios: en el Padre, el Hijo y el Espíritu Santo. Y luego lo conducirán a ese tiempo intencional de preparación a medida que se acerque el momento de recibir estos Sacramentos.

Esto no se aplica únicamente a la Primera Comunión y la Confirmación, sino también a todos los Sacramentos. Un hogar lleno de perdón y misericordia para el Sacramento de la Reconciliación. Un hogar lleno de amor mutuo y sacrificio que prepara al niño para su llamado al Santo Matrimonio, al Sacerdocio o a la Vida Religiosa Consagrada. La preparación siempre comienza dentro de la iglesia doméstica: la familia.

Es por esto, que estamos llamados a una conversión continua y a crecer en el conocimiento y el amor del Señor.

En este sentido, nuestro Equipo del Plan Pastoral está trabajando arduamente en esta preparación continua. Necesitamos sus oraciones constantes y su disposición para servir. Por favor, acompáñenos en la renovación espiritual de nuestra comunidad parroquial y de la Iglesia de San José.

1. No olviden inscribirse y difundir la noticia sobre nuestro Campamento de Verano.

2. No olviden nuestra próxima Cena de Espagueti el 25 de abril.

3. Gracias por sus oraciones.

Dios los bendiga,

Padre Mark



Palabra que da La Vida

“Mientras conversaban y discutían, Jesús en persona se acercó y se puso a caminar con ellos. Pero sus ojos no eran capaces de reconocerle.” (Lc 24, 14)

El Señor, según nos cuenta San Mateo no dejó sólo su presencia real ligada a la Eucaristía. También quiso quedarse con nosotros a través de otra «sustancia» singular: el amor y el amor recíproco. Efectivamente, Él ligó su presencia a la unidad entre sus discípulos: «Donde dos o más están unidos en mi nombre, allí estoy yo en medio de ellos»

(Mt 18, 20). Por eso los dos discípulos que huían de Jerusalén camino de Emaús, a pesar de su cobardía y de su falta de fe, llevaban con ellos la presencia de Cristo, pues se querían y estaban unidos en el nombre del Señor. Sin embargo, no lo sabían y por eso no lo reconocían. También a nosotros nos puede pasar lo mismo. Es posible que no nos demos cuenta de que el Señor está en nuestro hogar y que le expulsemos de allí cuando nos enfrentamos unos a otros, cuando hay violencia o tensiones. A veces, con mucha frecuencia, eso se produce por naderías, por insignificancias, por puro egoísmo. Echamos a Jesús de nuestro lado cuando rompemos la unidad, cuando desaparece el amor recíproco. Le invitamos a que esté entre nosotros, por el contrario, cuando amamos al prójimo en nombre del Señor, como amó el Señor y por el Señor. Y el Señor amó con una motivación religiosa -por Dios- y con un amor que incluía el perdón y la generosidad.

También podemos echar de nuestro lado a Cristo, o al menos no darnos cuenta de su presencia y por lo tanto no valorarla, cuando consideramos que Él nos ha abandonado por el hecho de estar pasando dificultades. Aunque no sintamos a Cristo, no debemos dudar ni de su presencia ni de su amor.

Propósito: Analiza tus relaciones comunitarias (familia, amigos, trabajo...), para ver si te estás comportando de modo que el Señor esté presente, para ver si hay unidad.

Padre Santiago Martin FM

Responsable MARC.

MINISTRY UPDATES



de ESCUELA Agradecimiento



CURSO DE FORMACIÓN

La relación del Hombre con Dios



Te invitamos a explorar la profundidad de nuestra fe, a través del Carisma del Agradecimiento.

Todos los Viernes, 6:00-8:00PM

¡Te esperamos!

LUGAR: PARISH HALL

agradecerstaclara@gmail.com PARROQUIA DE SAN LORENZO MÁRTIR
MARITONY REYES | 408 296 1246 1971 St. Lawrence Dr. Santa Clara Ca.



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN CATOLICO CARISMATICO "ELEGIDOS DE JESUS"

Parroquia San Lawrence.

1971 Saint. Lawrence Dr.
Santa clara Ca. 95051

NOS REUNIMOS
TODOS LOS JUEVES

- TENEMOS EVANGELIZACION ATRAVES DE LA PALABRA DE DIOS.
- ALABANZA, ORACION
- HORA SANTA
- TESTIMONIOS.



Paty Vergara
(650) 906-1326




Cada Jueves tenemos diferentes invitados

Misa cada segundo Jueves de Mes.

Comenzamos con el Santo Rosario 6:30 pm.




DIÓCESIS DE SAN JOSE
Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults
 Diocese of San Jose
 Anthony Gonzalez
 Phone: 1-408-983-0113
 Fax: 1-408-983-0147
 Emergency line: 1-408-983-0141
 E-mail: protection@dsj.org
Office of Financial Services
 If you suspect financial mismanagement or misconduct in your parish, school, or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact: EthicsPoint dsj.ethicspoint.com or hotline 888-325-7863



Día de la Tierra
TODOS LOS DÍAS

Save the Date
 30th Anniversary
DYR 2026
 June 8 - 12, 2026



MIDDLE SCHOOL
 Diocesan Youth Retreat 

In the beautiful setting of Camp Redwood, teens from incoming 6th-8th graders will experience and encounter the love of God.

AUGUST 3-6, 2026
REDWOOD CHRISTIAN PARK CAMP



Gather for prayer and community Deeper encounter with Christ

DON'T WAIT, REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 25, 2026
DSJ.ORG/MSDYR

Please support our parish by giving your Sunday offering ONLINE



Scan the QR code or go to saintlawrence.org/supports!

Thank you for your generosity and continual support!

BE THE CHANGE

Register using this QR Code



Be an Altar Server!
If you have questions on how to become an Altar Server, please contact Fr. Ryan in the Parish Office at 408-296-3000

Church Rummage Sale



St. Lawrence the Martyr Parish bridges young adult ministry



Join us every first Monday of the month at 8PM in the Parish Hall!

@st.lawrence.bridges on IG for events & updates!

Prayer for Our Retired Priests

As one diocesan family, let us pray for God's protection for all our elderly priests.

Lord Jesus, High Priest, we pray for the retired priests of our Diocese of San José who still have a very important mission in the Church, the mission of prayer and intercession.

We pray with gratitude for their love and concern for us and for one another, ever mindful of their unity in You. We ask You to bless them for the countless years of service they have provided and continue to provide to Your people throughout the Diocese of San José, that they may experience peace and joy in their retirement, continuing to hold close the love of Your Sacred Heart.

Amen.

St. John Vianney, patron saint of priests, pray for us!

(taken from commentary on the New American Bible)

FOR THE Faithfulness OF OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS

Throughout the Diocese of San José, priests serve as good shepherds to their flocks (the faithful of Santa Clara county). There are **41 retired priests** in the Diocese and **109 active priests** currently serving in our parishes and in other diocesan assignments. In addition, the diocese has **37 priests reaching retirement age (70 years old)** in the next 10 to 11 years and **8** in just the next two to three years.

Your generosity to this appeal help keeps an important promise of care to these priests who have been good shepherds and have kept their promises to the faithful of the diocese.

It is time to support those who served us!

Please consider a generous gift to the **Diocesan Priests Retirement Fund**



DIOCESE OF SAN JOSÉ

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Phone: (408) 983-0100

www.dsj.org/priests-retirement

The DIOCESAN PRIESTS Retirement Fund

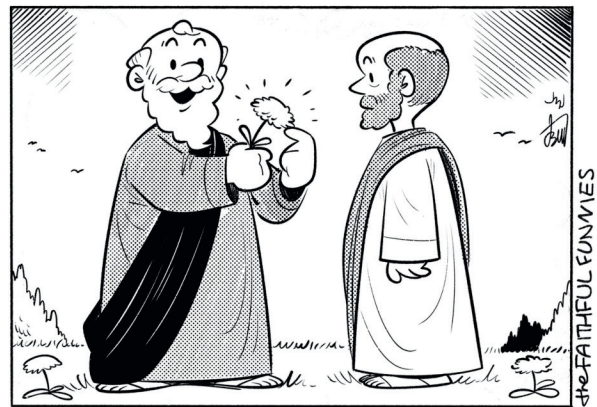


SUPPORT FOR THE PRIESTS WHO SERVED US FAITHFULLY



EVERY SATURDAY AT 6:30 AM
IN THE PARISH HALL JOIN US!

"What is St. Mark's favorite flower?"



"A dandelION."



In art, St. Mark is depicted with a winged lion, a reference to the beginning of his Gospel, with St. John the Baptist "calling out" in the wilderness.



Earth Day EVERY DAY





SUMMER CAMP 2026

ST. LAWRENCE



JOIN US FOR THE ULTIMATE SUMMER ADVENTURE!

DATES: June 16 – Aug 15, 2026 | **K-8th COHORT**

MON-FRI, 8AM-5PM

DAILY ACTIVITIES:
Arts/ Craft, Games/Sports, Open Swim, Cooking, STEM and Fun Fridays Activities!

Special Weeks: LEGO Building, Build-A-Bear Workshop, Kona Ice Truck!

2026 Application



Saint Lawrence Community Summer Camp
1971 St. Lawrence Drive, Santa Clara, CA
(669) 777-5600 | slsummercamp@gmail.com



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Help Us Get Ready for the World Cup and Promote a Safe Community!

Join Safety 4 The Bay as we gear up for FIFA World Cup 2026! There are several ways to get involved. In the next two months, we will be partnering with local agencies and community members to focus on outreach to the following venues:

- ✓ Hotels
- ✓ Convenience Stores
- ✓ Bars/Clubs
- ✓ Other local businesses

To join us for any of these outreach events, or to host your own, reach out to: Southbayendtrafficking@gmail.com

www.Safety4TheBay.org



SAINT LAWRENCE THE MARTYR PARISH

Sacristan Volunteers Needed

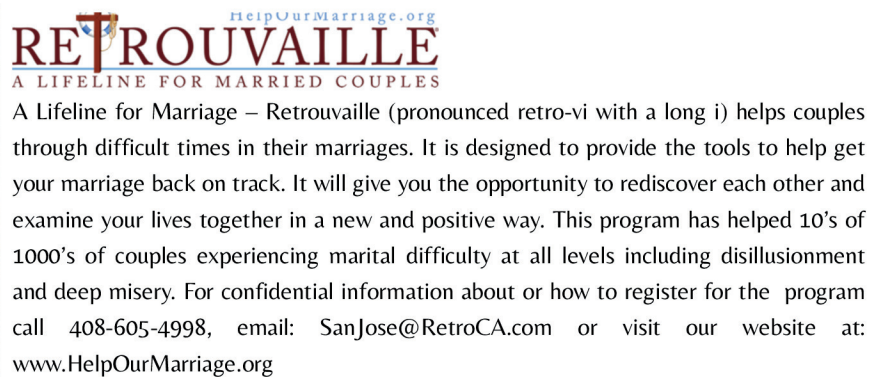
Do you feel called to serve God and your parish in a special way?
We are looking for dedicated volunteers to serve as **Sacristans**.

Sacristans play an important role in preparing the altar and ensuring everything is ready for Mass.

• No experience needed – We will provide training! •

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact the Parish Office.

"Serve the Lord with gladness." - Psalm 100



HelpOurMarriage.org

RETROUVAILLE

A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

A Lifeline for Marriage – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or how to register for the program call 408-605-4998, email: SanJose@RetroCA.com or visit our website at: www.HelpOurMarriage.org

Human Trafficking Awareness & Call to Action – April 28

St. Lawrence the Martyr Parish invites you to a presentation on Human Trafficking Awareness on Tuesday, April 28 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

Local speakers will explain how trafficking occurs, how people become vulnerable, and how communities can respond.

Earlier this year, parish volunteers participated in outreach prior to the Super Bowl. Law enforcement reported 73 survivors recovered, including 10 minors, and 29 traffickers arrested.

After the presentation, attendees will learn simple ways to help raise awareness and support prevention efforts.

All parishioners, friends, and family are welcome.