

October Intentions of our Holy Father

Workers and the Unemployed

That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.



WE HAVE A GREAT NEED FOR

PEANUT BUTTER, VEGETABLES, PASTA & PASTA SAUCE.

Thank you for all you do to help those in need.

CALLING ALL ALTAR SERVERS

Training on October 15, 2017 after the 11:00AM Mass with Fr. Fred!! Please come at 12:15PM if you are not attending Mass. This training is for new and current Altar Servers 3rd grade and up. Please call/text/email MaryJo at 906-250-7841 mjwarren@yahoo.com

This practice is for St. Joseph School, St. Joseph Church and St. Michael Church.



YOUR GENEROSITY MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

Because of your generosity, members of St. Vincent de Paul accomplished much.

HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE AT

~~OKTOBERFEST!~~

JOIN US FOR A FUN TIME,
GENERATING NEEDED FUNDS.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21ST
OUR LADY OF MERCY HALL.

**TICKETS ON SALE
AFTER MASSES!**

Catholic Bible Study

There is a new CATHOLIC BIBLE STUDY, that started on Thursday, September 7th called "MATTHEW: The King and His Kingdom". This is an exciting study that explores the life and mission of Jesus as recorded in the Gospel of Matthew. This study will help participants understand who Jesus is and what His life and teachings mean for us today. Please plan to join us in Our Lady of Mercy Hall, Room 6 on Thursdays at 10:30 am until 12:00 noon or 6:30 pm until 8:00 pm. There is no charge but you will need a Bible and a Catechism.

SCHEDULED-WEEK OF October 8, 2017

SUN Confirmation Parent Meeting—Noon—Main Church
SUN Confirmation Class—12:00 PM—Church Basement
SUN St. Michael CCD—Spanish after Mass
SUN Youth Group—After 5:30 PM Mass
MON YLI – 6:00 PM—Church Basement
TUE Altar Society—9:30 AM—Church Basement
TUE 50s Plus—Luncheon—11:30 PM—Church Basement
TUE St. Vincent de Paul—6:30 PM—Church Basement
WED CCD Church Basement—4:00 PM
WED St. Michael-Spanish Choir—6:00PM
WED Confirmation Class—6:30 PM Basement
THUR RCIA—6:30 PM—Basement
FRI 100th Anniversary of Apparitions at Fatima
6:00 PM, Holy Hour, Mass at 7:00 PM

MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY ROSARY AT 8:10 AM
MASS 8:30 AM IN CHAPEL

50s PLUS CLUB

DO YOU WANT TO MEET PEOPLE YOUR AGE AND HAVE A FABULOUS MEAL TOO? COME TO 50s PLUS CLUB ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 11:30. WE GATHER AT ST. JOSEPH'S DOWNSTAIRS MEETING ROOM FOR A POTLUCK LUNCH. IT'S INFORMAL AND FUN. JUST BRING A DISH TO PASS. CALL MARGARET AT 222-4991.

*Dues are reasonable at \$10/year/per person.
Sometimes we even play BINGO.*

ST JOSEPH PARISH MINISTRIES

~Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick~

At St. Joseph Parish, we have special Eucharistic Ministers to the sick. The introduction to the Rite for Holy Communion outside of Mass states: "It is proper that those who are prevented from being present at the community celebration should still be refreshed with the Eucharist. In this way they may realize that they are united not only with the Lord's sacrifice, but also with the community itself, and are supported by the love of their brothers and sisters". (No. 14)

Please prayerfully consider joining this ministry as there is great need and few volunteers. Please contact Fr. Fred at the Parish Office: 243-3463.

SUPPORT CATHOLIC CHARITIES USA

Let us all pray for those affected by Hurricanes Irma and Harvey. Please support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA and other church partners as they reach to provide humanitarian aid. Donations may be sent to the Diocese of Sacramento, 2110 Broadway, Sacramento CA. 95818 or those who wish, may make online contributions to the relief efforts by visiting <https://catholiccharitiesusa.org>



In today's Gospel, Jesus once again speaks to the priests and elders with a parable. In this parable, the landowner leases his vineyard to tenants and sends his servants to collect the portion of the harvest that the tenants owe to him. Several times the servants are sent to collect payment, and each time they are beaten and killed by the tenants. Finally, the landowner sends his son to collect his rent. The tenants, believing that they will inherit the vineyard if the landowner dies without an heir, plot together and kill the landowner's son.

After telling the parable, Jesus questions the chief priests and elders about what the landowner will do to the wicked tenants. They all agree that the landowner will kill the wicked tenants and give the land to new tenants who will pay the rent.

In telling the parable, Jesus is clearly drawing upon Isaiah 5:1-7, which is today's first reading and one that the priests and elders would have known well. Jesus doesn't, therefore, have to explain the symbolism of the parable; the Pharisees would have understood that the vineyard represented Israel, the landowner represented God, the servants represented the prophets, and the bad tenants represented the religious leaders. Yet Jesus nonetheless explains the meaning of the parable for his audience: the Kingdom of God will be taken from the unbelieving and given to the faithful. The chief priests and elders have condemned themselves with their answer to Jesus' question.

This Gospel reminds us of the importance of listening to God's word. God speaks to us in many ways—through Scripture, through our Church tradition, in our Church's teaching, and through modern-day prophets. Are we attentive and receptive to God's word to us through these messengers?

October
The month of the Holy Rosary

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Pray for world peace!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA'S CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION: ST. JOSEPH PARISH
Friday, October 13, 2017



Bishop Soto and Bishop Cotta designated two official sites for our diocese: St. Joseph Parish, Redding and Christ the King Retreat Center in Citrus Heights as pilgrimage sights to celebrate the appearance of Our Lady to the three little children in Fatima.

A Plenary Indulgence is granted with visits to the official pilgrimage sites,

especially, on the 13th day of the six months: May thru October."

Information regarding Plenary Indulgence connected with visits to the official pilgrimage sites is available in the back of the church.

We will celebrate this Friday, October 13th with a Holy Hour beginning at 6:00 PM followed with Mass at 7:00 PM.

MASS SCHEDULE WITH MASS INTENTIONS
Week of October 8, 2017

Sun.....10/8.....9:00 am.....Ilie Kafford +
 Sun.....10/8.....9:00 am.....All Souls.....St. Michael
 Sun.....10/8.....11:00 am.....John Waggoner +
 Sun.....10/8.....11:00 am.....All Souls.....St. Michael
 Sun.....10/8.....5:30 pm.....Virgil Tomasin +
 Mon.....10/9.....8:30 am.....Ina 'Bobbie' Miles +
 Mon.....10/9.....12:15 pm.....All Souls
 Tue.....10/10.....8:30 am.....Max Mallari , Sp. Int.
 Wed.....10/11.....7:30 am.....All Souls.....St. Michael
 Wed.....10/11.....8:30 am.....Chris Maxwell-Staley, Sp. Int.
 Thur.....10/12.....8:30 am.....Joe Hudson +
 Thur.....10/12.....12:15 pm.....All Souls
 Fri.....10/13.....8:30 am.....Frances Lannan, Sp. Int.
 Fri.....10/13.....7:00 pm.....Fatima Special Intentions
 Sat.....10/14.....8:30 am.....Holy Souls
 Sat.....10/14.....5:30 pm.....Ilie Kafford +

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Dates: Sept 27-Nov 5th from 7am-7pm
 Please contact Paul Henke at:
 Redding40Days@yahoo.com
 530-870-4325 or visit 40daysforlife.com

Altar Service Schedule Week of Oct 14th & Oct 15th

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
5:30PM	9:00AM	11:00AM	5:30PM
J. Maxwell	J. Wenham	H. Batten	J. Niemer
C. James	D. Wenham	E. Batten	S. Wood

St. Vincent de Paul

Welcomes new members!!
 Join us this Tuesday, 6:30 PM,
 Church Basement!

An amazing weekend away with your spouse. To register, please visit:<https://www.sacramentowwme.org> to register. Or for more information, contact Terry & Janet at:(916)489-3464 or at: applications@sacramentowwme.org.