5th Sunday of Easter

I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God

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Psalm 145:8-9,10-11,12-13

May 18th 2025



### All are welcome! We are All Saints Parish.

#### **GOSPEL MEDITATION**

May 18, 2025

I've always found it amazing that Jesus never says to his disciples the straightforward and bumper stickery words "I love you" or "I will always love you" (a la Dolly Parton's song). Why doesn't Jesus say, "I love you"?

Well, actually he does, but in particular ways. He says, "As the Father loves me, so I love you" (John 15:9) thereby rooting his love for us in the space of the Holy Trinity. This week he commands, "Love another as I have loved you" (John 13:34). He presents his love for us as a completed action which continues into the present moment. How has he loved us? By becoming one of us, one with us, and finally giving his life for us in his suffering on the cross. We weren't there when he did that, but neither were his Apostles (except one). Still, that action is his great "I love you" to us.

His love is also hedged in a command: "Love one another." So how can we practically follow it? The great St. John XXIII wrote in his diary that each day he followed this rule: "Only for today, I will do one good deed and not tell anyone about it." The hidden nature of a good deed is a sign that it is truly loving. This week, take on St. John XXIII's practical method of following Jesus' great commandment of love. It's a splendid way to say, "I love you."

Father John Muir

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#### Volunteer Meeting May 28th at 11:15 am



We, as a family of volunteers, will be meeting to discuss specific areas where help is needed at our Parish. We will be discussing our Summer Clean Up day, lunch with Bishop Cotta and the Parish Annual Fall Festival. Please join us! Contact Athena for more information.

## All Saints and St. Joseph Mission Statement

"Our Mission for All Saints Catholic Church in Twain Harte and Saint Joseph's Mission Church in Tuolumne is to celebrate the Holy Trinity through the adoration of the Holy Eucharist, sacraments and charity."

## ~ REGULAR SCHEDULE ~ FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4:30pm Vigil All Saints Sunday 9:00am St. Joseph Sunday 11:00am All Saints

#### ~WEEK DAY MASSES~

Monday – Thursday 8:30am All Saints Friday 8:30am St Joseph

First Friday 8:30am St. Joseph First Saturday 9:00am All Saints

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30pm - 4:15pm at All Saints Sunday: 8:45am at St Joseph

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
EVERY Saturday at 3:15pm

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## Summer Parish Office Hours: Closed on Mondays

Tuesday—Friday 9:00 am to 1:30 pm Phone (209) 586-3161

## THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

MAY 2025 SUMMER OFFICE HOURS BEGIN!
Mon. 5/19 Communion Service 8:30am A.S.

Tues. 5/20 Parish Office Closed
Daily Mass 8:30am A.S.

OCIA 7pm A.S. Wed. 5/21 Daily Mass 8:30am A.S.

FORMED 9:15am A.S. Thurs. 5/22 Daily Mass 8:30am A.S.

Pastoral Council 9:30 am A.S ri. 5/23 Daily Mass 8:30am St. Joseph's, Tuolumne

Fri. 5/23 Daily Mass 8:30am St. Joseph's, Tuolumne Sat. 5/24 Adoration 3:15pm & Confessions 3:30pm A.S.

Vigil Mass 4:30pm All Saints

Sun., 5/25 SUMMER SCHEDULE BEGINS!

Masses: 8am St. Joseph, 9:30am All Saints

11:30am at Pinecrest

#### **Parish Pantry**

Currently the following items are greatly **ECC** beans, carrots, pinto beans, mixed veggies, diced tomatoes, mac-n-cheese, spaghetti pasta, and Chef Boyardee. We also NEED dozen sized egg cartons & grocery bags. Thank you

needed: canned corn, green beans, garbanzo the Hungry for your generosity! Food donation drop-off is

during office hours T-F 9:00am-4:00pm in the Parish Hall Kitchen or Parish Office. Location: 23260 Joaquin Gully Rd #C, Twain Harte.

Food Distribution Day is: Tuesdays 9:30-11:45 am.

#### OCIA

All Saints Catholic Church is reaching out to anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. By anyone, we mean people who are just curious, people who are interested in becoming Catholic and Catholics who want to know more about their faith, especially Catholics who are interested in receiving their First Communion or Confirmation. These "Inquiry" sessions are part of the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults, OCIA, which is the new name for what was formerly called the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). These sessions will be held on Tuesdays 7:00pm. For more information please call Mary Leamy at 209-352-3907.

## **GET INVOLVED**

Order of Franciscan Seculars / Blessed Giles of Assisi Meets the first Saturday of the month at 10:30 am.

All Saints' Ladies Guild - New members welcome. Con-Carolyn Blackmore at 209-288-8463 for the next meeting date.

St. Joseph's Guild - is seeking members to serve on the Guild council. Guild meets on the first Sunday of the month, after morning Mass at St. Joseph.

St. Joseph's Coffee Sunday—every 3rd Sunday after 9am Mass.

Newman Book Circle meets in-person last Wednesday at 6:00 pm. Contact Parish Office at (209) 586-3161 for information.

Choir Practice—contact Parish Office for practice times & schedules for St. Joseph & All Saints.

#### Pray for the repose of the souls of the following:

Recently Deceased: William McEntire

**Pray for in Memoriam:** Fr. George Lacey, Msgr. Thomas Hayes, Fr. Eshai Joseph, Fr. E. Donohoe, Dcn. Eddie Zoma, Don & Trudy Brenon Bishop Steven E. Blaire, Fr. Kevin O'Grady, Fr. Lonachan Arouje

Please Note: Requests for insertion of bulletin information must be submitted in writing to the Parish Office by noon on Wednesday prior to distribution.

#### PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL

St. 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 Host, by the Power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and all the evil spirits who wander the earth seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

#### **Daily Mass Intentions** Week of May 18th—May 24th

Psalm 145:8-9,10-11,12-13

**SUNDAY** Mr. and Mrs. Paulraj and Family Pat Dunlap # Marie Dunlap Lucina Martinez MONDAY TUESDAY Lucina Martinez †
Jeff Sperry † WEDNESDAY Lucina Martinez 🛧 THURSDAY Lucina Martinez # FRIDAY Lucina Martinez + SATURDAY Lucina Martinez +

#### Please pray for the Sick in our Parish, and their family members.

Linda Kellv **Roger Karels Leon Heinen Dwavne Prill** Ann Marie Walker **Bill Torrence** Kelly Devlin Trish Webster **Beverly Combs Diane Costello** Tim Costello Mike Lamasnev **Carol Arellanes Bob Farwell Chris Cormier** Liz Miller John & Charlene **Bob & Cheryl Groth Poline King** Elizabeth Soper Lynn Knisely Tara Imelio **Patrick Lamasney** Hannah & June Leage Phillip & Joanne Steinhart Myong Cha Middleton James Postma To add or remove a name to the list, please contact the Parish Office at 586-3161 For a home visit contact Deacon Joe Gomes. Names will remain on the list for 30-days unless otherwise notified

#### **Parish Offertory**

#### myEgiving Offertory total for month April: \$2,405.38

PARISH OFFERTORY Weekend of May 4th	2025 Offertory	NO 2ND COLLECTION	2024 Offertory
All Saints	\$2,566	\$829	\$2,065
St. Joseph	\$522	\$190	\$743

**Next Second Collection is June 1st: Catholic Home Missions** 

## Bishops Ministry Appeal 2025

As of 4/30/25: 43 families have made pledges and gifts of \$11,734 has been collected for the BMA. We are at 60% of our goal total \$19,657. Thank you!

Finance Council—next meeting July 15th A.S. Pastoral Council— Next monthly meeting is May 22nd. Contact Chair, Lisa Byrum at 707-639-6776 to add to agenda items & attend meeting. 9:30am All Saints Parish Hall.

Liturgy Committee— On Break for the Summer.

Communion Care Givers—by appt. only. Contact Parish Office. Volunteer Meeting—Wed., May 28th at 11:15am A.S. Hall.

**N.A.**—meets Weds. At 6:30pm in cottage #3. All are welcome to an open meeting at Narcotics Anonymous.

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"With toil upon toil strive after kindness. I know not whether under heaven there be greater wisdom than this."



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