

| April 29, 2018 - May 6, 2018 |  |
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| Sunday                       | <b>Continental Breakfast after 9am Mass<br/>Special COLLECTION THIS WEEK-<br/>END IS FOR St. Vincent de Paul .</b> |
| Monday                       | <b>Next Grief Group Meeting is 5/7<br/>in the Parish Office conference room.</b>                                   |
| Tuesday                      | <b>The next Ladies Guild Meeting is 5/8 in the<br/>meeting room of the Fr. Jim Community<br/>Center .</b>          |
| Wednesday                    |  |
| Thursday                     | <b>Adoration after 9:30 am Mass until 11:45<br/>am</b>   |
| Friday                       | <b>First Friday adoration after the 9:30am<br/>Mass.</b>   |
| Saturday                     |  |
| Sunday                       | <b>Continental Breakfast after 9am<br/>Mass.</b>   |

### SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

As Christians we are called to love one another. We sometimes can love with our words or our intentions, but we must also love in our actions. Jesus sent us this message with the parable of the vine and branches. The "fruits of the vine" are the good works we will do in Jesus' name. John expands on this idea in his letter (I John) by saying that we bear fruit by loving God and our neighbor and showing that love through our actions. He uses the term, "in deed and in truth." Jesus stated that those who keep his commandments "remain in him, and he in them."

In the final reading from Acts, we hear that the fruit of the vine has become real and visible in the work of St. Paul in preaching and working with the Gentiles. We are a product of that work with the Gentiles. We are the fruit of the vine.

How can we bear fruit in the way that Jesus tells us? How can we "walk the walk" as well as "talk the talk?"

Social Justice Committee

Donuts on Sunday – Building Community

How would you like to enhance our community while serving donuts on Sunday? We would like to invite you to help out serving donuts with your family twice a year. It's so easy and a nice way to teach your children about building our Church community. Simply call the Murchans at 408-203-7747.

**MASS  
INTENTIONS**  
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| <b>Sunday</b>    | 7:30am Shirley Carpenter † & Family<br>9:00am Elah Cortes †<br>11:00am For Our Parishioners<br>5:00pm Carlos dela Fuente † |
| <b>Monday</b>    | 6:30 am P.M. Sebastian †<br>9:30 am Special Intention  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 6:30 am Fran Dobleman †<br>9:30 am Special Intention   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 6:30 am P.B. Marcus †<br>9:30 am Noel Beasley  |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 6:30am Madeline & George Stascak †<br>9:30am Eddie Oddo (Birthday)   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | 6:30am Thanksgiving for Joel & Joshua<br>9:30 am No Intention  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | 8:00am No Intention<br>5:00pm Helen Baldzikowski †   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | 7:30 am David Dobleman †<br>9:00 am For Our Parishioners<br>11:00 am Margaret Leonard †<br>5:00pm Anne Marie Berger †      |

### **Weekly Stewardship Report**



|                             |         |            |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------|
| Collections                 | 4/22/18 | \$ 9,847   |
| Collections 7/1/17- 4/22/18 |         | \$ 497,576 |
| Budgeted 7/1/17 - 4/22/18   |         | \$ 487,490 |
| Variance                    |         | \$ 10,086  |

Prayerfully consider making a one time tax deductible gift. Contact the parish office for details.

Thank you for your continued support!

### One time gifts this fiscal year

|                              |           |
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| Gifts for unrestricted use:  | \$ 32,825 |
| Gifts for specific projects: | \$ 8,480  |
| Total:                       | \$ 41,305 |

Thank you for your generosity.



**MARRIED COUPLES:** Scripture says about married people that "Two shall live as one". How often do you find yourselves living as two? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you get back to basics in this complicated day and age. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is May 18-20, 2018, 2018 in San Jose. For more information visit our website at [sanjosewwme.org](http://sanjosewwme.org) or contact Ken & Claranne at [applications@sanjosewwme.org](mailto:applications@sanjosewwme.org) or 408-782-1413.

*Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,*

*We at St. Vincent de Paul would like to share with you how your money was spent this last fiscal year. The majority of your money was in keeping our clients in their homes, and getting some in their first place to live in a number of years.*

*71% or \$15,836.52 went towards rent and deposits.*

*10% or \$2,159.71 towards all utilities*

*12% food or \$2,685.19 this includes the over 400 clients at Thanksgiving.*

*5% or \$1,252.27 other ( meds, etc.)*

*2% \$487.32 transportation*

*As you can see you've done some great work with your money.*

*We too work hard, at not only helping clients but also being good Steward's of the money you have entrusted us with. At this time due to lack of funds we are only able to offer suggestions, and of course prayer, we would like to do more, please consider making a donation to St. Vincent de Paul @ Queen of Apostles.*

*Sr. Rosalie said to the founding members of S.V.d.P.*

*"God has already touched your heart, or you would not be giving up your precious free day to serve the poor. And because you see Christ in the poor, I know you will approach each one you visit with humility as His servant.*

*Always remember be kind and love, for Love is our first gift to the poor. They will appreciate our kindness and love more than all else we bring them.*

*Terean Crews*



With only a few short weeks of school left, the many afterschool extracurricular groups are wrapping up for this school year and signing up students for the next school year. Some of the extracurricular activities this year included chess, robotics, sports, running, yoga, dance, science, Scratch programming, and Idea math.

Our athletic director took a moment to commend our athletes, coaches, and families. They all have represented our community by competing fiercely with a degree of integrity that justifies praise. This groups' combination of strength and humility has been an example for us all to follow.

**CONFIRMATION II STUDENTS WELCOME 19 'HANDICAPLE' ADULTS...**

...on Saturday April 14 for a wonderful morning of socializing, Mass with Fr. Thuc and a hearty lunch. 'Handicapables' is a Catholic Charities peer support and enrichment program for adults with disabilities. They gather two Saturdays/month – once at a parish for mass and another for a fun outing. Our students conversed with and assisted them, and served as ministers at Mass. Thank you to: Claire DeZan, Victor Diaz, Allan Felix, Zachary George, Joshua Halili, Morgan Johnson, William and Alexander Minker and Genevieve Tran. See the bulletin board for their photo and 'thank you.'

**Calling Singers, Instrumentalists & Piano Players of all Ages!**

You're welcome and encouraged to join the 5pm Sunday music group. We play mostly contemporary/Christian pop music (some of which you'll hear on Christian radio stations), and practice Tuesday nights at 7:30 in the church. We also practice starting an hour before mass. Even if you cannot participate every week, please consider joining and help "make a joyful noise to the Lord" as often as you can. For more information, contact Amy Coopridier at phlewist@gmail.com.

**Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults**

Diocese of San Jose - Anthony Gonzalez Phone: 408-983-0113  
Fax:408-983-0147 Emergency line: 408-983-0141

**HIGH SCHOOL Youth Ministry and Confirmation**

**CALENDAR:**

April 29: Confirmation Sessions, 6:30pm

**Diocesan Youth Retreat (DYR)**

Registrations for DYR is now open. DYR is June 11-15 in Lake Tahoe, \$490.00, and open to all high school students. Link: <http://bit.ly/dyr2018reg>

\*Like us on Facebook: Queen of Apostles Youth

**SOLACE – SOUL + GRIEF**

Monthly Drop-in Grief Support Group  
Fourth Wednesday of each month 7 pm – 9 pm  
O'Connor Hospital Chapel – near main entrance  
2105 Forest Ave., San Jose  
Facilitator: Candee Lucas, M.A. Pastoral Ministries  
Each month we will use a different scripture as a seed for our sharing, discussion and support. We hope to create a sacred space for you to share your grieving. No RSVP necessary. Free. Sponsored by Catholic Cemeteries 650-428-3730 or [www.ccdsj.org](http://www.ccdsj.org)



**Family Faith Formation**

408-255-9950

**Office is staffed on Tuesday and Thursday 8:00 am -3:00 pm and on weekends by appointment. Please call before stopping by.**

**On the Calendar:**

Registration for the 2018-2019 catechetical year is now open. You can register online at [www.qofa.org](http://www.qofa.org)

- April 29<sup>th</sup>: Last day of classes for all grades
- May 6<sup>th</sup>: First Holy Communion at the 11am Mass
- May 12<sup>th</sup>: First Holy Communion at the 5pm Mass

Register now for Shipwrecked—Vacation Bible Camp June 18th-22nd This is for students in pre-k through incoming 5<sup>th</sup> graders. Middle School and High School students are invited to be a part of the VBC crew. The price goes up on May 1sts, so get your kiddos registered today! You can register online at [www.qofa.org](http://www.qofa.org) and click on the link for VBC. Paper registration forms are also available in the vestibule.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY**

Time is running out to register for ENCOUNTER—a ten week bible study, just for middle school students. Registration is required, and forms are available in the vestibule. Sessions begin on May 6<sup>th</sup>.

- April 29<sup>th</sup>: General Session—Jeopardy—kids vs parents
- May 6<sup>th</sup>: Encounter Session I 6:30-8pm in the community center meeting rooms
- May 13<sup>th</sup>: No Session—Happy Mother's Day!

**ADULT FORMATION:**

**Bishop Robert Barron's Catholicism Series**

This series is a drop in program designed for adults. There is no registration required. Sessions take place from 10:15-11:15 in room 6.

**April 29<sup>th</sup>: World Without End—The Last Things Part II**  
**If you missed the series, we'll run it again this summer!**  
**Join us on Wednesday nights at 7pm, beginning May 23<sup>rd</sup> in the parish office.**

**A Biblical Walk through the Mass with Dr. Edward Sri:**

**Sundays, May 27-June 24<sup>th</sup> 10-11am, \$25 registration fee includes workbook.** Have you ever felt like you were just going through the motions at mass? Why do we do and say the things that we do? This five week study will take you on a journey through the scriptures and reveal the profound significance of the words and gestures that we use during the Mass. Registration ends May 15<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Kristie Manning at 408-255-9950 or [kmanning@dsj.org](mailto:kmanning@dsj.org) for details.

**The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**

Is a religious formation program for adults and for children 7 years or older, who are interested in joining the Catholic Church. Participants explore their faith while learning about the Catholic tradition.

To learn more call 408-255-9950 or email [kmanning@dsj.org](mailto:kmanning@dsj.org)



**You are invited to purchase scrip gift cards in the vestibule exit to the parking lot.**

The times for scrip sales are:  
Saturday at 5:00 pm mass  
Sunday after the 7:30 am mass  
before and after the 9:00 am mass  
and **before** the 11:00 am mass.

Dear Queen of Apostle's family

We would like to thank you for all the support that we have received from you to help our brothers and sisters in need.

We are in need, due to the large deposits for housing our clients needs have been great and our bank account is down to \$43.00 if you feel you can help please make the check out to Queen of Apostles and on memo S.V.d.P. We are also down to 3 volunteers, if you have been wanting to get involved in service St. Vincent de Paul may be a good fit. And last but not least our food pantry is quite low, we are in need of spaghetti sauce, cereal, juice, individual raisin packages, hearty soups, macaroni and cheese, and pasta, corned beef hash, beef stew and canned fruit. We appreciate your help, Dave, Shannon,

**ASCENT EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM**

**Hours of operation: Open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm.**

Contact: 408-257-8302 FAX Number: 408-257-4600 Web Site: www.ascent-jobs.org PO Box 9604, San Jose CA 95157.

**Grief Support Group 1st and 3rd Mondays 7 pm – 8:30 pm  
in the Parish Office**

Are you, a family member or friend, grieving the loss of a loved one? Whether it's a current loss or one in the past, we will reassure you that there is hope for those whose loved one has died. Join others in support, friendship, and prayer in a confidential setting. We meet every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month in the Rectory. If you have any questions or need to talk, please call Shirley at 408-241-1209

Do you like to knit, crochet, quilt or sew? Here is a place to share your time and talent to give comfort to others. We are starting a new ministry of making shawls or stoles for the sick of our parish (those having surgery, cancer treatments, hospice, etc.) After the shawl is made and blessed, it will have a special prayer attached. One of our priests, deacon, or ministers will deliver it. If you are interested and want more details, call Julianne Simone 408-735-8862. Time and place of a meeting to be announced. You do not have to attend meetings to participate.

*We lovingly pray for those in our Parish and families who cannot join us at Mass especially: Connie Corrales, Helena Richards, John Lehane, Carol Dedinsky, Joan Grotzinger, Joel Rivera, Barbara Mertzlufft, Antonia Luna, Janet Decker, Patrick Hoins, Tomas Arguello, Barbara Carrillo.. Please let us also pray for all our servicemen and women who serve in the Armed Forces throughout the world and remember them in our hearts today and everyday. We remember those dearly departed in our Queen of Apostles family and in our own families.*

**Peacemakers**

It is this week in our history that Oskar Schindler was born. He is called a "righteous Gentile" by the Israeli nation and has a special place in the hearts of the Jewish people who survived World War II.

Oskar was a German industrialist who was not a man of evident faith, but who at some point during the War became a rescuer of Jews who were slotted for the gas chambers. He was a typical businessman and no one would ever know he would be such a man of mercy. He used considerable creativity in hiding Jews, giving them fake papers so they could work in his factories and thus, survive.

He was raised as a Catholic and followed his faith, but it was only after the war ended that he was recognized and honored for the saving presence that he was. He was buried, at his request, in Jerusalem.

Quote: "He who saves one life saves the entire world." (Words from the Talmud inscribed in a gold ring presented to Schindler by his Jewish workers.) Social Justice Committee

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Armed Forces Day Dinner  
Saturday, May 19, 2018 at 6:00 pm  
Fr. Jim Community Center Gym**

Thanking our Veterans for the service in protecting our great nation and its freedoms.

**FREE!!! ALL ARE WELCOME**

Please let us know if you will be attending by signing up after mass on May 5/6 or 12/13. Hosted by the Ladies Guild.

**Veterans Tributes + Memorial Day Masses**  
*We are honored to serve those who served with honor.*

**Monday, May 28, 2018**

**Veterans Tribute at 10:30 am**

**Memorial Day Mass at 11 am**

\*Gate of Heaven Cemetery  
22555 Cristo Rey Dr. Los Altos  
Presider: Bishop Patrick McGrath



\*Calvary Cemetery  
2650 Madden Ave. San Jose  
Presider: Rev. Michael Hendrickson

Outdoors. Chairs and shade tents provided. Please allow time to park. For more information call 650-428-3730.



# *Queen of Apostles Church*

4911 Moorpark Avenue

San Jose, Ca 95129

## **Never Give Up!**

### PASTORAL STAFF:

**Rev. Thuc Si Ho, Pastor**  
**Rev. Reynaldo Sarmiento, Parochial Vicar, Dir. Of Liturgy**  
**Deacon Brian McKenna, Coordinator of Social Justice**  
**Kristie Manning, Faith Formation/RCIA Director**  
**Gregory Elsner, Accountant**  
**Mary Ann Oddo, Administrative Assistant II**  
**Marie McCarthy, Administrative Assistant I**  
**Klarissa Chichioco, Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult**  
**Ralph Garcia, Facilities Supervisor**  
**Teri Silvestri, Music Coordinator**  
**Carmen Macias, Wedding Coordinator**  
**Dirk Maasen, Technology Coordinator**

**Family Faith Formation:** 408-255-9950

**Parish Office** 408-253-7560  
Open 9-5 Monday - Friday Closed for lunch: 12-1

4911 Moorpark Ave.  
San Jose, Ca.. 95129 Fax: 408-253-9530  
**Web Site:** [www.qofa.org](http://www.qofa.org)

**Marty Chargin, School Principal**  
**School Address:** 4950 Mitty Way  
408-252-3659 San Jose, CA 95129

### MASS SCHEDULE:

**Saturday**  
**(Vigil Mass):** 5:00 p.m.  
**Sundays:** 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.,  
5:00 p.m.  
**Weekdays:** 6:30 and 9:30 a.m.  
**Saturdays:** 8:00 a.m.  
**Holy Days:** (Vigil Mass) 5:00 p.m.,  
6:30, 9:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.  
**Marian Devotions:** After the 8:00 a.m. Mass on  
Saturday

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Seminar required. Please contact Rectory for information.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays - 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Contact Rectory at least SIX MONTHS prior to any proposed wedding date.

### INQUIRY SESSION ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

Contact number: 408-255-9950 or [kmanning@dsj.org](mailto:kmanning@dsj.org)