

# ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

360 Park Ave., Cayucos, CA, 93430 | Office: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

Mass Times | Sundays at 10 a.m. | Saturdays at 5 p.m. | Weekdays at 9 a.m.

Spanish Mass at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays | Rosary at 8:30 a.m. on weekdays

Adoration on First Fridays after 9 a.m. Mass | Reconciliation on First Saturdays at 4 p.m.

**Father Martel Ramos, Parish Administrator: [Pastor@SaintJosephCayucos.org](mailto:Pastor@SaintJosephCayucos.org)**

**OfficeAdmin@SaintJosephCayucos.org 805-995-3243 [www.stjosephcayucos.org](http://www.stjosephcayucos.org)**

## August 31, 2025

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun.	31	+Mary Fatooh
Mon.	9/1	St. Joseph's Parishioners
Tue.	2	+Nellie Sorrells
Wed.	3	Lily Simolon
Thu.	4	Ken Woodruff
Thu. Sp.	4	Las Benditas Almas del Purgatorio
Fri.	5	+Ski Planansky
Sat.	6	+Richard and Alice Lyons
Sun.	7	Andrew Ansolabehere

### MASS READINGS

#### August 31, 2025

Sirach 3: 17-18, 20, 28-29

Psalm 68: 4-5, 6-7,

10-11 (see 11b)

Hebrews 12: 18-19, 22-24a

**Luke 14: 1, 7-14**

## This Week's Message from Father Martel

### **Dear Parish Community,**

This Sunday, Jesus teaches us the value of humility. He tells us not to look for the places of honor but to take the lower place, because in God's eyes true greatness is found in serving others with love. This lesson is one we can live out daily — in our families, in our parish, and in the way we care for one another.

I want to sincerely thank those who joined our Lectors' Training on Aug. 29. Your dedication to proclaiming God's Word helps us all listen more deeply to the Lord at every Mass. Your service is a real blessing to our parish community.

At the same time, I ask you to keep in prayer our brothers and sisters who are sick, especially Fr. Pedro Espinoza. May the Lord grant them strength, comfort, and healing.

We also carry in prayer the tragic incident that took place recently at Annunciation Catholic School in Minneapolis, Minnesota. It is a reminder of how much our world needs peace, healing, and reconciliation. Let us pray for the victims and their families, and let us also renew our own commitment to making our parish a safe, welcoming, and prayerful place for everyone. As your priest, I also encourage all of us to remain attentive and safe when we gather for Mass or parish activities, always looking out for one another with care and vigilance.

May we continue to pray for world peace, and may our daily lives reflect the peace of Christ. The path of humility and peace always leads us closer to Him.

**With Prayers,  
Fr. Martel Ramos**

## Pray for Father Pedro

**Please keep praying for Father Pedro.**

Send get-well cards to 360 Park Ave.,  
Cayucos, CA, 93430, to be given to him.

## Collections Report

<b>All Collections</b> (Sep. 1 - July 31)	<b>\$177,409</b>
<b>Budgeted</b> (Sep. 1 - July 31)	<b>\$160,733</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>\$16,676</b>

## Labor Day Closures

The St. Joseph's parish office will be closed on **Monday, Sept. 1**, for **Labor Day**. The church will also be closed after Mass that day for floor maintenance.

## Luau Set for October

**Save the date!** The Knights of Columbus are planning a luau event including the roasting of a whole pig on **Sunday, Oct. 19**.

Details and ticket sales to come, but the event will have a potluck component and be similar to the sold-out gathering from two years ago.

## Free Baby Supplies

Free diapers and baby food will be given out at **6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass on Sept. 4**.

## Mass Intentions

To request a Mass intention, please email **OfficeAdmin@SaintJosephCayucos.org**. The suggested donation is \$10 and includes the mailing of a Mass card.

## Reconciliation

**Confessions** will be heard at St. Joseph's Church at **4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 6**.

PLEASE  
PRAY  
FOR THE  
SICK  
AND  
INJURED

Robin Matthews

P. Green

Joanne Tobias

Anne & Glen Bennett

Eleanor Murphy

Vera Palmer

Narisorn Bognuda

Bonnie Bowman

Donna Pett

Paul Georghiou

Mallory Hisler

Darlene Kelly

Frank Hlavaty

Terry Mulhall

Bill Planansky

John Caletti

Stan Piwowarski

Joe & Maria Pascoal

Gary & Bonnie Nelson

David Boggs

George Bellinno

Linda Pearson

Rita Marie Ayooob

Alba and Allen Beltrametti

Innette Starkenburg

L. Iacobellis Schantz

Ernie Gambellin

Cassey Schoening

Butch Rambaud

Elvira Camacho

Linton von Beroldingen

John and Mickey Bruno

Tom and Finn Israel

Father Pedro Espinoza

Joanne Gregg

Bill Wetherford

Bill Thomas

Saichai Smith

Jerri Fife

Judy Preuss

Justin White

Plato Sterios

Olivia Chance

Gary Chance

Heidi MacRae

Gertrude Cannon

Marilyn McCurdy

Eric Solum

Keith Hart

Glen Hodges

John Fabiano