



# SOLANO



May 9 2021 | Sixth Sunday of Easter | Happy Mother's Day!







## Mass Times

/ Monday - Friday

8:30 AM\*\*

/ Saturday

5:00 PM

/ Sunday

8:30 AM\*\*, 10:15 AM,  
12:00 PM, & 5:00 PM

\*\*= Available via live stream  
at [solanocatholic.org](http://solanocatholic.org)



## Walk-Up Communion

/ Sunday

2:00 PM - 2:30 PM

## Confession + Adoration

/ Saturday

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM



## Office Hours

**Parish Office**

/ Monday - Friday

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**YFF Office**

/ Monday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

/ Tuesday

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

/ Wednesday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM



# yff 2021-22 registration now open

AGE 1 THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL

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Our Mass  
times are  
changing!





Dear Solano Family,

I write with great excitement to announce that we are adjusting our Sunday Mass schedule. When I first became your administrator, my vision for this parish focused on "Belong, Believe, Become." To help people feel they belong to this community and to Jesus. To help people believe in Jesus and the Church He instituted. And through this, help people become Christ for others.

I believe making adjustments to the Mass schedule allows us to further this mission and allows us more time to serve you. **Starting Pentecost Sunday (May 23, 2021), we're moving our 10:15 AM Mass to 10:30 AM and 12:00 PM Mass to 12:30 PM. (All other Mass times/services remain the same).**

Changing the two Mass times allows us more time between each Mass to promote community building. Giving this extra time will allow the Solano family to connect, visit, and chat with others outside of Mass. This change helps people feel less like they are being pushed out the door (so that someone else can claim their parking space) and feel more like someone who truly belongs to the community.

When we can once again, you can sit and have a donut and a cup of coffee. You can stop and be present at your church home instead of rushing on to the next event. It would even give the clergy some extra time to stop and chat with you! Eventually, I would love to have brief moments of teaching or formation with this additional time. I dream that we can subsequently add time before and after Mass for more prayer, speakers, or even praise and worship. This would help us be ready for the great prayer of Mass and the reception of the Eucharist. On special days like Pentecost, Palm Sunday, Easter, and others, we would have more time to truly celebrate the Mass in a way that focuses on its solemnity.

These are just a few hopes that I want to bring to our parish and specifically to you. I hope that these changes will bring even greater life to a parish already so alive. I thank you for your continued love and support for this parish family. You belong and know we are doing all we can to serve you and invest in you. God bless you.

Your Pastor,  
Fr. Duy Le





**ALTAR SERVERS** - Our Altar Serving Ministry is back! We're happy to have you serve on the Altar with us! In order to serve, you must be at least 10 years old and have received 1st Holy Communion. Many of our servers continue through high school graduation. You may choose to serve at the Masses you regularly attend! To sign up as a new or returning server, visit [solanocatholic.org/altarservers](http://solanocatholic.org/altarservers).

**SOLANO SOLAR** - We are officially running on solar! Help us to offset the cost of this new project by donating on our website at [solanocatholic.org/psa](http://solanocatholic.org/psa).

Raised: \$189,660 Goal: \$300,000

**VBS TREASURED** - Embark on an epic quest through hidden ruins, ancient caves, and dense jungles. At Treasured VBS, kids dig into action-packed, faith-filled adventures. They'll discover God's greatest treasure isn't diamonds, gems, or gold—it's them! June 21 -25, 2021, Ages 3 - 8th Grade, \$75/CHILD. VBS isn't possible without volunteers! Sign up for the many ways you can serve at [solanocatholic.org/vbs](http://solanocatholic.org/vbs).

**FOOD PANTRY** - Our Food Pantry is seeking volunteers to help distribute food every Saturday morning. For more information, visit [solanocatholic.org/foodbank](http://solanocatholic.org/foodbank).

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, May 8, 5:00 pm**

† Martha Cordova, † Maria Alvarez

**Sunday, May 9, 8:30 am**

† Ann Saba 10:15 am Joan Kiefus

12:00 pm † Sally Cadaret 5:00 pm

† Anna Massa

**Monday, May 10,**

8:30 am † Esteban Cabanos, † Edith Apat

**Tuesday, May 11, 8:30 am**

† Lilia Javier, † Maria Palomer

**Wednesday, May 12, 8:30 am**

† Jacqueline Triana, † Emperatris Buitron

**Thursday, May 13, 8:30 am**

† Patricia Sobczak, † John J Irwin

**Friday, May 14, 8:30 am.**

† Gabby Vasquez. † Romeo Santiago

**Saturday, May 15. 5:00 pm**

Jhoanna & Regie Ponsalan



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"Some old-fashioned things like fresh air and sunshine are hard to beat." - Laura Ingalls Wilder

The winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth; the time of singing has come. - Song of Solomon 2:11-12

### Faith + Family Tips:

+ During the month of May we remember Mary, the Queen of Heaven. The rose, known as the queen of the flowers, is also a symbol of virtue and love. Images of Mary are often surrounded by roses. This month place a statue or picture of Mary in the entry of your home. Invite your children to keep a vase next to her filled with flowers all month long. Let the perfume from the flowers remind you of her loving presence in your home.

+ Lots of women help "mother" our children. Have your children make "mother and other" cards for grandmothers, aunts, godmothers, babysitters, coaches, etc. Extend Mother's Day this year!

+ Capture a few moments to notice God in the beauty of springtime. Watch God paint a sunset, look for different shapes in the clouds, count the colors in a rainbow, watch the wind rustle the trees, splash in puddles, or pull the car over to run across a field together. Challenge your children to find God's fingerprints in nature.



### Mother's Day Morning Breakfast Tacos

#### Recipe:

- Pancakes (make your favorite recipe)
- 1/3 cup cream cheese, softened
- 3 tbsp vanilla yogurt
- 1 small banana, sliced
- 1 cup fresh raspberries
- (works with any fruit or spread)

Other ideas for fillings and toppings: Nutella, chocolate sauce, whipped cream, chocolate chips, blueberries, cinnamon apples, or strawberries.

First, make your favorite pancakes (either from scratch or a box). Then, beat together the cream cheese and yogurt. Spread mixture over pancakes, top with banana and raspberries, and fold up like tacos. Treat your mom with breakfast in bed!



### Family Adventure: Spring Cleaning

It's amazing what spending one hour in a combined effort to pick up and refresh your home can do! We can help teach our children how to simplify their lives by periodically going through toys, clothes, books, etc. This also helps them learn how to pare down and cultivate calm. Visual noise is a real thing! Give each family member a box that they need to fill. Consider donating the items that are in good condition.

### Teaching: Memorial Day

Freedom is an incredible gift that we can never take for granted. Memorial Day gives us the chance to remember all of the people who have sacrificed their lives for us. In the midst of BBQ's and pool parties, let's make a point to pray for all the families who have missing chairs at their tables. Memorial Day is a day off - to remember.

**Prayer:** This month let's pray Mother Mary's prayer together as often as we can! Ask her to bring your family closer to her Son, Jesus. "Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen."

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