

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH



MARCH 13, 2016

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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Mass Schedules and other Services

Sundays	7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. en español <i>Children's and Youth Choirs</i> <i>sing first Sunday of the month.</i>
Saturday	4 p.m. [vigil] & 8 a.m. First Saturday
Weekdays	[Mon—Fri]— 8 a.m. in the Chapel
Holy Hour	First Friday 7—8 p.m.
Holy Days of Obligation	8 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Perpetual Help Novena	Wednesdays following 8 a.m. Mass
Morning Prayer	Mon. -Fri. 7:40a.m.
Confessions [bilingual]	Saturdays 2:45—3:45 pm

Faith Formation Ministries and Groups

Catholic Faith Formation D.R.E.	Sr. Katrina Quidlat	916.381.5200
Catholic Faith Formation	Aracely Narvaez	916.383.6719
Spanish Coordinators	Maria Consuelo Gutierrez	
RCIA for Adults	Phil De Leon	916.607.1645
RCIA for Children	Emilia Caoagas	916.849.5617
RCIA for Teens	Imelda Nanca	916.412-1904
Catholics Returning Home	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Baptism Preparation	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Couples for Christ	Billy/Virgie Monteagudo	916.682.6397
Young Adults Ministry	Kay NaRanong	916.425.4661
Legion of Mary	Paz Cajucom	916.682.8437
Vocation Committee	Frances Gomes	916.421.0300
Families in Christ Jesus	Imelda Nanca	916.714.0547

Social Ministries and Groups

Christmas Fair	Call the office	916.381.5200
Fall Festival	Heimericks/Cervantes	926.689.3932
Cultural Dinner	Guily & Naty Fontillas	916.362.7541
Parish Breakfasts	Knights of Columbus	916.381.5200
Religious Goods Store	Irene Ingham	916.689.2865
Yard Sale	Call the office	916.381.5200
Wedding Coordinator		

WELCOME!

You are encouraged to participate in our many functions, events, and activities. We offer opportunities for parishioners to use the time, talent, and treasure that God has given them in praise and glory of His name through our liturgical, care-giving, philanthropic, faith-formation and social ministries.

Councils

Pastoral Council	Paul Pham	916.381.5200
Finance Council	Jerry Fong	916.689-9418

Liturgical Ministries

Sacristan	Bob Benton	916.381.5200
Youth Altar Servers Ministry	Alex Plam	916.381.5200
Adult Altar Servers Ministry		
Martha's Daughters	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Art & Environment Ministry		
Eucharistic Ministry		
Hospitality Ministry	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Ministry of the Word	Shirley Brown	916.612.7023
Ministry Sick and Homebound		916.381.5200
Music Ministry	Erica NaRanong	916.667.8088

Caregiving Ministries and Groups

Bereavement Ministry		
Health Ministry	Clara Heimericks	916.689.3932
Loaves and Fishes Ministry	Diane Welsh	916.682.7810
Social Justice Ministry	Lorraine Latreille	916.363 0365
Pro Life 4 Life	Charlene Valine	916.682-0557

Philanthropic Ministries and Groups

Catholic Daughters of the Americas	Nellie Basquez	916. 381.1365
Knights of Columbus	David Santos	916.936.3810

MISSION STATEMENT

We, God's people of St. Paul Catholic Parish In Sacramento, California, a multicultural, inclusive and welcoming community, inspired by the love of Jesus Christ are called: to bring all people of God together in worship, to declare our belief in God's love, based on the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to celebrate and grow in our relationship with God.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MON: 3/14	DAN & JULIA OSUNA † Requested by Dan & Ofelia Wayne
	EDUARDO A. ALBA † Requested by Maria Luisa Isaac
TUES: 3/15	JOSE ABELLON † Requested by Glenn & Teresa Carrasca
WED: 3/16	ADELA RABADAM † Requested by Glenn & Teresa Carrasca
THURS: 3/17	BEN RABADAM † Requested by Glenn & Teresa Carrasca
FRI: 3/18	SOULS IN PURGATORY† Requested by Dan & Ofelia Wayne

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD does something new for the chosen people (Isaiah 43:16-21) *or* Ezekiel 37:12-14.

Psalm — The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy (Psalm 126) *or* Psalm 130.

Second Reading — The supreme good is knowing Jesus as Lord (Philippians 3:8-14) *or* Romans 8:8-11.

Gospel — A woman caught in the act of adultery is brought to Jesus. He challenges anyone without sin to throw the first stone (John 8:1-11) *or* John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45].

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:12-20 (or Jn 8:1-11 if Year A readings were used on Sunday)
Tuesday:	Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday:	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42
Thursday:	Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59
Friday:	Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42
Saturday:	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Sunday:	Lk 19:28-40 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14 — 23:56 [23:1-49]

REMEMBER!

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday!
Mass will begin 10 minutes earlier

March 13, 2016

Fifth Sunday of Lent

*I consider everything as a loss because of the supreme good of
know Christ Jesus my Lord.
- Philippians 3:8*

HOLY WEEK MASSES

HOLY WEEK—2016

MON: 3/21/16 Mass at 8:00 a.m.

TUES: 3/22/16 Mass at 8:00 a.m.

WED: 3/23/16 Mass at 8:00 a.m.

HOLY THURSDAY 3/24/16

Mass of Our Lord's Supper

7:00 p.m. Bilingual

GOOD FRIDAY 3/25/16

11:00am Video "Passion of Christ"—

1:00pm p.m.— *Celebration of the Lord's Passion*

2:30 p.m.— *Stations of the Cross— (outside church)*

Private Reflection

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

5:00 p.m. Spanish 7:00 p.m. English

HOLY SATURDAY 3/26/16

EASTER VIGIL MASS - 8:00 p.m.

Bi-lingual

EASTER SUNDAY 3/27/16

Masses 7:30a.m. 9:00a.m. 11:00a.m.

1:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

THE GREAT VIGIL

HOLY THURSDAY Ministries for the Great Vigil

(30 minute intervals)- PARISH HALL

9:00-9:30pm	Eucharistic Ministers/ Altar Servers/ Multi-Cultural Ministry
9:30-10:00pm	Word Ministers / CFF & RCIA / Sick & Homebound Ministers/ Unitas
10:00-10:30pm	Hospitality Ministers / Martha's Daughters
10:30-11:00pm	Music Ministers / Legion of Mary / Catholics Returning Home / Finance Council / St. Joseph Ministry
11:00-11:30pm	Daughters of the Americas / Families in Christ Jesus / Vocation Committee / Liturgy Committee / Pro Life Ministry
11:30-12:00am	Knights of Columbus / Couples for Christ / Youth & Young Adult Ministers / Social Justice
12:00 Midnight	Benediction

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The meeting was opened by Paul Pham. Minutes were approved after corrections were made.

Old Business:

The Diocesan One Campaign & St. Paul Campaign held their first meeting. The Advanced Gifts chairpersons have been selected. Kick off will be April 3, beginning with a dinner. Details to follow.

Liturgy Committee approved purchasing 500 small binders to hold the "Order of the Mass" cards and hymns.

New Business:

Research continues to find a low cost option for seasonal hymns. A license is necessary for copying music.

Lenten Program is planned on Palm Sunday, March 27, to be led by Michael Poirier.

There are been several cars broken into during Mass. Announcements will be made to be more careful what you leave valuables visible in your vehicle. Place them in the trunk.

The door monitoring system in the Religious Goods Store has been repaired.

The Wi-Fi Fiber Optics network installation in the church is completed. All that remains is the installation of Access points needed to connect the network to the remote thermostats. Estimated completion is Easter weekend.

Dale Yamamoto presented a strategy and plan to implement Young Adults Ministry, stressing the importance of this ministry.

The Gente Puente is planning several raffles to raise funds for the Spanish Outreach Program. Due to ongoing campaigns this will take place in July.

Members of the Finance Council will make presentations at Mass for the Annual Catholic Appeal, February 20/21.

The Diocese announced a 24 Hours for the Lord Services Friday, March 4 to noon Saturday March in selected parishes. Confessions will be heard during this 24 hour service.

Bible classes will begin again after Easter.

COLLECTION

	4:00pm	7:30am	9:00am	11:00am	1:00pm	TOTAL
January						
24	\$1078.00	\$676.00	\$1243.00	\$1182.00	\$840.50	\$5019.50
31	\$1410.00	\$842.00	\$1642.00	\$1387.00	\$653.80	\$5934.80
February						
7	\$1645.00	\$1211.00	\$2160.00	\$1550.00	\$638.20	\$7204.20
10	Ash Wednesday					\$2929.23
14	\$1394.00	\$821.00	\$1507.00	\$1434.00	\$762.92	\$5918.92
21	\$1465.00	\$1039.00	\$1613.00	\$798.00	\$648.18	\$5563.18
28	\$1098.00	\$677.00	\$1357.00	\$1187.00	\$817.32	\$5136.62

JANUARY PROFIT & LOSS

INCOME	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Difference
Offertory	\$ 33,489.94	\$34,657.00	\$(1,167.06)
Other income	\$ 7,747.05	\$11,052.00	\$(3,304.95)
Religious Art. & Books	\$ 945.58	\$ 746.00	\$ 199.58
Religious Education	\$ 190.00	\$ 6,100.00	\$ (5,910.00)
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 42,372.57	\$ 52,555.00	\$ (10,182.43)
EXPENSES			
Salaries & benefits	\$ 17,719.72	\$ 17,684.46	\$ 35.26
Buildings & Grounds	\$ 8,030.91	\$ 11,676.90	\$ (3,645.99)
Religious Art. & Books	\$ 1,455.26	\$ 372.00	\$ 1,083.26
Property Tax & Ins,	\$ 2,520.00	\$ 2,520.00	\$
Parish Programs	\$ 2,251.39	\$ 5,456.00	\$ (3,204.61)
Religious Education	\$	\$ 5,600.00	\$ 5,600.00)
Diocesan Assessment	\$ 4,560.00	\$ 4,533.00	\$ 27.00
TOTAL ORD. EXP.	\$ 36,537.28	\$ 47,842.36	\$ (11,305.08)
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ 5,835.29	\$ 4,712.64	\$ 1,122.65
OTHER INCOME			
Interest	\$.88	\$	\$.88
Capital Campaign & Bldg Fund	\$ 6,432.02	\$ 6,352.00	\$ 80.02
TOTAL OTHER INCOME	\$ 6,432.90	\$ 6,352.00	\$ 80.90
OTHER EXPENSES			
Interest	\$		
Diocesan Sp. Coll.	\$		
Cap Fund Dr.	\$ 4,455.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ (3,545.00)
Youth Group	\$	\$ 1,834.00	\$ (1,834.00)
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES	\$ 4,455.00	\$ 9,834.00	\$ (5,379.00)
NET OTHER INCOME	\$ 1,977.90	\$ (3,482.00)	\$ 5,459.90
NET INCOME	\$ 7,813.19	\$ 1,230.64	\$ 6,582.55

Difference = actual budget.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

March 19/20 Catholic Relief Services

This collection makes possible the Catholic Church's global mission to fight poverty, provide relief and development, assist refugees and immigrants, and advocate for justice and peace in situations of conflict and neglect of human rights. A portion of this collection is allocated to the Catholic Church in Central and Eastern Europe.

March 25—Good Friday—Holy Land

This national collection, taken on Good Friday, provides for the sacred places, and the educational and charitable institutions in the Holy Land, and educates for the Missions of the Custody of the Holy Land in Syria, Jordan, Lebanon, Cyprus, Rhodes, Israel & Egypt.

April 2/3 St. Paul Building Fund & Capital Campaign

To help provide funds to repay the funds borrowed from the Diocese to build the Religious Education Center. Parishioners who have pledged to the Capital Campaign may use the pink envelopes to make their pledge payments

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Come to our Meeting

Everyone is welcome to come to the parish's Social Justice Ministry meetings. The next one will be on Monday, March 14th at 1:00pm in Room #1 of the Religious Education Center. We will be discussing when and where to give the homeless the toilet paper that the parishioners have so kindly donated. We will also be discussing the upcoming "Mother Mary's Baby Shower." We will decide where the donated baby items should go this year. To a maternity home? To the Life Center? To Maryhouse? Are there parishioners in our parish in need of the items?

For information contact Lorraine 363-0365 ltray@att.net

Religions Against Torture

In January this year the National Religious Campaign Against Torture marked its 10th anniversary. Those involved in the NRCAT are the committed voice of the faith communities to end the practice of torture. This is a moral issue, as well as a religious issue. It must end! For more information go to www.NRCAT.org.

Words of Pope Francis

On February 23, during his Angelus Prayer, Pope Francis prayed: "The special Jubilee of Mercy is a propitious occasion to promote, throughout the world, even more mature forms of respect for life and the dignity of every person." In this year of Mercy let us consider how we, as Catholics, view abortion, torture, and the death penalty. Note the words used by Pope Francis: "respect for life," and (respect) "The dignity of every person."

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Donuts and Coffee

The Knights will be serving coffee and donuts all the Sundays in March, with all the proceeds going to support the youth of our parish.

Join the Knights of Columbus

If you would like to find out more about becoming a Knight please ask any Knight, they should all be wearing their name badges, or call Roger Tafoya at (916) 936-3810.

GUM IN CHURCH

Have you noticed that a number of black marks are appearing on the floor of the Church? These black marks are gum that has been dropped on the floor. To save our carpet, and to help keep the floor clean we ask that no gum be chewed in church. There are receptacles at all the entrances to the church—we ask that you dispose of the gum before entering the Church. Thank you!

DIocese of SACRAMENTO

You are invited to join Bishop Soto and Bishop Cotta, the priests of the diocese, and your Catholic brothers and sisters for the CHRISM MASS at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament on March 17 at 6:00pm.

GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

Encounter Christ in Song and Silence.

Good Shepherd Catholic Church invites you to an evening of meditative and contemplative candlelight service, using the music of Taize, at 7:00 to 8:00pm on Wednesday March 16.

PALM SUNDAY CONCERT

We invite you to an evening with a renowned singer, songwriter and story teller, Michael John Poirier on Sunday, March 20th at 7:00pm for an evening of music, prayer and stories. Michael and his family have toured almost all 50 states. This is a great way to begin your Holy Week with a truly wonderful evening. Questions? Call Jackie at 914-9936.

SICK PARISHIONERS & FRIENDS

Pray for sick family members, friends and parishioners.

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| Priscilla Wong | Rita Chicca | Johnathan Robinson |
| Victoria Vasilescu | Wendy Patnode | James Solari |
| John Jastraub | Monica Cordero | Elizabeth Solari |
| Shirley Robinson | Rodrigo Reyes | Bill Schlim |
| Lorraine Schaefer | Virginia Collier | Maria Lopez |
| Jessica Lintag | Bill & Jean Hesse | Raymond Gutierrez |
| John Rideaux | Daniel Labrado | Nilda Medina |
| Sandy Burgoon | Ellen Yee | Michael Judd |
| Iris Sims | Elio Chicca | Doreathea Viltz |
| Gertie Davis | Gregory Judd | Virginia Thomas |
| Teresa Ziegler | Sam Butler | Dorothy Butler |
| Terry Sanchez | Rose Malone Grey | Audrey Falls |
| Luc Kimia | Brian Steele | Bernadette Carrasca |
| Mauricio Vargas | Michael Delgado | Ashley Brackin |
| Jack Steele | Jackie Martin | Gary B. Foster I |
| Frank Farrell | Martha Montanez | Noah de los Reyes |
| Rodulfo Reyes | Ricardo Campos | Randolph Rideaux |

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please pray for the following members of our families serving in the Armed Forces

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| Gary B. Foster II | Ricardo G. | Don Carlo Geroche |
| Jay Candaso | Cervantes | John Marc James |
| Norbert Mendiola Jr. | Stephen Rich | Ruben N. Libed |
| Jeffrey Yazel | Janae Santos | Nilo Uy Villaluna Jr. |
| Daniel Roy Ryan | Brian Vergith | Don Jamoles |
| Robert Brich II | Martin Sinlao | Ryan Gandy |
| Gregorio Rodriguez | Sergio Pineda | Cody Machado |
| Roel C.. Dones | Ariel Rollins | Mark A. Ramos Jr. |

PARKING LOT SAFETY

Please be aware that we have experienced several car break-ins during Mass. No particular Mass has experienced the most thefts, however the early morning Masses seem to be when the majority of break ins are occurring. Please do not leave anything valuable on the seats of your car, that is visible through the windows. Place items of value in the trunk of your vehicle. Thank you!

HEALTH MINISTRY

Free Blood Pressure Screening

Sunday, March 6, 2016 8:30am-12:30pm in the parish hall. Come to this free clinic and let our parish nurses help you monitor and control your blood pressure. These screenings are presented to increase awareness and knowledge of prevention, detection and management of high blood pressure, known as "the silent killer" as it is possible to exist without any symptoms—and can cause serious problems and even death.

What is high blood pressure ?

High blood pressure is a common condition and is determined by the amount of blood your heart pumps and the amount of resistance to blood flow in your arteries. The more blood your heart pumps and the narrower your arteries, the higher your blood pressure. You can have high blood pressure for years without any symptoms. Uncontrolled this increases your risk of serious health problems, including heart attack and stroke.. Fortunately, high blood pressure can be easily detected. And once you are aware of it you can work with your doctor to control it.

If you are a R.N. or L.V.N. and can give an hour a month to help us provide this service please call Clara at (916)689-3932.

The Health Ministry invites parishioners with medical/clinical training to help perform blood pressure screening at our monthly clinics. You need not commit to full membership in the Health Ministry, but your help would be appreciated if you are experienced in this field. Recent clinics have resulted in long waiting lines and your help would be appreciated.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Ladies you are needed to be of service to God through service to the people around you. Did you know that the needs of others in family, parish, community, diocese and the world are met when you belong to the Catholic Daughters of the Americas. Your spiritual life is enhanced through the various spiritual and charitable activities of CDA. Please think of joining our court at St. Paul church. For more information contact Nellie Basquez at (916) 381-1365.

Thank you for your support of our Tamale Fundraiser.

NOTE:

April 2, 2016—Salad Luncheon/Fashion Show

More information to follow. Our fundraisers support our charities

ST ROBERT—ST. PATRICK DINNER

St. Robert School is sponsoring a St Patrick's Day dinner in the Gym (2251 Irvin Way) on Thursday, March 17th at 6PM. The menu will consist of corned beef and cabbage for \$10/plate, spaghetti for \$7/plate and children's plate for \$5. Included will be a talent show with school children participating. All are welcome. Proceeds will benefit the school. For reservations or more information, please contact Mr. Baker at abaker@strobertschool.org or the school office at 452-2111.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Recent Bereavement

Please keep the families and friends in your prayers for St. Paul Parishioners whose funerals, or Memorial Masses were celebrated during the past few weeks, Jose Guerra, Antoine Hurst , Rose Gray, Aida Azcarate , Dolores Bribescas, Rosie Alagadan, Vicente Ishizaki, Gabriel Inuman, Jessie Fernandez, Adela Rabadam Joe Ramirez Nico Abelia ,Robert Bamford, Bob Brich Regina Linster. Edward Boyle, Carlo Espinosa, Joey Sacerio Scimeni, Aimee Nicandro, Mercedes Tejo and Lily Tamaki.

May they rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon them. For more information please call the rectory 381-5200.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Three years ago, as we made the shift in the Eucharistic Prayer from "Benedict" to "Francis," we named a "treasure" in our tradition. From apostolic times, the Church has sent disciples on mission with a mandate to proclaim the gospel. Paul and Barnabas and Timothy, as men invested with responsibility for community and mission. First we see bishops, "overseers," good men appointed by the acclaim of their people, the center of leadership, of prayer, of word and sacrament. Their territories were small initially, small enough to get everyone into one room and for the bishop to know everyone's name.

In time, men were appointed to function as a council of advisers, "elders.". That isn't a comment on chronological age, rather it indicates the maturity of their wisdom and faith. Before long, and only when the bishop was absent, some of these men "stood in" for him to do what bishops usually did: preaching, presiding at Eucharist. The deacons had a strong and visible role in liturgy and service, especially in the care of the poor, but were gradually overshadowed by the new importance of the presbyter. As the Roman Empire first tottered and then collapsed completely by 476, bishops increasingly became civil servants to maintain order and dispense justice. Conferences and duties summoned bishops away from their home posts, and presbyters were entrusted with the sacramental and preaching duties, even though at one time runners were sent out from the bishop's Mass to bring fragments of the host to drop into chalices as a sign of the church's unity around its bishop.

YOUTH MISSIONARY NEWS

SPYM Lenten Reach Out....."Visit Care Home"

Date: March 19:

Time: 5:00pm

Where: 9260 Loma Ln. Orangevale CA 95622

Want to join SPYM?

For more information contact:

Cyrille Kaiklian 916.753.2302 email Cyrille89@gmail.com

Angie Lovett 916.803.6463 email angielovett@gmail.com

Sr. Ma.Katrina Quidlat, RVM

916.381.5200 email saintpauldre@comcast.net

Or visit: <http://st.paul-florin.org/youth-ministry>

<https://www.facebook.com/events1543001669170057>

QUINTO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

13 de marzo de 2016

REGLONES RECTOS

“Dios escribe derecho en renglones torcidos”, dice el refrán. El testimonio contundente de san Pablo, cuando nos dice que todo es basura fuera del conocer a Cristo y experimentar la fuerza de su Resurrección, es un mensaje bien directo y claro –aunque Dios sabe que Pablo anduvo por una senda bien torcida antes de recibir la luz cegadora del Señor.

Isaías nos recuerda que los grandes milagros del pasado no son nada en comparación con la nueva creación que Dios va a realizar. “¿No lo notan?” nos pregunta el profeta, como si todavía anduviéramos perdidos por nuestras sendas torcidas.

Y no hay renglón más derecho que la línea que conecta la intensa miseria de una mujer pecadora con la misericordia de Dios que se muestra en la persona de Jesús. ¡Eso sí que son Buenas Nuevas!”

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera Lectura — El Señor hace algo nuevo para que el pueblo escogido (Isaías 43:16-21) o *Ezequiel 37:12-14*.

Salmo — Grandes cosas has hecho por nosotros, Señor (Salmo 126 [125]) o *Salmo 130(129)*.

Segunda Lectura — El bien supremo es conocer a Jesús como Señor (Filipenses 3:8-14) o *Romanos 8:8-11*.

Evangelio — Sorprenden a una mujer en el acto de adulterio. Que el que no tenga pecado tire la primera piedra (Juan 8:1-11) o *Juan 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]*.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Jn 8:12-20 (o Jn 8:1-11 si es que se usaron las lecturas del Año A el domingo)

Martes: Nm 21:4-9; Sal 102 (101):2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Miércoles: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Jueves: Gn 17:3-9; Sal 105 (104):4-9; Jn 8:51-59

Viernes: Jer 20:10-13; Sal 18 (17):2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Sábado: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Sal 89 (88):2-5, 27, 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a o Lc 2:41-51a

Domingo: Lc 19:28-40 (procesión); Is 50:4-7; Sal 22 (23):8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Fil 2:6-11; Lc 22:14 — 23:56 [23:1-49]

¡RECUERDEN!

El próximo domingo es Domingo de Ramos! Misas comenzarán 10 minutos antes.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Artesanos preparan alfombras de flores y plumas de quetzal en Guatemala para las fiestas de esta semana santa. Grupos de fieles practican su papel de personaje judío o romano para los vía crucis en México, Texas, Chicago y tantos lugares más. Fraternidades penitenciales están preparándose espiritualmente para cargar con imágenes sagradas y pesadas por calles españolas. Muchos más están preparando sus maletas para irse a la playa o las montañas donde, probablemente, nunca recordarían el nombre de Jesús.

Estos últimos se perderán las liturgias más significativas de nuestra fe cristiana; ritos llenos de movimiento desde afuera de la Iglesia hasta adentro. Están llenos de símbolos que nos llaman a la verdad de la existencia cristiana y humana: somos personas paradójicas. Comenzamos entre los hosannas del Domingo de Ramos, pasamos por las dolorosas imágenes del Viernes Santo y terminamos entre juegos de oscuridad, fuego y agua en la Vigilia Pascual. Muchas veces honramos al Señor y tantas veces lo negamos, pero él nunca deja de llamarnos. En fin nos recuerda que la condición humana es sagrada y profana a la vez.

LA MISERICORDIA

La Sagrada Escritura es el reflejo de cómo la misericordia se manifiesta como algo concreto. Antes de ser una dimensión afectiva, las páginas de la Biblia evidencian lo concreto de la misericordia en su expresión tangible y visible. Por ello, con justa razón el Papa Francisco escribe en *Misericordiae Vultus* que:

La Misericordia de Dios no es una idea abstracta, sino una realidad concreta con la cual Él revela su amor, que es como el de un padre o una madre que se conmueven en lo más profundo de sus entrañas por el propio hijo.

El “gran río de la misericordia” no se agota nunca porque encuentra siempre personas que dan un testimonio concreto de ella en la vida cotidiana. Es un espectáculo increíble al que asistimos sobre todo en los momentos de grandes dificultades sociales y económicas y por las consecuencias de las calamidades naturales: una maratón de solidaridad que va más allá de la lengua, la raza, la religión y el país que pertenece. Se descubre que existe un sentimiento que une a hombres y mujeres sencillamente porque todos pertenecen a la misma humanidad. Las obras de Misericordia corporales y espirituales se insertan en el interior de este proceso de solidaridad humana es “lo han hecho conmigo” lo he vivido. Por lo tanto yo lo hago por ti y por aquellos que me necesitan.



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Quiere unirse a nuestros diferentes ministerios, por que "Nuestro bautismo nos llama a compartir la misión de Cristo". Si esta interesado favor de llamar a cualquier persona de los teléfonos de arriba de esta pagina.

MATRIMONIOS Y QUINCEAÑERAS

Para mas información sobre estos eventos por favor comuníquese con el Diacono Antonio Ramírez al 381-5200.

BAUTISMOS

Queremos recordarles que no hay celebración de Bautismos durante la Cuaresma ni clases Pre bautismales, hasta el día 19 de Marzo para Bautizar el día 2 de Abril. Recuerden que tienen que registrarse en la oficina de la parroquia antes de asistir a las clases pre-bautismales.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

Marzo 19/20 — Servicios Católicos de Socorro

Esta colecta hace posible la misión global de las Iglesias Católicas para combatir la pobreza, proporcionar alivio y desarrollo, ayudar a los refugiados y los inmigrantes, y abogar por la justicia y la paz en situaciones de conflicto y el abandono de los derechos humanos. Una parte de esta colecta se asigna a la Iglesia Católica en Europa central y oriental también.

Marzo 25— Viernes Santo-Tierra Santa

Esta colecta nacional, tomada en el Viernes Santo, prevé los lugares sagrados, y las instituciones educativas y de caridad en la Tierra Santa, y educa a las Misiones de la Custodia de Tierra Santa en Siria, Jordania, Líbano, Chipre, Rodas, Israel y Egipto.

Abril 2/3 .—. Fondos de St. Paul y Campaña de Capital para ayudar a proporcionar fondos para pagar la deuda a la Diócesis de la construcción del Centro de Educación Religiosa. Los feligreses que ayudan pueden utilizar los sobres de color rosa para hacer sus pagos. Gracias.

DIÓCESIS DE SACRAMENTO

Usted está invitado a participar con Obispo Soto, Obispo Cotta y los sacerdotes de la diócesis, a la celebración de Misa CRISMAL donde los aceites son bendecidos y esto es en la Catedral del Santísimo Sacramento el día 17 de marzo a las 6.00 p.m..

SEMANA SANTA EVENTOS

SEMANA SANTA— Marzo 20-27, 2016

DOMINGO DE RAMOS 3/20/16

Misas 7:30 empieza afuera del atrio para la bendición de la palmas, 9:00, 11:00 y 1:00 Empezarán en el Hall para la bendición y luego iremos en procesión a la Iglesia.

Lunes: 03/21/16 misa a las 08 a.m. Ingles

Martes: 03/22/16 misa a las 08 a.m. Ingles

Miércoles: 03/23/16 misa a las 08 a.m. Ingles

JUEVES SANTO 3/24/16

Misa de la Cena de Nuestro Señor a las 7:00 p.m. Bilingüe

VIERNES 03/25/16

12:00 Medio día se da comienzo de la celebración en Ingles

12:45 p.m.- Celebración de la Pasión del Señor

2:30-Estaciones de la cruz (afuera de la iglesia)

Después de las Estaciones, Reflexión privada

Celebración de la Pasión del Señor

Español a las 5:00 p.m. y en Inglés 7:00 p.m.

SÁBADO SANTO 03/26/16

Vigilia Pascual, Misa a las 8:00 p.m. Bilingüe

DOMINGO DE PASCUA 03/27/16

Misas 7:30 a.m. 09 a.m. 11 a.m. 1:00 p.m. Misa en español

LA GRAN VIGILIA DEL JUEVES SANTO

Orden de los Ministerios que van apoyar en la Oración durante la Gran Vigilia del Jueves Santo:
(intervalos de 30 minutos) - Salón Parroquial

9:00-9:30 pm servidores de Ministros de la Eucaristía, Altar y Ministerio Multi-Cultural

9:30-10:00 Servidores de Ministros de la Palabra, Catequistas CFF y de RICA, Ministros de Enfermos & Homebound y Unitas

10:00-10:30 pm Servidores de Ministros de Hospitalidad y hijas de Martha

10:30-11:00 Servidores Ministros de Música, Legión de María, católicos El regreso a casa, Consejo de Finanzas y Ministerio San José

11:00-11:30 pm Hijas de América, Familias en Cristo, Comité de Liturgia, Jesús Comité de Vocaciones, Pro Ministerio de Vida

11:30-12:00 Caballeros de Colón, Parejas para Cristo, jóvenes y jóvenes adultos Ministros y Justicia social

12:00 La Bendición.