



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

10 MARCH 2024

MARCH 2024 POPE'S INTENTION: FOR THE NEW MARTYRS

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

“Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

“Te recuerdo, Señor, es mi alegría.”

Ps 137: 6



VISION-MISSION STATEMENT

We are an **all-welcoming Christ-centered** community celebrating our deeply rooted **Catholic traditions**, respectful & appreciative of our **multicultural diversity**, journeying together to share **family values** and **commitment to service**.

DECLARACIÓN DE NUESTRA VISION y MISION

Somos una comunidad **totalmente acogedora y centrada en Cristo** que celebrando nuestras **tradiciones Católicas** profundamente arraigadas, respetamos y apreciamos **nuestra diversidad multicultural**, caminamos juntos para compartir los **valores de la familia y el compromiso al servicio**.

PRAYER OF SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON

O Father, the first rule of our dear Savior's life was to do Your Will. Let His Will of the present moment be the first rule of our daily life & work, with no other desire but for its most full and complete accomplishment. Help us to follow it faithfully, so that doing what You wish we will be pleasing to You. Amen.

ORACIÓN DE SANTA ELIZABETH ANN SETON

Oh Padre, la primera regla de la vida de nuestro querido Salvador fue hacer tu voluntad. Dejar que tu Voluntad en el momento presente sea la primera regla de nuestra vida cotidiana y nuestro trabajo, sin ninguna otra voluntad sino hacer tu voluntad plena y completa. Ayúdanos a seguir con fidelidad, para que haciendo lo que deseas seamos más agradables a Ti. Amén.

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (ENGLISH)
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (ENGLISH)
11:30 a.m. (SPANISH)

Weekday Masses / La Misa Enteré Semana

9:00 a.m. Monday through Friday (ENGLISH)
7:00 p.m. Miércoles (ESPAÑOL)
9:00 a.m. 1st Saturday Mass (ENGLISH)

Adoration/Adoración (See pg 8. Adoration Chapel Hours)

9:45 a.m. Wednesday (ENGLISH)
Divine Mercy, Adoration, Benediction
6:00 p.m. Miércoles (ESPAÑOL) y
La Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Reconciliación

Tuesdays, from 2-3 pm, by appointment. Walk-ins are welcome but will be received after the last person on appointment./ Los Martes solo con cita previa

Anointing of the Sick / Unción de los Enfermos

9:00 a.m. (ENGLISH) First Friday/
7:30 p.m. (ESPAÑOL) Primer Viernes

**Parish Services
see page 2**

Bulletins online at seasparishlo.org

Mass Intentions online at seasparishlo.org

Secure online donations or financial transactions for the parish, use our QR code or seasparishlo.org



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ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

MASSES, ADORATION	See pages 1, 9, and 19
CONFESSION	Tuesdays, from 2-3 pm, by appointment. Walk-ins are welcome but will be received after the last person on appointment. Please call parish office cell phone or email.
INFANT BAPTISM (newborn to 6 y/o)	Appt. with pastor 3 months before intended date. Emergency baptism (for recipient in danger of death: parent/s call pastor asap [805] 235-8803).
7 y/o & above, ADULT BAPTISM, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION	Email Heather or call office cell 1(805)235-8803
KIDS' FIRST HOLY COMMUNION	Catechism 2023-2024 REGISTRATION CLOSED Permission needed for sign-up, late fees apply Questions, please contact Heather.
TEENS' CONFIRMATION	Catechism 2023-2024 REGISTRATION CLOSED Permission needed for sign-up, late fees apply Questions, please contact Heather.
QUINCEAÑERA	6 months before, call parish office 1 (805) 235-8803, to set appointment for interview & requirements: attend Monterey Diocese Quinceañera Class; at least enrolled in our Confirmation Program.
PRESENTACIÓN	Contact 1(805) 235-8803
WEDDING	Set an appointment with pastor 6 months before intended date.
ANNULMENT	Call parish for appointment with pastor.
ANOINTING OF THE SICK	Contact 1(805) 235-8803. First Fridays after English & Spanish Masses
LAST RITES	24/7 Contact asap 1(805) 235-8803.
FUNERAL	Contact 1(805) 235-8803.
BLESSING of NEW VEHICLE, RELIGIOUS ITEMS	Contact 1(805) 235-8803.
BLESSING of NEW HOUSE, NEW SHOP	Contact 1(805) 235-8803.
VISIT CHURCH for PERSONAL PRAYER & ADORATION	New Adoration Chapel now open for morning & afternoon for personal quiet prayer & adoration. Read schedule page 9
SPIRITUAL COUNSELING	Contact 1(805) 235-8803.
MINOR EXORCISM (Deliverance Prayer) NOT solemn exorcism	Contact 1(805) 235-8803.

10 MARCH—CONFIRMATION MASS, 1:30PM

NO 11:30am Spanish Mass on Sun, March 10th (Notice 7)
Instead we will have
1:30pm on March 10 Bilingual Spanish-English Mass with
Bishop Danny as presider for Confirmation Mass

10 MARCH—PARISH POTLUCK 2:30PM AFTER CONFIRMATION MASS WITH BISHOP DANNY

Everyone is invited to the Confirmation Mass and potluck reception that follows on the back patio and in the community room of our parish. Food may be brought to the Community Room before the Mass. Thanks!

11 MARCH—LENTEN NIGHT OF REFLECTION AND CONFESSIONS

6:00pm Lenten Reflection Talk
7:00pm Confessions with 3 priests
(English, Spanish, Tagalog available)

15 MARCH—STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday Bilingual Lenten Stations of the Cross 5:30pm
To be followed by "Fish and Chips sale."

15 MARCH—FISH & CHIPS SALE

Our parish is offering fish & chips every Friday evening this Lent after Stations of the Cross with seating in the community room. See Javier for more information.

17 MARCH—ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE

Food to share is needed for the St. Joseph's Table which raises funds for those in need within our community. Please sign-up for food at the back tables. Thanks!
(St. Patrick will be honored by the green that day!)

31 MARCH— EASTER SUNDAY MASSES & PARISH KERMES (FOOD SALES)

31 March, 9:00am—Easter Mass, **bilingual**
10:00am—Easter Egg Hunt for the children,
Kermes Begins (TARPS OFF fundraiser)
NO 11:30AM Spanish Mass (Notice 4)

PRAYER OF POPE FRANCIS TO MARY, HEALTH OF THE SICK

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick.
At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain with steadfast faith.
You, Salvation of all, know what we need.
We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us:
He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.
We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Light of the World

Lord God,
when we were unfaithful,
you remembered us.
Your love is so great
that you sent your Son
to be the Light of the World.

May I keep my eyes fixed upon your light,
and never surrender to the dark,
O Christ.
Who lives and reigns with you,
in the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sunday, March 10, 2024

Light of Hope in the Darkness



Today's readings: 2 Chronicles 36:14–16, 19–23; Psalm 137:1–2, 3, 4–5, 6; Ephesians 2:4–10; John 3:14–21. Hope and joy are recurring themes in the readings and prayers on the Fourth Sunday of Lent. Midway through Lent, just as we begin to weary in our resolve, the readings remind us of God's love and the eternal life that awaits, and the prayers relate the Christian response of joy. The entrance antiphon begins, "Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her," recalling for us that Lent is also a season for joy.

The liturgical color varies from the season's violet to rose today to visually encourage us. This day points to the

reconciliation that is ours because of Christ's death and resurrection. And we have merited none of this. Only by the mercy of God do we live in Christ. As the reading from Ephesians states, "It is the gift of God; it is not from works so no one may boast."

Some accept the gift of faith, but as the Gospel states, "The light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light." At baptism, we received the light of Christ and, with that light, join Christ in dispelling darkness. This week, be aware that you carry the light of Christ within you and can bring others to it.



THIS WEEK AT HOME

Monday, March 11 Blind Faith

John tells the story of a man pleading for Jesus to cure his dying child. The miracle of the cure convinced this man and the others present that Jesus was the Messiah. But what about those of us who have never witnessed such a miracle? Take some time to journal about your faith in Jesus. On what do you base your belief? How much do you trust in the Lord? *Today's readings: Isaiah 65:17-21 Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; John 4:43-54.*

Tuesday, March 12 Journeying Together

Asking for or accepting help shows courage because it implies that we are not self-sufficient. Recognizing our dependence on God and one another is a virtue. Being in relationship with others requires listening. Today, await the answer when asking someone how he or she is doing. Then really listen. Similarly, make sure that you leave space and time in your prayer for God's voice to bubble up inside of you. *Today's readings: Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; John 5:1-16.*

Wednesday, March 13 Blind Faith

While the Lord is a just judge, people are not always so fair or righteous. Are you your worst critic? The idea of self-compassion might seem hedonistic or selfish, yet it can be hard to give what we do not possess. If we desire to extend God's kindness to others, we need to express compassion toward ourselves. Examine how well you practice patience and mercy toward others. To improve, begin with yourself. *Today's readings: Isaiah 49:8-15; Psalm 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; John 5:17-30.*

Thursday, March 14 Taking a Pause

During every Mass, we encounter Christ in the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist. He is present especially in the consecrated bread and wine, in the Scriptures, in the ministers, and in the assembly. God does not want us to continue wandering in the desert; he beckons us to the promised land of eternal life. This week, meditate on a part of the Mass. Practice being truly present during Mass to allow space for conversion and transformation. *Today's readings: Exodus 32:7-14; Psalm 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; John 5:31-47.*

Friday, March 15 Genuine Encounter

What does it mean to truly know someone? Have you followed a famous figure or professional contact and felt that you knew everything about him or her without having even met the person? Or perhaps you met the individual and encountered someone different than you had imagined. In today's Gospel, the inhabitants of Jerusalem think that they know Jesus, but their knowledge is on a surface level. They do not know the One who sent him. When you read the Scriptures, invite the words to fill your heart so that you can know the Lord. *Today's readings: Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22; Psalm 34:17-18, 19-20, 21, 23; John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30.*

Saturday, March 16 The Body of Christ

Many things can distract us as we seek to become closer to God and spread the Good News. How can you stay rooted in a life of discipleship? What are some of the things you can do in your community to continue the ministry of Jesus? Can you read to children at the library? Or volunteer in a soup kitchen? Does your community have a cleanup day for which you could sign up? Strive to be walking testimonies of Jesus' love. *Today's readings: Jeremiah 11:18-20; Psalm 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; John 7:40-53.*



CUARTO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA



La luz del mundo

Señor Jesús,
testimonio del amor de Dios por nosotros
cuando cargaste la cruz.
Al cernirse las tinieblas antes de tu muerte,
tu luz brilló más fuerte incluso.

Que mis ojos se fijen en tu luz,
y que nunca me entregue a la oscuridad,
oh, Cristo.
Que vives y reinas en la unidad del
Espíritu Santo,
Dios, por siempre y para siempre. Amén.

Domingo, 10 de marzo de 2024 Luz de esperanza en las tinieblas



Lecturas del día: 2 Crónicas 36:14-16, 19-23; Salmo 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Efesios 2:4-10; Juan 3:14-21. La esperanza y la dicha son temas recurrentes en las lecturas y en las oraciones del Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma. A la mitad de la Cuaresma, al empezar a flaquear en nuestra resolución, las lecturas nos hacen recordar el amor de Dios y la vida eterna que aguarda, y las oraciones se relacionan con la respuesta cristiana de dicha. La antífona de entrada dice: “Alégrate, Jerusalén, y que se reúnan cuantos la aman” y nos recuerda que la Cuaresma también es un tiempo de dicha.

A fin de alentarnos visualmente, el color litúrgico cambia del violeta de la temporada al rosa de hoy. Este día apunta a la reconciliación que es nuestra, debido a la muerte

y resurrección de Cristo. Y nada de ello hemos merecido. Por la sola misericordia de Dios vivimos en Cristo. Como indica la lectura de Efesios: “Ustedes han sido salvados por la fe, no por mérito propio, sino por la gracia de Dios; y no por las obras, para que nadie se gloríe”.

Algunos aceptan el regalo de la fe, pero como dice el evangelio, “La luz vino al mundo, y los hombres prefirieron las tinieblas a la luz”. En el bautismo, recibimos la luz de Cristo y con esa luz nos unimos al desvanecer las tinieblas. Esta semana, sea consciente de que lleva la luz de Cristo en usted y que puede llevarla la luz de Cristo a los demás.



ESTA SEMANA EN CASA

Lunes, 11 de marzo

Fe ciega

Juan cuenta la historia de un hombre que tiene un hijo moribundo y que le suplica a Jesús que lo sane. El milagro de la curación convence al hombre y a otros presentes de que Jesús es el Mesías. Pero ¿qué hay de quienes jamás hemos presenciado un milagro? Escriba en su diario íntimo sobre su fe en Jesús. ¿En qué se basa su fe? ¿Qué tanto confía en el Señor? *Lecturas del día: Isaías 65:17-21 Salmo 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Juan 4:43-54.*

Martes, 12 de marzo

Viajar juntos

El pedir o aceptar ayuda muestra que uno tiene valor pues implica que uno es autosuficiente. Es una virtud reconocer que uno depende de Dios y de los otros. Estar en una relación con los demás requiere escuchar. Hoy aguarde la respuesta cuando pregunte a alguien cómo está. Y escuche de verdad. De igual forma, cerciórese de pedirle a Dios que la voz de él surja en el interior de usted. *Lecturas del día: Ezequiel 47:1-9, 12; Salmo 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Juan 5:1-16.*

Miércoles, 13 de marzo

Fe ciega

El Señor es un juez justo, mas no siempre es así la gente. ¿Es usted su peor crítico? La idea de tenerse compasión uno mismo parecería hedonista o egoísta; sin embargo, resulta difícil dar lo que uno no tiene. Si queremos extender la bondad de Dios a los demás, tenemos que expresar compasión hacia nosotros mismos. Reflexione qué tan bien ejerce la paciencia y la compasión con los demás. Para mejorar hay que empezar con uno mismo. *Lecturas del día: Isaías 49:8-15; Salmo 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Juan 5:17-30.*

Jueves, 14 de marzo

Hacer una pausa

En cada misa, hallamos a Cristo en la liturgia de la Palabra y en la liturgia de la Eucaristía. Está presente en el pan y el vino consagrados, en las Escrituras, en los ministros, en los fieles. Dios no desea que sigamos deambulando por el desierto; nos llama a la tierra prometida de la vida eterna. Esta semana medite en una parte de la misa. Practique el estar realmente presente en misa a fin de dar margen a la conversión y a la transformación. *Lecturas del día: Éxodo 32:7-14; Salmo 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Juan 5:31-47.*

Viernes, 15 de marzo

Un encuentro genuino

¿Qué significa conocer de verdad a alguien? ¿Ha seguido usted a alguien famoso o a un contacto profesional y sentido que conoce todo acerca de esa persona sin haberla conocido jamás? ¿O quizá la conoció y le pareció muy diferente a lo que usted se había imaginado? En el evangelio de hoy, los habitantes de Jerusalén creen conocer a Jesús, pero tal conocimiento es superficial. No saben quién lo ha enviado. Lea las Escrituras e invite a las palabras a llenarle el corazón para así conocer al Señor. *Lecturas del día: Sabiduría 2:1a, 12-22; Salmo 34:17-18, 19-20, 21, 23; Juan 7:1-2, 10, 25-30.*

Sábado, 16 de marzo

El Cuerpo de Cristo

Muchas cosas podrían distraernos al querer acercarnos más a Dios y difundir la Buena Nueva. ¿Cómo echar raíces en una vida de discipulado? ¿Qué cosas puede hacer usted en su comunidad para continuar el ministerio de Jesús? ¿Leerles a los niños en la biblioteca? ¿Ser voluntario en un comedor público? ¿Su comunidad tiene un día de limpieza en el que usted pueda participar? Sea un testimonio andante del amor de Jesús. *Lecturas del día: Jeremías 11:18-20; Salmo 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Juan 7:40-53.*



OUR GOAL
\$ 200, 000

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

TARPS OFF!

START
December 23 & 24, 2023
END*
December 19 & 20, 2026

NOTE: Please continue giving to our plate collection. Do not reduce that. Sunday plate collection funds our parish operations. Thanks!

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

(*Can end sooner if we meet our goal)

WE NEED PLEDGES OF \$100 MONTHLY TO TARPS OFF! FOR AT LEAST 3 YEARS.

Thank you to everyone who has given a 1 time donation. It is greatly appreciated!

The release of the loan money from the Diocese has not been finalized. The Diocese of Monterey Finance Department has asked us to show with pledges that we can pay the other 50% of our loan that we have applied for.

To date the bulk of our donations have all been one-time donations with an estimated fewer than 5 signing-up for a pledge. (Online angel donors have not had enough time for pledging to be established fully, so this approximate number is from the donation envelopes.)

Thank you for your pledge!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

Q: Is S.E.A.S. a nonprofit?

A: Yes! St. Elizabeth Ann Seton is a church and is a 501 (c)(3). Donations are tax deductible.

Q: May I give a small amount now, and more later?

A: Absolutely! Your direct donations are being recorded for tax purposes. Your accrued total donations determine the tier for which you will be recognized.

TARPS OFF!			
Year 1 (All money to our parish)			
Date	Week	Donations	Running Balance
2-Jan-24	1	\$ 17,440.00	\$ 17,440.00
9-Jan-24	2	\$ 13,650.00	\$ 31,090.00
16-Jan-24	3	\$ 5,168.00	\$ 36,258.00
23-Jan-24	4	\$ 2,190.00	\$ 38,448.00
30-Jan-24	5		\$ 38,448.00
6-Feb-24	6		\$ 38,448.00
13-Feb-24	7	\$ 12,552.00	
*(Bake sale: \$910; reg. \$11, 252)			\$ 51,000.00 *
*1st Fish Fry Sale: \$390			
20-Feb-24	8	\$ 3,205.00	\$ 54,675.00 *
*2nd Fish Fry Sale: \$ 470			
27-Feb-24	9	\$ 956.00	\$ 56,002.00 *
*3rd Fish Fry Sale: \$ 371			
3-Mar-24	10	\$ 2,645.00	\$ 59,018.00 *
*4th Fish Fry Sale: \$ 400			

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS CONT.:

Q: Did the amount needed for the roof change from 2023 to 2024?

A: Yes. With the 2023 rise in prices for building materials and labor, the roofing companies said this is an increased cost to us. 'Surprises' due to wood rot and other issues were NOT factored into bids; we are told to prepare.

Q: If the parish collects more than is needed to repay the loan, where will that money go?

A: Any money collected beyond the \$200,000 to repay the loan will be placed into our parish savings account for the months when annually Sunday collections, especially the summer months and holiday breaks when parishioners travel, are lean and we barely receive enough funding, and sometimes don't, for parish operations.

Q: How much does the parish hope to keep in savings?

A: It is recommended that the parish keep at least \$50,000 in savings for lean months and unexpected expenses. The more of course is better.

Q: Could you share with us the funds that we collected last year?

A: The following were published in our bulletin, website and announced at Masses last year:

- \$ 28, 611 Collected as of March 20, 2023
- \$ 19, 082 Wall Cross Fundraiser
- \$ 20, 690 Insurance Payment (for walls)

Q: What happened to that money collected?

A: That money is still set aside for the roof replacement. The Diocese requires parishes to have half the loan amount needed before giving a parish a loan. The Diocese waived the full amount needed to acquire the loan as we have \$68, 383 (see above) and need is great.

Q: If we add last year's roof fund (\$68, 383) to the current TAPRS OFF donations as of 9 March 2024 (\$59, 018) How much do we have?

A: \$ 127, 401. 00 YAY!!!

Q: With that amount, can we start the work at least for the slope, flat roofs, roof top parapets, and roof drains?

A: No, because that part of the construction amounts to almost \$150, 000. 00

Q: It seems like we are doing well with the donations & creative fundraisers. We may not need a loan. What do you think?

A: It depends. We still have the TARPS OFF creative fundraisers lined up:

- March 15, 22—Friday Fish Fry
- March 31—Easter Sunday Kermés
- May 4—Legacy Formal Dinner and Ballroom Dance
- May 19-June 23—Cross on the Wall Fundraiser

We will see after these. We focus on these and make the most of this 2024 year because the parish keeps the full TAPRS OFF amount for 2024.

TARPS OFF!

Goal
\$ 200,000

\$ 200,000

\$ 180,000

\$ 160,000

\$ 140,000

\$ 120,000

\$ 100,000

\$ 80,000

\$ 60,000

\$ 40,000

\$ 20,000

\$ 0

THANK YOU

FOR FUNDING THE NEW CHURCH ROOF!
Each of you, our 'Angels,' are appreciated!

Photo from 2022

"DONOR CHOIR OF ANGELS"

TIER 1	TIER 2	TIER 3
SERAPHIM \$10,000 +	DOMINIONS \$1,000 to \$2,499	PRINCIPALITIES \$200 to \$299
CHERUBIM \$5,000 to \$9,999	VIRTUES \$500 to \$999	ARCHANGEL \$100 to \$199
THRONES \$2,500 to \$4,999	POWERS \$300 to \$499	ANGEL \$50 to \$99

"CIRCLE OF HEAVENLY JOY"

The "Circle of Heavenly Joy" are donations that are not in the above suggested donations groups, but are likewise greatly appreciated for the needed repairs.

S.E.A.S.
TARPS OFF!
Capital Campaign

Start:
Dec. 23/24, 2023
End:
Dec. 19/20, 2026

Current Amount
\$ 59,018.00

Amount as of 3/8/2024
Does not include VANCO

PIANIST NEEDED

Our parish needs a pianist for the weekend English Masses. Applicants please call Javier at 1(805)441-5428

9 MONTH NOVENA TO OUR LADY

Cardinal Burke is inviting all Catholics to join him in praying a nine-month novena seeking Our Lady's intercession beginning on March 12. This immense spiritual undertaking will culminate in a consecration to Our Lady of Guadalupe on December 12, her Feast Day. For more information, please visit (guadalupe Shrine.org)

ADORATION CHAPEL SCHEDULE

MONDAY TO THURSDAY	OPEN after the 9 am Mass Until 11 am.	CLOSED 11 am to 4 pm	OPEN 4 pm to 5 pm
FRIDAY	OPEN after the 9 am Mass until 11 am.	CLOSED 11 am to 4 pm	OPEN 4 pm to 5 pm
SATURDAY		CLOSED DURING MORNING AND MASS	OPEN 1 hour after 4pm Sat. Vigil 5 pm to 6 pm
SUNDAY		CLOSED DURING MORNING AND MASS	OPEN 1 hour after 9am Mass, after 11:30 Mass, 4 pm to 5 pm

Do you like to spend a quiet time with Jesus, adoring Him in the Most Blessed Sacrament, outside our scheduled open hours? Please call (805) 441-5428 at least a day ahead. We'll be delighted to open the chapel for you.

¿Te gusta pasar un momento de tranquilidad con Jesús, adorándolo en el Santísimo Sacramento, fuera de nuestro horario de atención? Llame al (805) 441-5428 con un día de anticipación. Estaremos encantados de abrir la capilla para ti.

2/3 MARCH COLLECTION

Sunday Collection	\$ 1, 173. 00
Parish Operations	\$ 95. 00
Building Fund	\$ 100. 00
Hospitality	\$ 54. 00
St. Joseph's Fund	\$ 55. 00
People's Kitchen	\$ 0. 00
Mass Intentions	\$ 85. 00
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_____	\$ 0. 00
_____	\$ 0. 00
_____	\$ 0. 00
TOTAL (from above)	\$ 1, 562. 00
_____	\$ 0. 00

FILLED EASTER EGGS NEEDED

We could use your help with pre-filled Easter eggs for the children's 'Easter Egg Hunt' on Easter Sunday after the bilingual Mass at 9:00am. Eggs may be left in the boxes on the back table in the church. If you would like to help set eggs out during Mass, please see Heather.

EASTER ORCHIDS

Many parishioners are allergic to lilies so we continue our use of white orchids this Easter. How can you help?

OPTION 1) If you'd like to make a donation in honor of a loved one:

Step 1: place donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers". Please include either on the envelope or note inside:

A) your name printed, B) your loved one's name printed and C) amount enclosed

Step 2: Drop it into the white lock box, parish mailbox, or online donation before **MARCH 15**.

OPTION 2) Bring a white orchid in bloom to the church on Good Friday (March 29) with the printed name of your loved one attached.

Names of your loved ones will be listed in the Easter bulletin and on our website's Virtual Easter Memorial.

CLOSING THE BOOKS ON 2023

Our bookkeeper is closing the books on 2023. If you need corrections made to your tax letter, please contact Javier (805) 441-6428 as soon as possible. Thanks!

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. ELIZABETH'S IN YOUR WILL

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Lord Jesus Christ,
you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the world, and you desire that all people come to the Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb.
Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist.

Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me.
Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me.
Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist, come and suffer in me.
Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to new life in me. Jesus loving in the Eucharist, come and love in me.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery of your death and resurrection made present in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love on your Church and on our world.
Grant that as we lift you up during this time of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life.
You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of the Eucharist,
Pray for us.**

Señor Jesucristo,
nos das tu carne y tu sangre para la vida del mundo, y deseas que todos los hombres vengan a la Cena del Sacrificio del Cordero. Renueva en tu Iglesia la verdad, la belleza y la bondad contenidas en la Santísima Eucaristía.

Jesús que vives en la Eucaristía, ven y vive en mí.
Jesús, que sanas en la Eucaristía, ven y sáname.
Jesús, que te sacrificas en la Eucaristía, ven y sufres en mí. Jesús, resucitado en la Eucaristía, ven y resucita a una nueva vida en mí.
Jesús, amando en la Eucaristía, ven y ama en mí.

Señor Jesucristo, por el misterio pascual de tu muerte y resurrección, hecho presente en cada Santa Misa, derrama tu amor sanador sobre tu Iglesia y sobre nuestro mundo. Concédenos que, mientras te elevamos durante este tiempo de Avivamiento Eucarístico, tu Espíritu Santo atraiga a todas las personas a unirse a nosotros en este Banquete de la Vida. Tú vives y reinas con el Padre y el Espíritu Santo, Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

**Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Madre de la Eucaristía,
ruega por nosotros.**



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Confirmation is one of the seven Sacraments of the Catholic Church. Together, Baptism and First Eucharist, Confirmation comprise the sacraments of Christian initiation.

There are so many questions surrounding the Sacrament of Confirmation. One of the most common ones is, 'Why should I be Confirmed? I've been attending Mass all my life and am an older adult. Does it make a difference?' Yes, it does make a difference. The Catechism of the Catholic Church states (CCC 1285, 1306)

"It must be explained to the faithful that the reception of the sacrament of Confirmation is necessary for the completion of baptismal grace. For "by the sacrament of Confirmation, [the baptized] are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit. Hence they are, as true witnesses of Christ, more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed...Every baptized person not yet confirmed can and should receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Since Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist form a unity, it follows that "the faithful are obliged to receive this sacrament at the appropriate time," for without Confirmation and Eucharist, Baptism is certainly valid and efficacious, but Christian initiation remains incomplete."

The Catechism (CCC 1286-1289, 1307-8) continues:
In the Old Testament the prophets announced that the Spirit of the Lord would rest on the hoped-for Messiah for his saving mission. The descent of the Holy Spirit on Jesus at his baptism by John was the sign that this was he who was to come, the Messiah, the Son of God. He was conceived of the Holy Spirit; his whole life and his whole mission are carried out in total communion with the Holy Spirit whom the Father gives him "without measure."

This fullness of the Spirit was not to remain uniquely the Messiah's, but was to be communicated to the whole mes-

sianic people. On several occasions Christ promised this outpouring of the Spirit, a promise which he fulfilled first on Easter Sunday and then more strikingly at Pentecost. Filled with the Holy Spirit the apostles began to proclaim "the mighty works of God," and Peter declared this outpouring of the Spirit to be the sign of the messianic age. Those who believed in the apostolic preaching and were baptized received the gift of the Holy Spirit in their turn.

"From that time on the apostles, in fulfillment of Christ's will, imparted to the newly baptized by the laying on of hands the gift of the Spirit that completes the grace of Baptism. For this reason in the Letter to the Hebrews the doctrine concerning Baptism and the laying on of hands is listed among the first elements of Christian instruction. The imposition of hands is rightly recognized by the Catholic tradition as the origin of the sacrament of Confirmation, which in a certain way perpetuates the grace of Pentecost in the Church."

Very early, the better to signify the gift of the Holy Spirit, an anointing with perfumed oil (chrism) was added to the laying on of hands. This anointing highlights the name "Christian," which means "anointed" and derives from that of Christ himself whom God "anointed with the Holy Spirit." This rite of anointing has continued ever since, in both East and West. For this reason the Eastern Churches call this sacrament Chrismation, anointing with chrism, or myron which means "chrism." In the West, the term Confirmation suggests that this sacrament both confirms and strengthens baptismal grace.

Therefore, the Sacrament of Confirmation is indeed important for the Body of Christ, which we are, to share in Christ's work in total communion with the Holy Spirit. Partaking in the economy of salvation looks different for each of us depending on our vocations and life's journeys. Maybe we are blessed with abundant money and can give generously to our parish. Maybe we are parents and bring our children up in the Faith. Maybe we are called to the diaconate to serve within the diocese. God loves us. His Son is a sign of that. And so, 'cuz we love, we give.



When I was in the sixth grade at St. Mary of Redford Catholic Grade School in Detroit Michigan, the boys in my class were invited to become altar servers. There was no such invitation extended to us girls, but we were not resentful, only wistful, and so we helped by laundering the surplices and drilling the boys in the Latin responses then in the Mass. We even joked about petitioning the Pope.

Now, many years later, thanks to the decision in 1971 by Pope Paul VI, I have the privilege of serving as a Eucharistic Minister. I am awed, amazed each time I place the Body of Christ into the hands of another parishioner. That little sixth grade girl would never even have dreamt of such an honor, but I am living it.

~Jonniepat

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, Come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you as if you were already there And unite myself wholly to you.

Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Jesús mío, creo que estás realmente presente en el Santísimo Sacramento,

te amo sobre toda las cosas, y te deseo en el interior de mi alma.

Ya que en este momento no puedo recibirte sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón; estando dentro de mí, yo te abrazo y me uno todo a Ti.

No permitas nunca que me separe de Ti. Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.
Blood of Christ, inebriate me.
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.
Passion of Christ, strengthen me.
O Good Jesus, hear me. Within your wounds hide me.
Separated from you, let me never be.
From the evil one, protect me.
At the hour of my death, call me.
And close to you bid me;
That with your Saints, I may be, praising you
For ever and ever. Amen.

Alma de Cristo, santifícame.

Cuerpo de Cristo, sálvame.

Sangre de Cristo, embriágame.

Agua del costado de Cristo, lávame.

Pasión de Cristo, confórtame.

¡Oh, buen Jesús!, óyeme.

Dentro de tus llagas, escóndeme.

No permitas que me aparte de Ti.

Del maligno enemigo, defiéndeme

En la hora de mi muerte, llámame.

Y mándame ir a Ti. Para que con tus santos te alabe.

Por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

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ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD. LET YOUR PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM. MAY THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFULLY DEPARTED, THROUGH THE MERCY OF GOD, REST IN PEACE. AMEN.

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This team represents our entire parish through their ministry, serving on our day 90+ people. Please continue to pray for them and thank them for their service.

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Our altar serving albs are old, starting to fray, and the Velcro is losing its effectiveness. We also had several different styles: some went over the head and some went on like a coat.

We offered our catechism families, who provide our altar servers, the opportunity to purchase a specific alb for their children through our office. Some were able to buy them. Others, especially Yr 1, 1st Communion students will also receive one. They will bring the

albs home, launder and care for them, and bring them to church on their day to serve. This will help teach the children responsibility and also to care for and be good stewards of the Church. As they master knowledge of liturgical items, we will reward them with a special pin. An exchange program will be implemented.

Could you help offset the cost to our families who may not be able to cover the entire \$85? Thank you for considering. It is appreciated.

MANY THANKS TO THE VOLUNTEERS WHO CLEANED THE CHURCH

We would like to give a well deserved commendation to the mothers and family of our Confirmation students who volunteered their time this past Thursday to clean the church in preparation for the Confirmation Mass this Sunday. Thank you to

**Maria Gijon
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WEDNESDAY MASS & ADORATION

On Wednesdays this Lent we have Mass in English at 9:00am and in Spanish at 7:00pm, but with Adoration. (please see schedule pg 19) Our Spanish weekday Mass was moved to Wednesday for the Friday Lenten Fish Fry.

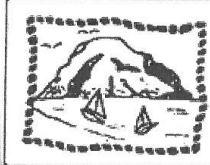


SCHEDULE OF MASSES, READINGS & INTENTIONS

DATE	TIME	INTENTIONS	READINGS YEAR B
Vigil of FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 9 March 2023	4:00 pm English Sunday Mass	4:00pm	2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 Eph 2:4-10 Jn 3:14-21
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 10 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass 1:30pm Bilingual Confirmation Mass	9:00am 1:30pm Ulises & Rocio Osorio (17th Wedding Ann.); †Gonzalo Esparza Vasquez y †Maria Rodriguez Delgado	2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 Eph 2:4-10 Jn 3:14-21
Monday Lenten Weekday 11 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass	9:00am	Is 65:17-21 Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday Lenten Weekday 12 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass	9:00am	Ez 47:1-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday Lenten Weekday 13 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass 9:45 am Eng. Divine Mercy & Adoration 6:00 pm Spanish Divina Misericordia, Adoration y Bendición 7:00pm Spanish Mass & Anointing of the Sick	9:00am Joan Villa 7:00pm	Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17- 18 Jn 5:17-30
Thursday Lenten Weekday 14 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass	9:00am	Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 Jn 5:31-47
Friday Lenten Weekday 15 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass	9:00am	Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Vigil of FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT 16 March 2023	4:00 pm English Sunday Mass	4:00pm	Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 Heb 5:7-9 Jn 12:20-33
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT 17 March 2023	9:00 am English Mass 11:30am Spanish Mass	9:00am 11:30am	

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