

# San Juan Catholic Community

## Saint Joseph Monte Vista

Tuesday: 5pm  
 Wednesday: 7am  
 Thursday: 5pm  
 Adoration Thurs: 7:00pm  
 Friday: 7am  
 Adoration Fri: 9:00 am  
**Saturday 9:30 am  
 for 50+ or older**  
 Saturday: 5pm  
 Sunday: 10am

## Holy Name of Mary Del Norte

Friday: 7am  
 Adoration Fri: 7:30 am  
 Sunday: 8:00 am

## Saint Francis Jerome Center

Sunday: 10am (English)  
 12 pm (Spanish)

## Immaculate Conception

Mission Creede  
 Saturday: 4:00 pm

## Holy Family Mission

South Fork  
 Saturday: 5:30 pm



**The Church office is closed to walk -in visits.  
 Please call in advance to make an appointment.**

**Office Hours : Tues—Thurs 8:00 am - 4:30pm  
 Closed for lunch 12:00pm —1:00pm**

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- Deacon. Ray Torres Deacon/ RCIA Coordinator
- Lori Hathaway Office/Business Administrator Ext. 1000

**Emergency Priest Call  
 (719) 852-0644**

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

**Monte Vista:** Saturday 4:00 pm or by appointment

**Center:** Confessions Sunday 11:00 am

**Del Norte:** Confessions Sunday 7:30 am till 7:50 am

**South Fork:** Confession Saturday after mass until 6:30 pm

**Creede:** Confession Saturday 3:30 pm till 3:50 pm

### Marriage:

By appt with Priest or Deacon six months prior to your wedding date.

### Baptism:

Please call Office for information on this Sacrament.

On-line Baptism Classes now available

### Quinceañera:

Enrolled in Rel. Ed, Quinceañera Classes & fees paid to book date.

### Sacramental Anointing:

By appointment or upon request.

### **Reminder**

**All Masses are first come first serve.**

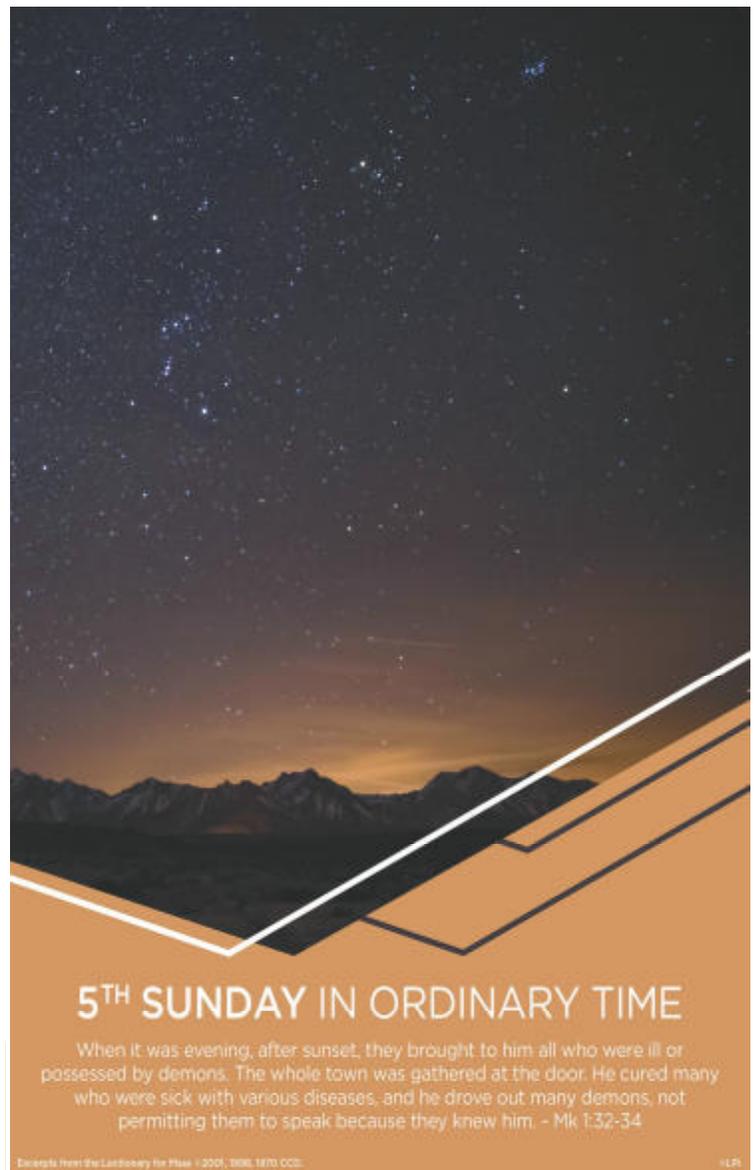
**A Mask, Parish Event Sign Up Sheet and a temperature check  
 will need to be completed before entry into the Church  
 Buildings.**

**St. Joseph - 86 seats**

**St. Francis & Holy Name of Mary - 50 seats each**

**All Mission Churches - 20 seats each**

*All Church Attendance is subject to change do to updated  
 County COVID Regulations*



### Upcoming Events

**Every Wednesday: Expositio del Santisimo on FB 7:00 pm  
 February 17: Ash Wednesday**

## Mass intentions

February 09 - February 14, 2021

Thursday February 11:

**St. Joseph 5:00 pm**

+Josie & Orlando Arellano by Nick & Ona Gonzales

Saturday February 13:

**St. Joseph 5:00 pm**

+George Harper by Greg & Shirley Thompson

Sunday February 14:

**Holy Name of Mary 8:00 am**

Victor (Kiki) Sanchez by Eli & Alice Sanchez

+Claude & +Adolfita Trujillo by Robert & Sophia Fresquez & Family

**St. Joseph 10:00 am**

Special Intentions For Nick & Ona Gonzales

+Camilo & +David Mansanarez by Bea Mansanarez

+Jose Prospero Duran & +Helen Eustolio Duran

By Tony & Virginia Martinez

**St. Francis Jerome 10:00 am**

+Sam & +Sammy Crawley by Judy Crawley

## Offertory January 24th

**St. Joseph 1300.00**

Church In Latin America 378.61

**Budget Needs 2592.00 per week**

**Holy Name of Mary 2677.82**

Church In Latin America 242.90

Immaculate Conception Creede 175.00

Holy Family 165.00

**Budget Needs 2228.00 per week**

**St. Francis Jerome 980.95**

Church In Latin America 257.00

**Budget Needs 1897.00 per week**

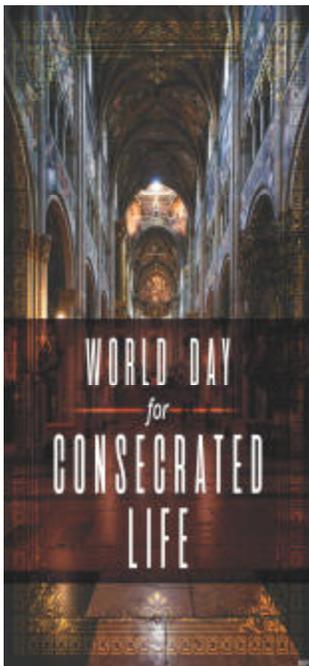
## Prayers of the Faithful

For those consecrated to God by the vows of chastity, poverty and obedience that they may seek to live their baptismal promises more intensely and have the grace to persevere in their commitment to the Lord and serve with open hearts and willing spirits.

*We pray to the Lord...*

For those who have responded to the prompting of the Holy Spirit to be a consecrated person that they may experience the support of the Church as they continue their growth in holiness.

*We pray to the Lord...*



## Home Based Faith Formation

Religious Education program 1st –8th grade  
**Please call the office at 852-2673 to make an appointment . This is for New Registration and Re-Enrolling Students for all Churches.**  
Our new Program will be learn at your own pace on-line and in the home  
. There are no start and stop dates!  
Fees: \$30.00 per student  
Sacrament Classes will be an additional charge

## Dates to Remember

**PARENT SUPPORT MEETINGS:**  
Held at St. Joseph on the  
Second Sunday of each month @ 6:30 pm  
In person, Streaming on FB or Zoom  
Español St Francisco Jeronimo Second Thursday of  
Each month @ 6:30 pm

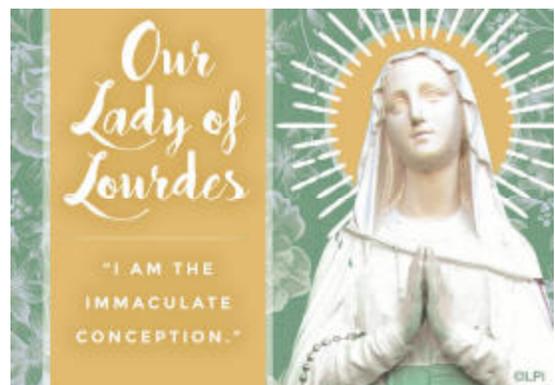


## February 17 Mass Schedule

St. Joseph (MV)  
7:00 am & 7 :00 pm

Holy Name of Mary (DN)  
5:00 pm

St. Francis Jerome (Center)  
7:00 pm (bilingual)



## WEEKLY PRAYER

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEB 07, 2021

- SUN** Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39
- MON** Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c [31b]/Mk 6:53-56
- TUE** Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Mk 7:1-13
- WED** Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 [1a]/Mk 7:14-23
- THR** Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 7:24-30
- FRI** Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [1a]/Mk 7:31-37
- SAT** Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 [1]/Mk 8:1-10
- SUN** Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-45

### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 07, 2021

- Sunday:** 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Monday:** St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin  
**Wednesday:** St. Scholastica, Virgin  
**Thursday:** Our Lady of Lourdes  
**Saturday:** BVM  
**Next Sunday:** 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day; Valentine's Day



#### Is it ever Ok to leave Mass before it ends?

This is an interesting question because beneath the surface there seems to be an assumption that if it's okay, then why do we have to stay after we receive communion? The short answer is "no," but we definitely want to go a bit deeper as we consider why. First, when we think about questions like this, we must consider this in adult terms. If there is something gravely important that we need to do, then we must attend to that. However, if it is a matter of convenience or preference, then we really have to stop and think again. First, while we always want to recognize the importance of sacramental communion in the Mass, we also need to understand how important the time of thanksgiving and prayer after communion is. This is summarized in the Prayer After Communion offered by the celebrant and then we are also commissioned to "Go forth" during the Dismissal of the Mass, reminding us that we have been entrusted with a gift — the Word of God and the Presence of Christ in the sacrament — and that we are to share that gift with others. If we simply leave after we receive communion, we risk two things. First, there is the possibility that we will turn our reception of communion into a purely personal, individual experience that is separated from our common experience of worship — and communion in the fullest sense — and, second, we lose an opportunity for gratitude and serious reflection if we simply leave after communion. This time of thanksgiving, reflection, and, ultimately, missioning, are important and, in the end, an essential part of the celebration of the Mass.

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

### The Audacity of Holiness

Do you know a holy person? I'm not talking about piety — that's important, too, in its own way. But right now, I'm speaking of holiness.

St. Therese of Lisieux called holiness "a disposition of the heart that makes us humble and little in the arms of God, aware of our weakness, and confident — in the most audacious way — in His Fatherly goodness."

The holy person sees a storm on the horizon of life, and rather than give themselves over to fear and despair (natural and understandable reactions), regards the gathering winds as an opportunity to rely more fully on God. The holy person takes a bad situation and sanctifies it with charity and understanding that defies our fallen human nature.

Peter's mother-in-law was still in the throes of a fever when Jesus grasped her hand. It wasn't until she took his hand and allowed him to help her up that "the fever left her and she waited on them." Before the fever could leave her, she had to commit to holiness — to put her trust in him in a most audacious way. She had to find it within herself to lift her weakened hand to grasp his — and as soon as she did, she was rewarded. Her bodily health restored, she gave thanks, and attended to his needs.

God's hand is always outstretched to us. Will we take it, even if the fever of sin and pride and worldly concerns rages in our souls? Will we muster the strength? Will we be audacious enough to have confidence in His Fatherly goodness?

*Tracy Earl Welliver*

### LIVE THE LITURGY

Have you ever wondered what life would be like if you could see the future and know how things turn out? While it's intriguing to ponder what life would be like if we possessed this knowledge, actually knowing could easily rob us of the thrill, adventure, and soul-searching graces of our journey. Like Job, life does not always leave us on a happy note. Life experience can bring us face-to-face with our mortality and leave us with a profound sense of helplessness. We do not see the wholeness and fulfillment that will one day come and cannot grasp the certainty that a resolution to our plight will come our way. We need to learn how to reach for Jesus' hand and let him help us to our feet. Living a life of faith means realizing that we are not here to figure out life on our own. In order to drink deeply of what life presents us, we have to wrestle in the depths of our souls, agonize and search, possibly reach the lowest point of desperation, and cry out for the Divine healing we need to restore our faith, hope, and love. It is no wonder that those who are touched by God's healing power want to then serve others and show them the deeper waters that can be explored. Knowing too much can rob us of joyful surprises.

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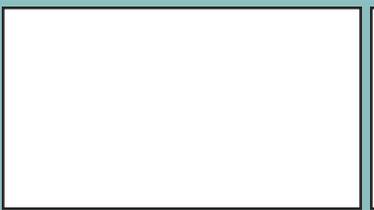
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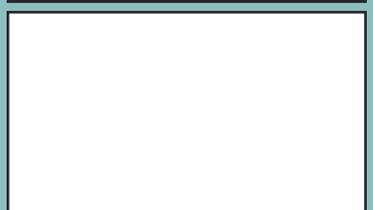
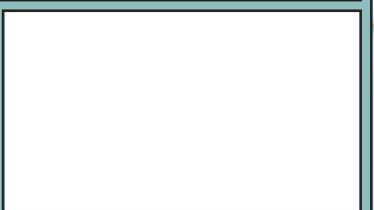
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