

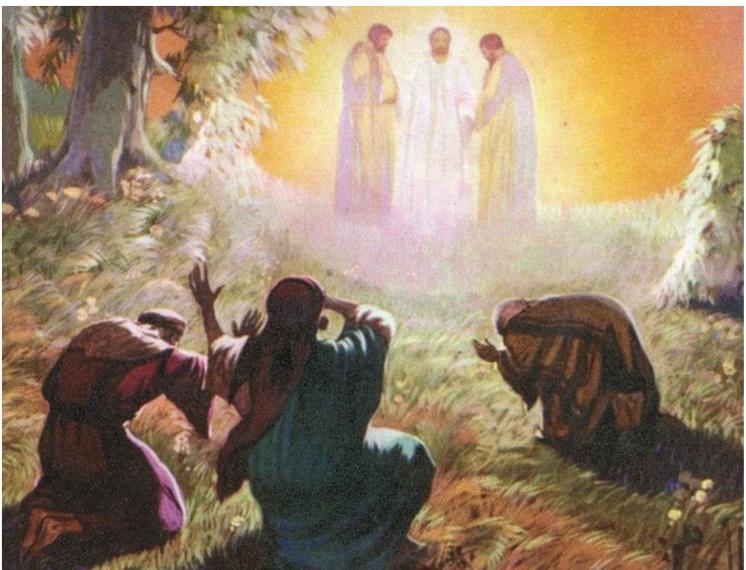




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March 5,2023

Second Sunday of Lent





Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM **Daily Mass in English**

8:30 AM Monday—Saturday

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

MASS SCHEDULES

Misas Dominicales en Español Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Mass Location

All masses inside the Church

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM

Adoration ~ Benediction/ Adoracion ~ Bendicion

Friday-9 AM till I PM



Catholic Trivia on Sacraments, Sacramentals and Prayer

1)	Salve Regina is another name for which prayer?
2)	What type of sin can only be absolved through the sacrament of reconciliation?
3)	What are the two sacraments of service?
4)	What color scapular commemorates the Passion of Our Lord?
5)	Which Sacrament is characterized by the parable of the Prodigal Son?
6)	Aside from holy water, what are the three ingredients of "Gregorian Water" used to consecrate a church?
7)	This perfumed oil-consecrated by a Bishop at special mass on or near Holy Thursday signifies the gift of the Holy Spirit—Name this oil.
8)	The Solemnity of Pentecost is perpetuated in the Church through which Sacrament?
9)	How many months are Holy Oils kept for?
10)	In 2002 Pope John Paul II announced five new optional mysteries to the Rosary, bringing the total number of mysteries to twenty. What is the name for these optional mysteries?
11)	What are the two sacraments of healing?
12)	How many promises does the Blessed Virgin Mary offer those who pray the rosary?
	answers on page 6

Trivia Católica sobre Sacramentos, Sacramentales y Oración

1) ¿Salve Regina es otro nombre para qué oración? 2) ¿Qué tipo de pecado sólo puede ser absuelto a través del sacramento de la reconciliación? 3) ¿Cuáles son los dos sacramentos del servicio? 4) ¿De qué color es el escapulario que conmemora la Pasión de Nuestro Señor? 5) ¿Qué Sacramento se caracteriza por la parábola del Hijo Pródigo? 6) Aparte del agua bendita, ¿cuáles son los tres ingredientes del "Agua Gregoriana" que se usan para consagrar una iglesia? 7) Este aceite perfumado, consagrado por un obispo en una misa especial en o cerca del Jueves Santo, significa el don del Espíritu Santo. Nombre este aceite. 8) La Solemnidad de Pentecostés se perpetúa en la Iglesia ¿a través de qué Sacramento? 9) ¿Por cuántos meses se guardan los Santos Oleos? 10) En 2002, el Papa Juan Pablo II anunció cinco nuevos misterios opcionales al Rosario, elevando el número total de misterios a veinte. ¿Cuál es el nombre de estos misterios opcionales? 11) ¿Cuáles son los dos sacramentos de curación? 12) ¿Cuántas promesas ofrece la Santísima

Virgen María a los que rezan el rosario?

respuestas en la página 6



WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week of March 5, 2023

Sun/Dom:

Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 (22)/ 2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

Mon/Lunes:

Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/ Lk 6:36-38

Tues/Martes:

Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12

Wed/Mier:

Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28

Thurs/Juev:

Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31

Fri/Vier:

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Sat/Sab:

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-3

Next Sun./Dom:

Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday & Sunday—March 4th & 5th
Ministry Fair At the placita after all weekend
masses

Monday March 6th

7:00 PM Liturgy Committee—All members are encouraged to attend—Meeting in the Hall

Thursday March 9th

7:00 PM Rosary in the Church

Friday March 10th

7:00 PM Bilingual Stations of the Cross

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Tuesday & Thursday (martes y jueves)

— I I:00 AM—5:00 PM

Wednesday (miercoles)

—I:00 PM-7:00 PM

Bilingual available Mon., Wed, Fri (lunes, miercoles y viernes)

— 3:00 PM— 7:00 PM

Rev. Henry Noga, SVD

Pastor

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 10 AM to 12 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (with appointment) lunes, martes, miércoles, y viernes 10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

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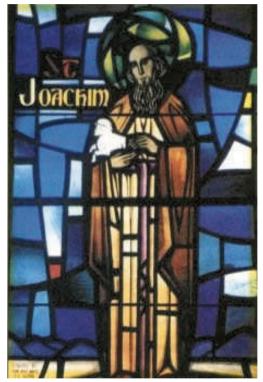
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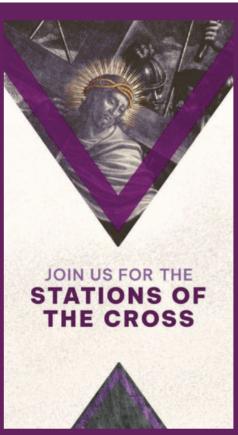
~~Lent~~

Question: Lent always seems to help me renew my relationship with God and strengthen my religious practice. Do you have any suggestions as to what I could do to achieve that the rest of the year?

Answer: The obvious answer may seem to be to do whatever you do during Lent all year round. But part of the power of Lent is that we focus as a community on renewing our faith and preparing for Easter. Our Lenten practices have a purpose and a goal. Therein lies the secret. When we focus our efforts on one virtue, or try to change one bad habit, or seek to deepen our understanding of one aspect of faith, we focus our efforts and give our full attention to what we are trying to accomplish. We tend to be more successful achieving our goals. More importantly, it has a ripple effect in our lives: one thing changes or is added to the spiritual mix of our lives and many aspects are changed. All too often we leave our spiritual growth to chance and the practice of faith to habit, and then wonder why we have no sense of growth or progress. Think of it in terms of exercise. We walk, lift weights, bend and stretch to attain the maximum benefit from what we do. In addition, to keep those benefits, we eat healthful food and get enough vitamins and rest. Spirituality requires the same kind of attention: we pray, fast, read the Bible, receive sacraments, and do charitable work to maximize the benefits of practicing faith. Keeping Lent year round keeps us in spiritual shape!

Please join us
Every Friday
During Lent
For the
Bilingual
Stations
Of the
Cross
At
7:00PM
Inside the
Church
March 10th

March 31st









PRAY FOR

Kinh Tran Tom Prado Melia Perrizo Manuela Nabong Carmelita Jante Paul F. Hennessey Rosario Valentin Adrianne Amaya **Delia Cerna Leonor Enrique Dory Secoquian Elaine Duarte** Teresita Marinas Francis Carlo Salta Mary Hennessey Carlos de las casas Noriega Mari Losno Porfirio Loza

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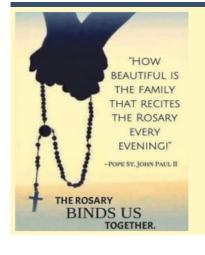
VATICAN CORNER

Pope Francis

speaking at a Vatican conference on February 18, 2023 about Pastors and the lay faithful working together said that laypeople are not "guests" in the Catholic Church and priests are not the "bosses," but rather all the baptized belong and share responsibility for its life and mission. To fulfill its mission, the Church must overcome independent ways of acting or parallel tracks that never



meet: clergy separated from laity, consecrated persons from clergy and the faithful, the intellectual faith of certain elites separated from the faith of ordinary people, the Vatican government separated from particular churches, bishops from priests, young people from the elderly, spouses and families disengaged from the life of the communities, charismatic movements separated from parishes, and so forth. "The path God is indicating for the Church is precisely that of living more intensely and concretely the path of communion and walking together. Pope Francis said creating silos or divisions in the church is "the most serious temptation" Catholics face today. Francis told the 200 participants from around the world, that "there is still a long way to go for the Church to live as a body, as a true people, united by the one faith in Christ the savior, animated by the same sanctifying Spirit and oriented to the same mission of proclaiming the merciful love of God the Father." Francis said the aim of the conference and of the whole process of the Synod of Bishops on synodality, is to remind all the baptized that they are called to be missionary disciples and that the only way to be effective is to be united and to recognize and share the gifts and talents of all. He said the need to value the laity should start in the seminary, where those who hope to become priests must have "a daily and normal" experience of working with laypeople so that once they are ordained, communion is a natural expression of belonging to the Church and not some exceptional or occasional project. "It is time for pastors and the laity to walk together, in every area of the Church's life, in every part of the world. Laypeople and especially women need to be more valued in their human and spiritual skills and gifts for the life of parishes and dioceses." In addition to "preaching" through the way they live their faith, they should collaborate with priests to strengthen parish life, in everything from helping with religious education to preparing engaged couples for marriage." "They should also be consulted when preparing new pastoral initiatives at every level – local, national and universal." "They must be present in the offices of the dioceses. They can help in the spiritual accompaniment of other lay people and also make their contributions in the formation of seminarians and religious. "I would like all of us to have in our hearts and minds this beautiful vision of the Church: a Church committed to mission and where we unify our forces and walk together to evangelize; a church where what binds us is our being baptized Christians, our belonging to Jesus." Sources: ncronline.org, lpj.org, osservatoreromano.va



Come pray the rosary with your Parish community.

We pray a multi-lingual rosary on Thursday at 7:00

PM in the church —

All are invited to come pray together.

The rosary is led by the Knights of Columbus.



MASS INTENTIONS March 4-11, 2023

Saturday 4:30 PM

Rosie Valentin (healing) Carmelita Jante (healing)

Saturday 6:00 PM

Espiridion Calderon † Saalvdor Saavedra † Juan Carlos Gonzales †

Sunday 7:30 AM

Fr. Emilio Reyes (healing)

Sunday 9:00 AM

Astrero-Novepa Family (special intention) Francis Carlo Salta (healing) Anthony's Ancestors † Edgar Delos Angeles † David Tayco †

Sunday 10:30 AM

Christian Dela Cerda (20th birthday)

Sunday 12:15 PM

The Community of St. Joachim

Sunday 2:00 PM

Felicitas Lizzaraga † Juan & Nallely Ponce † Aurora, Rafael & Juvenal Torres Manuel, Paula & David Cruz † Vitor Loera Moran † Maria de Rosario Gtierrez Moran † Lucio Gomez Chavez †

Sunday 6:00 PM

Mario Ochoa (salud)

Monday 8:30 AM

Jose Vargara Jr. † Souls in Purgatory †

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Maria Nenita O. Fulgueras (thanksgiving) Mamang Macapugay † (1st anniversary) Ulpiano M. Fulgueras † (3rd anniversary)

Wednesday 8:30 AM

Josephine Cabigao (birthday)

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Carolina, Leticia & Hector Manuel Cruz (intencion especial)

Thursday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 8:30 AM

Joamil Dela Cruz (special intention)

Saturday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim



Unción de los Enfermos, 12) 15

Reconciliación, 6) Vino, sal y cenizas, 7) Santo Crisma, 8) Confirmación, 9) 12, 10) Lumio us Misterios, 11) Reconciliación y Respuesta al cuestionario de la página 2 1) Salve Santa Reina, 2) Pecado Mortal, 3) Matrimonio y Ordenes Sagradas, 4) rojo, 5)

salt & amp; ashes, 7) Holy Chrism, 8) Confirmation, 9) 12, 10) Lumious Mysteries, 11) Reconciliation & Anointing of the Sick, 12) 15 Answer to the quiz on page 2 1) Hail Holy Queen,2) Mortal Sin, 3) Matrimony & amp; Holy Orders, 4) Red, 5) Reconciliation, 6) Wine,

Oracion San Miguel

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la batalla. Sé nuestro amparo contra la perversidad y asechanzas del demonio. Reprimale Dios, pedimos suplicantes, v tú Príncipe de la Milicia Celestial, con el divino poder de Dios, arroja al infierno a Satanás y a todos los espíritus malignos que andan dispersos por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.



Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

St. Joachim Ministry Fair Saturday March 4th—Sunday March 5th

Come to the Placita
after Mass today
to hear what
different ministries
do here at St. Joachim
and sign up to
join their ministries.
Some of the ministries
that will be there are:



Have you been thinking about being more involved here at St. Joachim? Come to the placita after masses this weekend and see what group fits you best!!

Guadalupanos

Spanish Legion of Mary

Knights of Columbus Spanish

Social Justice/ Justicia Social

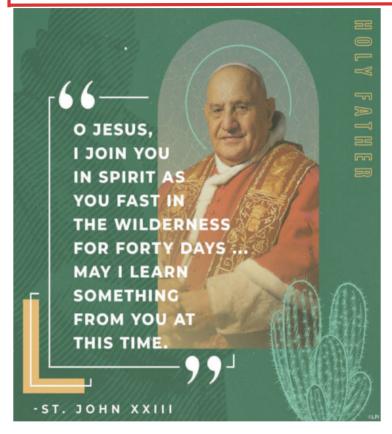
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Legion of Mary—English

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..... and many more



Puzzle answers from last weeks bulletin

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