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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021



## Welcome | Bienvenidos

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday**  
4:00 pm (English) | 6:30 pm (Spanish)

### Sunday

8:00 am & 11:00 am (English)

### Daily Mass

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Friday | 12:00 pm  
Wed. | 12:00 pm (Bilingual)

### ADORATION

Thursday at 11:00 am

### CONFESSIONS

(by appointment)

### APPOINTMENTS

Please call or email during  
office hours

### CHURCH OPEN

Monday - Friday | 11:00 am - 12:30 pm



# PRAYER & WORSHIP



## SAT., FEB. 20

4:00 PM +Mom & Dad  
by: Pat & Jerry  
+Walter & Frances Royer  
by: Jerry & Fely Royer

6:30 PM +Marcos Revelo  
by: Maria Revelo  
+Rosendo Aguirre Flores

## SUN., FEB. 21

8:00 AM  
11:00 AM +Bill Powell  
by: K of C  
+Leigh Heyscue  
by: Joyce Hamman

## MON., FEB. 22

12:00 PM

## TUES., FEB. 23

12:00 PM

## WED., FEB. 24

12:00 PM +Filadelfo Jimenez Ibarra  
Fam. Jimenez

## THURS., FEB. 25

12:00 PM

## FRI., FEB. 26

12:00 PM

## SAT., FEB. 27

4:00 PM +Bill Burns Anniversary  
by: Eileen Perez  
+Pedro & Maria Padal  
by: Jerry & Fely Royer

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
[cf. 10]/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15

**Monday:** 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5,  
6 [1]/Mt 16:13-19

**Tuesday:** Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7,  
16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15

**Wednesday:** Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12  
-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32

**Thursday:** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps  
138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12

**Friday:** Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5  
-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday:** Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-  
5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

**Next Sunday:** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13,  
15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 [9]/  
Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

## LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

**Domingo:** Gn 9, 8-15/Sal 24, 4-5. 6-7.  
8-9 [cfr. 10]/1 Pe 3, 18-22/Mc 1, 12-15

**Lunes:** 1 Pe 5, 1-4/Sal 22, 1-3. 4. 5. 6  
[1]/Mt 16, 13-19

**Martes:** Is 55, 10-11/Sal 33, 4-5. 6-7.  
16-17. 18-19 [18]/Mt 6, 7-15

**Miércoles:** Jon 3, 1-10/Sal 50, 3-4. 12  
-13. 18-19 [19]/Lc 11, 29-32

**Jueves:** Est 12, 14-16, 23-25/Sal 137,  
1-2. 2-3. 7-8 [3]/Mt 7, 7-12

**Viernes:** Ez 18, 21-28/Sal 129, 1-2. 3-  
4. 5-7. 7-8 [3]/Mt 5, 20-26

**Sábado:** Dt 26, 16-19/Sal 118, 1-2. 4-  
5. 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5, 43-48

**Domingo siguiente:** Gn 22, 1-2. 9.  
10-13. 15-18/Sal 115, 10. 15. 16-17.  
18-19/Rom 8, 31-34/Mc 9, 2-10

## LET US PRAY...

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE SUFFERING IN BODY,  
MIND OR SPIRIT BUT ESPECIALLY FOR:**

**Por favor sigan rezando por todos aquellos sufriendo física,  
mental o espiritualmente especialmente por...**

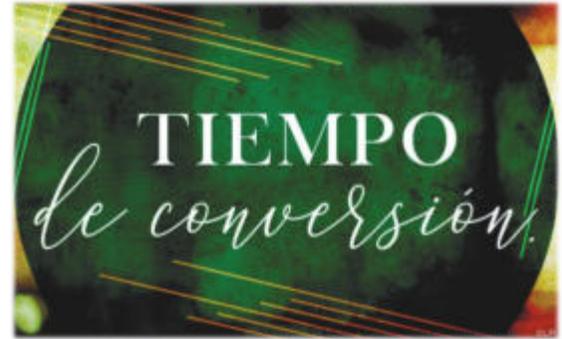
**"Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, be prayer and petition, with  
thanksgiving, make your request known to God" - Philippians 4:6**

Elizabeth Julia Burke  
John Greenwood  
Rafael Hernandez  
Christine Hackl  
Little Raymond  
Louise Reich  
Charlie Frensdorf  
Joe Buckley  
AnneMarie Juba  
Alice Bower  
Ruben Miranda

Susan Keen  
Patricia Crandall  
Tom Mc Keon  
Ventura Rivera  
Diana Suazo  
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Deanna Morris  
Marge Prunty  
Patty Hunter  
Baby Jack  
David Wiechart  
Ana Marie Teal  
Ellen Teal  
Joseph Teal  
Val Caputo

If you would like to add a name to the list please call the office and let Jennifer know.



St. Oscar Romero said, “Aspire not to have more, but to be more.” These powerful words provide the perfect framework for a conversion oriented Lenten experience. God is giving us this Lenten sign to stop being concerned about what you have and focus on who you are. This requires that we create a desert space and listen more attentively for God to reveal His presence. It is all so wonderfully simple on the one hand and so incredibly challenging on the other. The message is simple: love God, neighbor, and self. Those simple words make great sense, but we struggle translating them into reality. Our attachments, compulsions, obsessions, addictions, routines, and busyness all anchor us to the “idol of the self,” keeping us mired in our compulsive need for self-aggrandizement. It’s not about us! God vowed, long ago, to nurture, sustain and protect the relationship He has with His people. He called us into being, nurtures us in being, and sustains us in being. Without the Loving Divine Presence, all life would cease. Once we slow down a bit and clear away some of the clutter, we can see how the journey of our life is unfolding. We can see what brings us in and out of tune with God’s love and how we can better imitate God’s loving fidelity in our relationship with Him. In short, we will see our myopic short sightedness and figure out how we can better share the Divine Fire within with others. Lent isn’t just about giving stuff up for forty days and indulging again at Easter. We need to push things much farther and wrestle with the question of how we can be more. “Being more” means becoming more fully alive and in touch with the holiness of life and the divinity that lives in and empowers all beings and things. It is realizing that the “quality” of our presence is crucial to being an effective witness and herald of God’s unconditional love. The illusion we have bought into causes us to believe that the wrong things and systems matter. We tirelessly fight to keep things the way they are, to return to the former ways of doing things or restore some nostalgic fantasy memory of “life in the good old days.” Lent isn’t about maintaining what we have or returning to something that is gone. It’s about becoming something new. It’s about being more focused, centered, convicted, and grounded so that we can be a person who truly loves and treasures being made in the image of God. The secret to Gospel living is not found in accumulating anything for ourselves, even merit points for heaven. Gospel living means learning how to live with less so that others can live with more. The thought of permanently giving something up makes us feel uncomfortable. Truth often does.

Preparados o no, estamos en el primer domingo de Cuaresma. El pasado miércoles, 17 de febrero, iniciamos la Cuaresma. La Cuaresma es un tiempo para llevar a cabo más tiempo de calidad en la oración, ayuno y limosna. Estas prácticas cuaresmales ayudan a llegar a la Pascua preparados y ligeros de equipaje. Este tiempo es un llamado fuerte a la conversión. “El tiempo se ha cumplido, el Reino de Dios está cerca. Renuncien a su mal camino y crean en la Buena Nueva”. (Marcos 1:15).

El Evangelio de Marcos no explica las tentaciones de Jesús como Mateo y Lucas. Marcos solo lo especifica así: “Enseguida el Espíritu lo empujó al desierto. Estuvo cuarenta días en el desierto y fue tentado por Satanás. Vivía entre los animales salvajes y los ángeles le servían”. (Marcos 1:12-13).

“Es saludable contemplar más a fondo el misterio pascual, por el que hemos recibido la misericordia de Dios. La experiencia de la misericordia, efectivamente, es posible sólo en un ‘cara a cara’ con el Señor crucificado y resucitado ‘que me amó y se entregó por mí’. Un diálogo de corazón a corazón, de amigo a amigo. Por eso la oración es tan importante en el tiempo cuaresmal”.

El hecho de que el Señor nos ofrezca una vez más un tiempo favorable para nuestra conversión nunca debemos darlo por supuesto. Esta nueva oportunidad debería suscitar en nosotros un sentido de reconocimiento y sacudir nuestra modorra. (Tomado del Mensaje de Cuaresma del Papa Francisco 2020).

¿Qué debo sacudir de mi persona en esta Cuaresma?



# FAITH FORMATION

## Wear a bracelet throughout Lent reflecting our mantra...

**"Prayer Give Fast"**

**Donations minimum \$2.00**

(All donations goes for our food bank)

**Join us to feed the hungry, cloth the naked and feed our souls.**



## My Lenten Petition

Take if you would a card from the table in the narthex. Write down whatever cross you're carrying, or write a prayer; or write a prayer for those carrying a cross. Perhaps the cross of Covid. This petition is unique to you. Fold it and place it in the basket on the table an we will pray for those petitions this lent.



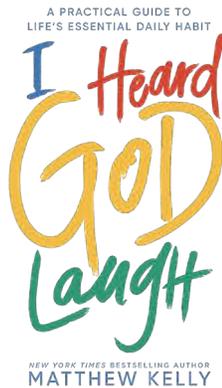
## Lent Projects

Free Book: I Heard God Laugh

This book is about prayer as well as about life. Often life doesn't turn out as we expect. How do we respond to these unexpected twists and turns in life?

With Prayer. Prayer teaches us how to respond to the unexpected. God wants to help us answer those things through our prayer.

Through lent you can help reconnect yourself and your God. Go to google and put in Mathew Kelly's Best Lent Ever to sign up for a daily email and a short video to be in companionship with the book.



## Lenten coin saver

Place your quarters into the book, fill out the back and deposit it in the box at church or the church office. All monies go to Catholic Charities/Dorothy's Corner for our families in need.



Please put your slip in the collection basket or call the parish office to give us your information if you would like your **tax letter for your 2020** contributions and donations. We will only print letters for those who would like them or need them. We can mail them to you or you may pick them up at the office when they are ready.

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The Knights of Columbus Council #5643 CURBSIDE Fish Fry will be on the following dates: 2/26; 3/5; 3/12; 3/19; and 3/26 and will be from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Fish Fry will take place by curbside pick up only at Holy Spirit Catholic Church Parking lot along side of the Parish. Adult tickets are \$10.00 and half portion kid's meal with 2 sides is \$6.00. There will be no drinks or bake goods. "All are encouraged to call ahead of time to place your order" by contacting Miriam Kennedy by calling or texting her at 863-287-9486 between the hours of 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. on the Fish Fry Friday's. If you receive a recording, please leave your full name and phone number with your order and Miriam Kennedy will return your call to confirm your order. We would like to inform everyone that is picking up orders and ordering there, that they will need to use the S. 9<sup>th</sup> St. ENTRANCE and they will EXIT on S. 8<sup>th</sup> Street. If they come to the S. 8<sup>th</sup> St. they will be directed to S. 9<sup>th</sup> Street to place their orders curbside. We are trying to keep everyone safe and not have minor collisions, etc. There will be 2 lines, 1 for ordering curbside and 1 for pre orders.

### FISH FRY ORDER FORM

Customer's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Approximate Time of Pick up: \_\_\_\_\_

Portion Size: (A for Adult or C for Child) \_\_\_\_\_

Place a Check Mark and number of dinners on the main dishes below:

#### DINNERS

Shrimp Dinner \_\_\_\_\_ Fried Fish Dinner \_\_\_\_\_

Baked Fish Dinner \_\_\_\_\_

#### Combo's:

Fried Fish w/Shrimp \_\_\_\_\_

Baked Fish w/Shrimp \_\_\_\_\_ Fried Fish w/Baked Fish \_\_\_\_\_

**Place a Check Mark on all they want below:**

#### SIDES

Corn \_\_\_\_\_ Hush Puppies \_\_\_\_\_ French Fries \_\_\_\_\_

Cole Slaw \_\_\_\_\_ Green Beans \_\_\_\_\_

Order taken by: \_\_\_\_\_

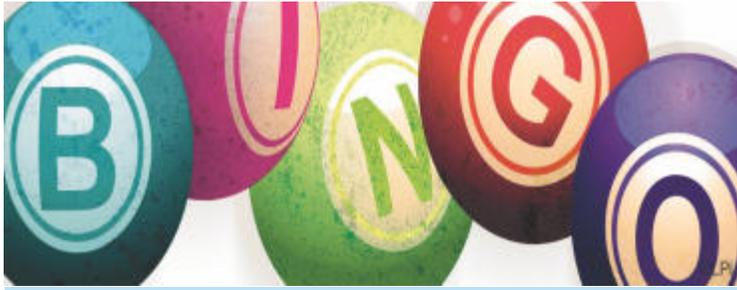
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# PARISH ACTIVITIES & NEWS



## BINGO!

Every Wednesday

Come & enjoy with us. Doors open at 10:30 am and Game starts at 12:30 pm. Amazing Prizes!

For more information please contact: **Jerry 863-949-4504.**



We want to announce that Jalbert Uceta y Yennifer Garcia are getting married in the coming months. If you have any concern please contact the parish office at 863-676-1556. Congratulations to the future couple.

## WELCOME BACK MINISTRIES...

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meets every 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:00 pm.  
Questions: [kofc5643@gmail.com](mailto:kofc5643@gmail.com).

Knights of Columbus 4th degree meetings will be held on the 4th Monday at 6:00 pm.

### THE MSGR. J. WALTER GRILL COLUMBIETTES AUXILIARY #5643

Meets every 2nd Monday for potluck dinner at 6:30pm and the meeting starts at 7:30pm. Questions: President Rosa Bailey 863-280-0203.

### SIPS OF FAITH

Meets every Sunday at 9:15 am in the Parish Center. Come join us as we open scripture. We encourage you to come see what we are all about. Everyone is welcome!

### FAITH SHARING

Meets every Saturday at 9:30 am in the School Building. Discussing upcoming Sunday readings with Deacon Joe.

### GRUPO ESPOSAS, MADRES Y AMIGAS DE STA MONICA

Todas las mujeres, madres y esposas estan invitadas a unirse a nuestro grupo de apoyo y oración. Viernes a las 7:00pm en el Auditorium de la escuela.  
Info Carmen Ibañez 863-449-1990

**ESOL** ESOL classes every Thursday from 6:00 to 7:30 in the School Building/ *Clases de Inglés gratis todos los Jueves de 6:00 a 7:30 pm.*

## Adoration!!

**Please join us! Families, including children, are invited to attend in the Church every Thursday at 11:00 am.**

## Adoración!!

**Unase a nosotros cada Jueves a las 11:00 am en la Iglesia. Toda la familia incluido niños estan invitados.**



### Question of the Week

**How will the words “repent and believe the Gospel” be at the forefront of your Lenten experience?**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & OUTREACH



## Stations of the Cross

Each Friday at 6:00 pm

## Estaciones de la Cruz

Cada Viernes a las 6:00 pm

## Penitential Service

Wednesday, March 17  
7:00 pm

## Confesiones

Miércoles, Marzo 17  
7:00 pm

## Agape Mission Market with

## Dorothy's Corner at Holy Spirit

*"If you can't feed a hundred people, then feed just one."  
Mother Theresa*

Please put any donations of these requested items in the drop boxes in the church Narthex or take to the Parish Office.

**Personal Items (Soap, Tooth Brushes & Paste)**

**Dry Groceries (Cereals, Rice, Powered Juice)**

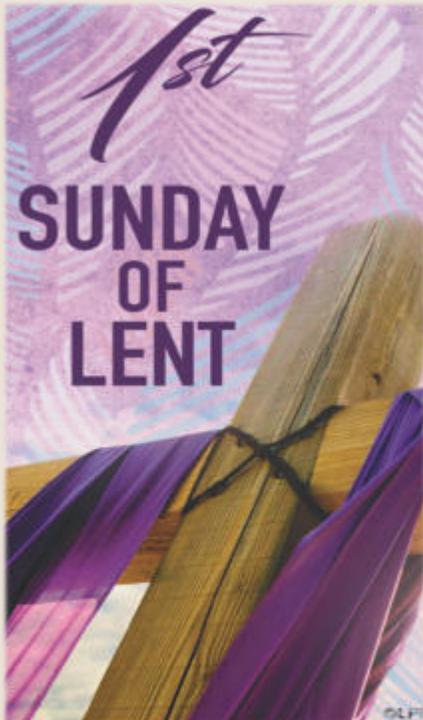
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Thursday - 9:00-11:00am and 1:00-3:00pm

1st and 3rd Fridays - 5:00-7:00pm



*Repent,  
and believe  
in the gospel.*

— MARK 1:15



## Agape Clothing Ministry

**Open Hours:** Every Friday 5:00 pm to 7:00



## PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

## HOLY SPIRIT WEEKLY COLLECTION

**NUESTRA COLECTA 2/13 & 2/14**

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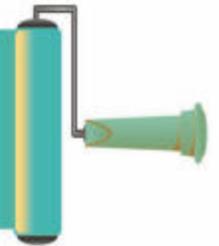
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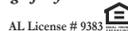
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