

## Eucharistic Schedule

*Monday, February 18, through Sunday, February 24, 2019*

**Monday, February 18**  
**7:00 a.m.**

**Mass**

**Readings: Gn 4: 1-15, 25/Mk 8: 11-13**

†Henry & Molly Perea by Frank A. Gurulé  
\*Health & well-being of Leroy Garcia by the Family  
\*Health & well-being of the Kennedy Family

**Tuesday, February 19**  
**6:00 p.m.**

**Mass**

**Readings: Gn 6: 5-8; 7: 1-5, 10/Mk 8: 14-21**

†Rosie M. Gray by Charles W. Gray  
†Daniel Fernandez by Frank A. Gurulé  
\*Spiritual well-being of Family members by Aaron Edwards

**Wednesday, February 20**  
**7:00 a.m.**

**Mass**

**Readings: Gn 8: 6-13, 20-22/Mk 8: 22-26**

†Dennis Romero  
†Rosalina C. Blea

**Thursday, February 21**  
**6:00 p.m.**  
*St. Peter Damian, Bishop  
and Doctor of the Church*

**Mass**

**Readings: Gn 9: 1-13/Mk 8: 27-33**

†Rosie M. Gray by Charles W. Gray  
†Lawrence Nieto,  
\*Health & well-being of Rosaline Sandoval by Carla Nieto

**Friday, February 22**  
**7:00 a.m.**  
*The Chair of St. Peter  
the Apostle*

**Mass**

**Readings: 1 Pt 5: 1-4/Mt 16: 13-19**

†Amelia Torres by Trinity Bowles & Betty Jo Vance

**Saturday, February 23**  
**8:00 a.m. (San Clemente)**  
*St. Polycarp, Bishop and  
Martyr*

**Mass**

**Readings: Heb 11: 1-7/Mk 9: 2-13**

†Polidor, Serafina & Alicia Chavez by the Family  
†Debra & Renee Harris by Phil & Roberta Archuleta  
†Carlos Montoya by Frank A. Gurulé

**5:30 p.m.**

**Mass**

**Readings: 1 Sm 26: 2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15: 45-49/Lk 6: 27-38**

†Macedonio C. & Angelina O. Baca by James & Missy Sanchez & Family  
†Rosie M. Gray by Charles W. Gray  
\*Intention of Chuck & Anne Blanton by Frank & Mary Sherman

**Sunday, February 24**

***SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME***

**8:00 a.m.**

**Mass**

†Vicente & Inez Otero by Helen Raff & Family  
†Polidor, Serafina & Alicia Chavez by Ambrose & Mildred Chavez  
\*Intention of the 8:00 Lectors by Phil & Jennie Jaramillo

**10:00 a.m.**

**Mass**

†Augustine Somera by the Family  
†Angela & Marie Chavez by the Family  
\*Intention of Gerald & Jonelle Armijo by Frank & Mary Sherman

**12:00 p.m.**

**Mass**

†Fred Silva by the Family  
†David, Anthony & Debbie Chavez by Lito Chavez & Family  
\*In thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus of Prague by the Burton Family

**5:30 p.m.**

**Mass**

\*For the People of San Clemente Parish



### Confession Schedule:

1/2 hour before each weekday Mass,  
3:30pm on Saturdays, or by  
appointment. No Confessions on  
Sunday or Monday.



**The Sanctuary candle this week is for**

**The intention of Dolores Pacheco & Family**

Sanctuary candles may be purchased for five dollars and will  
burn **NEXT** to the Blessed Sacrament, in the Tabernacle in the  
main church. Intentions may be written on envelopes  
located in the pamphlet rack. Please **DO NOT** use your  
contribution envelopes for this prayer offering.

**Weekly Parish Calendar***Monday, February 18, through Sunday, February 24, 2019***Monday, February 18**

6:25 a.m.		Church
4:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited	On Break
5:25 p.m.	Religious Education K-3rd	Church
6:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited	On Break
6:00 p.m.	Religious Education 3rd-6th, CIC Yr. II	On Break
	Mothers Prayer Group	

**Tuesday, February 19**

6:25 a.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
12:10 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
1:00 p.m.	Rosary Makers Group	Parish Hall
5:25 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
6:00 p.m.	Religious Education K-6th, CIC Yr. I	On Break
7:00 p.m.	Saturday 5:30 p.m. Choir practice	Church
8:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church

**Wednesday, February 20**

6:25 a.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
10:00 a.m.	Lectio Divina - <i>Praying through the scriptures</i>	Parish Hall
12:10 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
5:30 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
6:30 p.m.	Pre-confirmation, Confirmation Yr. I and II	On Break
8:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church

**Thursday, February 21**

6:25 a.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
10:00 a.m.	Legion of Mary	St. Therese Building
12:10 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
4:00 p.m.	Parenting Class	Parish Hall
5:25 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
6:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m. Choir Practice	Parish Hall
7:00 p.m.	RCIA and Adult Confirmation Class	Parish Hall/ North Wing
8:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church

**Friday, February 22**

6:25 a.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
7:00 a.m.	Mass	Church
12:10 p.m.	Rosary Recited	Church

**Saturday, February 23**

7:25 a.m./8:00 a.m.	Rosary Recited/Mass	<i>San Clemente</i> Church
8:00 a.m.	Women's Day of Reflection	Church & Parish Hall
6:45 p.m. (following 5:30 Mass)	Rosary Recited	Church

**Sunday, February 24**

7:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m. Choir Practice	Parish Hall
7:00 a.m.	Rosary Recited	Church
9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m. Choir Practice	Parish Hall
4:00 p.m.	Youth Choir Practice	Gathering Room
5:00 p.m.	Rosary Recited/Life Teen	Church/Parish Hall



FAITH FORMATION FOR  
ADULTS, YOUTH & CHILDREN

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE:  
865-9370

OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY : 1 PM TO 3PM  
TUESDAY : 1 PM TO 5 PM  
WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY: 9 AM TO 5 PM

CLOSED ON FRIDAYS

## LITURGY CORNER

**This week let's go to Holy Scripture:** Matthew 16:18-19—*And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.* Matthew 18:17-18—*If he refuses to listen to them, tell the church. If he refuses to listen even to the church, then treat him as you would a Gentile or a tax collector. Amen, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.* Mark 16:15-16—*He said to them, "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned.* 1 Timothy 3:15—*...you should know how to behave in the household of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and foundation of truth.* Matthew 26:26—*While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins. ..."* Jesus left us the Church through Saint Peter the first Pope, through the Apostles the first priests and bishops, and gave them the sacraments, especially Baptism, Reconciliation, and Eucharist through which we find our salvation and hope. *Have a good week in the Risen Lord,*  
*Gay Snell*

*"I shall spend every moment loving. One who loves does not notice her trials; or perhaps more accurately, she is able to love them."*

—Saint Bernadette Soubirous

Religious Education classes will not meet this week, February 18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> in observance of President's Day.

3<sup>rd</sup> grade and CIC II Parents: Students will have a prayer test during class on February 25<sup>th</sup> or 26<sup>th</sup>.

Confirmation Year II Parents: Year II students have a prayer test during class on February 27<sup>th</sup>.

**We Need Your Help!**

We are asking for donations of snacks for the Confirmation Year II Retreat which takes place on March 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019. We would appreciate bottled water, granola bars, chips, etc. Donations may be brought to the Religious Education office.

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament* is scheduled for the noon hour each Monday through Thursday during Lent.

We will also have *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament* every Friday during Lent following the 7:00 a.m. Mass. Benediction will take place at 5:45 p.m., Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

Please sign up for Adoration for at least one hour each Friday. It is important that there are enough adorers and that Our Lord is *never* left alone.

It is also important that no one is left by themselves during their Holy Hour.

Soup and Scripture is back!

Join us in the Parish Hall after the Stations of the Cross for "Meatless Soup" and Scripture.

If you would like to learn more about *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*, or to sign up for a specific time, please call the Parish Office at 865-7385. You can also look for the clipboard in the entrance of the church, to sign up.

*Please think and pray about what your Lenten devotions will include this season.*

**St. Vincent de Paul  
960 Main Street Los Lunas**

**Open:** Monday - Thursday  
**Closed:** Friday, Saturday & Sunday

**Food Distribution hours:**  
12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

**Store hours:**  
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Any food or clothing donations accepted.



**Drop off locations:**

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
(during business hours)

**San Clemente Parish Office**  
(during business hours)

**San Clemente Church Collection Baskets**  
(located at the entrance of the church)

Please do not drop off donations after  
business hours!

**GABRIEL PROJECT**

The **Parenting Class** model is  
well-established!

*Thank you and God bless you!*

**Learn new additional parenting techniques.**

Parenting classes are held on **Thursday at  
4:00 pm** in the San Clemente Parish Hall.

**All are welcome!**

**February Class Schedule**

Feb. 21st - Feelings, Owning and  
Communicating

Feb. 28th - Nutrition on a budget!



We need volunteers on Thursday afternoons to help with meal preparation and childcare. If you can help please call 865-7385 and leave a message for Julie. We help anyone who is pregnant and families who are in need of baby equipment throughout Valencia County.

**We are in need of diapers sizes 2, 3, 4, & 5 and baby wipes.** If you are able to help with these items, you can drop them off at the Parish Office during business hours.

***Thank you, Our Lady of Guadalupe and San Clemente Parishes, for your generous donations to Gabriel Project/Project Gabriel Parenting Classes.***



**Life Teen is a Catholic High School Youth Ministry.**

We meet almost every Sunday from 6:45 – 8:30 PM in the Parish Hall. All teens are welcome to join us.

**Feb 17 - Life Night**

**Feb 24 - Life Night**

Please Help! We need help feeding our growing teens!  
Please consider donating a meal for our Life Teen nights.  
Sign up at [signupgenius.com](http://signupgenius.com) or give Dawn a call at 505-507-0214. Thank you! God bless you, Dawn



If you or someone you know would like to join the **Knights of Columbus** Council 9340, please call Ken Cable at:

**505- 865-6145**



**The Columbian Squires**

is an international youth fraternity run by the Knights of Columbus for Catholic boys between the ages of 12 and 18.

If you or someone you know would like to join the Squires, please call Gabriel Landstedt at:

**505-565-2793**

Calling all Women! You are invited to a Women's Day of Reflection on *Suffering* on Saturday, February 23. It begins with Mass at San Clemente at 8:00 AM and ends at 1:00 PM. It will be a beautiful day of reflection, discussion, and a special service. Registration is \$10.00. You can register at the Parish Office. If you have any questions, please call Marie Kemmeren at 505-379-5163.

*Hope to see you there!*

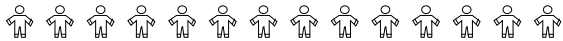


**Calling all Ushers!**

You have graciously offered your services to the Church here at the Parish of San Clemente, and you are appreciated!

There will be a *mandatory meeting* for all Ushers and for anyone interested in serving in this ministry.

Wednesday, February 27  
6:00 PM in the Church.



**Last chance to buy Calcutta Building Fund-raiser tickets! This weekend after all Masses or at the Parish Office. Deadline for all ticket sales will be Monday, February 25th. Please turn in all money and /or any unsold tickets to the Parish Office by this date! Thank you.**

***The Saint John Paul II Adoration Chapel***

at San Clemente Parish is available to all adorers and can be accessed by calling the Parish Office.

**505-865-7385.**

***“O most sweet God of my life and the only love of my soul, your overabundance of mercy has led me through the many obstacles I have placed in the way of your love”.***

**—St. Gertrude the Great**

**March 2019 Baptism Class Dates**

March 9, 2019 Part I  
March 16, 2019 - Part II

**Classes are held in the Parish Hall at 7:00 pm.** Attendance is required at *both* classes for parents and sponsors for completion of Baptism requirements.

**There has been tremendous overflow from the Annunciation House and other shelters in El Paso into the Las Cruces Community. The Diocese of Las Cruces and Catholic Charities need your support!**

**Local ways to help:**

**80 twin sheet sets  
80 twin blankets  
(new or gently used)**

These can be dropped off in Albuquerque at Catholic Charities' In-kind Donation Center at 3600 Osuna Blvd . NE #519. We are open Tuesday, from 9:30 to noon.

Deadline for drop off is Thursday, Feb. 28, 2019

Or

**Become a String Bag Sponsor**

Every week, they distribute over 50 string bags to families & children. To learn how to become a bag sponsor, contact Kathy Freeze at 505-724-4678 or [freezek@ccasfnm.org](mailto:freezek@ccasfnm.org)

**BRING THE VOCATIONS CHALICE TO YOUR HOME**

Many of you have enjoyed the privilege of hosting the Vocations Chalice in your home. We are currently seeking individuals or families who would also welcome the Vocations Chalice in their home. When you bring the chalice home, we ask that you pray in front of it daily for the intention of vocations. You will be given a pamphlet with prayer ideas and intentions you might include in your prayers. If you are interested in hosting the Vocations Chalice, please call the parish office at 865-7385, and leave a message for Ann Krom.



## Preparing for Lent

If you have *blest palms* from last year's Palm Sunday, please do not throw them away; bring them to church to be burned. Baskets will be available at the entrance of the church.



### Lenten Schedule

Ash Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>  
Mass & Distribution of Ashes at  
6:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:00 p.m.  
and 7:00 p.m.

### **Daily Mass Schedule during Lent:**

Monday and Wednesday 7:00 a.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday 6:00 p.m.  
Friday at 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.



### The Season of Lent A Journey to Holiness

*Go and learn the meaning of the words,  
"I desire mercy, not sacrifice."  
—Matthew 9: 13*

Each year when we start thinking about Lent, we often seem initially drawn to the concepts of sacrifice and self-denial. These issues are significant, but they are neither the starting point nor the end of the season. The goal of Lent, in fact, is quite the opposite. Lent is first and foremost a time, not for diminishment, but for growth and development. We should aspire to expand our hearts, enlarge our souls, and enrich our minds. Perhaps the meaning of the Lord's words is this—God prefers a full heart to an empty stomach.

### The First Goal of Lent

*I came so that they might have life and  
have it more abundantly.  
—John 10: 10*

The first question we often ask is, "what should I give up for Lent?" Perhaps instead we might begin by asking: "What do I need for Lent?" or "What is missing from my life?" The first goal of Lent is holiness and the meaning of holiness is wholeness. Such holiness is measured, not by the scale of our deprivation, but by the fullness of our life in Christ. Lent is a time to seek the real gifts we lack: **patience, joy, trust, and compassion.** True blessedness does not arrive by denying our craving for chocolate, but by fulfilling our hunger for righteousness.

### The Tools of Lent

*You are anxious and worried about many  
things. There is need of only one thing.  
—Luke 10: 41-42*

Once we determine what we lack, only then do we turn to the question of self-denial. The human heart and soul are much like our computers and garages; they fill up with junk very quickly. The role of self-sacrifice is to discard the superfluous in order to clear space for life's real treasures. We live in a culture that is often distracted by noise, materialism, and self-absorption. We use the three disciplinary tools of Lent—**prayer, fasting, and almsgiving**—to open our hearts and minds to others and to make room in our lives for God.

### ~ FINANCIAL REPORT ~

Sunday, February 10, 2019

General Collection	\$ 7,491.00
Building Fund Phase II	\$ 1,845.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 1,062.00
San Antonio	\$ 20.00

The Parish and Religious Education Offices will be closed Monday, February 18<sup>th</sup> in observance of Presidents Day.

We will re-open on Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>.

*Have a safe Holiday  
Weekend!*

