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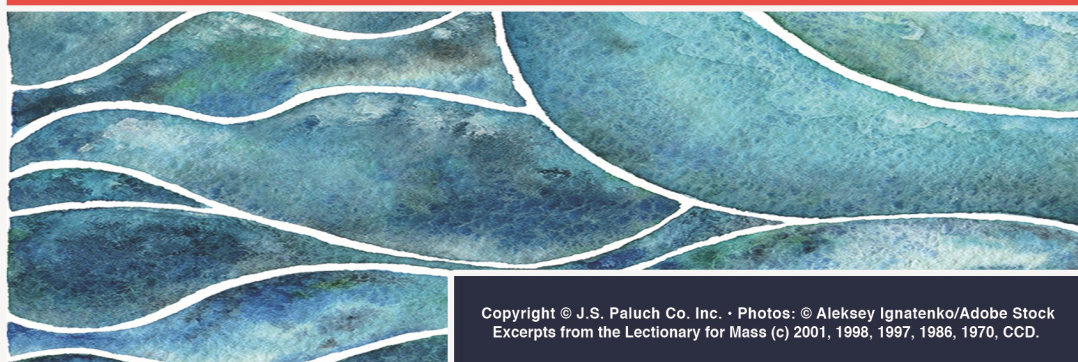


SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

If you trust in God, you too shall live;
God has set before you fire and water;
to whichever you choose,
stretch forth your hand.

SIRACH 15:15-16

FEBRUARY
16 2020



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Most Reverend

Gustavo García-Siller, M.Sp.S
Archbishop of San Antonio

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SATURDAY / SABADO

8:00a.m. Sabatina (Español)

5:00p.m. (English)

SUNDAY / DOMINGO

6:00a.m.	(Español)
8:00 a.m.	(Español Televised)
10:00 a.m.	(English)
12:00 p.m.	(Español)
2:00 p.m.	(English)
5:00 p.m.	(Bilingual)

MONDAY/LUNES | THURSDAY/JUEVES

12:05 p.m.	(Bilingual)
5:30pm	(Bilingual)

FRIDAY / VIERNES

12:05 p.m. (Bilingual)
Every First Friday of the Month
Mass/Benediction

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm
Closed for Lunch 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Parish Office (210) 227-1297

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER VICTOR UN MENSAJE DE PARTE DEL PADRE VICTOR

February 16, 2020

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Paul speaks of both the "wisdom of this age" and the "rulers of this age." He refers specifically to the so-called wise people and institutions responsible for unjustly condemning Jesus to death. As we mourn the human sin that killed Jesus two thousand years ago, we also consider contemporary errors and evils that wound the Body of Christ in our own age. We easily recognize the crimes of our leaders. Religious, corporate, and government institutions have inflicted suffering on countless innocent souls. The depth of our modern-day failures threatens us with despair. But Jesus calls us to renewed faithfulness and hope. Jesus tells us to "surpass" our leaders in righteousness. He instructs us to simplify our own lives: "Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one." We are right to work against the sins of our leaders, but we must also scrutinize our own lives and make peace with our families, neighbors, and coworkers.



PASSING AWAY

There is some urgency in Christ's call to holiness. Everything in this age is passing away. Jesus' call is timely and radical, pleading with us to drop other business and make reconciliation a priority. The Lord actually says to "leave your gift at the altar" and return to worship after making peace with the adversaries in our lives. Jesus is deadly serious about the need for reconciliation and righteousness, insisting that nothing—not even our eyes and arms—are worth more than love. All of today's readings reflect on the deep connection between God's law and healthy, peaceful love. As Saint Paul says in Romans 13:10, "love is the fulfillment of the law." Here in the twenty-first century, we modern disciples of Christ can cultivate that mystery deep in our hearts, nurturing the tremendous twin gifts of God's love and God's law, offered to us freely to help us sustain a healthy and holy Body of Christ.

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Very Rev. Victor Valdez
Rector

16 de febrero de 2020

Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

San Pablo habla tanto de la "sabiduría de este tiempo" como de "aquellos que dominan al mundo". Él se refiere específicamente a los sabios y las instituciones responsables de condenar injustamente a muerte a Jesús. Aunque nos lamentamos el pecado humano que mató a Jesús hace dos mil años, también consideramos errores y males actuales que hieren el cuerpo de Cristo en nuestro tiempo. Fácilmente reconocemos los crímenes de nuestros líderes. Religiosos, empresariales e instituciones gubernamentales han causado sufrimiento en incontables almas inocentes. La profundidad de nuestros fracasos actuales nos amenaza con el desánimo. Pero Jesús nos llama a una fidelidad y esperanza renovadas. Jesús nos dice que "superemos" a nuestros líderes en la justicia. Él nos instruye a simplificar nuestras propias vidas. "Deja que tu 'sí' sean un 'sí' y tu 'no' sea un 'no'. Cualquier otra cosa viene del mal." Estamos en lo correcto cuando trabajamos en contra de los pecados de nuestros líderes, pero también debemos analizar nuestras propias vidas y hacer las paces con nuestras familias, vecinos y compañeros de trabajo.

AL FALLECER

Hay algo de urgencia en la invitación de Cristo a la santidad. Todo en este tiempo muere. La llamada de Jesús es oportuna y radical, una súplica para dejar otros asuntos y hacer una prioridad la reconciliación. El Señor de hecho dice "deja tu ofrenda en el altar" y regresa a la alabanza después de que hagas las paces con tus adversarios de nuestra vida. Jesús toma muy en serio la necesidad de reconciliación y justicia, insistiendo que nada, ni siquiera nuestros ojos y brazos, valen más que el amor. Todas las lecturas de hoy muestran la profunda conexión entre la ley de Dios y un amor saludable y pacífico. Como dice san Pablo en Romanos 13:10 "el amor es la plenitud de la ley". Aquí en el siglo XXI, nosotros, discípulos modernos de Cristo podemos cultivar ese misterio profundo en nuestros corazones, alimentando los enormes dones gemelos del amor de Dios y su ley, ofrecida a nosotros libremente para ayudarnos a sostener un cuerpo de Cristo santo y saludable.

Mass Collections for the week of
February 8th & 9th - \$ 10, 802.34



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2020

- 8:00 a.m. SFC Staff and their families
- 5:00 p.m. +Noah Mungia (Birthday) Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020

- 6:00 a.m. For the homebound
- 8:00 a.m. Parish Community & Televised Viewers
- 10:00 a.m. +Choco Gonzalez Meza Daniel Meza & Family
+Frank Talamontez Rosie Nuñez
- 12:00 p.m. +Rosa Soto Familia
+Felipe Banderas Familia
- 2:00 p.m. +CMSgt. Jose M.R. Avila USAF, Ret. Mrs. Eloise Avila (Wife) & Children
- 5:00 p.m. For the Sick

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2020

- 12:05 p.m. For the Parish Community
- 5:30 p.m. For the homebound

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2020

- 12:05 p.m. For the sick
- 5:30 p.m. Communion Service

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2020

- 12:05 a.m. +Elvira Gonzales Family
- 5:30 p.m. For the elderly

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2020

- 12:05 p.m. SFC Staff and their families
- 5:30 p.m. Communion Service

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2020

- 12:05 p.m. For the Parish Community

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2020

- 8:00 a.m. +Carmen Zendejas Barrera Friends of Roy Barrera Sr. & Family

READINGS OF THE WEEK

First Reading — God allows us to make choices, but we are not to choose injustice or sinfulness (Sirach 15:15-20).

Psalm — Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord! (Psalm 119).

Second Reading — God's wisdom is mysterious and hidden (1 Corinthians 2:6-10).

Gospel — Jesus has come not to abolish but to fulfill the law and the prophets (Matthew 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]).

- Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76; Mk 8:11-13
- Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a; 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21
- Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26
- Thursday: Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-7; Mk 8:27-33
- Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 8:34 — 9:1
- Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
- Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Primera lectura — Dios nos permite tomar decisiones, pero no debemos optar por la injusticia o el pecado (Sirácide 15:16-21).

Salmo — Dichosos los que caminan en la voluntad del Señor (Salmo 119 [118]).

Segunda lectura — La sabiduría de Dios es misteriosa y escondida (1 Corintios 2:6-10).

Evangelió — Jesús no ha venido a abolir la ley ni los profetas, sino a darles plenitud (Mateo 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]).

- Lunes: Stgo 1:1-11; Sal 119 (118):67-68, 71-72, 75-76; Mc 8:11-13
- Martes: Stgo 1:12-18; Sal 94 (93):12-13a; 14-15, 18-19; Mc 8:14-21
- Miércoles: Stgo 1:19-27; Sal 15 (14):2-4ab, 5; Mc 8:22-26
- Jueves: Stgo 2:1-9; Sal 34 (33):2-7; Mc 8:27-33
- Viernes: Stgo 2:14-24, 26; Sal 112 (111):1-6; Mc 8:34 — 9:1
- Sábado: 1 Pe 5:1-4; Sal 23 (22):1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
- Domingo: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

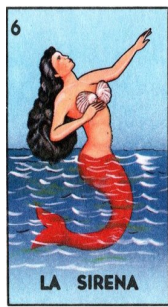
PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Guadalupe G. Rodriguez	Marta L. Celarie	Carmen M. Calderon
Manuel Val dez	Maria Y. Torres	Carlos Francisco Alvarez Uribe
Maria Estel Garza	Ruben Alfaro	Vicky Tesillo
George Aguilar	Stephanie Luna	Victor T. Castillo
Bertha Lopez	Robert Scheffel	Gloria Pastrano
Maria De Carmen Garza	Margarita Velasquez	Maria Elena Martinez
Carolyn Wright	Jesse Vera	Beatrice Ramirez
Rosie Heredia	Grace Herrera	Sylvia Trujillo
Mireya Perez	JoAnn Pena	Gloria Munoz
Guadalupe Valdez	Judy Bloom	Dolores Villarreal
Ruben Corpus	Nicholas Garcia Jr.	Javier Villarreal
Amy Webber	Charles Garcia	Maria Carmen Villarreal
Ty Cline	Ella Treat	Tim Settles Martinez
Margo Lago	Debbie Ruiz	Rosa Settles Martinez
Vela	German Ortiz	Maria Del Refugio Hinojosa
Maria Regina Vidal	Sara Verrones	Roberta Garza
Jacob Garza	Theresa Tovar	Janie Rodriguez Martinez
Maria Cardenas	Stephanie Luna	Hector Amigo
Rosa T. Sanchez	Magaly Hernandez	Guadalupe Valdez
	Rosie Rendon	

WOMEN'S ACTS

¡Lotería!



**SAVE
THE
DATE**



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH, 2020

1:30PM | San Fernando Ballroom
Food, Beverages, Friends and Fun!!

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS ONLINE
SFCATHEDRAL.ORG/LOTERIA — \$10.00

The Hijas de Maria

**The Hijas de Maria will be having a trip to
The Basilica de San Juan de Valle
Progreso, Mex**

Sunday, March 1, 2020
Fee: \$50.00 per person (round trip)
Bus Departs from San Francisco di Paola
parking lot at 5am
Returning to the same location
between 10pm & 10:30pm

For more information please call:
Gloria Gonzalez at 210-533-7475 or
Gloria Torres at 210-223-2515

Please join the Hijas de Maria de San Fernando for a
fun filled trip with Mass at the Basilica and then lots of
shopping in Progreso, Mex. **PASSPORT NEEDED**



PARISH MEETINGS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Parish Ministries | Meeting Times

CONFESSIONS | CONFESIONES

Everyday from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

ADORATIONS

Wednesday from 6:30pm - 7:30pm

BAPTISM/BAUTISMOS | MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIO

Please contact the Parish Office

Favor de llamar a la oficina | 210.227.1297

Hijas de Maria (Junta en Español/Spanish)

1st Sunday of the Month
11:00am - La Sala (Above Poblanos)
Contact: Gloria Gonzalez
210-533-7475

Knights of Columbus -(English)

2nd Wednesday of the Month
6:30pm - San Juan Room
231 W Commerce
Contact: George Ramos
210-772-3417

Guadalupe Society -(English)

3rd Saturday of the Month
9:30am - Cathedral Choir Room
(Above Gift Shop)
Contact: Maggie Marroquin
214-605-9124

Teen Ministry

1st Sunday after 2pm Mass
3:15pm - La Sala
Ages: 13-18
Contact: Fr. Tom
210-227-1297 ext. 124

Grupo de Oracion

Every Tuesday (Junta en Español)
7:00pm - Concepcion Room
Contact: Rosa Escobedo
210-717-2612
Contact: Rosa Escobedo

Holy Hour

Every Wednesday
6:30pm - 7:30pm - Cathedral

Chorale

Every Wednesday
7:00pm - 8:15pm
Cathedral Choir Rm

Mariachi Choir Practice

Every Thursday
6:30pm - 9pm - San Jose Rm

Coro Sagrado

Every Thursday
7:00pm - 8:00pm
Cathedral Choir Rm

Knots of Hope -(Prayer Quilt Group)

3rd Thursday of the Month
2:00pm - 4:30pm - Concepcion Rm
Contact: Cati Reyna
210-758-9948

Wedding Rehearsals

Every Friday
5:00pm & 6:00pm - Cathedral

Gift Shop Hours

Monday - Saturday

Sunday

Gift Shop:

Gift Shop Fax:

9:00am - 5:00pm

8:30am - 3:30pm

(210) 357-5608

Fax: (210) 444-1854

(210) 223-7854

FEBRUARY

UPCOMING EVENTS

2020 Archbishop's Appeal Prayer
Accompany with Joy, Give with Grace

Lord God,

Who sent your Son as our way, our truth and our life, we thank you for your presence within us that challenges, loves, and leads us in service to your people.

With your grace, help us find courage to accompany our brothers and sisters in need, as we are the Body of Christ,

Inspire in us the desire to give of ourselves in order to manifest your presence to the world, especially through our gifts to the Archbishop's Appeal.

Grateful for your many blessings, help us to share them generously for your glory.

Bless and multiply our gifts to the 2020 Archbishop's Appeal, may we humbly follow the teachings of Your Son, Jesus Christ, to accompany others with love and kindness, live together in peace, and one day attain everlasting happiness in Heaven.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.



WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

| 3.12 – 3.15



Adoration • Community • Theology • Service

Now Accepting Applications!
REGISTER ONLINE
SFCATHEDRAL.ORG/ACTS

RETREATANT INFORMATION

Name: _____
 Number: _____
 E-mail: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
 DOB: _____ RELIGION: _____
 SAN FERNANDO PARISHONER (Y/N)
 IF NO, WHAT PARISH: _____
 SPONSOR: _____

To guarantee your reservation, please submit a complete registration form available online at sfcathedral.org/ACTS along with a \$50.00 deposit to San Fernando Cathedral. Full payment of \$180.00 is due by February 29th, 2020. Only cash will be accepted beginning March 1, 2020. Cancellation will result in forfeiture of funds. Please note that priority is given to parishioners of San Fernando Cathedral.

Questions about the CTS Retreat? Please contact Amy Farmer at 210.392.8905 or Maggie Marroquin at 214.605.9124

LENTEN FAITH SHARING | **2.27.20**
GATHERING

SIX WEEKS OF LENT

Lent is a special time. It's six weeks in our church life that we're given to spend with God and each other. It is a time to reflect on His goodness and His message in the Lenten Scriptures we'll read. Let us come together in prayer as the faith family we are to share our faith journey reflecting on His teachings and see how these come alive within us. In this way we continue to build our spiritual life within our community during the Lenten season.

At San Fernando Cathedral we'll first gather on Thursday after Ash Wednesday, Feb 27, 2020, in the Sala from 6:30 to 8:30 pm and continue to meet the following Thursdays. Please take the elevator to 2nd floor, exit turning left to La Sala.

We hope to see you!



19TH ANNUAL LEADERSHIP LUNCHEON | **3.24.20**

CTS A CATHOLIC TELEVISION OF SAN ANTONIO **19TH ANNUAL LEADERSHIP LUNCHEON**

2020 HONOREES

SISTER SUSAN MIKA, OSB
 LEADERSHIP in COMMUNICATION AWARD

BISHOP EMERITUS JOHN W. YANTA
 LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

BISHOP MICHAEL J. BOULETTE, D.MIN.
 ST. JOHN VIANNEY AWARD

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2020 AT ST. PAUL COMMUNITY CENTER, 1201 DONALDSON

FOR TICKET INFO CALL TERI PALOS (210) 734-1938 OR TERESA.PALOS@ARCHSA.ORG



OUR COMMUNITY

Congratulations



ZULEMA And ERNEST MUÑIZ

Recipients of the 2020
Lumen Gentium Award,
San Fernando Cathedral

Mr. and Mrs. Muñiz have been parishioners for over 50 years at San Fernando Cathedral.

They are faithful and dedicated parishioners who have served the community of San Fernando with great love.

They are the definition of good and faithful stewards, giving of their time, talent, and treasure.

Thank you from,

San Fernando Cathedral and Parishioners

Congratulations

As this couple began their new journey as husband and wife this weekend on Saturday, **February 22, 2020** we ask the Parish Community to please keep them in prayer as they continue to walk with each other with our Lord Jesus Christ as their spiritual guide. On this new journey of marriage may they always cherish and love one another and to always remember that love is patient, love is kind, it is not jealous, nor pompous. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things and endures all things. Love never fails.
(1 Corinthians 12)

May God bless you all always!!!

Christopher Staton & Elaine M. Candelaria



HISTORIC CHARM IN THE HEART OF SAN ANTONIO

SAN FERNANDO CATHEDRAL

WEDDINGS | BAPTISMS | QUINCEÑERAS



EXPERIENCE THE CATHEDRAL

Founded in 1731, the historic Cathedral continues to host thousands of visitors each year. The oldest cathedral sanctuary in the United States, the mother church of San Antonio's Archdiocese, also the cultural and geographic center of San Antonio. Surrounded by its distinctive carvings, the nave is a beautiful and glorious space adorned by stained glass windows and Gothic style architecture.



**BOOKING NOW FRIDAY
CEREMONIES AT 2PM,
BEGINNING IN MAY 2020!**

2020 Available Saturday Dates!

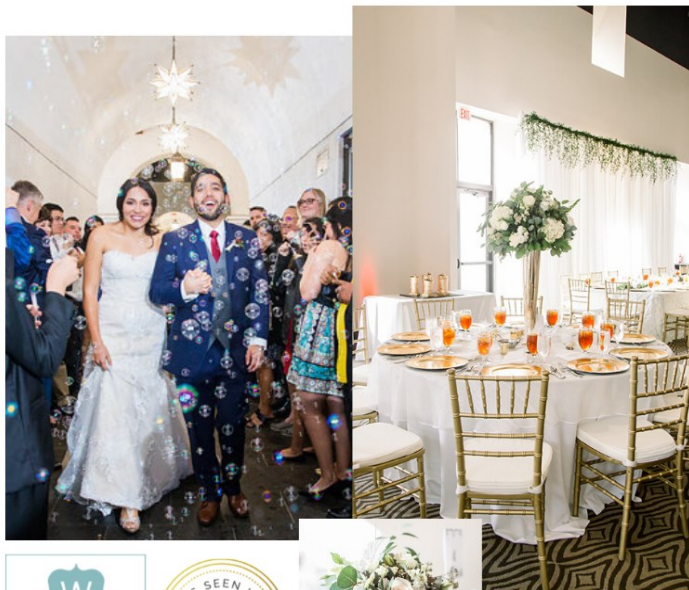
March 7th - 7pm
March 14th - 7pm
March 28th - 7pm

April 4th - 12noon
April 18th - 7pm

May 2nd - 7pm
May 23rd - 12noon
May 30th - 7pm

THE VENUES AT SAN FERNANDO

SAN ANTONIO'S DESTINATION FOR YOUR NEXT EVENT!
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COMMUNITY



ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU
KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

RCIA

- Has never been baptized?
- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

In our Cathedral, we have a program or process to prepare the people to receive the sacraments of initiation and to become full members of our Catholic Church. This process is called Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for children or youth.

This journey will begin Tuesday, September 10, 2019, at 7:00 pm in the Cafe. If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested, please contact the parish office and ask for Lupita Mandujano (210-227-1297) or Dr. Ramon Figueroa (210-872-3518).

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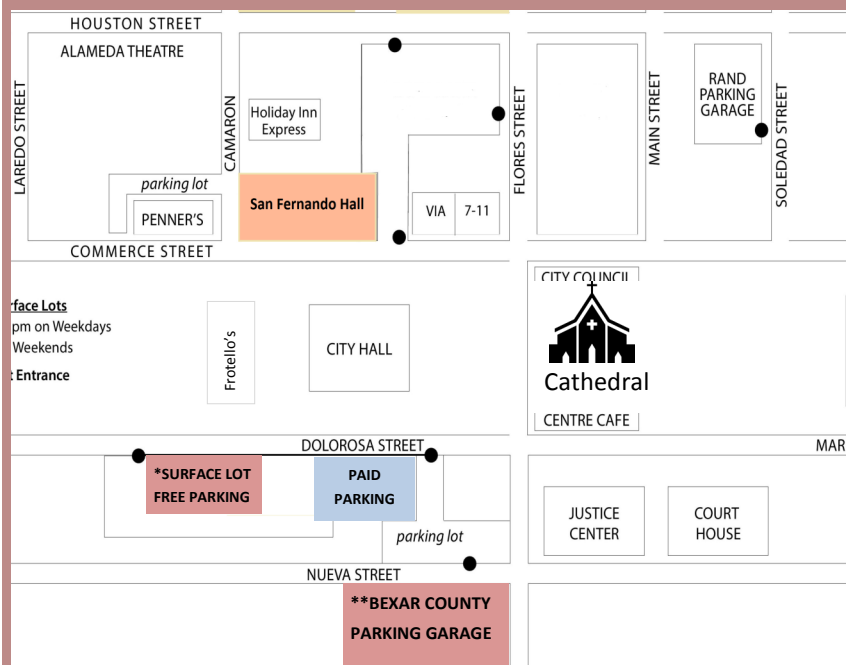


- Nunca ha sido bautizado?
- Ha expresado interés en ser miembro activo de la Iglesia Católica?
- Tiene un niño(a) de más de 7 años de edad y nunca ha sido bautizado?
- Fue bautizado de niño(a) y nunca recibió los sacramentos de Confirmación y Primera Comunión?

Si este es su caso, los invitamos a que participen en el proceso que se llama Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos o RCIA por sus siglas en Ingles. Este programa o proceso preparara a estas personas que necesitan recibir los sacramentos de iniciación para que puedan convertirse en miembros activos de nuestra comunidad de fe. Durante el proceso, ofrecemos la oportunidad de aprender más sobre nuestra fe. Las sesiones se concentran en las enseñanzas y prácticas de nuestra iglesia Católica. El RCIA los preparara para celebrar los sacramentos del Bautismo, Confirmación y Primera Comunión durante la Pascua. Tenemos sesiones separadas para niños, adolescentes y adultos. Las sesiones se ofrecen en Ingles y en español.

Esta jornada va comenzar el Martes 10 de septiembre a las 7:00 pm en el Café. Si necesita más información, pueden comunicarse a la oficina parroquial y preguntar por la Sra. Lupita Mandujano (210-227-1297) o con el Dr. Ramón Figueroa (210-872-3518).

San Fernando Cathedral Parking During Mass



There are 2 parking options for mass:

* **First Option**— Surface lot on Dolorosa before Flores St. (approx. 70 spaces). There is no fee.

****Second Option**— Bexar County Parking Garage on Flores St.

For this garage, you must present your ticket per instructions below to receive complimentary pass:

Available for pick up at the Gift Shop on Sundays after Mass Times: 8am, 10am, 12noon, and 2pm.

5PM Mass Times for Saturdays and Sundays. Tickets available from Mass Coordinators only.

Garage ticket must be presented prior to receiving a complimentary ticket.

San Francesco di Paola Catholic Church

Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:30pm (English)
Sunday 11:00am (English)
Domingo 1:30pm (Español)

Lay Ministry

Pat Watters

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Jo Ann Scrivano

Deacon Jesse Nuñez

Altar and Rosary Society

Deborah P. Walton

San Franciscani Society

Henry F. Garcia

Amen I say to you,
until heaven and
earth pass away,
not the smallest
letter or the
smallest part of
a letter will pass
from the law.

Matthew 5:18

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



February 16, 2020



Baptisms/Bautismos - Baptism Classes and required documents are needed. Please contact Mimi Solis at office for more information and dates.

Marriage/Matrimonios & Quinceañera's - Must be scheduled at least 6 months prior to the wedding or quinceañera date upon availability of the Parish. Paperwork, documents, and requirements must be met before marriage or quinceañera's are celebrated. Please contact Veronica Alvarez at 210-227-1297 ext. 131

Funerals - Contact the Parish Office

Mass Intentions/Names for Prayer of the Sick- can be made at parish during the week-end mass with the envelopes provided or you may contact the parish office.

Mass Intentions should be made at least three weeks in advance if the intentions are to be put into the bulletin.

Sick and Homebound-For any Parishioner, Family Members or Friends who are sick or homebound and are in need of the Eucharist please contact: Phil Grazier (210) 216-8160.

Pastor - Very Rev. Victor Valdez
205 Piazza Italia

Parish Office Mailing Address - P. O. Box 7783, San Antonio, TX 78207
Office: (210) 227-0548 Fax: (210) 226-5086
www.catholicearth.com/sanfrancescodipaola



The Sanctuary Lamp for **FEBRUARY** will shine for:
+ **Sammy Scrivano**



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2020

5:30p.m. +Marie Sireilles Lottie and Sister

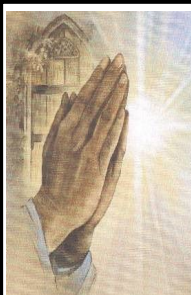
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020

11:00a.m. +Sammy Scrivano Jo Ann Scrivano and Family
+ John B. Monaco Joe and Pasty Monaco

1:30p.m. Para La Comunidad de San Francisco

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2020

5:30p.m. Roel R Soliz



**Please pray for those who are sick
and in need of healing graces/Por
favor oren por los enfermos**

Angelina & Ivan Hinojosa
Alexis Kimberly Garcia
Ralph B. Torres
Loretta Gutierrez
Mariana Gaspar
Tamara Lee Young
M. del Carmen Sanchez
Mario Reyes
Janie Miller
Annie Pantusa
Patrick John Meyers
Sharon Anderson
Kathy Greco
Frank Pantuso

Josephine Garza,
Mariah Chanel Torres
Leonard & Regina Lee
Jorge Faria VanDune
John Tia
Joseph Roberto Moreno
Mike Casanovan
Cynthianna Martinez
Frances Ponzio
Rivera Noah Martinez
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Sammy Greco
Joe Monaco
Roel R Soliz

SAN FRANCISCO DI PAOLA ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

**INVITES YOU TO A BUNCO
PARTY!**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2020

12:30 PM | CCIS Hall (downstairs)
Cost: \$12.00
Food Served



Make check payable to
SFPD Altar & Rosary Society
(Your check is your reservation)

Mail check by Wednesday, February 19 to:

Rose Marie Pagonis
331 Craigmont Lane | San Antonio, TX 78213

SEE YOU THERE!

WEEKLY MASS COLLECTIONS

Most Recent Week	Same Week Last Year
\$ 2, 505.00	\$ 3, 649.00
2.2.20	2.4.19
2019 Collections to Date	2019 Collections Budget
\$ 61, 351.77	\$100, 000

NOTE: Fiscal Year (FY) is from July 1, 2019—June 30th, 2020.



For ordering of flowers in honor of a loved one to decorate our beautiful church the cost is \$60 for one large or \$60 for two small arrangements. Please make checks payable to:

Flowers by Grace. Thank you for your generosity Sfdp Altar/Rosary Society. See Rose Marie Pagonis for more details. You can give her the check or place in collection marked for flowers.

Please contact Rose Marie Pagonis for any Memorial Flower Orders 210-289-9887.

Door Prizes



Congratulations to
*Rose Marie
Pagonis,*

2020 Lumen Gentium Award Recipient

*Rose Marie is a faithful and devoted
volunteer and parishioner at San Francesco
di Paola Catholic Church.*

*She is involved in several ministries and
is always ready to serve. Her dedication
and love for the Italian community shines
through every day.*

*Rose Marie is a blessing and a true gift
to our San Francesco community. We are
grateful for Rose Marie's service to our
parish.*

CHARITAS CORNER UPDATE

*"Helping those in need through God's greatness and your
generosity."*

The Charitas Fund recently helped two families during Christmas. First, it provided a financially strapped single mother of three with much needed support for food and gifts so her children could have a nourishing and joyous holiday. Second, a family of six having significant financial difficulties were living without beds. The four children were sleeping on the floor and the parents taking turns sleeping on the couch. Additionally, their stove leaked gas and the refrigerator needed repair. The Fund provided new mattresses, frames and bedding for the family and had the refrigerator repaired. A member of the Society bought the family a new stove. Through God's grace we were able to restore some dignity to these families. Your continued support and generosity helped make these acts of kindness happen.

The Charitas Fund is administered by the San Franciscani Society and funded primarily through the second collection, usually on the third Sunday of each month. The purpose of this Fund is to assist recipients who, through no fault of their own, have fallen on hard times and have a documented need for assistance in getting back on their feet. The Fund is a source of a one-time donation to a recipient. Frequently, requests for assistance far exceed the monies available, and this prevents the Fund from helping all those in need. This is the reason why we ask for your continued support through your generous donations!

In addition to the second collection, the Charitas Fund accepts individual as well as business contributions. Donations/contributions can be mailed to: Larry Chiaro, Treasurer, San Franciscani Society, 1811 Dulles, San Antonio, TX 78251-2958.



Thank you.

San Franciscani Society