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29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God
what belongs to God." - Mt 22:21

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CATHEDRAL MASS TIMES

SATURDAY MASS

5PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8AM, 10AM, 12NOON, 2PM, & 5PM

LIVE STREAMING

DAILY MASS

MONDAY-FRIDAY 12:05 noon

SUNDAYS 8:00 am & 10:00 am



WELCOME

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MASS TIMES LIVE STREAMING



SUNDAY/DOMINGO

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

MONDAY/LUNES | FRIDAY/VIERNES

12:05 p.m.

SATURDAY/SABADO

5:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER VICTOR

UN MENSAJE DE PARTE DEL PADRE VICTOR

October 18, 2020

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Nobody enjoys paying taxes. Despite our displeasure in being forced to do so, we also realize that the monies generated from taxes allows governments to provide essential services for its people. Corruption really gets our goat, however. When we witness malfeasance, overspending, irresponsibility, and dishonesty in governmental spending, the grave injustices make an already unpleasant and arduous task even more difficult. The inappropriate distribution and use of hard-earned monies can leave a person quite angry and disconnected. It's bad enough the government wants something from me, now God does, too?

God is not concerned necessarily with our money, although its proper use does factor into our faith life. As the payment of secular taxes speaks of our allegiance to the government, our return to God speaks of our allegiance to God. All of creation, even the entire universe, is fashioned in the image and likeness of God. What speaks to God and has meaning and relevance to him? All of creation and indeed our very selves! God delights in us and when we present ourselves back to him, he delights even more! As the payment of secular taxes is designed to secure the equitable distribution of goods and services to all people, so is our return of ourselves to God in gratitude meant to advance God's kingdom here on earth.

When our exclusive and sincere allegiance is given to God, God can use us to set things right and straight again. The wounds of sin distort our relationship and disorder our world. By giving ourselves and all of creation back to God in gratitude, we acknowledge the proper Creator and Author of life for who He is and devote our labors exclusively to God's kingdom and the justice, peace, or order God envisions. In giving back to God all that belongs to God, we set the axis of our lives correctly and put our priorities in proper order. All of our relationships, especially with God, our brothers and sisters, and all of creation are perceived more clearly as they really are. Using, accumulating, wasting, exploiting, hoarding, and self-preservation are no longer necessary.

Fr. Victor Valdez



18 de octubre de 2020

29° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Los fariseos confabulaban contra Jesús para que aclarara lo de pagar los impuestos al César y de alguna manera buscaban la forma de atraparlo. Le tendían trampas para que cayera en ellas. Sin embargo, la sabiduría de Jesús se pone de manifiesto ante aquella situación. La respuesta a la pregunta fue clara y concisa, sin nada turbio. *"Devuelvan, pues, al César las cosas del César, y a Dios lo que corresponde a Dios". (Mateo 22:21)*. Ellos buscaban que se equivocara para acusarlo con la autoridad romana, y así quitarlo del camino. La respuesta deja claro que el dinero sirve solo para vivir y que ese no llega al cielo. Nadie se lleva tesoros cuando muere. Lo que sí salva es la fe y darle culto verdadero a Dios.

¿Cuál es entonces el mensaje? ¿Qué debemos aprender de esta lección? Saber, que, Dios también tiene derechos. Devolver a Dios sus derechos, es cumplir con sus mandamientos y el principal, amar al prójimo como a ti mismo. ¿Cómo? Este tiempo es tiempo de prueba, tú sabes si lo aprovechas. Pidamos, al participar en la Eucaristía, renovar nuestro compromiso de bautizados para participar en la misión que Jesús nos ha encomendado. Evangelizar, con el ejemplo, al pueblo sufriendo en este tiempo de pandemia con la compasión y el servicio alegre --- no con palabras sino con hechos. ¿Qué te parece? Es sencillamente, devolver a Dios lo que le corresponde, tal como lo dijo Jesús a las donaciones de su tiempo y nos lo recuerda ahora a nosotros.

Fr. Victor Valdez



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TEXT **SANFERNANDO** TO 45777 TO DONATE
OR DONATE ONLINE
SFCATHEDRAL.ORG/DONATE

Week of October 5, 2020 to October 11, 2020

Collections	\$6,359.54	Online Giving	\$1,355.59
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PRAYER & WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 17, 2020

5:00 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

Sunday, October 18, 2020

10:00 am +Anna Zuniga Cheryl W. Longoria

+James Zimmermann Cheryl W. Longoria

12:00 pm +Andrew Zintel Joanne Zintel

Fernando Nolasco Alvarez Myra Cepeda

2:00 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

+Ron Mcdonald Kate Klein

5:00 pm +Ramon Carcache Hermana

Monday, October 19, 2020

12:05 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

+Elvira Gonzales Family

Tuesday, October 20, 2020

12:05 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

+Daniel Duran Esposa

Wednesday, October 21, 2020

12:05 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

Thursday, October 22, 2020

12:05 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

Friday, October 23, 2020

12:05 pm Personal Intentions of Marivic & John Kane Marivic & Kane

Deacon Enrique Barrera Barrera Family

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 Rodriguez
Manuel Valdez
Maria Estel Garza
George Aguilar
Bertha Lopez
Maria De Carmen Garza
Carolyn Wright
Rosie Heredia
Mireya Perez

Guadalupe Valdez
Ruben Corpus
Amy Webber
Ty Cline
Margo Lago
Maria Regina Vidal
Jacob Garza
Maria Cardenas
Rosa T. Sanchez
Marta L. Celerie
Maria Y. Torres
Ruben Alfaro
Stephanie Luna
Robert Scheffel
Margarita

Velasquez
Jesse Vera
Grace Herrera
JoAnn Pena
Judy Bloom
Nicholas Garcia Jr.
Charles Garcia
Ella Treat
Debbie Ruiz
German Ortiz
Sara Verrones
Theresa Tovar
Magaly Hernandez
Rosie Rendon
Carmen M.

Calderon
Carlos Francisco
Vicky Tesillo
Victor T. Castillo
Gloria Pastrano
Maria Elena
Martinez
Beatrice Ramirez
Sylvia Trujillo
Gloria Munoz
Dolores Villarreal
Javier Villarreal
Maria Carmen Villarreal
Tim Settles

Martinez
Rosa Settles
Martinez
Maria del Refugio
Hinojosa
Roberta Garza
Janie Rodriguez
Martinez
Hector Amigo
Silveria Padilla
Juan Hernandez
Christine Gallegos
Gilbert A. Garza

WEEKLY READINGS

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 [7b]/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 [3b]/Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9]/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [cf. 3]/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 [5b]/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

OBSERVANCES OF THE WEEK

Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday

Monday: Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

Tuesday: St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

Thursday: St. John Paul II, Pope

Friday: St. John of Capistrano, Priest

Saturday: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

Next Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday

Remember in Your Prayers

**ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS
THROUGHOUT THE WORLD**



UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

ONLINE GIVING

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

Our parish is grateful for your continued support as we get through Covid19 pandemic.

Sunday offerings are by far the largest portion of financial support our parishes receive, and are critical to their ongoing vitality and sustainability of the Mission of Jesus Christ. We are always thankful for the continuing generosity of our parishioners, and during this difficult time we ask that you please continue to support your parish to the extent that you are able.

To support your parish we encourage to make your donation electronically.

Please **DONATE**
Sfcathedral.org/donate



ARE YOU 13-19 YEARS OLD?

JOIN US FOR

TEEN NIGHT

SAN FERNANDO CATHEDRAL

BRING A FRIEND
PRAISE & WORSHIP,
MUSIC, FRIENDS
MODEST COSTUMES
WELCOME

Thursday
October 29, 2020
7:00pm

115 MAIN PLAZA
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205



ENTRY
FREE

FOR MORE INFO: ANN GUJARDO 210-605-4206 | ADRIANA HOLGUIN 210-544-7173

PARISH MINISTRIES

MEETING TIMES

Confessions | Confesiones

Weekdays 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

ADORATIONS

-Cancelled-

Holy Hour

First Friday of the month
12:30 pm Cathedral

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 am - La Sala (Above
Poblanos)

Contact: Gloria Gonzalez
210-533-7475

Knights of Columbus - (English)

2nd Sunday of the Month

3:30pm - San Juan Room

231 W Commerce

Contact: Deacon Joseph
Marroquin

972-800-8095

Guadalupe Society- (English)

3rd Saturday of the Month

9:30am - Cathedral Choir Rm

(Above Gift Shop)

Contact: Maggie Marroquin

214-605-9124

Grupo de Oracion

Every Tuesday (Junta en
Español)

7:00pm - Concepcion Room

Contact: Rosa Escobedo
210-717-2612

Chorale

Every Wednesday

7:00pm - 8:15pm

Cathedral Choir Rm

Mariachi Choir

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

Cati Reyna

Contact: 210-758-9948





OUR COMMUNITY & EVENTS

OUR COMMUNITY

ASSEMBLY 2020

In the second reading, St. Paul encourages us to “have no anxiety at all, but in everything... make your requests known to God” (Phil 4: 6). How do we live our faith as missionaries and share it with others?

Watch Paulist missionary priest Fr. Dave Dwyer, CSP discuss “Living as a Missionary Disciple in Your Everyday Life” at *Assembly 2020: Building a Catholic Culture of Discipleship* on **Sat. Nov. 7, 2020 from 9:00 AM–1:00 PM entirely online and free of charge.** Join Archbishop Gustavo as we gather with our families and communities to participate in this new, virtual way.

Register online today at AssemblySA.org or call **210-734-1911**.

**WHERE THE
ROSARY IS RECITED
THERE WILL BE DAYS OF
PEACE AND
TRANQUILITY.**

-ST. JOHN BOSCO



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HANDS**



**DON'T TOUCH
YOUR FACE**



**KEEP YOUR
DISTANCE**



**SAN FERNANDO
CATHEDRAL**



ALL SOULS DAY MASS
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND, 2020

TIMES:

7:00 AM

12:00 (NOON)

7:00 PM

115 W MAIN PLAZA
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78205



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HISTORIC CHARM IN THE HEART OF SAN ANTONIO

WEDDINGS | BAPTISMS | QUINCEAÑERAS



BOOKING NOW 2021-2022

Check with our **Wedding Coordinator and Facilities Director** for additional details for date availability if your event has been affected due to Covid19. Our team is here to assist you through this process !!

The Venues at San Fernando is open for tours and events.

Tours by appointment only.
Contact Eloise Cortez at
210.416.0371 ext. 126 or via
e-mail: ecortez-lara@sfcathedral.org

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

THE VENUES AT SAN FERNANDO



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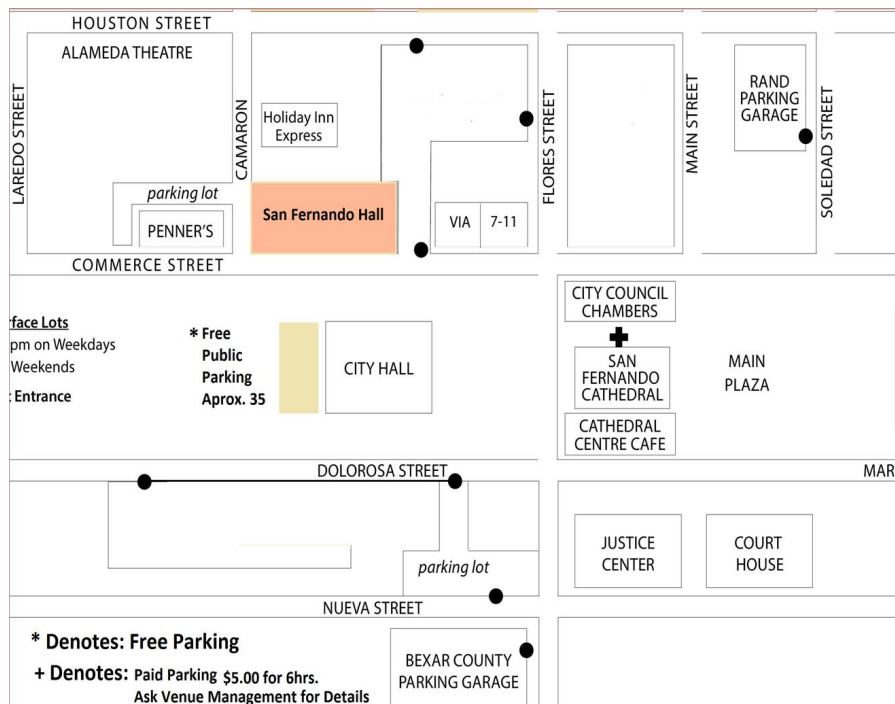
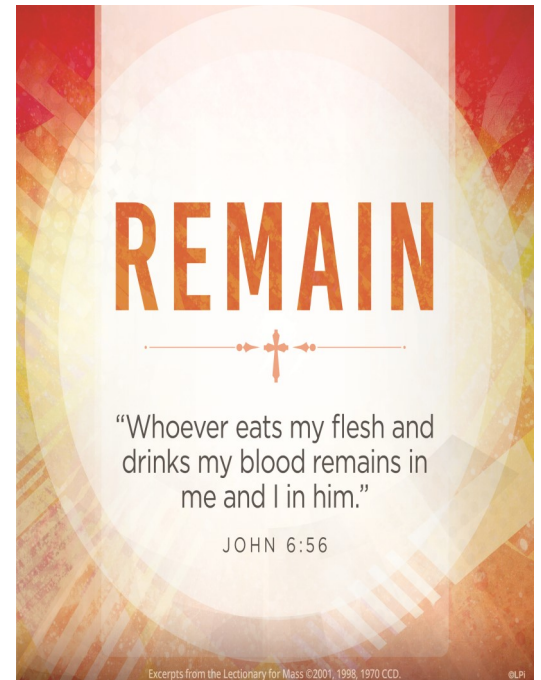


COMMUNITY

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 WE are DEFERRING BILLING 60 days and uploading all sponsorships on
 Parish Web Site as well as print
 15% OFF All Sponsorships . Sponsorship starts \$319 a year (\$24. A month
 breakdown) no payments for 60 days .

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 Contact Tina at 512-431-9413
 or via e-mail: twatson@4lpi.com
 Many Blessings Stay Well and Safe
 The Staff at San Fernando Cathedral



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.