



SAN FERNANDO Cathedral

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The oldest Cathedral Sanctuary in the United States, Founded in 1731

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Mass Times/Horario de Misas

Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes 12:05 PM

Saturday/Sábado

5:00 PM English/Inglés

Sunday/Domingo

8:00 AM Spanish/Español 10:00 AM English/Inglés 12:00 PM Spanish/Español 2:00 PM English/Inglés 5:00 PM Bilingual/Bilingüe

Confessions/Confesiónes Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes

10:00 AM to 11:45 AM Saturday/Sábado 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Sunday/Domingo 11:15 AM to 1:00 PM

Baptisms

10AM the 1st Saturday of each month in English and the 2nd Saturday of each month in Spanish. Parents and godparents must attend a baptismal class. Godparents must be fully initiated practicing Catholics. Call Veronica Martinez for more information.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made with a priest at least 6 months before the desired date. The couple is required to complete a preparatory program. Call Ruth Hernandez for more information: 210-227-1297, ext. 132.

Knights of Columbus–2nd Sunday of the month at 3:30 PM. Contact Robert Reyes at (760) 535-1981.

Guadalupano Society-3rd Saturday of the month at 9:30 AM. Contact Maggie Marroquin at (210) 605-9124.

Grupo de Oración-Meets Tuesdays at 1 PM. Contact Rosa Escobedo at (210) 717-2612. **Choir**-Every Wednesday from 5:30 to 6:30PM in the cathedral or choir room.

Knots of Hope-Contact Cati Reyna at (210) 748-9958.

Young Adult Group-Contact Julie Segovia for more information: 210-683-4474.

Los Jóvenes Youth Group-Meets the 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month. Contact Adriana Holguin 210-544-7173 for more info.

Saturday, March 18

5:00 PM

†Fred Montalvo & †Maria Celestina Mata by Maria Montalvo

For the Spiritual Healing of Jose Javier Oviedo by his friend Slvia

Sunday, March 19

10:00AM

†Choco Gonzalez Meza by Daniel Meza & Family †CMSGT Jose M.R. Avila by his wife Mrs. Avila

12:00 PM

†Rosa Elva Martinez on her birthday by her Family †Anthony Patrick Klamm by Sondra Alfaro Klamm & Julia Palacios

2:00PM

†Josie Castro by her sister Adele Gonzalez †Anthony Patrick Klamm by Sondra Alfaro Klamm & Julia Palacios

5:00PM

†Anthony Patrick Klamm by Sondra Alfaro Klamm & Julia Palacios

†Adam Gage Idar by his Family

Monday, March 20

12:05 PM

For Briana Cardwell on her Birthday by Tita †Ramona Campusano Philapil by Lucy Acosta

Tuesday, March 21

12:05 PM

†George Blissett by Sandy Berg San Martin de Porres by Olivia Lopez

Wednesday, March 22

2:05 PM

†Mildred Aviles by Sandra Aviles

Thursday, March 23

12:05PM

†Josie Castro by Adele Gonzalez Special Intentions by Sylvia and Victor Carreon

Friday, March 24

12:05 PM

For Adam Antu on his Birthday by Aunt Syl †Louis & Herlinda Antu by their Children



Flowers for the Altar
Flowers can be sponsored in
memory of a loved one or to
mark a special occasion.
Call Sylvia Carreon for
information: 227-1297.

PARK, PRAY & PARTICIPATE!

Free Parking at City Tower Garage located at 100 North Main on Sundays from 7AM to 7PM. Take a ticket as you enter the gate. Be sure to keep that ticket because you'll need it to open the exit gate.

We appreciate your support! Text SANFERNANDO to 45777, scan the QR code, or donate online at sfcathedral.org/donate. Thank you for your generosity!



Our Second Collection this weekend is for the Catholic Relief Services Collection (American Bishop's Overseas Appeal). Thank you so much for your generosity!

Download our parish app today and stay connected! Scan the QR code or text app to 5532.



LOS PADRECITOS GIFT SHOP 210-357-5608

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday: 10AM to 4PM
Thursday and Friday: 9AM to 5PM
Saturday: 10AM to 5PM
Sunday: 9AM to 3:30PM

Saturday March 18-St. Cyril, Bishop & Doctor of the Church Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday March 19-Fourth Sunday of Lent

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41

Monday March 20-Solemnity of St. Joseph

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Tuesday March 21

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday March 22

Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday March 23-St. Toribio de Mogrovejo, Bishop *Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47*

Friday March 24

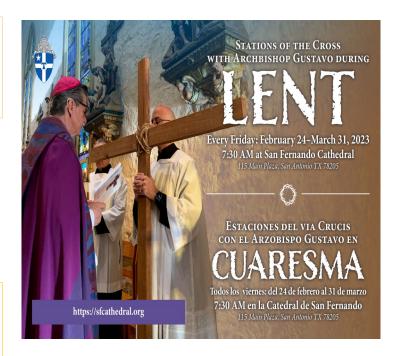
Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 & 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

LoveStrong Marriage Retreat March 24 to 26, 2023 Holy Spirit Catholic Church

"The mission of the LOVESTRONG Marriage Ministry is to support, strengthen, and nurture the Christ-centered bond between married couples in our parish and community."

The cost is \$150 per couple. A \$50 deposit is due with the registration form. We are limited as to the number of couples we can accommodate, and the availability is on a first come, first serve basis.

The registration cost covers dinner on Friday, three meals on Saturday, and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. It will also cover all retreat materials. Childcare is not provided. All Retreat Couples must commit to attending the entire 3-day weekend's activities. If you have any questions or need further information, please contact our Retreat Lead Couple: Dana & Scott Villareal at: dana.hernandez@sbcglobal.net or 210-883-5778.





Ash Wednesday and Good Friday



One Regular Meal & Two Smaller Meals



Smaller Meals Together Should Not Equal the Size of Regular Meal

Catholics 18-59



No Meat

ABSTINENCE

Ash Wednesday

and

All Fridays in Lent



Fish is Okay

Catholics 14+





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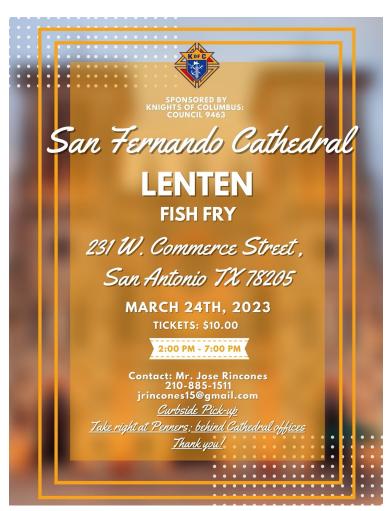
Rumaldo Serna at rserna@diocesan.com or call 512.657.1457 for more information.

¡Anúnciese en nuestro Boletín!

Es hora de renovar nuestros anunciantes en el boletín y matricular nuevos anunciantes.

Por favor envíe un correo electrónico a

Rumaldo Serna en rserna@diocesan.com o llame al 512-657-1457 para más información.





Mr. José Niño recently enjoyed a sample of what will be served during a dry run for the upcoming Fish Fry....he gives it a thumbs up and highly approves! Each plate will consist of fish, French fries, hush puppies, and coleslaw...all for \$10!

Join us this Friday, March 24 for the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry. This fundraiser benefits San Fernando Cathedral for the many programs and needs of this parish. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus Council 9463 for your continued service and dedication to San Fernando Cathedral. Your efforts are greatly appreciated!



40 Cans for Lent

February 22 through April 6

Your donation feeds our neighbors in need throughout the year.



For more information contact Denise Ramirez.

Guadalupe Community Center | 1801 W. César E Chávez Blvd. | (210) 226-6178 | info@ccaosa.org



FIESTA

The Fiesta San Fernando 2023 official Fiesta medal is available in the gift shop, in the business office and on our website. Get yours today!

Wedding Ministry at San Fernando Cathedral

The purpose of the Wedding Ministry is to assist the Ceremony Coordinator with the rehearsal and wedding ceremony. Ministry members extend hospitality to the bride and groom and their respective families, assist with rehearsal and wedding day preparation, and help maintain a prayerful atmosphere. It is beneficial to have some knowledge of the liturgy. Come be a part of this fun and exciting ministry! Call Ruth Hernandez for more information at 210-227-1297, ext. 132 or email Ruth at rhernandez@sfcathedral.org.



THE VENUES AT SAN FERNANDO CATHEDRAL~HISTORIC CHARM IN THE HEART OF SAN ANTONIO

EXPERIENCE THE CATHEDRAL

Founded in 1731, the historic cathedral continues to host thousands of visitors each year. San Fernando Cathedral is the oldest cathedral sanctuary in the United States and the mother church of San Antonio's archdiocese. It is 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.

EXPERIENCE THE VENUES

The San Fernando Ballroom and Cathedral Centre is a venue with a picturesque setting located in the heart of downtown San Antonio. Discover the venue and experience its colonial atmosphere surrounded by history to create a unique, fun and unforgettable event.

BOOKING NOW FOR 2023 AND 2024

By apppointment only. Contact Eloise Cortez-Lara for availability at ecortez-lara@sfcathedral.org or call 210-227-1297, extension 126.





Confessions During Holy Week at San Fernando Cathedral

Monday of Holy Week-April 3, 2023 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Wednesday of Holy Week-April 5, 2023 10:00 AM-2:00 Holy Thursday-April 6, 2023 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Good Friday-April 7, 2023 4:00 PM-6:00 PM Holy Saturday-April 8, 2023 5:30 PM -7:30 PM

All sinners are welcome!



Father's Footnotes March 19, 2023 Fourth Sunday of Lent



On March 5, 2023 after the 8 am Mass at San Fernando Cathedral, Archbishop Gustavo posted the Edict giving notice to the Christian faithful that a petition for opening a cause for canonization and beatification of Margaret Mary Healy Murphy has been submitted to him. The Edict requests that the Christian faithful submit any writings by Margaret Mary Healy Murphy in their possession or information they have regarding her to the Chancellor's Office. You can reach

the Chancellor's Office at (210) 734-1670. Margaret Mary Healy Murphy was foundress of the Congregation of the Sisters of the Holy Spirit and Mary Immaculate, who died on August 25, 1907 in San Antonio.

Spring Break Continues!

We continue to welcome all of our visitors from various parts of the country as families come to spend Spring Break in San Antonio. We hope that your stay in our city and your visit to San Fernando Cathedral and San Francesco di Paola is enjoyable and spiritual. Come back anytime!

ANNULMENT SEEKERS WORKSHOP-March 28, 7:00 PM

Last Tuesday of every month, 7pm, Pastoral Ministry Center, 2718 W. Woodlawn Ave., San Antonio, TX 78228

Are you divorced and seeking peace of conscience regarding a prior marriage? Are you seeking to enter the Catholic Church, but you or your spouse have a prior marriage? Are you seeking to marry in the Catholic Church, but you or your partner have a prior marriage? If any of these apply to you, you may be interested in petitioning the Tribunal for a declaration of marriage nullity! Join us for an informational workshop where you will have your questions answered and begin the process with Staff from the Metropolitan Tribunal of the Archdiocese of San Antonio. Feel free to bring your significant other or supportive family member or friend with you to the workshop. Clergy or Lay Ministers who accompany annulment seekers are welcome to join us!



tuocate for Catholic Values: Life • Family Life • Education • Healthcare • Immigration • Restorative and social justice • Care of Creation • Religious Liberty

Now is the time to advocate for Catholic values including life, family life, education, healthcare, immigration, restorative and social justice, care of creation, and religious liberty! On this Advocacy Day, Tuesday, March 28, the Archdiocese of San Antonio is offering free transportation to and from the Texas State Capital in Austin to meet with our legislators and pray with the bishops of Texas. Buses will depart from different parishes at 7 a.m. For a list of departure locations and to sign up for the event please contact Rebecca.Villarreal@archsa.org or call (210) 734-5138.

Let us continue to prepare for the Holy Days of our Faith and continue our Lenten practices of fasting, praying and giving alms. May you continue to pray for me as I am praying for you. –Fr. C

PARISH INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS San Francesco di Paola Catholic Church

Altar and Rosary Society

The San Francesco Altar/Rosary Society is taking orders for flower memorials honoring loved ones and special intentions to help decorate our church altar on the weekend Masses. The cost each is \$30.00 for 2 small ones and \$60.00 for a larger one.

Please contact Rose Marie Pagonis for more details (210) 289-9887. Please make checks payable to San Francesco Altar/Rosary Society.

Charitas Fund

Administered by the San Francescani Society

The Charitas Fund assists recipients who, through no fault of their own, have fallen on hard times and have a documented, one-time need for assistance in getting back on their feet. For further information, visit sanfrancescodipaola.org.

In addition to the second collection, other donations/contributions can be mailed to: Jay Pantusa, 4322 Apple Tree Woods, San Antoni, TX 78249. Jay's contact info is: jaypantusa@gmail.com, 210-473-4771

SICK AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Contact Jo Ann Scrivano at 210-422-0907 if you or someone you know would like to receive the Eucharist at home.

The Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of March tJoe Garza by Rose Marie Pagonis & Family LENT, HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE SAN FRANCESCO DI PAOLA

Please join us for Lent, Holy Week, and Easter. Saturday Mass is at 4:00PM, Sunday Masses are at 11:00AM in English and 1:30 PM in Spanish. All are welcome!

Fourth Sunday in Lent March 18/19

Fifth Sunday in Lent March 25/26

Palm Sunday April 1/2

Holy Thursday April 6 at 7PM-

Bilingual

Good Friday April 7 at 8PM-

Bilingual

Easter Vigil April 8 at 8:30PM

Bilingual

Easter Sunday Regular

Schedule

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Samuel Matthew Sophia Von Stultz Sgt. John Louis Harlan Sam Greco

Imelda Deason Tina Toscano Herrera

Dolores Lopez

Don Toscano

Dawn Martinelli

Patrick John Meyers

Addie Toscano

Mary Lou Olivo

Raul Medina, Jr.

Annie Pantusa

Gloria Feruzzi

Rosanna Lara

Roxana Soliz

Claudia Gomez

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 18, 2023-4:00PM

†Kathy Greco by Sam Greco & Family †Rosie Granieri by Deacon & Janice Hobbs and Family

Sunday, March 19, 2023-11:00AM

†Kathy Greco by Debbie Walton

Altar & Rosary Society Members, living and deceased

Sunday, March 19, 2023-1:30PM

†Para la Comunidad de San Francesco

Saturday, March 25, 2023

†Olga Reyna by the Moreno Family

SAN FRANCESCO DI PAOLA Catholic Church

SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2023 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Pastor:

Very Rev. Carlos B. Velázquez

PARISH STAFF

Mimi Soliz

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Jo Ann Scrivano

Altar & Rosary Society

Mary Kay Morin

San Francescani Society

Richard Bellacosa

Mass Schedule:

Saturday/Sábado: 4:00 PM in English

Sunday/Domingo 11:00 AM in English 1:30 PM in Spanish

We look forward to your visit!





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