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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/Confesiones
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 the parish office 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, April 8

5:00 PM
For the Spiritual Health of José Javier Oviedo by a Friend

Sunday, April 9

10:00AM
†Josie Castro by her sister Adele Gonzalez
†Ramon & Maria Reyes by their Children

12:00 PM
†Choco Gonzalez Meza by Daniel Meza & Family
†Maria Luisa Martinez by Jesús Martinez
Maria Luisa Stevens by Jesús Martinez

2:00PM
For Christ's Wounds to be offered to God the Father by Rosalinda Bautista
For the Holy Souls in Purgatory by Rosalinda Bautista

5:00PM
†Louis & Herlinda Antu by their Children

Monday, April 10

12:05 PM
†Juania Palomo by Olga Enriquez
†Francisco & Adela Morales by Rosalinda Bautista

Tuesday, April 11

12:05 PM
†Josie Castro by Adele Gonzalez

Wednesday, April 12

12:05 PM
Birthday Wishes for Justin De La Rosa by Auntie Syl
†Julia Garcia on her 100th Birthday by her Daughter Judie

Thursday, April 13

12:05PM
For Victor Carreon's Health by Syl

Friday, April 14

12:05 PM
For the Holy Souls in Purgatory



Flowers for the Altar

This week, the Flowers for the Altar are lovingly sponsored by the San Fernando Cathedral Staff.

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.

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Saturday: 10AM to 5PM

Sunday: 9AM to 3:30PM



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!

In an effort to provide the safest and most dignified environment for all our parishioners and guests, we follow the Archdiocese of San Antonio's policy of having all of our employees, clergy, and volunteers submit to a background check as well as initiate and complete training in the National Virtus program. All employees, clergy members, and volunteers are required to successfully complete the background check and Virtus program. Those who do not comply cannot be allowed to minister and/or volunteer and will be asked to step away from their chosen ministry until all steps have been completed. Thank you for your understanding.

En un esfuerzo por proporcionar el ambiente más seguro y digno para todos nuestros feligreses e invitados, seguimos la política de la Arquidiócesis de San Antonio de que todos nuestros empleados, clérigos y voluntarios se sometan a una verificación de antecedentes, así como iniciar y completar la capacitación en el programa nacional Virtus. Todos los empleados, miembros del clero y voluntarios deben completar con éxito la verificación de antecedentes y el programa Virtus. A aquellos que no cumplen no se les puede permitir ministrar y / o ser voluntarios.

*Visit virtusonline.org to register and complete all requirements to volunteer in San Fernando Cathedral, San Francisco di Paola or any other parish in the Archdiocese of San Antonio!
¡Visite virtusonline.org para registrarse y completar todos los requisitos para ser voluntario en la Catedral de San Fernando, San Francisco di Paola o cualquier otra parroquia de la Arquidiócesis de San Antonio!*

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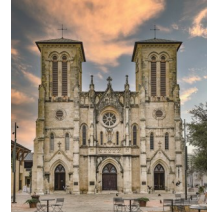
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Es hora de renovar nuestros anunciantes en el boletín y matricular nuevos anunciantes.

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Our Second Collection next weekend is for the Maintenance of the historic San Fernando Cathedral. Thank you for your generosity!



Father's Footnotes February 12, 2023 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Marriage Day Today

This year's theme, "Marriage, one flesh, given and received" highlights the one-flesh union of husband and wife that is willed by God. It also indicates the personal self-gift of each spouse, one to the other. These concepts point to Christ who gives himself, with the offering of his body and blood, as the gift from heaven. A special blessing will be imparted on all married couples this weekend at all masses.



Prayer for Married Couples

Almighty and eternal God,
 You blessed the union of married couples
 so that they might reflect the union of Christ
 with his Church.

Look with kindness on them,
 Renew their marriage covenant,
 Increase your love in them,
 and strengthen their bond of peace
 so that, with their children,
 they may always rejoice in the gift of
 your blessing.

We ask this through Christ our Lord,
 Amen.

Employment Opportunity at San Fernando Cathedral

We are seeking a Part-time Administrator (1
 -Salaried Position (Example) - You can find more information
 about this opportunity on the Archdiocesan website at
 www.archa.org. Go to the Employment tab and search via the
 location: San Fernando Cathedral.

Lenten Season begins on Ash Wednesday, February 22

Schedule of Services and Masses:

San Fernando Cathedral

7:00 AM Mass with Distribution of Ashes

8:00 AM Ash Wednesday Service English

9:00 AM Ash Wednesday Service Spanish

10:00 AM Ash Wednesday Service English

11:00 AM Ash Wednesday Service Spanish

12:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service English

1:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service Spanish

2:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service English

3:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service Spanish

4:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service English

5:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service Spanish

6:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service English

7:00 PM Mass and Distribution of Ashes

San Francisco de Paula

7:30 AM Mass with Distribution of Ashes

8:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service English

Please note that ashes will not be distributed outside of the masses
 and services listed above.

Make this week count by sharing God's love with your family
 and neighbors! We continue to pray for each other. -Fr. Carlos

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WEDDING MINISTRY

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.



GARDEN MINISTRY

Join the Garden Ministry at San Fernando Cathedral! Help keep the grounds looking beautiful throughout the seasons. There's lots to do such as mowing, edging, planting flowers, spreading mulch, maintaining the gardens, and more! Call Marcela at 210-227-1297, ext. 129 if you would like to be a part of this exciting ministry to maintain the grounds of this historic cathedral.



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

EXPERIENCE THE CATHEDRAL

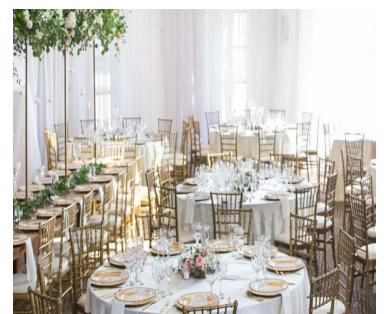
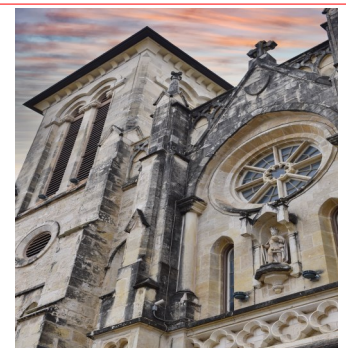
Founded in 1731, the historic cathedral continues to host thousands of visitors each year. San Fernando Cathedral is the oldest cathedral sanctuary in the United States and the mother church of San Antonio's archdiocese. It is the cultural and geographic center of San Antonio. Surrounded by its distinctive 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 appointment only. Contact Eloise Cortez-Lara for availability at ecortez-lara@sfcathedral.org or call 210-227-1297, extension 126.



Time, Talent, and Treasure Talk

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

“Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.” Colossians 3:2

Do you put God first in all things? Possessions, money, power, ego can easily become gods to many of us. Do a quick check of what is important to you. Is God at the very top of the list? If not, your priorities need to be re-adjusted. Don't let earthly things become a god before God. This is also the first commandment – I am the Lord your God, you shall not have any strange gods before me.

Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor

“Concéntrense en las cosas celestiales y no en las terrenales”. COLOSENSES 3:2

¿Pone a Dios primero en todas las cosas? Las posesiones, el dinero, el poder, el ego pueden fácilmente convertirse en dioses para muchos de nosotros. Haga una revisión rápida de lo que es importante para usted. ¿Esta Dios en el primer lugar de la lista? Si no es así, necesita reajustar sus prioridades. No permita que las cosas terrenales se transformen en dioses colocados antes del Señor. Este también es el primer mandamiento - Soy el Señor tu Dios, no tendrás dioses ajenos delante de mí.



Father's Footnotes
April 9, 2023
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! He is Risen!

Easter Sunday crowns the Triduum celebration and begins a new period of time within the liturgical year. Easter Sunday is the pattern and purpose of all other Sunday celebrations of the year and begins a time of reflecting on how the followers of Jesus came to receive and understand his resurrection from the dead.

From all of us at San Fernando Cathedral and San Francisco di Paola Catholic Church we wish that you have a joyous and Spirit filled Easter Sunday. The Season of Easter does not last one day but 50 days. We are to continue telling the story of the Risen Christ until the day of Pentecost when our Easter Season comes to an end.

“The fifty days from Sunday of the Resurrection to Pentecost Sunday are celebrated in joy and exultation as one feast day, indeed as one ‘great Sunday’ (St. Athanasius, *Epistula festalis*; PG 26, 1366). These are the days above all others in which the Alleluias is sung.” (Universal Norms, 22)

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Senior Fiesta is the only Fiesta-sanctioned event just for seniors. Seniors are invited to Senior Fiesta on Thursday, April 27 from 9 am to 1 pm at Wonderland of the Americas where they will have two stages of live entertainment, senior lifestyle exhibitors, and vendors. The event is free to all and packed with fun. For more information, contact Ashley Garcia at 210-222-1294.

I would like to thank the members of our communities, San Fernando Cathedral and San Francisco di Paola, for their hard work and dedication in making sure that our liturgies during the Lenten Season and Easter have been extra special. I thank all of our musicians, choirs, proclaimers, hospitality ministers, personnel, and donors who have made this time, the glorious and meaningful time that it is. Special thanks to HEB for donating the Easter Lilies at San Fernando Cathedral.

Peace, ~Fr. Carlos

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 Franciscani 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 April

Raul & Maria Medina



PLEASE PRAY FOR

Samuel Matthew	Sophia Von Stultz
Sgt. John Louis Harlan	Sam Greco
Imelda Deason	Tina Toscano Herrera
Dolores Lopez	Raul Medina, Jr.
Don Toscano	Annie Pantusa
Dawn Martinelli	Gloria Feruzzi
Patrick John Meyers	Rosanna Lara
Addie Toscano	Roxana Soliz
Mary Lou Olivo	Claudia Gomez

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 8, 2023-4:00PM
For the San Francesco di Paola Community

Sunday, April 9, 2023-11:00AM
†Sammy Scrivano by Jo Ann Scrivano
†Giancarlo R. Ferruzzi by Gloria Gerruzzi

Sunday, April 9, 2023-1:30PM
Para la Comunidad de San Francesco di Paola

Saturday, April 15, 2023-4:00PM
†Roel R. Soliz by the Soliz Family

Sunday, April 16, 2023-11:00AM
Altar & Rosary Society Members, Living & Deceased
†Maria R. Lerma by the Soliz Family

Sunday, April 16, 2023-1:30PM
Para la Comunidad de San Francesco di Paola

SAN FRANCESCO DI PAOLA

Catholic Church



SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2023
EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Pastor:

Very Rev. Carlos B. Velázquez

PARISH STAFF

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Pastoral Care of the Sick

Jo Ann Scrivano

Altar & Rosary Society

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San Franciscani Society

Richard Bellacosa

Mass Schedule:

Saturday/Sábado:

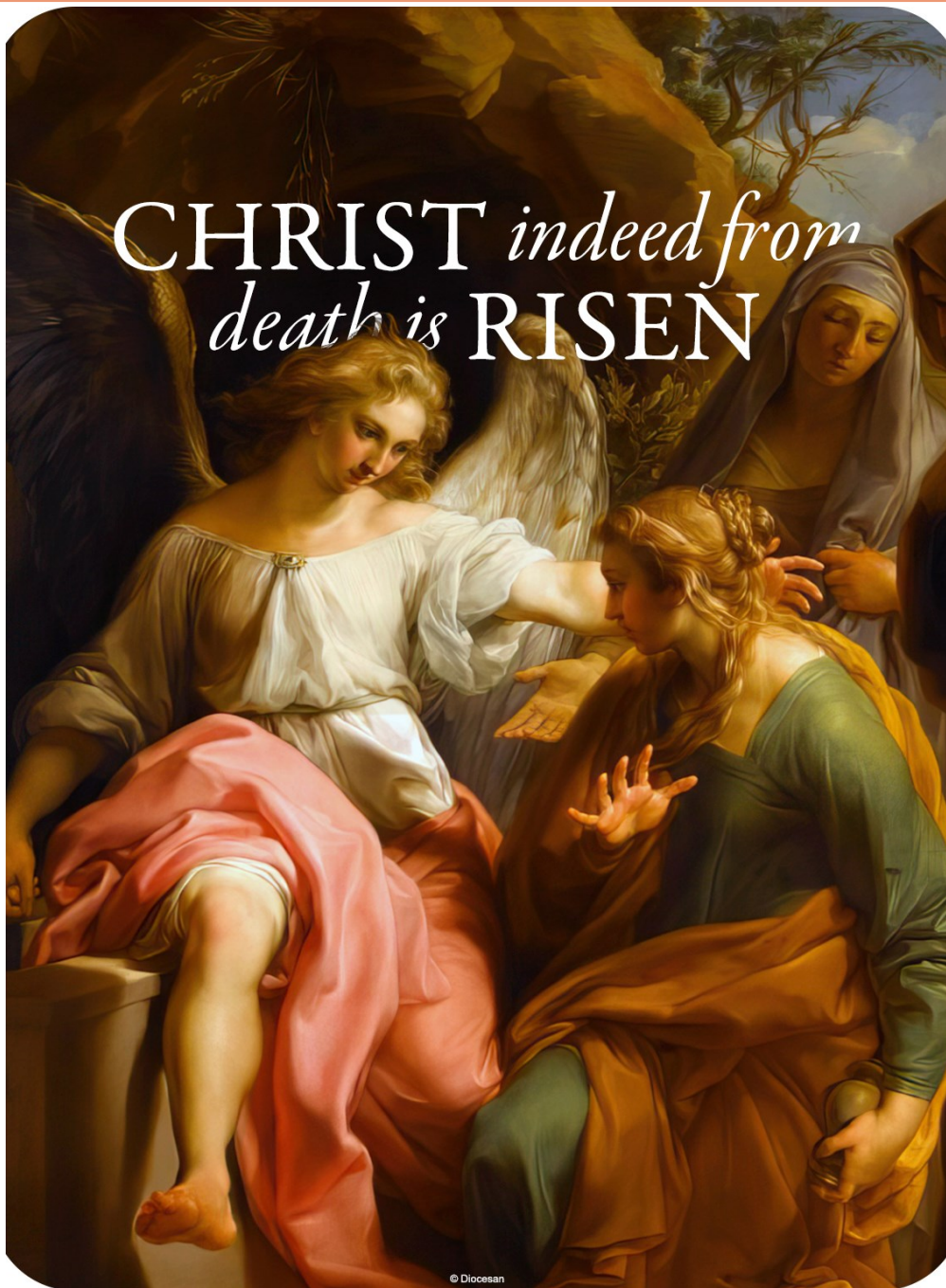
4:00 PM in English

Sunday/Domingo

11:00 AM in English

1:30 PM in Spanish

*We look forward to
your visit!*



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