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Cathedral

The Heart of San Antonio

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

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INFORMATION

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/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 Joey Gutierrez at 210-227-1297, ext. 133 for more information.

Marriage

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

Funerals

To schedule a Funeral Mass or Memorial Mass, call Marcela Szinnyey at 210-227-1297, ext. 129.

MINISTRIES

Knights of Columbus

Meets the 2nd Sunday of each month at 3:30 PM. Contact Jose Rincones at (210) 885-1511.

Guadalupano Society

Meets the 3rd Saturday of each 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

Meets Wednesdays 5:30 to 6:30PM. Contact Maria Alicia Lopez at 210-227-1297, ext. 131.

Men of Service

Meets the 4th Saturday of every month, from 9:00AM-12:00PM. Contact Jose Rincones at 210-885-1511.

Los Jóvenes de San Fernando Youth Group

Meets the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month. Contact Adriana Holguin at 210-544-7173.

Waves of Mercy Young Adult Ministry

Contact Julie Segovia at 210-683-4474 for more information.

Los Caballeros de San Fernando

Contact Juan Carlos Bernal at 210-219-2288 for more information.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

*The Flowers on the Altar
are sponsored by*

Erika & Jose Nuñez

for the health of

Mariano Meléndez



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 27

5:00PM

†Roland Francis Douglas
†John G. Anguiano

Sunday, January 28

10:00AM

†Roland Francis Douglas
†Choco Gonzalez Meza

12:00 PM

†Roland Francis Douglas
†Oscar Castareno

2:00PM

†Roland Francis Douglas

5:00PM

†Roland Francis Douglas
Santa Dymphna

Monday, January 29

12:05PM

†Felipe Baez Paredes
Our Lady of Guadalupe

Tuesday, January 30

12:05 PM

†Louis & Herlinda Antu
San Lorenzo

Wednesday, January 31

12:05 PM

†Javier & Mia Oviedo
San Judas

Thursday, February 1

12:05PM

†Basilio & Francisca Antu

Friday, February 2

12:05PM

†Angelita G. Treviño



LOS PADRECITOS GIFT SHOP

Monday-Wednesday 10am-4pm

Thursday & Friday 9am-5pm

Saturday 10am-5pm

Sunday 9am-3:30pm

Every purchase benefits the Cathedral!

PARK, PRAY AND PARTICIPATE!

***Remember that you can park for free on Sundays!
Are you taking advantage of this great opportunity?***

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.

Only Beeswax Candles in Church, Please
Devotional candles are important in our faith. Candles are symbols of the presence of Christ, the light of the world (Jn 8:12) and of Baptism by which we share in his light (Col 1:12), and are also signs of reverence and festivity. To protect the historic San Fernando Cathedral, we ask that only pure beeswax candles be burned to avoid noxious soot that other candles emit and that may harm the interior of the church. The candles we sell are 100% beeswax and safe to burn inside the Cathedral. Thank you for understanding!

Our Second Collection this weekend is for the Church in Latin America.

Thank you for your generosity!

Youth Ministry Needs Your Help!

We invite you to sign up to help with meals for our Youth Ministry nights. Beginning in February, we will be offering a meal to our youth so that they can spend time in fellowship without a growling stomach! Below is the sign-up link for anyone who would like to help in preparing and serving the meal as well as clean up duties. If you prefer, you may make a donation to fund our meal nights for our youth. Together, we can make a big difference! Contact Adriana Holguin for more information: 210-544-7173. Thank you!



Grab your sweetheart and join us at the Valentine's Day Dance on February 3.

Scan the QR Code to purchase your tickets today!



FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

Please join us on February 3 at San Francisco di Paola for First Saturday Devotion requested by Our Lady of Fatima in reparation to the offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary, to pray for the conversion of sinners, and peace in the world. We will start with Saturday Mass at 4:00 pm followed by the Holy Presence of the Blessed Sacrament, thereafter with recitation of the Holy Rosary, and conclude with meditating on the mysteries of the Holy Rosary. The request for the First Saturday Devotion by Our Lady are the following:

- Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation 8 days before or after the first Saturday.
- Receive Holy Communion on the first Saturday of the month.
- Pray the Holy Rosary
- Meditate for 15 minutes on the Mysteries of the Holy Rosary.

Join us—all are welcome!

Valentine's Day Dance

Benefitting the Men's ACTS Retreats

Saturday, February 3

7pm to 12am

\$25 per person/\$15 children 12 and under

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| ♥ Live Band | ♥ DJ |
| ♥ Bartender | ♥ Food |
| ♥ Photo Booth | ♥ Fun |

San Fernando Cathedral Ballroom

231 W. Commerce Street

San Antonio, TX 78205



"El que quiera servirme, que me siga, para que donde yo esté, también esté mi servidor. " Juan 12:26

Retiro de ACTS Para Hombres - Catedral de San Fernando
14 al 17 de marzo de 2024

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| Nombre: _____ | Dirección: _____ |
| Teléfono de la casa: _____ | Ciudad: _____ |
| Teléfono celular: _____ | Estado: _____ |
| Teléfono del trabajo: _____ | Parroquia: _____ |
| Correo electrónico: _____ | Contacto de emergencia: _____ |
| Fecha de nacimiento: _____ | _____ |
| Casado / Soltero / Viudo | Relación: _____ |
| Cualquier necesidad dietética: _____ | 2º Contacto de Emergencia: _____ |
| Alergias: _____ | _____ |
| Cualquier necesidad especial: _____ | Relación: _____ |
| Monto pagado: Cheque / Efectivo | # de Cheque _____ |
| \$ _____ | Para San Fernando Cathedral ACTS Retiro Hombres |

Separe la parte anterior y devuélvala con la tarifa de registro.

El fin de semana de ACTS es presentado por laicos católicos con el apoyo del clero y un director espiritual. Los objetivos del retiro de fin de semana son fortalecer tu fe, renovarte espiritualmente, construir un propósito en tu vida de oración y construir amistades duraderas con la comunidad de tu iglesia. El retiro comienza el jueves 14 de marzo por la noche a las 6:30 p.m. con el registro en el Salón de San Fernando (231 W. Commerce St.) y termina el domingo 17 de marzo después de la Misa de las 12:00 p.m. en la Catedral de San Fernando. Se proporcionará transportación de ida y vuelta hacia y desde el centro de retiros para todos los participantes del retiro. El costo del fin de semana del retiro es de \$210.00. Se debe de dar un depósito no reembolsable de \$ 100.00 con este formulario de registro para reservar su lugar. Los \$110.00 restantes se pagarán antes o en el día de registro cuando estes presente el jueves 14 de marzo. Póngase en contacto con uno de los siguientes si tiene alguna pregunta sobre el retiro:

Roberto Briones
Director (210) 660-2658

Schervy Ortiz
Co-Director (210) 387-2001

Mario Huerta
Tesorero (210) 438-7676

San Fernando Cathedral oficina administrativa - 231 W. Commerce St., San Antonio, TX 78205

San Fernando Cathedral and Ballroom

San Antonio's Destination for an Unforgettable Event

EXPERIENCE THE CATHEDRAL

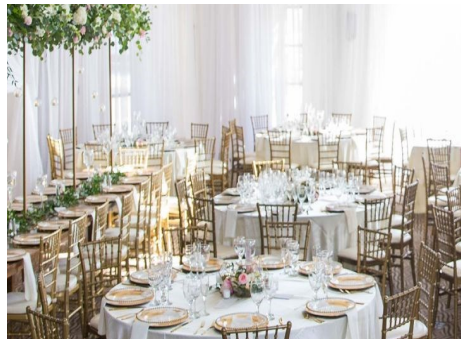
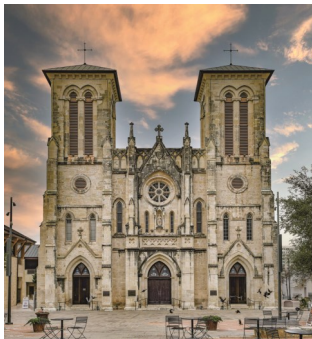
Founded in 1731, the historic cathedral continues to host thousands of visitors each year. San Fernando Cathedral is the oldest cathedral sanctuary in the United States and the mother church of San Antonio's archdiocese. It is the cultural and geographic center of San Antonio. Surrounded by its distinctive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

EXPERIENCE THE VENUE

The San Fernando Ballroom 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 2024 AND 2025

By appointment only. Contact Lupe Rodriguez for availability at lrodriguez@sfcathedral.org or call 210-227-1297, ext. 101.





Father's Footnotes
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time-January 28, 2024

Ash Wednesday

In a few short weeks, we begin the Season of Lent with Ash Wednesday on February 14. Our schedule of services is:

San Fernando Cathedral

7:00 AM Mass and Distribution of Ashes
8:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
9:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
10:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
11:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
12 Noon Mass and Distribution of Ashes
1:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
2:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
3:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
4:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
5:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
6:00 PM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
7:00 PM Mass and Distribution of Ashes

San Francesco di Paola

11:00 AM Word Service and Distribution of Ashes
7:00 PM Mass and Distribution of Ashes

Fr. Carlos and Fr. Ruben on Retreat

Both Fr. Carlos and Fr. Ruben will be on retreat next week from Monday, February 5-9, 2024. Please keep them and all priests who will be on retreat this coming week.

Lumen Gentium Awards

This coming Thursday at St. Mark's Church, Archbishop Gustavo will honor one member of each parish/mission in the San Antonio

Archdiocese with the Lumen Gentium Award for 2024. This year's recipients are the following:

San Fernando Cathedral: Mr. Roberto Briones. Mr. Briones' dedicated service to our community perfectly exemplifies the spirit of this award. His bright light of faith shines for all to see. He is a constant presence around the parish, participating in several ministries including ACTS, Men of Service, Youth Ministry, Via Crucis, and others. No matter the time or day, he is always willing to serve with a joyful spirit. His humble and selfless labor is an inspiration to all who witness his devotion to his beloved Cathedral. It is a privilege to nominate Mr. Briones to receive this award and to count him among our faithful and valued parishioners. Gracias, Roberto, y ¡felicidades!

San Francesco di Paola: Mary Kay Morin. The Light of Christ shines brightly at San Francesco di Paola through Mary Kay Morin. Since moving to San Antonio from Washington, DC in 2004, Mary Kay has been instrumental in sharing her gifts through her sharing in the parish as Lector, Extra-Ordinary Eucharistic Minister of Communion, Mass Captain, Funeral Ministry, and President of the Altar and Rosary Society. She also has just served as a member of the Pastoral Council for the last two years. Mary Kay continues to shine as a bright beacon of hope in our community.

Jesus' power continues to show itself brightly and powerfully in today's Gospel as well as in our lives. May we respect the power of God and come to accept God's power in our families and in those we encounter this week.

Peace, ~Fr. Carlos

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 Antonio, TX 78249. Jay's contact info is:
jaypantusa@gmail.com, 210-473-4771

The Memorial Brick Project is now open. If you would like to purchase a Memorial Brick, for yourself or a loved one, in the foyer of the church now is the time to purchase one. The cost for two lines is \$250 and \$300 for three lines. First come, first served when picking your place on the wall. If you are interested, please see Jo Ann Scrivano or you may call her at 210-422-0907.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 27, 2024

4:00PM

†Catarina Alejandra De La O

†Rudy Lopez by Elena Lopez

Sunday, January 28, 2024

11:00AM

†Sam & Kathy Greco by the Greco Family

1:30PM

San Francesco di Paola Community

Saturday, February 3, 2024

4:00PM

†Sam & Kathy Greco by the Greco Family

Sunday, February 4, 2024

11:00AM

†Giancarlo Robert Ferruzzi by Gloria Ferruzzi & Family

1:30PM

San Francesco di Paola Community

*Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of
January*

*†Sam & †Kathy Greco
By the Greco Family*

THE BLESSING AND DEDICATION OF
THE FRONT DOORS IS POSTPONED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Genuine Spaghetti & Meatball Dinner

Includes:

Plate of hot spaghetti
2 hand rolled meatballs
salad and bread \$15

Bulk orders of Meatballs and
Sauce also available to-go
Order in advance

Place your
orders:



Sunday, February 18
Continuous serving 11a-3p
✓ Sit down & to-go
Italian Society Hall
201 Piazza Italia



Presented by the Italian Community of San Antonio
italiansociety.com/2024-events

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Samuel Matthew, Sophia Von Stultz, Sgt. John Louis Harlan, Imelda Deason, Tina Toscano Herrera, Dolores Lopez, Raul Medina, Jr., Don Toscano, Jackson Bordano, Dawn Martinelli, Gloria Feruzzi, Patrick John Meyers, Rosanna Lara, Addie Toscano, Vincy Ruffo Dunn, Mary Lou Olivo, Claudia Gomez, Abby Sparks, James, Jacob & Avery Ford, Adelina Marie Calvillo, Juanita Sanchez, Frank Milton, Sylvia Rodriguez, Rose Marie Pagonis, Bob Fishback, Sandra Jimenez, Wayne Garcia, Henry Oliver Bordano, Lisa Sirianni Steer

Altar Flowers

If you would like to donate altar flowers in memory of, or in honor of a loved one, please contact Rose Marie Pagonis at 210-289-9887.

Please take note:

There will be NO 4 PM Mass on Saturday, April 27, 2024. There will be a San Antonio Fiesta event taking place that will conclude at Piazza Italia on Saturday afternoon.

Altar and Rosary Meeting

The next meeting of the Altar & Rosary Society is February 25. Please stop by the cake sale table on the lower level of the CCIS Hall on February 18 after you have enjoyed a traditional spaghetti dinner! Proceeds from the cake sale are shared by Altar & Rosary Society and CCIS. See you there!

SAN FRANCESCO DI PAOLA

Catholic Church



January 28, 2024
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 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!*



4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!"
The unclean spirit convulsed him
and with a loud cry came out of him.

Mk 1:25-26



Jesús le hizo frente con autoridad: "¡Cállate y sal de ese hombre!"
El espíritu malo revolcó al hombre en el suelo
y lanzó un grito tremendo, pero luego salió de él.

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4º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

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