



1st Sunday of Lent

February 18, 2024



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 8am, 10am & 6pm

Monday: 8:30am
Tuesday: 8:30am

Wednesday Communion
Service: 8:30am

Thursday: 8:30am
Friday: 12pm

1st Saturday: 8:30am

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Mon-Thurs: 8am-4pm
Friday: 8am-Noon

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Lent: The Happiness Project
A 90 day journey to greater joy

In order to be truly happy, we must empty ourselves so we can be filled with happiness.

Body

- **FASTING**—No meat on Friday and no snacks in between. No desserts except on Sundays. Fast from social media (only allow one hour per day).
- **EXERCISE**—Walk every day during Lent.
- **DIET**—No sugar.

Mind

- Daily reading the Word
- Reading “A Daily Defense”
- Adult Ed classes

Spirit

- **DYING OF SELF**—Pick one vice you have and die to it so at the end of 40 days you will be more free to be happy
- **PRAYER**—Pray the Rosary daily, do the Examen, spend time in Adoration, read the reflections in the black books
- **ALMSGIVING**—Union de Amor mission



After a beautiful Mass and dedication service, Bishop Walter Guillen unveils the dedication plaque mounted on workshop facilities built in Consolacion, Honduras.



MASS INTENTIONS



Sat., Feb. 17	First Sunday of Lent
5:00pm	Joyce Eichen †
Sun., Feb. 18	First Sunday of Lent
8:00am	Jerry Elston †
10:00am	Carlson Family
6:00pm	For the Parish
Mon. 8:30am	John Almquist †
Tue. 8:30am	Mary Errame †
Wed. 8:30am	Communion Service
Thu. 8:30am	Mike Hanton †
Fri. 12:00pm	Gloria Kenne †
Sat., Feb. 24	Second Sunday of Lent
5:00pm	Bobby Picard †
Sun., Feb. 25	Second Sunday of Lent
8:00am	Jack Crane †
10:00am	Alice Woitas †
6:00pm	Phil Higgs †



ADORATION & CONFESSION



Adoration:
Thursdays 9am-12:30pm

Confession:
Saturday 3:30-4:30pm
Also available by appointment

DAILY READINGS



Use this QR code with your smartphone to navigate directly the USCCB's web page for the daily readings, or simply type the following website address into your web browser on your phone or computer:

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Use this QR code with your smartphone to navigate directly to the online giving portal on the parish website, or simply type the following website address into your web browser on your computer:

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

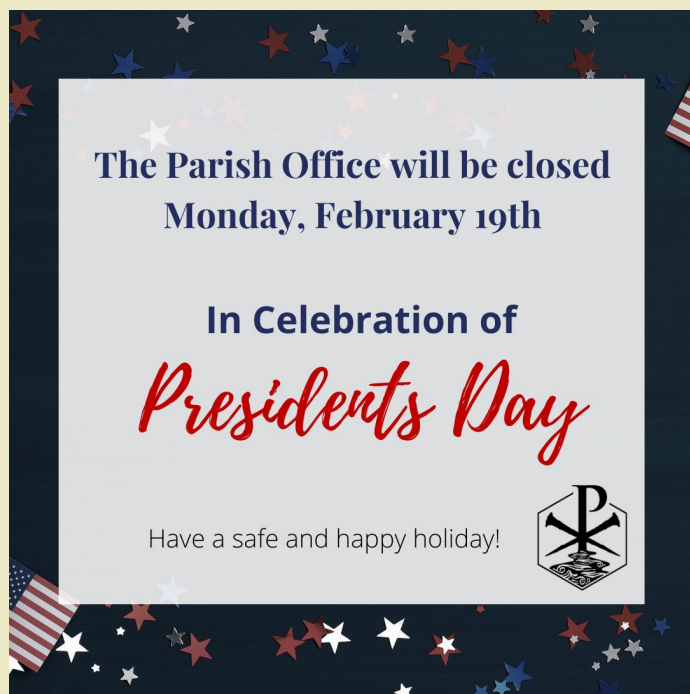
We pray for all those who are sick and chronically ill, especially:

**Mathew Day, Graydon Growth, Walt Ogden,
Karen Sutton, Ric Kalman**

And for all who have died, especially:

Linda O'Connell, Gloria Matye, Susan Griffith

*Email info@stpiuscda.org or call the parish office
to be included in our prayer chain, or for special*



ADORATION WITH PRAISE & WORSHIP

Join us on Friday, March 8th at 6:15pm
(following Stations of the Cross)
for Adoration with Praise & Worship.
Worship the Lord your God in the beauty
of His Holiness with and through the
power of the Holy Spirit!
Adore Jesus on the Altar
Listen to contemplative music
Sing songs of praise
Meditate on Scripture of Jesus
Pray for God's touch in our lives!
Family friendly—all are welcome

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH



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| Sunday | Mass, 8am
First Sacraments class, 9am
KofC breakfast after Mass
Mass, 10am
OCIA Rite of Acceptance during Mass
KofC breakfast after Mass
Praise & Worship, 5:40pm
Mass, 6pm |
| Monday | PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Walking with Purpose, 6pm
Charismatic Prayer Group, 7pm
OCIA Rite of Election at St. Thomas, 7pm |
| Tuesday | Exploring Catholicism, 9am
Staff meeting, 11am
Children's Religious Ed. classes, 6pm
Healing Mass at St. Joseph's, 7pm |
| Wednesday | Communion Service, 8:30am
Knifty Knitters, 9am
Bible Study, 9:30am
Seven Sorrows Rosary, 12pm
Men's Retreat meeting, 5:30pm |
| Thursday | Adoration, 9am (<i>in the chapel</i>)
Men's Scripture Study, 9am
Confirmation Class, 6pm
OCIA/Becoming Catholic, 6:30pm
Hispanic Prayer Group, 6:30pm |
| Friday | Soup Kitchen, 4:30pm
Stations & Soup, 5:30pm |
| Saturday | FOOD COLLECTION WEEKEND
Confession, 3:30-4:30pm
Mass, 5pm |

ANNOUNCEMENTS



**STATIONS
OF THE
CROSS**

LED BY
ST. PIUS X
YOUTH GROUP

FEB. 23RD, 5:30PM

SOUP-N-SHARE
TO FOLLOW
HOSTED BY
WEDNESDAY BIBLE
STUDY GROUP

PLEASE BRING YOUR
FAVORITE MEATLESS SOUP
TO SHARE WITH THE GROUP!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COR PROGRAM



*ATTENTION MEN OF
ST. PIUS X PARISH!*

Prayer, Formation, and Fraternity for Men

The men of Knights of Columbus Council No. 11623 are excited to share the implementation of Cor, a new formation and fraternal opportunity for the men of St. Pius X parish. Cor exists to form and strengthen Catholic men in faith and virtue as missionary disciples by drawing them into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through prayer, formation, and fraternity.

Cor will be held at 6pm on Wednesday, February 28th in rooms 11 & 12 at St. Pius. Come join your brother parishioners for some food, prayer and fraternity.

HEALING MASS

Bishop Peter will be celebrating a Healing Mass at St. Joseph's in Sandpoint on Tuesday, February 20th at 7pm.



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Scrip Gift Cards: Use scrip gift cards to purchase the things you need every day! Cards can be purchased from sellers in the Narthex after most weekend Masses, or from the HFCS office during school hours.

Eucharistic Adoration

**Thursdays
9am-12:30pm**

Sign up for a one-hour time slot at:
www.stpiuscda.org

Contact Ana: 909-636-4651

(Signing up helps us ensure that Our Lord is never left alone)



ST. PATRICK'S DAY FUNDRAISER DINNER & RAFFLE

The Knights of Columbus of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish invite you to a St. Patrick's Day Fundraiser dinner and raffle on Sunday, March 17th from 4pm-7pm at St. Thomas Parish Center. Cost is \$15 per person donation.

No reservation required.

Corned beef & cabbage dinner.

Beer and wine available for purchase.

For more information, contact Louie Zember at 760-427-0977

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ORCHARD RIDGE
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Presents: A fundraiser benefiting
the Resident Relief Fund

ASSISTED LIVING



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BECOMING CATHOLIC

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (OCIA)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND AT 6:30PM

TOPIC:
Lent and
Scrutinies:
What is
Conversion?

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Center

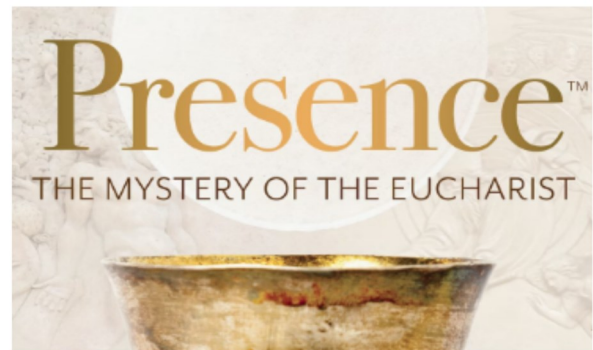
Oodles of prizes!

Keep a lookout in your
bulletins for a flyer!

All local Religious & Bishop White Sems will be invited

EXPLORING CATHOLICISM

February 20, 27 and March 5, 12
9am in the Great Room



Join us as we view episodes of
"Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist"



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FOOD COLLECTION
NEXT WEEKEND



MISSIONS OF CHARITY

WHAT IS LOVE?



The Bible's famous love chapter, 1 Corinthians 13, is a great place to go in February, the month containing Valentine's Day.

"Love is patient, love is kind. Love is not jealous, it does not put on airs, it is not snobbish. Love is never rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not prone to anger; neither does it brood over injuries. Love does not rejoice in what is wrong but rejoices with the truth. There is no limit to love's forbearance, to its trust, its hope, its power to endure." (1 Corinthians 13:4-7)

Saint Valentine was a 3rd century Roman saint, commemorated in Western Christianity on February 14. From the High Middle Ages, his Saints' Day has been associated with a tradition of love. Prayers are still said to St. Valentine, as the patron saint of love.

"There are in the end three things that last: faith, hope, and love, and the greatest of these is love!" (1 Corinthians 13:13)

EMERGENCY RESPONDER DRIVE!



When a disaster or an emergency occurs, and it involves a child, sometimes a warm blanket and a stuffed animal can help! How a child reacts and the common signs of distress can vary according to the child's age, previous experiences, and how the child typically copes with stress. Our amazing first responders, including the police department, the sheriff's department, the fire department, etc., are crucial to the mental and physical state of a child during the immediate aftermath of a traumatic event. They respond by giving the child a sense of security, and provide the best possible care while making them feel safe. Would you be willing to support our first responders by donating a NEW STUFFED ANIMAL or a NEW FLEECE BLANKET? Our donation drive will be held March 1-17. Red bins will be provided in the narthex to gather the donations.

Thank you and may God bless you always!!!

Kathy Goodwin
Outreach Coordinator

January's Food Pantry Contacts

48 Visits

83 Adults

12 Teens

20 Children

5 Infants

Total Served: 120

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“Desert Song”

This is my prayer in the desert
When all that's within me feels dry
This is my prayer in my hunger and need
My God is the God who provides

This is my prayer in the fire
In weakness or trial or pain
There is a faith proved of more worth than gold
So refine me Lord through the flame

CHORUS

**I will bring praise, I will bring praise
No weapon formed against me shall remain
I will rejoice, I will declare
God is my victory and He is here**

“Take, Lord, Receive”

Take, Lord, receive.... all my liberty.
My memory, understanding, my entire will!

CHORUS

**Give me only your Love, and your Grace,
that's enough for me!
Your love and your grace...
are enough for me**

Take Lord, receive, All I have and possess
You have given unto me, Now I return it.

(repeat chorus)

Take Lord receive, all is yours now.
Dispose of it, wholly according to your will.

“Desert Song (Reprise)”

BRIDGE

*All of my life in every season
You are still God
I have a reason to sing
I have a reason to worship*

This is my prayer in the battle
When triumph is still on its way
I am a conqueror and co-heir with Christ
So firm on His promise I'll stand

CHORUS

**I will bring praise, I will bring praise
No weapon formed against me shall remain
I will rejoice, I will declare
God is my victory and He is here**



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