



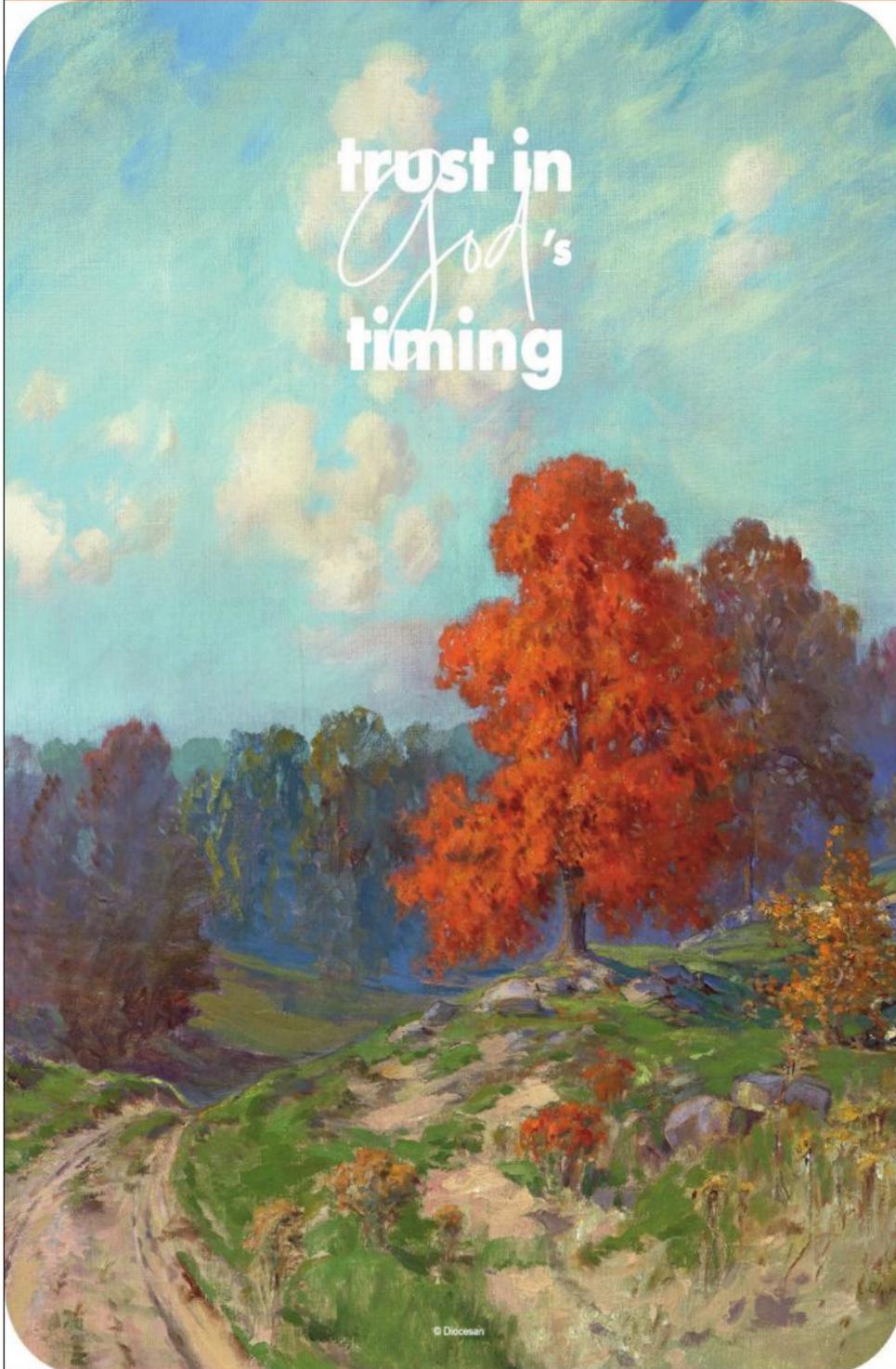
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October 19, 2025



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Rev. Mr. Dan Buckley

Rev. Mr. Luis Londoño

Rev. Mr. Christopher Carroll

Rev. Mr. Michael P. Nungesser

Parish Office Hours

Monday

9:00am-4:00pm

Tuesday

Office Closed

Wednesday & Thursday

9:00am-4:00pm

Friday

9:00am-12:00pm

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30pm

6:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday: 8:00am

10:30am

12:30pm (Spanish)

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday: 12:00pm

Tuesday: 6:30pm Communion Service

Wednesday: 7:00pm

Thursday: 9:00am

7:00pm (Sp)

Friday: 9:00am

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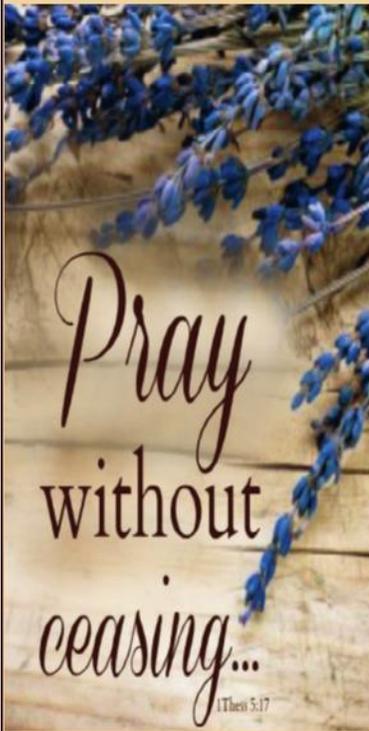
Wednesday- 6:00 pm

Thursday- 9:30 am

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In Our Prayers...



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| Peter Adinaro | Hugo Madrid |
| Dee Anderson | Robert Mattern |
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| Ron Bowen | Mary Mose |
| Kerstie Bowers | Dolores Naylor |
| Lucy Catera | David Patmore |
| Dick Cieri | Ed Patmore |
| Louise Clark | Adriel Rivas |
| Courtney Conroy | Michael Schingler |
| Chance Cown | Tena Schmidt |
| Maria Isabel Curiel | Taylor Sharrett |
| Mike Dayton | Carolyn Shekey |
| Laura Decker | Jeff Shekey |
| David Dupree | Craig Smith |
| Judy De Guilio | Edith Spencer |
| Connie Flaherty | James Thompson |
| Jerry Flaherty | Dominga Tiburan |
| Breanna Fouts | (Donnie) |
| Dot Gerety | Mary Tinn |
| Lawrence Green | Herminia Villarreal |
| Rachel Green | Chris Wehage |
| Diane Guthrie | Barbie Wendling |
| Virginia Hedges | Isabel Wethington |
| Robert Judd | Grant Winsauer, Jr |
| Thomas Killackey | Donna Wood |
| Stephani Lowry | |

and all those listed in our prayer book of intentions.

Military

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| Michael Acevedo | Walter Garlinghouse | Andy Morrison |
| Sofiely Helem Alvarez-Veitia | Benjamin Isidro Gomez | Sam Morrison |
| Juan Manuel Arce Jr. | Hayde Regina Gomez | Faith Nungesser |
| Amy Itzel Aviles-Camacho | Jose Vicente Gomez Jr. | Marcelino Ortiz Jr. |
| Bryan Azcarate | Juan Carlos Gomez | Maria Patricia Nickerson |
| Michael Bailey | Nathan Gomez | Nicholas Pellegrino |
| Jordan Baker | Ian Harris | Andy Powell |
| Justin Baker | Will Hartlage | Edwin Rodriguez |
| Nickolas Barker | Anette Illus | Karina Ruiz |
| Kendall Burdette | Jeff Kolb | Destiny Sanders |
| Tyler Burdette | Jay-Cee Larrea | Dustin Sanders |
| Kelly Carter | Augie Marks | Justin Seeley |
| Brandon Cotter | Thomas Martin | Michael Shekey |
| Louis Dewitt | Isrrael Meza | Nathan Shekey |
| Jason Duffy | Fr. David McGuire | Ryan Shekey |
| Dan Gagnon | Matthew McGuire | Blaine Stewart |
| | Gary Miller Jr. | Bruce Tucker |

Mass Intentions

Twenty-ninth Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 18th

4:30p.m.— Arthur Onody †

6:00p.m. — Los Feligreses de San Mateo

Sunday, October 19th

8:00a.m.— Frances Muehlmann 🍰

10:30a.m.— Jose Galindo 🍰

12:30p.m.— Luis Rodriguez & Gloria Pacheco
Aniversario de Matrimonio

Monday, October 20th

12:00p.m.— Robert Barker Jr. †

Tuesday, October 21st

6:30p.m.— Communion Service

Wednesday, October 22nd

7:00p.m.— Terri Buckley 🍰

Thursday, October 23rd

9:00a.m.— Marilyn Gonzalez 🍰

Friday, October 24th

9:00a.m.— All Souls Novena

Deceased- † Healing-♥
Special Intentions- SI
Birthday- 🍰

ROSARY

Monday, October 20th
11:30a.m.— Rosary

Thursday, October 23rd
8:30a.m.—Rosary

Friday, October 24th
8:30a.m.—Rosary

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Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Activity Schedule	Treasury Report	Parish Information
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Monday, October 20th</u></p> <p>10:00am Cozy Quilters 6:00pm Choir Practice 6:00pm Escuela de San Andres 7:00pm Ministerio Oración Carismatica 7:00pm Knights of Columbus OLG</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Tuesday, October 21st</u></p> <p>6:30pm Edge 7:00pm RCIC 7:30pm Hispanic Music Ministry</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Wednesday, October 22nd</u></p> <p>9:00am Al-Anon (Spanish) 5:00pm Youth & Children's Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm Life Teen</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Thursday, October 23rd</u></p> <p>10:00am Walking with Purpose 11:30am Clase de Catecismo 6:00pm Coro Hispano 6:30pm Walking with Purpose</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Friday, October 24th</u></p> <p>6:00pm Walking with Purpose Friendsgiving 7:00pm Bienvenidos-Mujeres 7:00pm Mujeres de San Mateo 7:00pm Cristo Rey-Mujeres</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Saturday, October 25th</u></p> <p>8:30am Vivir y Conocer Nuestra Fe 9:00am Safe Environment Training 9:00am Reunion de Mujeres 3:00pm Fortalecimiento ante la Soledad 7:30pm Cristo Rey-Hombres 7:30pm Bienvenidos-Hombres</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sunday, October 26th</u></p> <p><u>Fr. Exumé's Birthday Celebration</u></p> <p>9:00am Religious Education 9:00am No OCIA 11:00am Religious Education(Spanish) 11:00am No OCIA Spanish</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Dear parishioners, we extend our deepest gratitude for your generous contributions to our parish. May God bless you abundantly for your generous giving.</i></p> <hr/> <p>October Offertory Goal - \$61,000.00</p> <p>10/05/25..... \$ 10,690.25 10/12/25..... \$ 12,776.25 10/19/25..... \$ 10/26/25..... \$</p> <p>Online Giving.....\$ 9,792.00</p> <p>Offertory Total — \$ 33,258.50</p> <p>Includes Spanish Mass</p> <hr/> <p>Facilities Improvement Fund-</p> <p>10/05/25..... \$ 2,028.00 10/12/25..... \$ 900.27 10/19/25..... \$ 10/26/25..... \$</p> <p>Online Giving..... \$ 2,416.00</p> <p>October FIF Total \$ 5,344.27</p> <p>Includes Spanish Mass</p>	<p>New Members: We are delighted to have you join our parish family! Registration forms are available in the narthex and in the parish office. They can be mailed, turned into the parish office, or dropped in the collection basket.</p> <hr/> <p>Mass Intentions: Please stop by the parish office to offer a Mass intention for a loved one.</p> <hr/> <p>Baptism: Family must be registered and participate in the life of the Parish. For more information on specific requirements, baptismal preparation, class dates and available Baptism dates, contact the parish office.</p> <hr/> <p>Matrimony: Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. Couples must schedule an appointment with the parish priest to secure a date on the parish calendar and begin preparation.</p> <hr/> <p>Hospital/Homebound/Nursing Homes: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion take communion to the homebound. Family members should call the parish office to inform us about those who are ill.</p> <hr/> <p>Altar Flower Donations: To honor or memorialize a loved one with a gift of altar flowers, call or stop by the parish office. Arrangements are \$120.</p> <hr/> <p>Bulletin and Pulpit Announcements: Items to be published in the bulletin or announced during Mass are due in the parish office by 9:00AM on FRIDAY the week before they are to be published.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">2ND COLLECTION FOR:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">11/1/25 All Saints Day</p>

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Parish News and Activities



Serving Hearts – All Women of St. Matthew (18+) Welcome! Join us as we build a compassionate, faith-filled community rooted in Catholic values. Serving Hearts offers flexible opportunities for creativity, service, and spiritual growth—whether through events, outreach, or simply sharing your gifts.

Next Gathering:
October 27, 2025
7:00 PM
Hedges Hall

Whether you're returning or new, we'd love to have you! Come with your ideas, your heart, and your hope—we're growing something beautiful together.



You're Invited to All Saints Day Eve AKA Halloween!

- Who:** Everyone
 - What:** Trunk or Treating
 - Where:** St. Matthew
 - Why:** To celebrate this day with the Communion of Saints
 - Time:** 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
 - Recommended Dress code:** Your favorite saint Costume
 - *If you and your family would like to decorate your trunk:**
 - Favorite Saint
 - Faith inspired
- Please arrive no later than 5:30p.m

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Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish News and Activities



We will be celebrating Fr. Exumé's birthday on Sunday, October 26th. Our parish family will show appreciation to Fr. Exumé and celebrate with a reception between Masses on Sunday the 26th. The reception begins at 9:00am and goes on til 3:00 pm. Please bring breakfast foods if you at-

tend the 8:00am Mass on Sunday. Suggestions for food following 8:00 am Mass include pastries, fruit, cupcakes, sausage balls and other types of breakfast finger foods. Following the later Mass, please bring finger foods such as fruit trays, vegetable trays, meat trays, sandwiches, cheeses, crackers and other finger foods. You may bring food to Hedges Hall as early as 7:45am and label your dishes if they are not disposable. Come fellowship with our parish family to say thank you and Happy Birthday to Fr. Exumé.

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Perseverance

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives a clever example of why we are to persevere in praying, even if we think the prayer is not being heard. The crooked judge just wanted to get that widow off his back. She was lucky her adversary didn't pester the judge, too; he might have gone the other way. So we can pray to God with even more confidence, because we know that God loves us and will answer our prayers.

St. Paul carries that theme of perseverance even further. He is not just talking about prayer here; he encourages Timothy to persevere in proclaiming God's word as well. That command we may find more challenging than prayer. He tells Timothy (and us!) to "convince, reprimand and encourage through all patience and teaching" (2 Timothy 4:2). How can we do that?

"Convince" reminds me that our faith should be reasonable. Not that we can prove all that we believe in a scientific way, but our faith should be realistic; after all, God made the world, so God should know how it works. Jesus' command to love one another, for instance, can be taught much more convincingly by giving examples of love. A mother who hugs her child when he is hurt, forgives him when he is sorry, and encourages him when he feels lost is teaching that command in a way that will be remembered much longer than just telling him to love people. So we can convince others of our faith by showing them examples of love, forgiveness, and encouragement.

Paul also talks about reprimanding each other. That may be what he was thinking when he says that proclaiming the word can sometimes be inconvenient. Most people find it difficult to reprimand someone they are in charge of, much less one who is equal in status. That's where patience comes in. A reprimand can be made patiently and gently, as a sign of concern rather than authority.

Paul lastly mentions teaching. He probably was referring to teaching the Hebrew scriptures and how they were fulfilled in Christ. Parents can do their part by teaching the stories from the Bible, helping children to see God in creation, teaching them to pray, and being good examples of God's love for them. If you send your children to religion classes or the parish school, do what you can to support the teachers so that what the children learn at school is practiced at home. What the children see (or don't see) at home has a much greater effect than a few hours a week in a classroom.

Tom Schmidt

Noticias de Nuestra Parroquia

NOTICIAS DE APOSTOLADO



Estaremos celebrando al Padre Exumé el domingo 26 de octubre en el salon social. Nuestra familia parroquial mostrará agradecimiento al Padre Exumé y celebrará con una recepción entre misas el domingo 26. La recepción comienza a las 9:00 am y continúa hasta las 3:00 pm. Por

favor traiga alimentos para el desayuno que incluyen pasteles, fruta y otros tipos de bocadillos para el desayuno si asiste a la misa de las 8:00 am el domingo. Después de la misa de 10:30am o 12:30pm traiga bocadillos como bandejas de frutas, bandejas de verduras, platillos de carne, sándwiches, quesos, galletas saladas y otros bocadillos. Puede traer comida al salon social a partir de las 7:45 am y etiquetar sus platos si no son desechables. Venga a tener compañerismo con nuestra familia parroquial para darle las gracias y desearle un feliz cumpleaños al Padre.

Ofertorio-Mes de octubre

10/05/25.....	\$ 4,302.00
10/12/25.....	\$ 5,498.00
10/19/25.....	\$
10/26/25.....	\$

Total **\$ 9,800.00**



Celebremos la vigilia del Dia de todos los Santos

- Quien:** Todos
- Que:** Entrega de dulces
- Donde:** San Mateo
- Porque:** Para celebrar La Comunion de Los Santos
- Hora:** 6pm-8pm
- Codigo de vestido:** Viste como tu Santo favorito

***Si tú y tu familia desean decorar su cajuela:**

- Santo favorito
- Inspirado en la fe

Por favor, llegar antes de las 5:30 p.m.



Confesiones:

Miercoles: 6:00pm

Jueves: 9:30am



Vigésimo Noveno del Tiempo Ordinario

En Nuestras Oraciones



Intenciones de la Misa

sábado, 18 de octubre

6:00p.m.— Los Feligreses de San Mateo

domingo, 19 de octubre

12:30p.m.— Luis Rodriguez & Gloria Pacheco
Aniversario de Matrimonio

Descanse en Paz- † Salud-♥

Intención Especial- IE, Cumpleaños-

Recuerde en Oración

Recordemos en nuestras oraciones a los siguientes feligreses quienes están hospitalizados, o sufriendo de cuerpo, mente, o espíritu:

Rodolfo Arango	Luis García	Carmen Rivas
Martha Avilez	Teresita García	Cecilia Rodríguez
Liliana Brignioni	Saba Duque	Jose Luis Saldaña
Arelí Bustos	Sara Escobedo	Jovanny O. Sánchez
Cleto Calderon	Marcela Galván	Maria Soldevilla
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Rosa Calderon Cano	Maria Lidia Gutiérrez	Vicente Soldevilla
Araceli Contreras	Cristina E. Fernández	Vicente Soldevilla, Jr.
Maria Isabel Curiel	Dulce María Hernández	Johnatan Torrez
Zonny de la Paz	Guillermina Juarez	Martha Vazques
Gabino De Leon	Angela Mendez	
Guadalupe Diaz	Ofelia Mendez	
Evelyn Dunn		

Los Sacramentos

Requisitos Para Bautizar

- Tiene que estar registrado y ser miembro activo de la parroquia por seis meses antes del bautizo
- Presentar el certificado de nacimiento del niño/a.
- Los padrinos deben ser Católicos practicantes y deben estar casados por la Iglesia (presentar acta de matrimonio)
- Si los padrinos no son miembros de nuestra iglesia tendrá que presentar una carta de la iglesia a la que asisten
- Los padres y padrinos deberán de asistir a las clases de preparación pre-bautismal antes de recibir una fecha
- Haya cumplido 16 años, esté confirmado, haya recibido ya el Santísimo Sacramento de la Eucaristía y lleve, al mismo tiempo, una vida congruente con la fe y con la misma que va a asumir.

Requisitos Para Casarse

Haga una cita previa con el sacerdote por lo menos 6 meses antes de fijar la fecha del matrimonio.

QUINCEAÑERAS

- La familia tiene que estar registrados y ser miembros activos de nuestra parroquia por lo mínimo de 1 año.
- Haber recibido su Primera Comunión
- Registrarse en Educación Religiosa (LifeTeen) y prepararse para recibir el Sacramento de Confirmación
- Si ya recibió el Sacramento aun debe asistir a LifeTeen
- Hacer 20 horas de ayuda comunitaria

Grupos

Grupo	Propósito	Hora de Reuniones	Contactos
<i>Bienvenidos</i>	Proceso espiritual de renovación diseñada para reunir miembros de nuestra parroquia a Cristo	Grupo de Mujeres- Viernes a las 7pm Grupo de Hombres- Sábado a las 7:30pm	Laura Baéz Luis Rodriguez
<i>Cristo Rey</i>	Invita a las personas que han servido el retiro de CRSP a reuniones de crecimiento espiritual	Mujeres- Viernes 7pm-9pm Hombres- Sábados 8pm-10pm	Elva Hernandez Celso Espinoza
<i>Grupo de Oración</i>	Ayudar a que la renovación carismática en el Espíritu llegue a mas católicos hispanos		Patricia Martinez
<i>Escuela de Evangelización San Andrés</i>	Formando nuevos evangelizadores para la Nueva Evangelización del tercer milenio.		Cesar Velazquez
<i>Grupo de Evangelización</i>	Con el propósito de vivir mas profundamente el Evangelio en comunidad y en pequeñas comunidades con un sistema de nueva ngeelización.		Maria Alexa Morales

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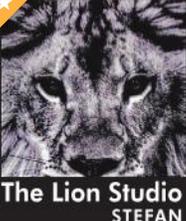
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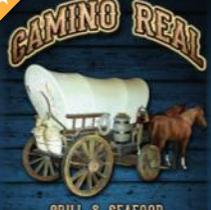
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