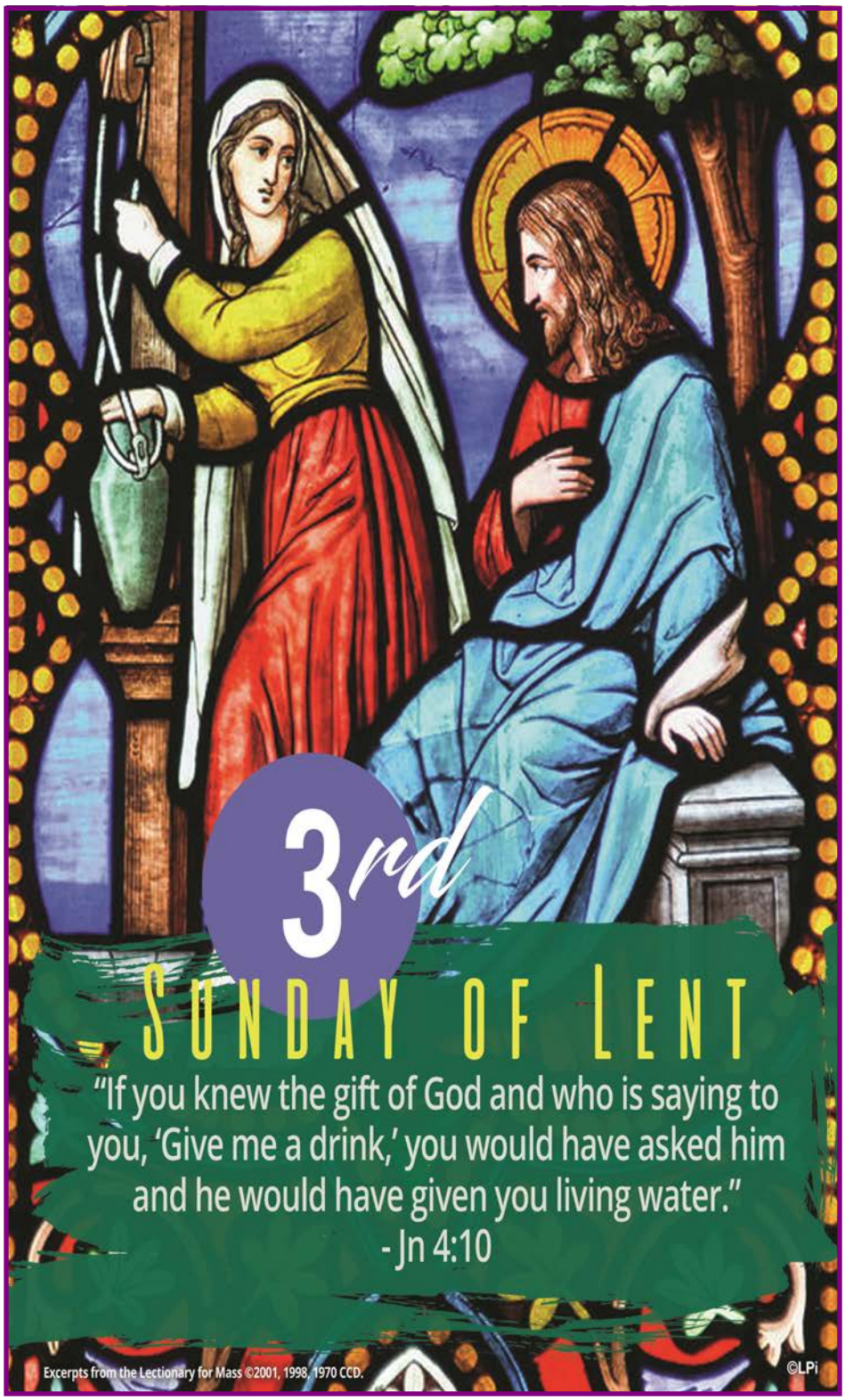
St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

1000 Goodyear Blvd. Picayune, MS 39466

Sunday March 12, 2023



Rev. Bernard J . Papania, Jr.

Pastor

Rev. Jeyanthan Jordan

Parochial Vicar

Deacon Brian Klause

Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

12:30 p.m. Misa en Español
Spanish Mass

5:00 p.m. Youth Mass

. Weekday Masses: 8:10 a.m.

Mondays, Tuesdays

and Fridays

Thursdays: 12:10 p.m.

Saturday Morning Mass:

(Announced accordingly)

Daily Adoration in

The Blessed Sacrament
Chapel

Divine Mercy Chaplet:

After weekday Masses

Mass Intentions
March 11th – March 17th, 2023

Saturday	March 11th	4:00 pm	Ruth McNeely + James Crowe + Clarence Schneider, Sr. + Raymond Bogdan +
Sunday	March 12th	10:00 am	People of the Parish
Sunday	March 12th	12:30 pm	Connie Sierra
Sunday	March 12th	5:00 pm	Arnold Joseph Schlottmann +
Monday	March 13th	8:10 am	Donald Schneider +
Monday	March 13th	6:00pm	Return to the Sacraments and Mass of all our Parishioners and family members who have been away from the Church
Tuesday	March 14th	8:10 am	Bobby March +
Thursday	March 16th	12:10 pm	Mary Jaunet +
Friday	March 17th	8:10 am	David Sullivan

Mass Book is open for your
Mass Intentions
$10.00 Mass stipend,
$40.00 Flowers on the Altar
(No Flowers during Lent)
$9.00 For the Sanctuary Candle

"May your blessings outnumber the shamrocks that grow, and may trouble avoid you wherever you go." ***Saint Patrick***

May God Bless The USA

The Sanctuary Candle Burns
In Honor of St. Patrick

Contact the
St. Charles Borromeo Church Office

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
1000 Fifth Avenue, Picayune, MS 39466
601-798-4779 (office)
601-798-4749 (fax)
Email: stcharlesinfo@gmail.com
Visit us at: www.scborromeo.org
St. Charles Borromeo Staff:
April Zogaib - Parish Secretary
For Religious Education submit to:
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If you would like to submit an item for the bulletin or Church announcements, please email it to
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St. Vincent de Paul Ministry

Located at 1022 Fifth Avenue,
is a Food Pantry in Picayune
open on Tuesday and Thursday
from 10:00 am - 11:30 am
Serving residents of Picayune, Carriere, and McNeill.
Phone number 601-916-6107.

Baptisms
Baptism classes are held quarterly (January, April, July, & October) on the 3rd Monday of the month. All paperwork must be received at the office two weeks prior to schedule the baptism.

Confessions
Confessions are 50 minutes before Weekend Masses \and immediately after any weekday Masses and by appointment.

Funerals
Arrangements may be made by calling the office. Pre-funeral arrangements may also be made.

Weddings
Weddings are to be scheduled 6 months prior to the ceremony. Any information you need regarding any of the sacraments or events listed above, may be obtained by calling the office.

Communion Calls
Please notify the church office of the names of those who desire to receive Holy Communion at home or in the hospital.

Anointing Of The Sick
Communal Anointing periodically or anytime upon request.

Weekend of March 4th & 5th

Regular Collection	$5,939.00
Online Regular Collection	1,638.00
Building Maintenance Collection	1,484.00
Online Building Maintenance Collection	416.00
Total	**$9,477.00**

Thank You For Your Generosity!

Ministry Schedule 3/042023 Thru 3/19/2023

Service Date	Eucharistic & lay Ministers	Lectors
3/11/2023 Saturday Vigil`	Lopez, Stephanie Oehlke, Mary Sue	Hollard, Victoria
3/12/2023 Sunday Morning`	Dillenkoffer, Kristina Meitzler, Michelle	Jackson, Cynthia
3/12/2023 Youth Mass`	Huck, Frances Jackson, Mickey	Hoover, Jacob
3/18/2023 Saturday Vigil`	Burk, Betsy Zogaib, Jorge	Albright, Patricia
3/19/2023 Sunday Morning`	Becnel, Beverly Dufour, Angela	Meitzler, Carey
3/19/2023 Youth Mass`	Huck, Frances Jackson, Mickey	Johnson, Lindsey
3/25/2023 Saturday Vigil`	Lopez, Stephanie Oehlke, Mary Sue	Cason, Joan
3/26/2023 Sunday Morning`	Hays, Michelle Herrin, Donna	Smith, Nickie
3/26/2023 Youth Mass`	Huck, Frances Jackson, Mickey	Hoover, Jacob

Lenten Penance Service
Monday, March 13th
At 6:00 pm

Would You Like To Volunteer
Some Of Your Free Time?
Or Join A Ministry?
We encourage you to do so!
Please call the office, at 601-798-4779
This Is Your Parish!

March 12th, 2023
Third Sunday of Lent

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: "Strike the rock, and the water will flow from it for the people to drink." (Ex 17:6)
Psalm: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps 95)
Second Reading: And hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. (Rom 5:5)
Gospel: "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." (Jn 4:13-14)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/ Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/ Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/ Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23
Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/ Mk 12:28-34
Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14
Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

GOSPEL MEDITATION

When I became the pastor of a large parish, I soon found myself, for the first time in my life, riddled with anxiety, headaches, difficulty making decisions, and fatigue. I called a therapist friend and told her my symptoms and asked if she thought I needed a serious medical exam. She said, "How much water do you drink?" I told her, "I haven't had time to drink water lately." She responded, "You're chronically dehydrated. Drink eighty-five ounces a day and call me in a week." I started guzzling water and in a week all my symptoms went away. I felt great.

Like me, the people in the Exodus wanderings were dehydrated. But unlike me, they knew it. Their symptoms were bad. They fight with each other. They accuse God of being a monster who wants them and their children to die of thirst. Their thirst drives them to plot the bloody assassination of the man who rescued them. God responds by using Moses to strike a rock from which rivers of living waters flow to quench their thirst for years to come.

The Holy Spirit is the living water of love which flows from the pierced side of Jesus, the new Moses. What symptoms in your life suggest you're spiritually dehydrated? Anger at God? Cynicism at your leaders? Bitter rivalry and bickering with others? Don't panic. *Of course* we have those symptoms. Ask God to provide his water to quench your spiritual thirst, and he will. And all those symptoms will soon disappear.

— Father John Muir

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Calendar

March 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
12 10:00am Mass 12:30am Mass 5:00pm Mass	**13** 8:10am Mass Adoration in the Church 6:00pm Mass 6:00pm Penance Service 5:30pm RCIA	**14** 8:10am Mass	**15**	**16** 12:10pm Mass	**17** 8:10am Mass 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross 5pm-7:30pm K of C Fish Fry At Knights Hall	**18** 4:00pm Mass
19 10:00am Mass 12:30am Mass 5:00pm Mass	**20** 8:10am Mass Adoration in the Church 6:00pm Mass 5:30pm RCIA	**21** 8:10am Mass	**22**	**23** 12:10pm Mass	**24** 8:10am Mass 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross 5pm-7:30pm K of C Fish Fry At Knights Hall	**25** 4:00pm Mass

The feast of St. Patrick this year falls on a Friday of Lent. In view of this, and in response to several requests, I hereby grant on that day for all in the Diocese of Biloxi a dispensation from the Church's law of abstinence, provided that some other act of penance is substituted. Here are a few examples:

- encouraging others to pursue the path of intentional discipleship
- visiting someone who is ill or hospitalize
- spending some additional time in prayer,
- providing a meal or service for someone who is in need, or
- depriving oneself of some other legitimate pleasure, such as a television show, etc.

Given at the Pastoral Center, March I , 2023.
Most Reverend Louis F, Kihneman
Bishop of Biloxi

High School Seniors - Please Read This

The Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary, Oscar Gelpi Council #6872 in Picayune, MS will be awarding one scholarship in the amount of five hundred dollars ($500.00) to a deserving student who is a graduating high school senior and member of St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church in Picayune, MS. Applications may be obtained at the church office or by contacting the Ladies Auxiliary Vice President, Gina Rivero at 601-347-7897. Direction must be followed completely and your application must be postmarked no later than April 17, 2023 to be considered for this award

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Fish Fry every Friday during Lent from 5pm to 7:30pm at the KC Hall. Fish Plate: $14.00, Shrimp Plate: $14.00 and Combination Plate Fish & Shrimp $15.00. Eat in or to go orders.

About the Stations of the Cross

The Way of the Cross, also known as the Stations of the Cross, are a way to pray and meditate on Christ's sacrifice for us. It is divided into fourteen stations from the time He was condemned to His burial. This devotion has been long encouraged by the Church, and is especially useful during Lent and Good Friday. The devotion, highly recommended by the Church, was developed during the Crusades when the knights and pilgrims began to follow the route of Christ's way to Calvary. This devotion spread throughout Europe and was promulgated by the Franciscan friars in the 14th and 15th centuries. Eventually, the Stations of the Cross became an important catechetical tool, and the popularity of this devotion inspired some of the greatest examples of medieval Christian art. Some scholars believe that medieval miracle plays, which were essentially tableaux of Christ's life, developed from the sculptured Representations of the Stations of the Cross in the great Churches. These scenes from the Way of the Cross have provided inspiration for many of the world's greatest works of visual art.

The Stations of the Cross will be in the Church every Friday at 6:30 PM during Lent

PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS EACH DAY
March 12th—March 18th

Sunday— Msgr. Dominick Fullam
Monday— Fathers Martin Gillespie & Tomaz Golab
Tuesday— Father Rofinus Jas S.V.D.
Wednesday— Father Ignacio Jimenez-Morales
Thursday— Father Jeyanthan Jordan
Friday—Father Fintan Kilmurray
Saturday—Father George Kitchin

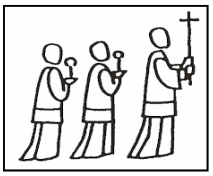
Christ beside me, Christ before me,
Christ behind me, Christ within me,
Christ beneath me, Christ above me.
Saint Patrick

Willwoods Faith and Marriage Married Couples Retreat
Attention All Married Couples:

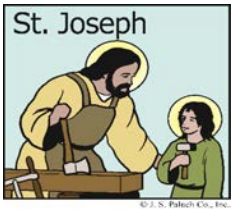
You are invited to attend an upcoming married couples retreat June 10th – 11th at the beautiful St. Joseph Abbey in Covington, LA. You and your spouse will spend time listening to inspiring talks, enjoy private couple time and individual prayer time, adoring the Lord in Eucharist Adoration, and celebrating the Sacraments with fellow couples from our parish. Through God's grace, you will walk away with a renewed strength and a deeper commitment to each other and to God. The retreat starts with breakfast Saturday morning and ends after lunch on Sunday. To register for your relaxing and rejuvenating retreat, visit www.FaithandMarriage.org. A suggested donation of $325 for the couple is requested but not required. Cost should never be a reason why a couple cannot make the weekend! Scholarships are available! If you have any questions, please call (504) 830-3716. Limited space available.

Monday Night BINGO!
At The KayCee Hall, 408 Carroll St.
Doors open at 5:30pm,
cards start selling at 6:30pmm
1st game starts at 7:00pm
Come And Have Some Fun
Every Monday Night!!!

Are You Interested in Becoming an Altar Server?
Boys in 3rd grade and up are welcome to join!
Please call the Church office at 601-798-4779



St. Joseph's Altar
viewing is Saturday March 18th after the 4:00 pm Vigil Mass, and will be open to the public on Sunday March 19th after the 10:00AM Mass until 4:00 PM. Donations of meatless, covered dishes are requested and appreciated. Decorative cakes and baked goods are also welcome and appreciated.



Dear Parishioners/Non-Parishioners,
On behalf of SVD Laity Missionary of Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church, I'm writing this invitation letter of **"HEALING MASS SERVICE".** It will be held **on Friday, March 17, 2023 at 5:00 PM.** Located: **Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church, 216 Saucier Ave. Pass Christian, MS. 39571.** We look forward to see you. Please bring your friends and those who needs special prayers in this powerful **"Healing Mass Service**. Thank you.

Advertiser of the Week:

Please let the advertiser know you saw their ad on the back of our bulletin!

POCKET CATECHISM ON THE EUCHARIST

3. How is the Eucharist a sacrifice?

In the liturgy of the Eucharist, there is made pres-ent in our midst Christ's sacrifice of the Cross. The Mass is not a repetition of the sacrifice of the Cross. Rather, the Mass and the sacrifice of the Cross are one and the same sacrifice.

At Mass, we are one with Christ as He offers the sacrifice of His life for us on Calvary. What took place on the altar of the cross in a bloody manner and what takes place on the altar at Mass in an unbloody manner is the same sacri-fice, yet present in different modes.

We *believe that the Mass, celebrated by the priest representing the person of Christ by virtue of the power received through the Sacrament of Orders, and offered by him in the name of Christ and the members of His Mystical Body, is the sacrifice* of *Calvary rendered sacramen-tally present* on *our altars.*

Pope St. Paul VI, *Credo of the People of* God, 24

COMMUNION CALLS

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ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS
By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

The Long Walk

The Messiah Before You

If you would have asked me on the morning of my confirmation what the chances were of the Holy Spirit getting into my heart, I would have told you they were about the same as getting water from a stone.

My faith was fragile at this time in my life, primarily because I viewed it as exactly that — my faith. Something within my possession and subject to my own power. And I hadn't done the things I thought I needed to do in order to be the kind of Christian who knows the truth and lives it. I was waiting to be made stronger. I was waiting to be made more faithful. I was waiting for a transformation.

Little did I know, I was like the woman at the well, standing around talking about the coming of the Messiah, unaware that he was standing right in front of me. She wasn't ready; she was still living in her sin. She was caught so unawares that she left her water jar at the well, rushing out to tell what she had seen.

When I was anointed with the oil it no longer mattered that I wasn't strong enough to break open the stone that I was convinced encased my heart — God's grace gushed forth through the cracks. While I certainly didn't become a perfect Christian — and never will, in this life — I did learn that when God tells you to strike, it's probably best not to second-guess Him.

"We boast in the glory of God… and hope does not disappoint." Romans 5:2-5

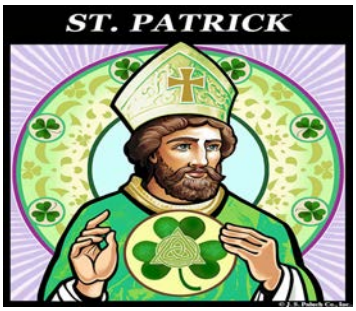
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Monday in the Church.

Please call the Church office to sign in for an Hour of Adoration with the Lord. There will be a Benediction at 6:00pm followed by a Mass.

Would you not spend one hour with me?

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Lent, **Daylight Saving Time begins**
Monday: Saint Leander of Seville
Tuesday: Saint Maximilian
Wednesday: Saint Louise de Marillac
Thursday: Saint Clement Mary Hobauer
Friday: Saint Patrick, Bishop, St. Patrick's Day
Saturday: Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church



St. Patrick,
Bishop, Apostle of Ireland
Feast Day: March 17
Patron of Ireland

The date and place of St. Patrick's birth are uncertain. He was born about the year 389, the son of Calpurnius, a Roman-British deacon, and Conchessa. When he was sixteen, he was carried as a captive into Ireland and obliged to serve a heathen master as a herdsman. Despite the harshness of the life there, he not only held on to his Faith but also learned the science of prayer and contemplation. After six years he effected a miraculous escape and returned home. In a dream, he was told to go back and Christianize Ireland. St. Patrick prepared for his task by studying in the monastery of Lerins from about 412-415 and was ordained at Auxerre by St. Amator about 417.

In 431, after a period during which his vocation to Ireland was tested by the hesitancy of his superiors in entrusting such a mission to him, St. Patrick was sent to assist Bishop Paladius in Ireland. On the death of the latter, St. Patrick was consecrated Bishop by St. Germanus (432) after receiving the approbation of Pope Celestine I. He traveled the length and breadth of Ireland, planting the Faith everywhere despite the hostility of the Druids, and succeeded in converting several members of the royal family.

On a visit to Rome in 442, he was commissioned by Pope Leo the Great to organize the church of Ireland and on his return made Armagh the primatial See and established Bishops in various places.

In winning a pagan nation for Christ, St. Patrick established many monasteries for men and women and made it famous for its seats of piety and learning. In the ensuing centuries Irish monks carried the Faith to England, France, and Switzerland.

After living a completely apostolic life of labor and prayer, St. Patrick died on March 17, 461, in the monastery of Saul, in Down in Ulster, leaving behind his *Confessions* which give a vivid picture of a great man of God.

From LPI.com

SAINT OF THE WEEK – EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH

Ven. Eusebio Francisco Kino

Biography

Venerable Eusebio Francesco Chini, S.J. — more commonly known as Father Kino — was born in 1645 in the County of Tyrol, a State of the Holy Roman Empire that is now a territory divided between modern day Italy and Austria. At around 20 years old, in 1665, he joined Society of Jesus and became a Jesuit priest in 1677. He served most of his vocation as a prolific missionary and built missions and ranches extending 50,000 miles though what is now Mexico to present day California and Arizona.

A skilled cartographer, Father Kino drew the first accurate maps of the Gulf of California and Baja, California. These maps remained the most accurate maps of this region 150 years after his death until more powerful tools for cartography were invented. Through his travels he encountered 16 different Native tribes and developed relationships with each, often trading European seeds and edible plants as well as cattle, sheep, and goats. In fact, his original heard of twenty cattle that he and his fellow Jesuits transported from Europe to aid in establishing their first missions grew during his lifetime to 70,000 animals as he sold and traded them to the native peoples and settlers. According to historian Herbert Bolton, this won Kino the unofficial title of Arizona's first rancher.

Aside from his social work building missions and serving the local peoples he encountered, Father Kino was also a skilled astronomer and mathematician. During his first attempt to travel to New Spain, now the Americas, he unfortunately missed his boat which caused him to have to spend an entire year in southern Spain in the coastal city of Cádiz, before he could reembark. He spent that year observing a comet — later known as Kirch's comet — and published his findings in his astronomical treatise the Exposición Astronómica de el Cometa, or in English, the Astronomical Exhibition of the Comet. He mentions in this treatise that, with the hope of being a missionary in the Americas, he dedicated his life to Our Lady of Guadalupe as news of the apparition in Mexico a little over 100 years earlier was influencing Spanish culture.

After establishing over 25 missions, championing the rights of the native peoples he encountered through his opposition to slavery, and constructing 19 villages to supply cattle and seed to nearby settlements, Father Keno died of a severe fever on March 15, 1711. He is currently honored in the U.S. and Mexico with streets, institutions, and geographic features named for him. He is often depicted in art and sculpture on horseback as that was his main mode of transportation across the American West. Pope Francis advanced the cause of Venerable Eusebio Francesco Chini — Father Kino — on July 11, 2020.

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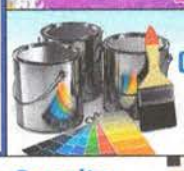
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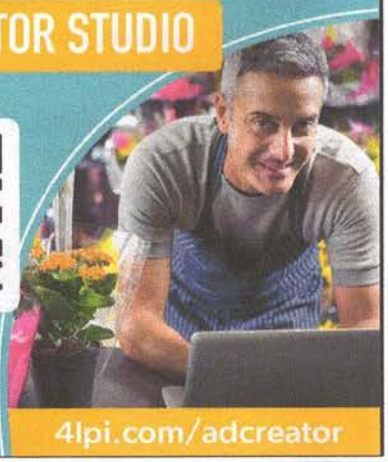
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