

## First Friday in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus



We will have Mass at 8:30am followed by Holy Hour on *Friday, April 1<sup>st</sup>*.

## Special Blessing for Expectant Mothers



Next weekend we have our monthly blessing for expectant mothers of our parish after all the Masses.

## Stations of the Cross



We have Stations of the Cross every Wednesday (**Spanish**) at 6:30pm and every Friday (**English**) at 6:00pm during Lent in the Church.

## Abstinence

Abstinence from meat is to be observed on all Fridays of Lent by all who have celebrated their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday.

## Knights of Columbus



The KC are hosting an “*All you can Eat*” Fish Fry Dinner every Friday during Lent from 6:00 – 8:00pm in the Parish Hall. The cost (includes tea and dessert) will be \$12 and \$6 children (12 and under). Please join us!

## Finance Committee Meeting



The Finance Committee will meet **Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.



## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, March 26

4:00 PM Maricela & Alejandro Betancourt – In Honor of their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

### Sunday, March 27

8:00 AM †Maureen Vetter by Karen Daza

10:30 AM Pro Populo

12:15 PM †Apolonio Roman Castañeda Int. de su Esposa y Hijos

### Tuesday, March 29

8:30 AM †Maria Carmona by John & Sylvia Garcia & Family

### Wednesday, March 30

8:30 AM †Rosario Rodriguez by Norma & Nick Morales

### Thursday, March 31

8:30 AM Patrick Wegner-Fast recovery from surgery by Helen Wegner

### Friday, April 1

8:30 AM In Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

### Saturday, April 2

4:00 PM †Troy Langlois by Mark & Barbe Butschek

### Sunday, April 3

8:00 AM Pro Populo

10:30 AM †Bob Rowland by Connie & Danny Doak

12:15 PM †Jovita & †Ubaldo Villa Int. de Joanna Enriquez

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## Mass Intentions

*Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please return to the office a completed Mass Intention envelope. We have Mass Intentions envelopes in the foyer of the church.*

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Mass Intention Offering Envelope

For the	Living	Deceased
Name		
Address		
City		
State		
Zip		

**LENT**  
Pray + Fast + Give



### Reporting Abuse:

*If you believe that you, or someone you know, is a victim of past or present abuse or sexual abuse, please notify law enforcement. In the event the abuse involves a minor, please also contact the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services through the Texas Abuse Hotline at 1-800-252-5400 or [www.txabusehotline.org](http://www.txabusehotline.org). Finally, if the abuse involves a member of the clergy, a parish employee, or diocesan employee, please also notify the Diocese of Dallas Victims Assistance Coordinator, Barbara Landregan, at 214-379-2812 or [blandregan@cathdal.org](mailto:blandregan@cathdal.org)*



*Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun.*

*Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.*

### THE WEEK AHEAD IN OUR PARISH

#### Sunday, March 27

9:15 AM R.E. Classes

#### Monday, March 28

1:00 PM Crochet Ministry @ Casa St. John

6:30 PM Finance Committee meeting @ Parish Hall

7:00 PM RCIA class @ Parish Center

#### Tuesday, March 29

8:30 AM Daily Mass

#### Wednesday, March 30

8:30 AM Daily Mass

6:30 PM Via Crucis

6:30 PM R.E. Classes

#### Thursday, March 31

8:30 AM Daily Mass

6:30 PM R.E. Classes

6:30 PM Confessions

#### Friday, April 1

8:30 AM Daily Mass

9:00 AM Holy Hour

6:00 PM KC Fish Fry – Parish Hall

6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Joe Wages  
Julie Lacy  
Maria Landaverde  
June Morris  
Mike Gonzales  
David Goelden  
Thomas Mitchell  
Tillie Trevino  
Frances LaPoint  
Blanche Rizkal  
Claire Taft  
Ernestina Bueno  
Nancy Diaz  
Felipa Garcia  
Stephen LaPoint  
Felipe Caballero  
Jovita De la Garza  
Danielle Spraul  
Jean Thompson  
Leandra Reyes

Nick Morales, Sr.  
Barbara Meshell  
Wayne Meshell  
Judy Aloï  
Gilbert Arteaga  
Kathy Rener  
Carlee Baladez  
George Lawshe  
Lauren Miller  
Susie Connolly  
Danny Doak  
Abelino Reyes  
Charlie Burnson  
Vicki Stevens  
Bobbie Goelden  
Dominic Sanchez  
Ana Sofia Huerta  
Baby girl Lanier  
Patrick J. Wegner  
Rosann Kinkaid

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### Lectors Schedule ~ April 2/3

#### Saturday

4:00 PM

Suzy McCook

#### Sunday

8:00 AM

Karen Mathers

10:30 AM

Karie Hammond

### E. M. Schedule ~ April 2/3

#### Saturday

4:00 PM

Suzy McCook

#### Sunday

8:00 AM

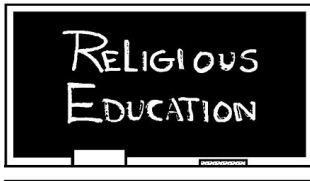
Dan Probst

10:30 AM

Karie Hammond

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### MARCH

Sunday classes: 27  
Wednesday classes: 30  
Thursday classes: 31

### APRIL

Sunday classes: 3, 24  
Wednesday classes: 6, 13, 20, 27  
Thursday classes: 7, 21, 28

#### No classes on the following dates in April:

Sunday class: 10, 17  
Thursday classes: 14

### MAY

Sunday classes: 1, 15  
Wednesday classes: 4, 11, 18  
Thursday classes: 5, 12, 19

#### No classes on the following dates in May:

Sunday classes: 8

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### **Easter Eggs and Candy**



The Religious Education program is in need of plastic eggs and bags of individually wrapped candy for the Easter Egg Hunts. You can drop them off in the parish office as soon as possible. Thanking you in advance for helping to make the Egg Hunts a fun experience for the children.

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## **The Fourth Week of Lent**



For the **Fourth Sunday of Lent**, we read the powerful story of the Prodigal Son from **Luke's Gospel**. The younger son, who asks for his inheritance and spends it all, returns and asks to be a servant at his father's house. Instead, he is welcomed home with open arms by his father who was filled with compassion, ran to his son, and forgave him. The older son is jealous and will not share in the happiness, but the father says to "celebrate and rejoice, because your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found." For Masses using Cycle A readings for the RCIA, **John's Gospel** will offer the story of the man born blind. (For more information, see [Praying the Gospels of Weeks 3, 4 and 5.](#))

Our gospels this week are all from **John's Gospel**. After two days of healing stories, the opposition against Jesus builds. In Cana, in Galilee, Jesus heals the son of a royal official. Back down in Jerusalem, he heals a man who was sick for 38 years, incurring the wrath of his enemies because he did it on the Sabbath. Because of this, and because he called God his Father, they now plot a way to kill him. Jesus says his opponents do not want to come to him for life. He calls God his father and says, "I have testimony greater than John's." Unafraid of his opponents, Jesus goes to Jerusalem for a feast and openly tells people that he has come from God. They did not arrest him then, "for his hour had not yet come." Thinking they know where Jesus is from (in both senses: where he lived now and his origin in heaven), his enemies insist that Jesus can't be a prophet: "Look and see that no prophet arises from Galilee."

## Primer Viernes en Honor del Sagrado Corazón de Jesús

El viernes, **1<sup>o</sup> de abril** vamos a tener Misa a las 8:30am y enseguida la Hora Santa.



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## Bendición Especial

El próximo fin de semana después de la Misa vamos a tener una bendición especial para las madres de nuestra parroquia que están embarazadas.



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## Vía Crucis

Todos los miércoles durante la Cuaresma tenemos el Vía Crucis en español a las 6:30pm en la Iglesia.



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## Abstenerse

Se les obliga abstenerse de comer carne todos los viernes de Cuaresma a personas mayores de 14 años.

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## Los Caballeros de Colon



Los Caballeros de Colon están tendiendo su "**Cena de Pescado Frito**" cada viernes durante la Cuaresma de 6:00-8:00pm en el Salón Parroquial. El costo (incluye té y postre) es: \$12 y \$6 niños (12 años y menos). ¡Acompañemos!

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## Reportar abuso:

Primero, notifique a la policía local. Segundo notificar al Departamento de servicios familiares y de protección de Texas a través de la línea directa de abuso de Texas (1-800-252-5400 o [www.texasabusehotline.org](http://www.texasabusehotline.org)) finalmente, si la acusación involucra a un miembro del clero o a un empleado de una parroquia o de la diócesis, por favor notifique la Coordinadora de asistencia a víctimas de la diócesis de Dallas, Barbara Landregan al 214-379-2812.

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CUARESMA



## Calendario

### MARZO

Domingos:	27
Miércoles:	30
Jueves:	31

### ABRIL

Domingos:	3, 24
Miércoles:	6,13,20,27
Jueves:	7,21,28

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Domingos:	10,17
Jueves:	14

### MAYO

Domingos:	1, 15
Miércoles:	4, 11, 18
Jueves:	5, 12, 19

### No habrá clases en las siguientes fechas en Mayo:

Domingo:	8
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# ATENCIÓN:



El programa de Educación Religiosa necesita huevos de plástico y bolsas de dulces envueltos individualmente para la búsqueda de huevos de Pascua. Puede dejarlos en la oficina parroquial lo antes posible. Agradeciéndole de antemano por ayudar a hacer de las Cacerías de Huevos una experiencia divertida para los niños.

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Cuaresma  
"Cuarenta días para  
crecer en el amor  
de Dios y  
del prójimo"

