

ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA PARISH COMMUNITY



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"May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be loved everywhere"

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INDOOR MASS SCHEDULE

100% Capacity

Face masks are encouraged upon entering the church.

SATURDAY VIGIL

***5:15 pm English**

SUNDAY

6:30 am / 8:30 am

***10:15 am - interpreted for the deaf**
12:00 pm / *1:45 pm Espanol / 5:15 pm

DAILY MASS

***8:15 am & 5:30 pm**

Daily Mass in Spanish every Wednesday at 5:30 pm

Misa diaria en español cada miércoles a las 5:30 pm

(There is no 5:30 pm Mass from Memorial Day through Labor Day)

***Masses are Live-stream**

Visit us online: www.stcofa.org for up-to-date information

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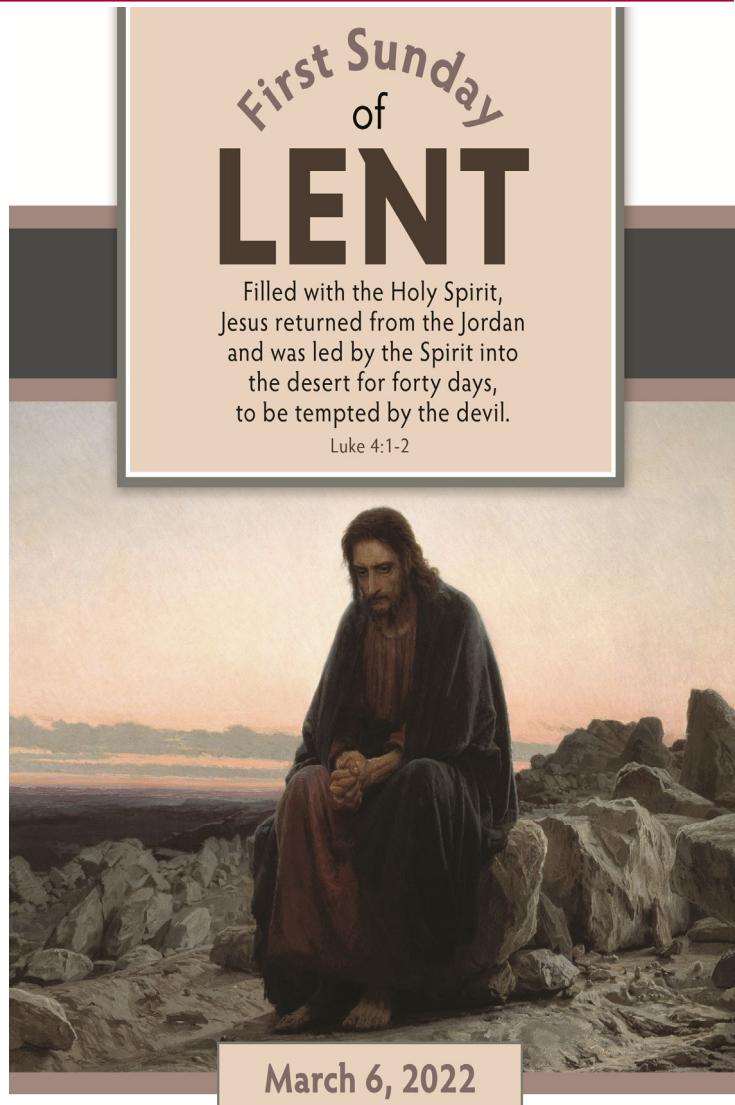
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CONFessions (CONFESIONES)

Saturday (sábado): 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

One God, One people in Christ, One community of love guided by the Holy Spirit to impact lives.
Un Dios, Un pueblo en Cristo, Una comunidad de amor guiada por el Espíritu Santo para impactar vidas.



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Jesús, lleno del Espíritu Santo, regresó del Jordán y conducido por el mismo Espíritu, se internó en el desierto, donde permaneció durante cuarenta días y fue tentado por el demonio.

Lucas 4:1-2

Primer Domingo de CUARESMA
6 de marzo de 2022

MASS INTENTIONS - INTENCIÓNES DE MISASSUNDAY - DOMINGO 03/06

6:30 am St. Catherine's Parishioners
 8:30 am Beebee Noriega †
 10:15 am Gilbert & Jeanne Backes †
 12:00 pm Ryan Buyco †
 1:45 pm Rita Elena Montoya †
 5:15 pm Ryan Santana †

MONDAY - LUNES 03/07

8:15 am Edward J. Dunaj †
 5:30 pm Herminia Saldivar †

TUESDAY - MARTES 03/08

8:15 am Betty Johnson †
 5:30 pm Isabel Sandoval †

WEDNESDAY - MIÉRCOLES 03/09

8:15 am Intentions of St. Jude's Wirebenders
 5:30 pm Intentions of Steve Saldaña

THURSDAY - JUEVES 03/10

8:15 am Karen Hutchinson †
 5:30 pm Intentions of Renee May S. Viray

FRIDAY - VIERNES 03/11

8:15 am Aurora Saldaña †
 5:15 pm Carlos Constantino †

SATURDAY - SÁBADO 03/12

8:15 am Deceased Members of the Bromley Family †
 10:00 am At WMV - Parishioners
 5:15 pm Vincenzo Lanni †

SUNDAY - DOMINGO 03/13

6:30 am St. Catherine's Parishioners
 8:30 am Sister Justin McCarthy †
 10:15 am Juan Jose & Matilde Machuca †
 12:00 pm Ryan Buyco †
 1:45 pm Los difuntos de la Familia Perez-Garcia †
 5:15 pm Miriam A. Jackson †

† Symbolizes Soul of Deceased



St. Catherine Church has radio frequency capability at 72.9 MHz Wideband Audio Input with 10.0 db for the FM Radio that you can hear with your in-ear headphone direct from the presider's microphone.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Israelites show their faith by offering the LORD first fruits of the products of their new land (Deuteronomy 26:4-10).

Psalm — Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble (Psalm 91).

Second Reading — All who express faith in the risen Christ and confess that he is Lord will be saved (Romans 10:8-13).

Gospel — Jesus was led into the desert by the Spirit and was tempted (Luke 4:1-13).

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LITURGY CORNER**March 6 - FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

March 7 - Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity, Martyrs

March 8 - Saint John of God, Religious

March 9 - Saint Frances of Rome, Religious

Saint Perpetua (her name meaning 'eternal'), and **Saint Felicity** (her name meaning 'happy'), both being imprisoned for being Christian and for not denying their faith, they were killed in Carthage in northern Africa, in 203.

Saint John of God, in 1537, laid foundation for the religious Order of Hospitallers (O.H.) "You must offer God deep thanks for everything, both the good and the bad. Remember our Lord Jesus Christ and his blessed Passion and recall how he gave back good for the evil they did him. You must do likewise, so that when you come to the house of God you can recognize both good and evil". He died in 1550.

Saint Frances of Rome noblewoman, wife, and mother; founded a community of Benedictine women oblates committed to serving the poorest of the poor; she died in 1440.

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Stations of the Cross will be held:

- Fridays at 6:30 pm, English March 4, 11, 18, 25, and April 8; and in Spanish April 1.
- Wednesdays in Spanish at 6:30 pm: March 16, 23, 30, and April 6.
- Good Friday, April 15, at 3:00 pm.

Lenten Mission Retreats:

- Youth via Zoom, March 6 at 7:00 pm
- English in Church, March 7 & 8 at 7:00 pm
- Spanish in Church, March 9 at 7:00 pm.

Lenten Communal Penance Service: March 10 at 7:00 pm



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME begins next Sunday, March 13, 2022. Please remember to set your clock ahead 1 hour.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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| Monday: | Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46 |
| Tuesday: | Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15 |
| Wednesday: | Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32 |
| Thursday: | Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12 |
| Friday: | Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26 |
| Saturday: | Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48 |
| Sunday: | Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36 |

Brothers and Sisters,

Last Wednesday the foreheads of Christians around the world were marked with ashes, a sign of our sinfulness, a sign of the human condition, a sign of our need for God's mercy. Let these ashes inspire us to repent for our sins. None of us are perfect, all of us are in need of changing, a change in us that brings holiness and goodness into our lives and our world and to the lives of those around us.

We all undergo numerous trials in our lives. A loved one is rolled into surgery, we get laid off from work, a friend asks us to participate in something we know is wrong. All difficult situations, all occasions we feel we cannot face alone. In hope, we turn to God, trusting that he will be with us in our moments of need. Our faith in God enables us to face these times of stress, to look to the Lord for strength.



Last week I read a story about a young Catholic Filipino diplomat, a former Commissioner on the Philippines' Climate Change Commission, when a natural disaster in his home region of the Philippines prompted a career change. While attending a UN Climate summit in Poland in 2013 he received news that Typhoon Haiyan had devastated the city of Tacloban and the surrounding areas. He cried and fasted for two weeks, as he heard news from family and friends in the area before deciding his life needed a change of direction. He gave up his career as a diplomat to work with different faith groups across the world, as part of a larger global climate movement. He had seen communities suffering because of severe weather, while political and industrial leaders of the world were failing to act seriously on climate change. I guess what caught my attention about this story was that I had the experience of seeing first hand what he was describing. I had arrived in Manila to visit Fr. Ben Alforque just a day or two after Haiyan had devastated the area. Together we toured not only the city but visited an outer island as well. We saw destruction but little to no government response to it.

In today's gospel, we see Jesus filled with the Holy Spirit, standing at the crossroads of his life as he enters the Judean desert. It was here in this desert, away from human society that Jesus accepted his messianic ministry. He goes from being a carpenter to become the savior of the world. Jesus uses this time to clarify his identity and the work and ministry of his life.

Jesus taught that wealth is to be shared and that living simply and frugally should go hand in hand with caring for the natural world. Jesus rejects the temptations of Satan. Jesus' experience teaches us that there is nothing wrong with being tempted. It's how we react to the temptations that matters. Temptation is less about a choice and more about our identity and direction in life. Think about the decisions before you at the moment. What are they? What is it you are really seeking? What brings you peace?

This Lent, let us look at the signs of our times, particularly the damage being done by destructive human behavior to those who are poor and to the community of living things on earth.

Finally, Lent provides an opportunity for repentance and new beginnings. This Lent, let us remember that God is with us as we orient our lives towards the values of the gospel.

Faithful

STEWARSHIP . . . Thank you for supporting your parish, St. Catherine of Alexandria!

Thank you for your generous contribution. God bless you.

**Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022
Summary of Weekly Sunday Offering
February 27, 2022**

	<u>Actual Collection</u>	<u>Budgeted Collection</u>
February 6th	\$ 14,658.05	\$ 15,500.00
February 13th	\$ 16,609.99	\$ 15,500.00
February 20th	\$ 15,000.89	\$ 15,500.00
February 27th	\$ 15,502.25	\$ 15,500.00
Actual Collection		\$ 592,351.01
Budgeted Collection		<u>\$ 557,500.00</u>
YTD Collection Overage		<u>\$34,851.01</u>

**2022 Diocesan Development Fund
February 27, 2022**

DDF Assessment	\$ 66,700
Less: Pledges Made	27,495
Total Pledges Shortfall	\$ 39,205
DDF Assessment	\$ 66,700
Less: DDF Pledge Payments	11,581
Total Amount Payable to the Diocese	\$ 55,119
Number of donors	71
Parishioner's participation %	2%

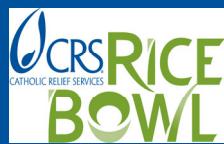
PLEASE SUPPORT DDF-2022.

PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR PARISH FINANCIALLY.

Rice Bowls are here!

Join us in supporting Catholic Relief Service's annual Lenten Rice Bowl program. CRS is the US Bishop's official international relief agency and works in more than 100 countries around the world. 25% of the monies collected through Rice Bowl stay in our Diocese to support agencies like Veronica's House of Mercy and other pro-life programs. Pick up your Rice Bowl in church or at the Ministry Center and at the end of Lent return your donation to CRS on Divine Mercy Sunday. See the parish bulletin for updates.

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Let us pray for our sisters and brothers experiencing poverty, hunger and malnutrition. That they may access the resources they need to stay healthy and thrive. We also pray for our community that our prayers, fasting and almsgiving this Lent bear fruit by drawing us closer to God and others.

2022 DDF SPECIAL COLLECTION IS THIS WEEKEND - MARCH 5th & 6th

You can make your donation several ways:

- In the collection basket at Mass
 - Via **ONLINE GIVING** at St. Catherine's website: www.stcofa.org
 - Mail your check to St. Catherine of Alexandria
7005 Brockton Ave., Riverside, CA 92506
- Thank you for your continued support!

*Donating to DDF supports
your Church and Ministries.*

CHARACTER

A simple judge of my character is how I treat a person who can do absolutely nothing for me. —Anonymous

**2022 LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION SERVICES
2022 SERVICIOS COMUNITARIOS DE PENITENCIA Y RECONCILIACIÓN DE CUARESMA**

Riverside Vicariate & Riverside Metropolitan Area / Vicariato de Riverside y Área Metropolitana de Riverside

St. John the Evangelist - Monday, March 7 at 7:00 pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Tuesday, March 8 at 7:00 pm

Corpus Christi - Wednesday, March 9 at 7:00 pm

St. Catherine of Alexandria - Thursday, March 10 at 7:00 pm

St. Thomas the Apostle - Thursday, March 10 at 7:00 pm

Queen of Angels - Wednesday, March 23 at 7:00 pm

St. Mel - Wednesday, March 23 at 7:00 pm

St. Mary Magdalene - Thursday, March 24 at 7:00 pm

St. Anthony - Friday, March 25 at 5:00 pm

St. Edward - Friday, April 1 at 7:00 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine - Thursday, April 7 at 7:00 pm

St. Andrew Newman Center - Thursday, April 7 at 7:00 pm

St. Andrew Kim - Friday, April 8 at 3:00 pm & 7:00 pm



St. Catherine of Alexandria Catholic Church

Sunday, March 13

9 AM to 3:30 PM

7005 Brockton Ave., Riverside
in the Parish Hall.

For appointments, call 1.800.879.4484,
visit lsblooddrive.org/rc36, or scan QR code above.

HEALTH MINISTRY NEWS

The mobile clinic will be at St. Catherine's school from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm for adult clients on Saturday, March 19, 2022.



During the Coronavirus pandemic, please call 714-633-4600 for pre-screening and to make an appointment.

Free Adult Medical care is offered, labs and meds are as low-cost as possible. Patients sign in on a first-come, first-served basis. For additional information or to volunteer visit their website at www.lestonnacfreeclinic.org.

*Penance
is an
experience
of the gift of
God's
boundless
mercy.*

ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA CHURCH RIVERSIDE, CA

Lenten Mission Retreat

The Audacity to Believe in a Change of Era



**March 7 - 8, 2022 at 7:00 pm
In Person, Inside the Church**

The Signs of the Times: from a "Time of Change" to "Change of Era"

Covid: Vaccine or No Vaccine - A Dilemma for Catholics?

Is the Catholic Church Boring and Irrelevant? What are you searching for?

Jesus Christ: Where Are You? Looking for the real presence of Christ.

Synodality: A new way of being Church.



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Deaths
Please pray for our beloved dead...
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord;
and let perpetual light shine upon them

Stephen Bromley
Natalie Victoria Palacios
Raymond Augustin Herrera
Antonio Cabrera
Isamel Vara

For all who have died during COVID-19 pandemic.
...May they rest in peace



Prayer + Fasting + Almsgiving

TO REPORT THE SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD

by a priest, deacon, employee, or volunteer,
call the toll free

Sexual Misconduct Hotline 1-888-206-9090

PARA REPORTAR EL ABUSO SEXUAL DE UN MENOR

por parte de un sacerdote, diácono, empleado o voluntario,

llame a la **Línea Directa de Conducta Sexual
Inapropiada 1-888-206-9090**

RCIA—Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

PRAY FOR THOSE BECOMING CATHOLIC.
BRIANA CHELSEA DIRK ELIZABETH KEN
MICHAEL MICHELLE SABRINA SI

OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS, WE WILL PROFILE THOSE ADULTS BEING RECEIVED INTO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH THIS EASTER. THESE MEN AND WOMEN HAVE JOURNEYED THROUGH THE RCIA FOR A YEAR OR MORE, LEARNING ABOUT THE FAITH AND DISCERNING GOD'S CALL IN THEIR LIVES. PLEASE LIFT THEM UP IN PRAYER.

A journey in faith

Meet Si



Si is 36 years old and was born in Vietnam. His family immigrated to the United States in 1991. Though Si was baptized as an infant in Vietnam, he did not go through any catechesis or other Sacraments there or here. When he met his fiancé, she opened his eyes and strengthened his faith in Jesus and the Church. With her encouragement and RCIA guidance, Si says he has learned much in the past months and now realizes he had missed out on a lot for many years. With his fiancé, they have promised our Lord to spread his words and follow his teaching for it has brought them so much happiness.



Meet Elizabeth

Elizabeth is an avid animal lover and literature enthusiast. Elizabeth sought God for support and guidance when she became a mother. She loves the outdoors and helping when she is available. Elizabeth is very proud of her Salvadoran heritage.

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NEEDED PRAYER PARTNERS

This Easter Vigil St Catherine's will be blessed with 9 adults who will be Baptized and received into the Catholic faith. This period until Vigil is called the Period of Purification and Enlightenment. It is a time of prayer and intense preparation for all of our new brothers and sisters in Christ. They ask your support in prayer especially as an individual **prayer partner**. In the window sills, you will find candles with their names. Please take a candle home and spiritually adopt one. It means a great deal to these individuals to know that you are praying for them.

Please send notes or cards of encouragement to the person c/o RCIA here at St. Catherines. You may identify yourself or remain an anonymous prayer partner but any note of encouragement means a great deal. God Bless you for evangelizing in this special way.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

First Sunday of Lent

Grant, almighty God, through the yearly observances of holy Lent, that we may grow in understanding of the riches hidden in Christ and by worthy conduct pursue their effects. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Living Stewardship Now

How about doing something extra to honor God during this season of Lent?

- + Be reconciled with someone you have hurt.
- + Perform acts of kindness for people for no reward.
- + Buy a meal for a homeless person.
- + Refrain from listening to gossip or passing it on.

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REFLECTION QUESTION:

What Lenten observances do I intend to keep this year?

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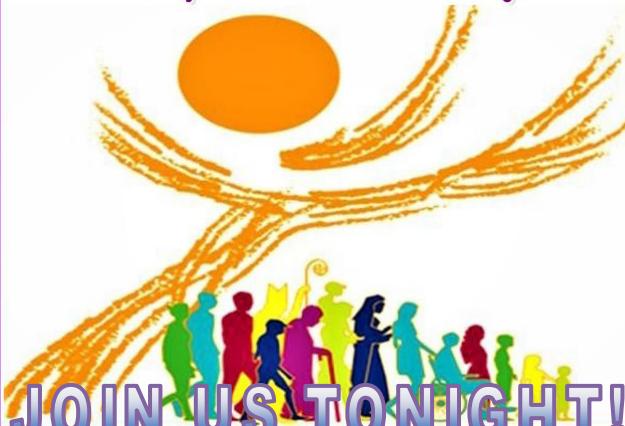
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Lenten Mission Retreat

ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA CHURCH RIVERSIDE, CA

The Audacity to Believe in a Change of Era



JOIN US TONIGHT!

Sunday, March 6, 2022 at 7:00 pm

<https://zoom.us/j/92743955578?pwd=QXVRajRDSkhDeU1ZcHdWWEp3U0ZHdz09>

Meeting ID: 927 4395 5578

Passcode: 638372

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LENTEN REGULATIONS

ABSTINENCE from meat is to be observed on **Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and ALL Fridays** during Lent by Catholics 14 years of age and older.

REGLAMENTOS DE CUARESMA

Los católicos mayores de 14 años deben observar la abstinencia de carne el Miércoles de Ceniza, el Viernes Santo y TODOS los viernes de Cuaresma.



Lance Wiseman - 781.9855 ext. 14

All High-School-Age Youth LIFE NIGHT
Sundays from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. after LIFE TEEN Mass

LIFE TEEN (high school age teen)

Due to the Coronavirus the Life Night are meeting online almost every Sunday 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Contact Lance Wiseman at lwise-man@stcofa.org or 951-781-9855 Ext. 14 if you are interested in joining us for online gatherings.

This Week—3/6/2022: Youth Lenten Mission-Fr. Ben Alforque, MSC "The Audacity to Believe in a Change of Era, Is the Catholic Church Boring or Irrelevant?" Please check your email for log-in codes. **We are on Zoom meeting at 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.** Contact Lance for more information.

Next Week—3/13/2022: "Lent-ashes not the dryer stuff" We will have a fun night looking at Lent in a new fun way. Please check your email for log-in codes. **We are on Zoom meeting at 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm** Contact Lance for more information.

Remember Life Nights are open to all High School age youth and we invite you to join us. They are held most Sundays via ZOOM at this time. Please contact Lance if you have questions or need more information.

YOUTH SERVICE HOURS - For service opportunities, please contact Lance Wiseman at 951/781-9855 ext. 14.

YOUTH FUNDRAISER - NEW Shop Riverside cards for **2022** are available for purchase at our parish office. Valid from date of purchase through all of Year 2022. Or contact Lance at 951/781-9855 x 14 if you are interested in purchasing. Remember the money raised helps support St. Catherine's Youth Programs. Please contact Lance for other upcoming fundraisers.

MIDDLE SCHOOL - THE EDGE - a Ministry for youth in middle school from 6th to 8th grade in private or public schools. **We are not sure at this time when we will be able to start this school year.** For more information please contact Lance.

CONFIRMATION NEWS - UPDATE AS OF 3/6/2022

1st Year of Confirmation – Our next Module for the year will be **March 13th or 14th.** The Zoom code will be emailed during the week before the meeting. You only need to attend one of the two modules. If you missed the Mandatory Parent & Candidate meeting or make-up, please contact Lance for Zoom code.

2nd Year of Confirmation – All 1st year make-up work, mass reflection & service reflection sheets are past due, please see Lance.

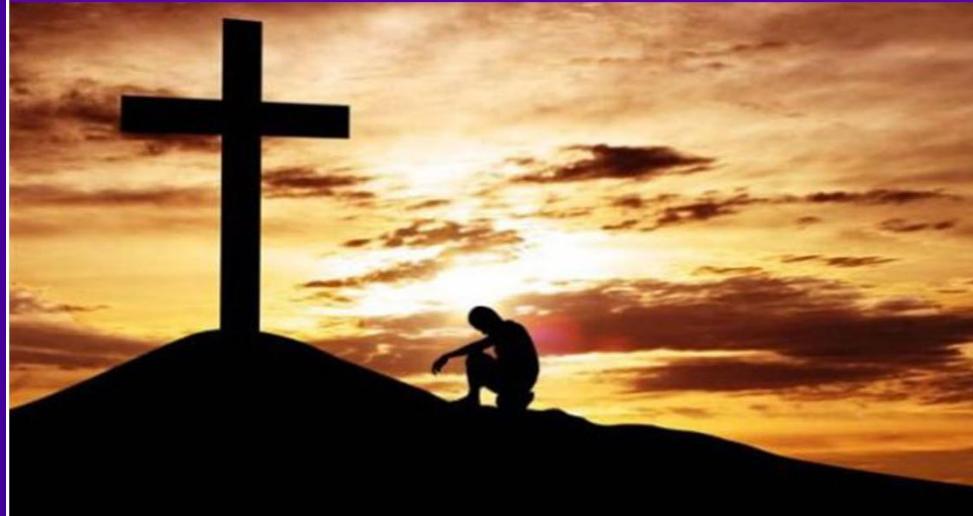
3rd Year of Confirmation - The last candidates & sponsors gathering was March on Zoom. If you missed the meeting, contact Lance. Please remember to be attending classes and life nights as this year is going by really fast. Make sure to turn in any make-up work, mass reflection & service reflection sheet from last two years ASAP.

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION—Has started for all interested in registering for this Confirmation year. Please contact Lance Wiseman at 951-781-9855 ext. 14 for **APPOINTMENT** & more information.

Our Confirmation process is a three year program, starting in 9th grade, confirming in 11th grade, this includes public or private schools. Please contact Lance Wiseman with any questions.

**ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA CHURCH
RIVERSIDE, CA**

Misión de Cuaresma



Una Llamada a la Conversión



Presenter: **Padre Luis Segura, MSC**

Rev. Luis Alfonso Segura, MSC, professed his first vows on September 8, 1994, in Bogotá and was ordained a deacon on Nov. 28, 1998. He was ordained a priest on Nov. 13, 1999. His first assignment was as assistant pastor at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Parish in Jamundi, Colombia. In January 2002, he began studies in formation with the National Conference for Religious in Bogotá. During the second semester he helped with aspirant and pre-novitiate students in Bogotá, Colombia. He was formation director of the postulancy program in Bogotá and was a superior in Colombia for three terms from 2009 to 2018.

Marzo 9, 2022

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

En persona, En la Iglesia

Ven y únete a nosotros. Todos están invitados.

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Primer Domingo de Cuaresma

Concédenos, Dios todopoderoso, que por las prácticas anuales de esta celebración cuaresmal, progresemos en el conocimiento del misterio de Cristo, y traduzcamos su efecto en una conducta irreprochable. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

PREGUNTA DE REFLEXIÓN:

¿Qué prácticas cuaresmales pienso hacer este año?

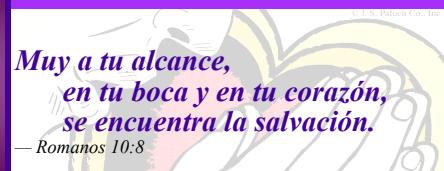
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LA CORRESPONSABILIDAD VIVIDA AHORA

¿Por qué no hacer algo extra durante este tiempo para honrar a Dios?

- + Reconciliante con una personal que te disgusta o que evades, o con alguien a quien has herido.
- + Practica acciones bondadosas para con los demás sin esperar recompensa
- + Cómprale una comida a una persona indigente.
- + Abstente de escuchar o hacerte eco de chismes.

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Muy a tu alcance,

en tu boca y en tu corazón,

se encuentra la salvación.

— Romanos 10:8

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Lunes: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Sal 19 (18):8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
- Martes: Is 55:10-11; Sal 34 (33):4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15
- Miércoles: Jon 3:1-10; Sal 51 (50):3-4, 12-13, 18-19;
Lc 11:29-32
- Jueves: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8;
Mt 7:7-12
- Viernes: Ez 18:21-28; Sal 130 (129):1-8; Mt 5:20-26
- Sábado: Dt 26:16-19; Sal 119 (118):1-2, 4-5, 7-8;
Mt 5:43-48
- Domingo: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Sal 27 (26):1, 7-9, 13-14;
Flp 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lc 9:28b-36

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Libres de los egipcios opresores, los israelitas muestran su fe ofreciendo al Señor los primeros frutos de su nueva tierra (Deuteronomio 26:4-10).

Salmo — Está conmigo, Señor, en la tribulación (Salmo 91 [90]).

Segunda lectura — Todos los que expresan su fe en Jesús resucitado y confiesan que él es el Señor, se salvarán (Romanos 10:8-13).

Evangelio — Jesús fue conducido por el Espíritu al desierto y allí fue tentado (Lucas 4:1-13).

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INFORMACIÓN LITÚRGICA

6 de marzo - PRIMER DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

7 de marzo - Santas Perpetua y Felicidad, mártires

8 de marzo - San Juan de Dios, religioso

9 de marzo - Santa Francesca Romana, religiosa

Santa Perpetua (su nombre significa "eterna"), y Santa Felicidad (su nombre significa "feliz"), ambas encarceladas por ser cristianas y por no renegar de su fe, fueron asesinadas en Cartago, en el norte de África, en el año 203.

San Juan de Dios, en 1537, puso los cimientos de la Orden religiosa de los Hospitalarios (O.H.) "Deben dar a Dios profundas gracias por todo, tanto por lo bueno como por lo malo. Recuerdan a nuestro Señor Jesucristo y su bendita Pasión y recuerdan cómo devolvió el bien por el mal que le hicieron. Deben hacer lo mismo, para que cuando lleguen a la casa de Dios puedan reconocer tanto el bien como el mal". Murió en 1550.

Santa Francisca de Roma, noble, esposa y madre, fundó una comunidad de oblatas benedictinas comprometidas con el servicio a los más pobres; murió en 1440.

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El Vía Crucis se llevará a cabo:

- Los viernes a las 6:30 pm: en inglés 4, 11, 18 y 25 de marzo y 8 de abril; en español 1 de abril.
- En español, miércoles 16, 23 y 30 de marzo, y 6 de abril a las 6:30 pm.
- El Viernes Santo, 15 de abril a las 3:00 pm.

Retiros de Misión Cuaresmales:

Jóvenes via Zoom, 6 de marzo a las 7:00 pm

Inglés dentro la Iglesia, 7 y 8 de marzo a las 7:00 pm

Español dentro la Iglesia, 9 de marzo a las 7:00 pm

Servicio bilingüe de Penitencia Comunitaria de Cuaresma: 10 de marzo a las 7:00 pm.



HORARIO DE AHORRO DE LUZ comienza el próximo domingo, 13 de marzo de 2022.
Por favor, recuerde adelantar su reloj 1 hora.

AVISO IMPORTANTE

Aunque el mandato estatal de mascarilla para interiores se ha levantado, se recomienda, independientemente del estado de vacunación, que siga usando una mascarilla durante la misa. Al hacerlo, ayudará a garantizar la máxima seguridad y precaución no sólo para usted sino también para sus hermanos y hermanas en Cristo.



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN BÍBLICA

Anfitrión: Padre Luis A. Segura, MSC

Cada viernes en español
por Zoom
7:00 pm a 8:00 pm



Para unirse a la reunión:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88988979099?
pwd=N2dKcFFxaTVaL0l4a2RYRXE0QSSrZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88988979099?pwd=N2dKcFFxaTVaL0l4a2RYRXE0QSSrZz09)

Meeting ID: 889 8897 9099
Passcode: biblia

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2022 COLECTA DE "DDF" SE LLEVARÁ A CABO ESTE FIN DE SEMANA 5 Y 6 DE MARZO

Puede hacer su donación de varias maneras:

- En la cesta de la colecta de la misa.
- Envíe su cheque por correo a St. Catherine of Alexandria-7005 Brockton Ave., Riverside, CA 92506.
- A través de **ONLINE GIVING** en el sitio web: www.stcofa.org



**Su donación al DDF apoya su Iglesia Ministerios.
¡Gracias por su donación y apoyo!**

MINISTERIO DE SALUD

La clínica móvil está disponible el **19 de marzo de 2022 de 9:00 am a 1:00 pm** para pacientes adultos, en el patio trasero de la escuela de St. Catherine, cerca de las mesas de picnic. Se ofrece cuidado médico para adultos, laboratorio y medicamento de bajo costo, los pacientes serán atendidos conforme lleguen y se registren.



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