



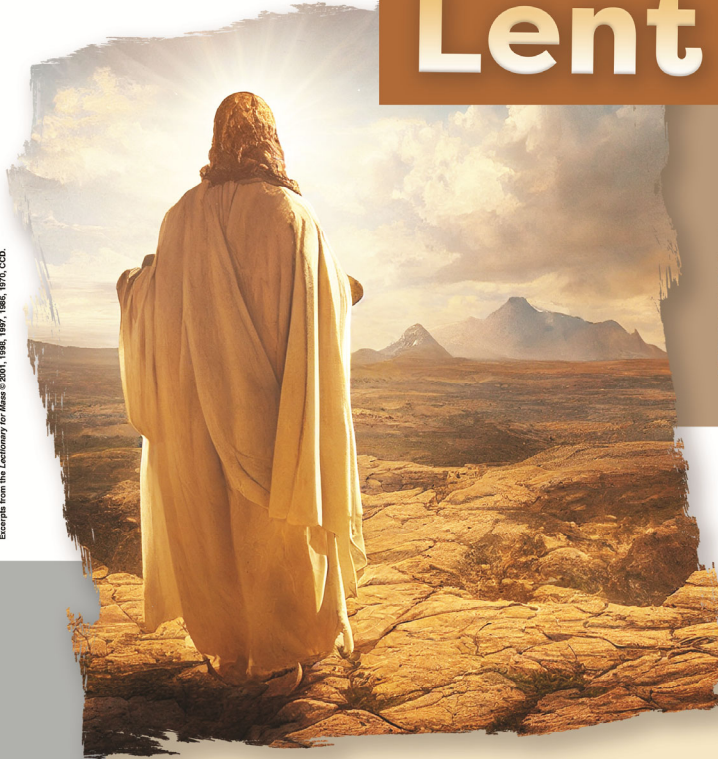
St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church

FIRST SUNDAY OF

Lent

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

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At that time Jesus was
let by the Spirit into the desert
to be tempted by the devil.

Matthew 4:1

En aquel tiempo,
Jesús fue conducido por
el Espíritu al desierto,
para ser tentado por el demonio.

Mateo 4:1

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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS**English/Ingles**

8:30 am Monday-Friday (Daily Mass/Comm. Service)
4:00 pm Saturday (Viigil Mass)
9:00 am Sunday (Sunday Mass)

Español/Spanish

7:00 pm lunes/ miércoles/viernes
7:00 pm sábado (Vigilia)
12:00 pm domingo (Misa Dominical)

Vietnamese

3:00pm **1st & 3rd Sunday** of each month

Tongan

2:00pm **2nd Sunday** of each month

OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA**Monday -Thursday/ Lunes -Jueves**

10:00 am – 12:30 pm & 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Saturday/Sabado

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT**February/Febrero 12, 2023**

1st collection/colecta: \$ 3,517.00
2nd collection (Turkey Earthquake):\$2,851.00

February/Febrero 26, 2023:

2nd collection/colecta: Religious Education.

SACRAMENTS/ SACRAMENTOS: Baptism, Weddings, Anointing of the Sick as follow:

- 1- Baptisms:**Please contact the parish office (831)394-8546. **Baptism Class** is offered once a month.
- 2- Weddings:** Saturdays 11am or 1pm. Please come to the office to get a packet with the information Weddings are scheduled at least 6 months prior the wedding date.
- 3 - Visitation/Anointing of the Sick:** For those who requested to be visited, Fridays 10:30am and 12:30pm. Please contact the parish office (831)394-8546.

CONFESSIONES/CONFESIONES: Monday-Friday: After the 8:30am mass /Lunes - Viernes despues de la misa de 8:30am, Saturday / Sábado 3:00 pm. Or by appointment at (831)394-8546.

NOTE: Please contact the parish office to make an appointment at (831)394-8546, for the following: **Counseling, Child Presentation, and Memorial Mass.**

FUNERALS: Funerals are coordinated between the Funeral Home and the parish. The process:

1. The family gets in touch with the Funeral Home.
2. The Funeral Home checks their schedule, and then gets in touch with the parish office.
3. The parish staff check on the availability of the priest and the church building.
4. The parish confirms with the funeral home, and the funeral home confirms with the family.

Los funerales son coordinados entre la Funeraria y la Parroquia. El proceso es el siguiente:

1. La familia se pone en contacto con la funeraria.
2. La funeraria revisa su horario y luego se pone en contacto con la oficina parroquial.
3. El personal de la parroquia verifica la disponibilidad del sacerdote y la iglesia.
4. La parroquia confirma con la funeraria, y la funeraria confirma con la familia.

****NOTE:** The availability of the Funeral Home, the Priest, and Church are coordinated together.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023

4:00 pm - Repose of the Soul:

Aaron Reed & Mike Olaeta.

7:00 pm - Reposo del Alma:

Juan Chavarin Ramírez (24 aniversario de fallecido)

Florinda Munoz Salazar (Recién fallecida)

Jesus Pedro Mendoza Aquino(2 años fallecido)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2023

9:00 am - Repose of the Soul:

Gaudiosa Mendoza Vasquez,

& Departed Fam. Mendoza Vasquez.

12:00 pm- Reposo del Alma:

Ana Ramos Cardenas

Ignacio Morales Gonzales

Todas las Animas de los familiares,

Regina Guillen,

Luis Fernandez,

Carmen Guerra,

Ismael Espinoza Gonzalez (1 año fallecido)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2023

8:30 am

7:00 pm Reposo del Alma:

Refugio Cárdenas, Y por todas las almas del purgatorio.

Sanacion: Cristian Cárdenas Pinedo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2023

8:30 am

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 2023

8:30 am

7:00 pm Intenciones Especiales:

Juan Pablo Venegas Lopez, Maria Venegas Lopez,

Bryan Venegas Lopez, Mia Lopez Vasquez.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 2023

8:30 am.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 2023

8:30 am

7:00 pm Reposo del Alma:

Refugio Cárdenas, Todos los difuntos de la Familia

Cardenas y por todas las almas del purgatorio.

SHARING THE WORD "MOMENT OF PRAYER" by Sr. Rosangela

Mondays, after the 8:30 am Mass in the Parish Office.

ALL ARE INVITED!



Start the Lenten Season in Solidarity with our Global Family

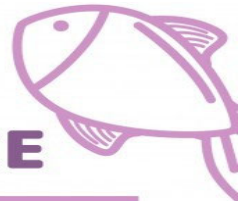


Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS **Rice Bowl**, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all

Let us begin this holy season by praying,

OUR FATHER, As we begin Lent, let our hearts be filled with your Spirit so that we may grow deeper in your love. May our prayer lead us to a sincere desire to be close to you. May fasting help us rely on you and transform us into better people. May our almsgiving be a chance to serve our one human family around the world. AMEN

LENTEN FASTING & ABSTINENCE



Fasting

Ash Wednesday
Good Friday

Ages 18-59

Abstinence

Every Friday during Lent

Ages 14+

How do we fast?

When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Am I excused from fasting and abstinence?

Those that are excused from fast and abstinence outside the age limits include the **physically or mentally ill** including individuals suffering from **chronic illnesses** such as **diabetes**. Also excluded are **pregnant or nursing women**.

For more information on fasting and abstinence, visit usccb.org.



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Sister Rosangela Filippini (831)394-8546 Ext:13**CATECHISM CLASS SCHEDULE /HORARIO DE LAS CLASES DE CATEQUISMO**

March/Marzo	TIME	GRADE	ROOM
Saturday/sabado 03/4, 03/11, 03/	9:00 am - 10:15 am	Elementario - Spanish	Parish Hall/Office
	11:00 am - 12 noon	Elementary - English	Parish Hall/Office
Sunday/domingo 03/12. 03/26	9:00 am - 11:30 am	Confirmación Group 1st and 2nd year English and Spanish	Parish Hall/Office

Attention! Cambios para la Primera Comunión del Grupo de Español: Por favor anote los cambios, solamente habra una misa de Primera Comunión en Español a las 11:00 am, el Sábado, 6 de Mayo, 2023. (para los que no puedan Padre Eleazar estará dando la Primera Comunión: Domingo 14 de Mayo en la misa de las 12 del mediodía).

Jueves, 16 de Marzo	6:30 pm	Primera Comunión/Español Ultima Junta de padres	Parish Hall
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First Reconciliation for all students preparing for First Communion

Saturday , 3/4 @ 9:00am (English Group)
in the Parish Hall.

Sabado 3/11 @ 9:00am (Español)
en la iglesia.

2do año de Confirmation 2nd Year Confirmation

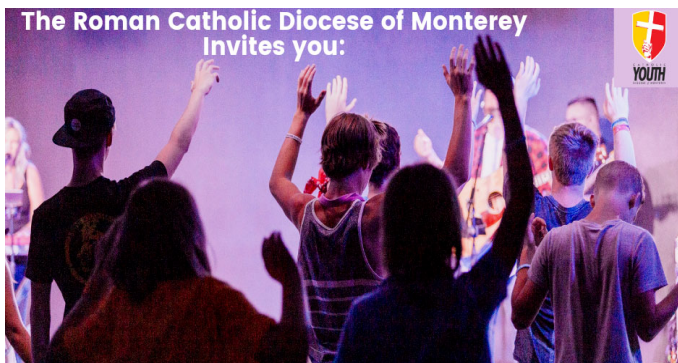
RITE OF SENDING FORTH

Sat. 2/ 25 @ 4pm and 7pm Masses

RITE OF ELECTION

Sunday, 2/ 26 @ 9 am Mass.

Please pray for all our students!



LENTEN RETREAT FOR YOUTH

(14 to 17 years old)

SATURDAY,
MARCH 18

09:00AM TO
03:00PM

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ST FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH SACRAMENTS SCHEULE / FECHAS DE LOS SACRAMENTOS

Sacrament of Confirmation

1st Group: Sunday, March 26 @ 6:30pm,

2nd Group: Friday, March 31 @ 5:30pm.

Sacrament of First Holy Communion

Spanish Group: Saturday , May 6 @ 11:00am

English Group: Saturday , May 7 @ 9:00am

For more information please contact:
Sister Rosangela (831)394-8546 Ext:13

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH EVENTS ~ FEB 25 - MAR 4, 2023

DATE	TIME & DESCRIPTION	PLACE
SUNDAY February 26	9:00 am - Holy Mass (English)	Main Church
	12:00 pm - Holy Mass - (Spanish)	
MONDAY February 27	8:30 am - Daily Holy Mass (English) * Confession - after the 8:30 am Mass	Main Church
	7:00 pm - Daily Holy Mass (Spanish)	
	6:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Social	Parish Hall
TUESDAY February 28	8:30 am - Daily Holy Mass (English) * Confession - after the 8:30 am Mass	Main Church
	6:30 pm - Grupo de Oracion - Spanish Prayer Group	
WEDNESDAY March 1	8:30 am - Daily Holy Mass (English) * Confession - after the 8:30 am Mass	Main Church
	7:00 pm - Daily Holy Mass (Spanish)	
	7:00 – 9:00 pm – Ultreya (Cursillistas)	Parish Hall
THURSDAY March 2	8:30 am - Daily Holy Mass (English) * Confession - after the 8:30 am Mass	Main Church
	7:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Coro Luz y Vida	Parish Hall
FRIDAY March 3	8:30 am - Daily Holy Mass (English) * Confession - after the 8:30 am Mass	Main Church
	9:00 am - Stations of the Cross	
	- Respect Life Rosary after the 8:30 am Mass	
	6:00 pm - Via Crucis	
7:00 pm - Daily Holy Mass (Spanish)(Spanish)		
SATURDAY March 4	3:00 pm - Confessions	Main Church
	4:00 pm - Holy Mass (Vigil) English	
	7:00 pm - Holy Mass (Vigil) Spanish	

Knight of Columbus Social

Baked Chicken Dinner Night in the Parish Hall - Price \$15.00

February 27, 2023 7:00 PM Dinner, 6:00 PM Social

MENU: Baked Chicken, Greens, Corn Bread & Fruit Salad

Tickets available from a Knights of Columbus member or pay at the door.

ALL ARE INVITED!

AROUND THE DIOCESE OF MONTEREY

WORKSHOPS: Please invite all your parish leaders (including Catechist, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, sacristans, staff members, youth ministers, all the leaders involved in any ministry, and parishioners) to be part of this wonderful opportunity to learn more about Jesus and the Eucharist.

SAN CARLOS CATHEDRAL
500 Church St, Monterey, CA 93940

Lenten Dinners returning to San Carlos Cathedral on February 24, 2023, sponsored by ICF Br 36- Monterey.
Door open: 4:30pm
Take outs: 5:00pm
Dinner served: 5:30 pm
\$20.00 per dinner. Buy tickets at MontereyICF.org
More info contact :
Elaine Valentine - President Br 36 @ 831-521-8026.

Diocese of Monterey

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL WORKSHOP FOR PARISH LEADERS



Saturday, March 11th

09:00AM TO 12:30PM
ENGLISH WORKSHOP

01:00PM TO 04:30PM
SPANISH WORKSHOP



Rev. Rafael Capó
Fr. Capó is a priest from the Archdiocese of Miami who has an extense experience working with youth and young adults and national organizations. He is one of the National Eucharistic Preachers with a good understanding of liturgy and spirituality. Join us.

Our Lady of Solitude Catholic Church
235 Main Street
Soledad, CA 93960



YOUTH

YOUNG MEN'S RETREAT
(AGES 14 TO 17 YEARS OLD)

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY
MY SOUL, MY SELF-ESTEEM, MY RELATIONSHIPS.

FRIDAY, APRIL 14 TO SUNDAY, APRIL 16.

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ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays of Lent
March 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31
9:00 am - English
(After morning mass)

Outside at the St Francis Xavier Station of the Cross Garden (in the parking lot), or in the Church.

If you are interested in leading the Stations of the Cross, please contact Fr. Eleazar or at the office (831)394-8546.

VIA CRUCIS

Viernes de Cuaresma
March 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31
6:00 pm - Espanol

En el Jardin de la Via Crucis (por el estacionamiento de la Parroquia) o dentro de la Parroquia

Si esta interesado en dirigir la Via Crucis por favor contartarse con Fr. Eleazar o a la oficina (831)394-8546.

Send Envelopes

New Parishioner

St. Francis Xavier Parish Registration Form Formulario de Inscripción para la Parroquia

Name | Nombre _____ DOB: _____

Spouse | Esposo (a) (if applicable) _____ DOB: _____

Address | Domicilio _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Children's Names/Nombres de hijo (a) (If applicable/ Si es applicable)

1. _____ DOB/Fecha de Nacimiento _____

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3. _____ DOB/Fecha de Nacimiento _____

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