ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Liturgy Schedule/ Horario de Liturgia

Daily Masses / Misas Diaria
Martes a Viernes: 6:30 pm (Español)
Wednesday - Friday: 8:00 am (English)

Saturday Vigil Masses / Misas de Vigila del Sabado
5:30 pm (English)
7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday Masses / Misas Dominicales
8:00 am (English)
9:30 am (English)
11:15 am (Español)
12:45 pm (Español)

Confessions / Confesiones
Thursdays/Jueves 4:30pm - 6:15pm

Adoration
Thursday 8:30am - 6:20pm
& Holy Hour 7-8pm



Pastoral Staff

Pastor
Rev. Efrain Martinez
Deacons
David Alanis
Ed Harmon *(retired)*
Secretary
Molly Bustillos
Bookkeeper
Louise Gonzales
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Bertha Hernandez
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Jose Martinez
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Allan Roman

Parish Office

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Religious Education Office

Director of Religious Education
Carol Moreno
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Religious Education Office Hours
Monday: 8am-12pm, 1pm-5pm
Tues - Thurs: 10am-1pm, 2pm-7pm
Friday: 8am-12pm

Liturgical Ministries

Eucharistic Ministers	Melecia Lopez	559-681-9010
Lectors - English	Donna Murry	559-896-7044
Lectors - Español	Lupita Rodriguez	559-230-9975
Altar Servers	Jaime Sifuentes	559-289-7698

Adult Religious Education

OCIA/RCIA - English	Jim Reis	559-896-5779
OCIA/RCIA - Español	Luz y Raul Huerta	559-348-8247

Parish Organizations

Knights of Columbus	Solomon Barela	559-304-6854
Evangelización de Parejas	Carlos y Lorena Navarro	559-288-4698
The Harvesters/Food Pantry	Jose A. Martinez	559-896-1052
Sociedad Guadalupana	Clara Rodriguez	559-305-3864
Catholic Women's Club	Tammie Allison	559-281-3026
Encuentro Matrimonial	Carmen Perez	559-907-7268
Grupo de Oración	Jose y Yaneth Garcia	559-480-7629
Bereavement Eng/Span	Robert Moreno	559-274-8122
Tallares de Oración y Vida	Gerardo Reyes	559-393-1808
Youth/Young Adult Ministries	Jennifer Aguilera	559-859-2404
Adoration Nocturna	Homero y Ana	559-389-4644

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Mass Intentions/Intenciones de las Misas

Saturday October 31st
5:30 pm - † Gonzalo Casarez, Elenor Gonzales & Chad Obrigewitch
7:00 pm - † Santiago Lopez, Teresa, Roberto Barron, Pedro & Petra Hernandez
Sunday, November 1 st
8:00am - For the Parishioners of St. Joseph
9:30am - † Felipe & David Aleman, Intention of Damian & Corina Mendoza & Children
11:15am - En Honor de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, † Genoveva Rojas, Armando y Rojelio Carrillo
12:45am - † Maria Dolores Lopez, Jose Zamora, Evangelina Gomez y Jose Deleon
Monday November 2nd
5:30 pm English Mass For all Souls
6:30 pm Misa en español por los Fieles Difuntos
Tuesday, November 3rd
6:30pm - † Tomasa Contreras, Victor Ramirez & Teresa Barron
Wednesday, November 4th
8:00am -† James Ivory
6:00pm - Intension de Maurilio Aguilera y Familia
Thursday, November 5th
8:00am - † George & Ann Loogman
Intension de Etelvina Alejandre y Las Familias Garcia y Primo
4:30pm - No habrá confesiones/No confessions
6:30 PMParaliturgía con comunión
Friday, November 6th.
8:00am - † Arie Spruit
6:30pm -† Simona Lopez

Plate Collection/Colecta

Weekend of October 24 &25 /Fin de Semana del 24 y 25 de Octobre	Upcoming 2nd Collections/ Segunda Colecta
1st Collection: $8,354.00 2nd Collection: $2,870.00	**November 1** Parish Imporvments **November 15** Seminariands

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Confirmation Fundraiser
Win a Dinner with Father Efrain!
Our Confirmation students are hosting a raffle to raise funds for their program! For just **$10 per ticket**, you'll have a chance to win a special dinner for five people with Father Efrain at the parish rectory.
Raffle Drawing: November 19
Join us in supporting our youth and their journey of faith. Thank you for your generosity!

Recaudación de Fondos para la Confirmación.
¡Gana una cena con el Padre Efraín!
Nuestros jóvenes de Confirmación están organizando una rifa para recaudar fondos para su programa. Por tan solo **$10 por boleto**, tendrás la oportunidad de ganar una cena especial para cinco personas con el Padre en la casa parroquial.
Sorteo: 19 de noviembre
¡Apoyemos a nuestros jóvenes en su camino de fe! Muchas gracias por su generosidad.

Donations for the Solar Panels

As I mentioned before, an account has been set up exclusively for the solar panels project.
Checks must be made out to:
Roman Catholic Charitable Trust.
There is a form that needs to be filled out and turn in to the parish office for parishioners who will donate to this fund.
We have some forms available for you to take this weekend.

Donaciones para los paneles solares

Como se anunció anteriormente, se ha establicido una cuenta exclusivamente para mandar donaciones para el proyecto del sistema de paneles solares.
Los cheques deben ser extendidos a nombre de:
Roman Catholic Charitable Trust.
Tambien deben llenar una forma los que van a donar. Por favor recojan una forma si van a donar para este fondo.

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La Eucaristía: donde el cielo y la tierra se unen

Los tres estados de la Iglesia

Hermanos, por el sacramento del Bautismo, Dios nos hace sus hijos y nos incorpora al Cuerpo de Cristo, que es la Iglesia. **Desde ese momento comenzamos nuestro camino hacia la vida eterna.** Pero este camino no lo recorremos solos: formamos parte de una gran familia que permanece unida en Cristo, incluso más allá de la muerte.**Esta unión, que llamamos comunión de los santos**, se manifiesta de manera especial cuando celebramos la Santa Eucaristía.

1. La Iglesia peregrina: los que caminamos hacia el cielo. Somos nosotros, los bautizados que todavía vivimos en este mundo y caminamos hacia la santidad. En cada Eucaristía, Cristo nos alimenta con su Cuerpo y su Sangre, fortalece nuestra unión con Él y nos ayuda a vivir su amor en las cosas cotidianas y así santificarnos.

2. La Iglesia purgante: nuestros hermanos en el purgatorio. Algunos de nuestros hermanos difuntos han muerto en la amistad de Dios, pero todavía necesitan ser purificados antes de entrar en el cielo. A este estado de purificación lo llamamos **purgatorio.** No debemos entenderlo como un lugar de castigo, sino como la purificación final de quienes ya están destinados a la salvación. Por ellos ofrecemos nuestras oraciones e indulgencias, especialmente la Santa Misa, pidiendo al Señor que los lleve a la plenitud de su presencia.

3. La Iglesia gloriosa: los santos del cielo. Otros hermanos nuestros ya gozan de la presencia de Dios en el cielo. Son los santos, **no solamente aquellos que han sido canonizados**, sino todos los que han alcanzado la gloria celestial. En cada Eucaristía nos unimos a su alabanza, junto con los ángeles, cuando cantamos: «Santo, Santo, Santo es el Señor». Ellos también interceden por nosotros.

Un anticipo del banquete celestial

En cada Santa Misa, el cielo y la tierra se unen en la alabanza a Dios: nosotros participamos del sacrificio de Cristo, oramos por nuestros hermanos del purgatorio y nos unimos a los santos que ya gozan de su presencia.

En la Eucaristía comenzamos a gustar, de manera sacramental, aquello que esperamos gozar plenamente en el cielo: la comunión eterna con Dios.

The Eucharist: Where Heaven and Earth Meet

The Three States of the Church

Through Baptism, God makes us His children and incorporates us into the Body of Christ, the Church. From that moment, **our journey toward eternal life begins.** Yet we do not walk alone. We belong to one family, united in Christ even beyond death.

This union, known as the Communion of Saints, is especially evident when we celebrate the Eucharist.

1. The Pilgrim Church: Journeying Toward Heaven

We are the baptized who are still living on earth, called to grow in holiness. In every Eucharist, Christ nourishes us with His Body and Blood, strengthens our faith, and helps us live His love in the ordinary moments of daily life.

2. The Church Being Purified: Souls in Purgatory

Some of our departed brothers and sisters died in God's friendship but still need purification before entering heaven. **This state is called Purgatory. It is not eternal punishment,** but a final purification for those assured of salvation. We pray for them, especially during Mass, asking God to bring them into the fullness of His presence.

3. The Church Triumphant: The Saints in Heaven

Others have already entered heaven and enjoy God's presence. **These are the saints, including those never formally canonized.** During Mass, we join their heavenly praise, singing with the angels: "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts." They also intercede for us.

A Foretaste of the Heavenly Banquet

In the Eucharist, we begin to taste, through the sacrament, what we hope to enjoy fully in heaven: eternal communion with God.

Praying for Our Sick/Oremos por Nuestros Enfermos

Evelyn Mengoni	Vera Guerra
Nick Quintana	Cecilia Parra
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Martina Lua Diaz	Rubén Bustillos
Linda Corrales	Terry Zavala
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