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**OCIA** Those interested in the Catholic Faith please contact the Parish Office.

**ANOINTING** Contact the Parish Office or call the Emergency Line.

## MASS SCHEDULE

<b>Monday</b>	8:00 am, *5:30 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	8:00 am
<b>Wednesday</b>	8:00 am, 5:30 pm Holy Hour 6:00 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	8:00 am
<b>Friday</b>	8:00 am
<b>Saturday</b>	8:00 am ( <i>1st Sat. of the month</i> ) 5:30 pm Sunday Vigil
<b>Sunday</b>	8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:15 pm, 3:00 pm ( <i>ESP</i> ), and 8:00 pm

## CONFESSION

<b>Wednesday</b>	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	3:45 pm - 5:00 pm or by appointment

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Monday & Wednesday** 8:30 am - 9:00 pm  
The church is open for prayer  
Monday - Saturday until 9:00pm

## HEALING MASS

\*Quarterly, first Monday, 6:30 pm

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, February 21**

- 5:30 pm +Manuel Carranza, Carranza Family
- +David Rivas, Irene Garcia
- +Genonefa Morawska, anniv, Malgorzata Woch

**Sunday, February 22**

- 8:00 am Living & Deceased Members of VSP  
Sandy Kiobassa, Rosary Group
- +Clemens J. Lux, Maddie Lux
- 10:00 am +Frank Edward Garcia, Frank Garcia
- +Bob Lewis, Garcia Family
- 12:15 pm +Danny Rivera, anniv, Family
- +Malachi Edmonds, Family
- 3:00 pm +Arturo Suarez, anniv, Family
- George Morales, birth, Irma Puente
- 8:00 pm Parish Family

**Monday, February 23**

- 8:00 am Julian & Shannon Garcia
- +Jerry & Juanita Henry, Family
- 5:30 pm +Dion Ackerman, Family
- +Sr. Antoinette Felter, BSS Class of 1982

**Tuesday, February 24**

- 8:00 am Suzanne Rhodes, Rosy Hernandez
- Mila Mendoza, birth, Randy & Yolanda Mendoza

**Wednesday, February 25**

- 8:00 am Martha Guajardo, Dorothy Merritt
- +Hugh Wilbanks, birth, Family
- 5:30 pm +Henry Maruchau Sr., birth, Maddie Lux
- +Armando Mascorro, birth, Family

**Thursday, February 26**

- 8:00 am +Marianne Olsen, Randy & Yolanda Mendoza
- Priests and Seminarians of the Archdiocese

**Friday, February 27**

- 8:00 am +Fr. Charles J. Drees, birth
- +Rosalia Lewis, anniv, Family

**Saturday, February 28**

- 5:30 pm +Esther Castillo Pelayo, Family
- +Jaime Quintanilla, Bernice A. Quintanilla
- +Nicolas Perales, Burgamy Family

**Sunday, March 1**

- 8:00 am +John Wardashki, Family
- +Francisco & Encarnacion Riojas, anniv, Family
- 10:00 am Living & Deceased Members of Altar Society
- +Lawrence Zapata, Family
- 12:15 pm +Ernest George Hotze, Richard Hotze
- Nathan & Jessica Adcock, Randy & Yolanda Mendoza
- 3:00 pm +Elijah Omar Huerta, Family
- +Carolina Guerrero, Family
- 8:00 pm Parish Family

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers the following persons who are ill or homebound. If a loved one is in need of healing, please call the parish office to have their name added to this list. Names will remain for 4 weeks.

Mary Lysinger, Blanca Garcia, Ophelia Hilburn, Pete Mendoza, Silvia Uriegas, Paul Hawbecker, Alfred Gutierrez



**BOOK OF SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

Please call the Parish Office to request your name or that of a loved one be added to the Book of Special Intentions.

**Weekly Stewardship Report**  
As of February 1, 2026  
(Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 thru June 30, 2026)

Weekly Offertory	
• In-Pew:	\$ 16,955
• Online:	\$ 5,386
• Total:	\$ 22,341
• Weekly Goal:	\$ 23,800
• Difference:	-\$ 1,459



Fiscal Year-to-Date	
• Actual:	\$720,602
• Budget to Date:	\$737,800
• Difference:	-\$ 17,198

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

This Sunday's second collection is for the our Blessed Food Pantry. Next Sunday's second collection is also for our Blessed Food Pantry.



**Lovestrong Ministry**, our traditional Valentine's Day Dance was held. Thank you for organizing our event.

Thank you to the **school families** that prepared our baseball field for the School and CYO baseball seasons. Let's play ball!



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**UPCOMING BULLETIN DEADLINE**

**February 24 for March 8**

Email your submissions to:

isabel.enrique@blessedsacrament.church

COMING UP:

- February 22 Spanish Prayer Group Fundraiser— Honduran Tamales for sale after the 8:00 am 10:00 am, 12:15 pm, and 3:00 pm Masses
- February 24 Seder Meal Volunteer Planning Meeting
- February 27 Fish Fry, 5:00 pm hosted by the Knights of Columbus
- March 6 First Friday Mass and Benediction, 8:00 am
- March 7 First Saturday Mass, 8:00 am followed by Rosary

SEDER MEAL VOLUNTEER MEETING

On Tuesday, February 24, there will be a meeting for all those wishing to volunteer for this year’s Parish Seder Meal. The meeting will be held in the Social Room beginning at 6:30 pm.

Blessed Sacrament Church  
Lenten Mission presented by  
Sr. Mary Hyacinth  
J.H. Nguyen, OP  
New Wine, New Heart:  
Walking with Mother Mary  
March 16 & 17, 2026  
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
In the Banquet Hall

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Family Center Building, Room 200

**Mondays:** 8:30 am—5:00 pm

**Wednesdays:** 8:30 am—5:00 pm and Holy Hour in Church 6:00—7:00 pm

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

en la Sala 200 de edificio del Centro Familia

**Lunes:** 8:30 am—5:00 pm

**Miércoles:** 8:30 am—5:00 pm y

Hora Santa en la Iglesia 6:00—7:00 pm



*Blessings to all February birthdays!*  
*¡Bendiciones para cumpleaños de febrero!*

LENTEN LITURGIES AND ACTIVITIES

Stations of the Cross, Fridays

Spanish, 6:00 pm, English, 7:00 pm

Lenten Bible Study Series with Fr. Johnson

(pre-registration was required)

Mondays 6:30—8:30 pm: February 23, March 2, 9, and 23  
Thursdays 10:00 am—Noon: February 26, March 5, 12, and 26

Estudio Biblico: Sagradas Escrituras

Lunes 6:30 pm, 23 de febrero y 2, 9, 23 de marzo

lugar: Social Room

Meatless Fridays

February 27 – Fish Fry, Knights of Columbus

March 13 - Lenten Meal, Spanish Prayer Group

March 20 - Fish Fry, School

March 27 - Fish Fry, ACTS

Parish Mission, “New Wine, New Heart: Walking with Mary,” presented by Sr. Mary Hyacinth Nguyen, OP

March 16 & 17, 6:30—8:30 pm

Parish Lenten Penance Service

March 18, 6:30 pm

Seder Meal

March 30, 7:00 pm

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**ORGANIZATIONS**

**CONTACT NAME**

**CONTACT PHONE/E-MAIL**

ACTS	David Davila	210-980-9988   <a href="mailto:davidadavid@me.com">davidadavid@me.com</a>
Altar Society	Lydia Rodriguez	210-274-8357
Rooted (Young Adults)	Analisa Arredondo	210-627-7612
CYO (Sports)	Kim Lehman	<a href="mailto:blessedcyo@gmail.com">blessedcyo@gmail.com</a>
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Holy Name Society	Judy Martin	210-643-5616
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Pastoral Council	Araceli Rios	<a href="mailto:pastoralcouncil@blessedsacrament.church">pastoralcouncil@blessedsacrament.church</a>
Very Special People	Sharon Mainz	210-822-6409
<b>Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry</b>	<b>For an appointment please call</b>	<b>210-502-0496</b>   address: 115 Shannon Lee Drive

**MINISTRY NEWS**

**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

Dry or canned milk, cereal, canned meats and vegetables, pasta, soups, boxed dessert mixes, boxed pudding/jello; laundry, kitchen and bath soap products; and paper products: paper towels, bath tissue, facial tissue, etc.

Donations may be dropped off in the designated baskets located in the foyer of the church. Thank you!

**LOVESTRONG MINISTRY**

The Lovestrong Marriage Retreat for Blessed Sacrament is scheduled for April 17 to April 19. Please prayerfully consider joining us for a great weekend. To register go to this link: [www.lovestrongmarriage.com](http://www.lovestrongmarriage.com) or use the QR code. For questions, please contact Adrian Sotelo at 210-332-8455.



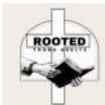
**MENS FELLOWSHIP GROUP**

Men, you are invited to join us Saturdays at 8:30 am. Meet us at The Hogan House, 119 Shannon Lee Dr. Contact John Dolezal at 409-783-7902 for info.

**ROOTED (BLESSED YOUNG ADULTS GROUP)**

MEETINGS: March 7 and 21, April 18, May 2 and 16.

Come hang out with us after the 5:30 pm Mass on Saturday nights for some faith and fun. Can't wait for us to catch up! Meetings are at the Hogan House, 119 Shannon Lee; we will start about 7:00 pm, RSVP to Analisa, 210-627-7612.



**VERY SPECIAL PEOPLE**

VSP will be meeting Wednesday, March 4, 9:00 am—2:00 pm, in the Banquet Hall. We will be collecting dues for 2026, \$10.00. To reserve a meal for this meeting (if no one calls you), you must contact Sharon Mainz at (210) 822-6409 by Wednesday, February 25. If no answer, please leave a voice message. No texts please.

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CALL PARISH OFFICE AT 210-824-7231, EXT. 109

- March 8 & 22 Youth Group Meetings
- March 1 Baptism Class **(Spanish)**, 1:30- 2:45 pm, 2nd Floor Parish Hall, Rm 200
- March 10 Baptism Class **(English)**, 6:30-8:00 pm, 2nd Floor Parish Hall, Rm 201

For more information on Baptism Classes, please call the Parish Office or email Martie at [mkokotajlo@blessedsacrament.church](mailto:mkokotajlo@blessedsacrament.church). Scan this QR code to register.





**READINGS FOR THE WEEK & SAINTS AND OTHER CELEBRATIONS**

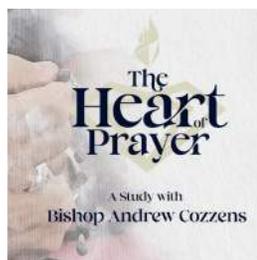
For the Week of February 22, 2026

- Sunday First Sunday of Lent  
Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rm 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11
- Monday Lev 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
- Tuesday Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday Jonah 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12
- Friday Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
- Sunday Second Sunday of Lent  
Gn 12:1-4a; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22; 2 Tim 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9

**FORMED**

We want to support on your Lenten journey. Sign up now to receive access to Heart of Prayer (and more) in weekly emails that journey with you through Lent.

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**LECTURAS POR LA SEMANA, LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES**

Para la Semana del 22 de Febrero de 2026

- Domingo Primero Domingo de Cuaresma  
Gén 2, 7-9; 3, 1-7; Sal 50, 3-4. 5-6a. 12-13. 14 y 17; Rm 5, 12-19 or Rm 5, 12. 17-19; Mt 4, 1-11
- Lunes Lev 19, 1-2. 11-18; Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 15; Mt 25, 31-46
- Martes Is 55, 10-11; Sal 33, 4-5. 6-7. 16-17. 18-19; Mt 6, 7-15
- Miércoles Jon 3, 1-10; Sal 50, 3-4. 12-13. 18-19; Lc 11, 29-32
- Jueves Est C, 14, 1. 3-5 12-14; Sal 137, 1-2a. 2bc-3. 7c-8; Mt 7, 7-12
- Viernes Ez 18, 21-28; Sal 129, 1-2. 3-4ab. 4c-6. 7-8; Mt 5, 20-26
- Sábado Dt 26, 16-19; Sal 118, 1-2. 4-5. 7-8; Mt 5, 43-48
- Domingo Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma  
Gén 12, 1-4a; Sal 32, 4-5. 18-19. 20 y 22; 2 Tim 1, 8b-10; Mt 17, 1-9



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- Monday - Friday, 8:00 am Mass
- Sundays, 10:00 am & 12:15 pm Mass

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