



St. Patrick Catholic Community

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Lent 2024

Cuaresma

ASH WEDNESDAY - MIERCOLES DE CENIZA

February 14

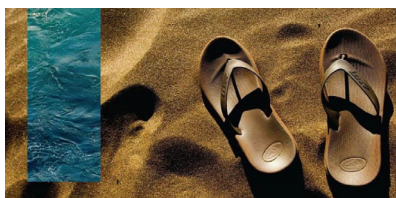
- 7:00 am – Mass with Distribution of Ashes
- 8:00 am - Mass with Distribution of Ashes
- 9:30 am – School Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes
- 12:10 pm – Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes
- 3:30 pm – Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes
- 5:00 pm - Servicio Litúrgico con Distribución de Cenizas (español)
- 6:00 pm – Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes
- 7:00 pm - Misa con Distribución de Cenizas (español)



NO CONFESSIONS ON ASH WEDNESDAY

LENTEN RETREAT WITH FR. AZAM

Saturday, February 24 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm



“Remove Your Sandals”

(Exodus 3:5)

At Green Oak Ranch
1237 Green Oak Rd. Vista, CA 92081

Please RSVP by Saturday, February 10, 2024

E-mail Brick Langford: stpatrickcarlsbad@gmail.com

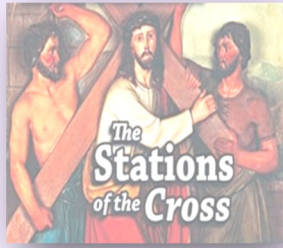
- ◇ *Reflections*
- ◇ *Holy Mass*
- ◇ *Confession*

- ◇ *Eucharistic Adoration*
- ◇ *Holy Rosary*

ALMSGIVING,
PRAYER,
FASTING,
AND
TEMPTATION

As we begin our season of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving, the reading from Deuteronomy reminds us of our duty of almsgiving, that we set [our offerings] before the Lord, [our] God, [and] shall bow down in [Gods] presence (Deuteronomy 26:10). The reading from Romans refers us to our prayer, reminding us that the word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart . . . For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved (Romans 10:8, 13). These are comforting words, and encourage us to ask God for what we need and to aid us in our prayer. Finally, the Gospel of Luke shows us a fasting Jesus, who was tempted as we are, and who knows what it means to be human. Someone once said that temptation arises when you're tired and weary, and the devil comes along and makes a perfectly reasonable suggestion. Jesus shows us that, with his help, we too can overcome our temptations, reasonable as they may sound.

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAYS OF LENT

- * February 16
- * February 23
- * March 1
- * March 8
- * March 15
- * March 22

3:00 pm—led by our
Deacons

4:00 pm—family stations

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



TUESDAYS

2:00-5:00 pm

FIRST FRIDAY

9:30 am to 10:00 am

MISA EN ESPAÑOL DURANTE LA CUARESMA

De lunes a viernes a las
5:30 pm

TWO LENTEN BIBLE STUDIES

“GETTING TO KNOW JESUS”

Six-week Lenten Bible Study with the Gospel of Mark Groups will meet in the parish center.

There is an evening and a morning option to attend:

◇ Six Monday evenings 6:45pm – 8:30pm

February 19, 26, March 4, 11, 18 and 25

◇ Six Tuesday mornings 9:45am – 11:30am on

February 20, 27, March 5, 12, 19, 26

“GROWING IN SPIRITUAL MATURITY”

The season of Lent invites us, the community of believers, to re-visit our devotional life through daily Bible readings and liturgical celebrations. During these forty days, we are encouraged to go back to the roots of Christianity, and that is, to study Sacred Scripture in order to encounter Christ. Keeping this in mind, we are invited to join Fr. Azam in a five-week Lenten Bible Study designed to allow us Christians to journey through Sacred Scripture together with the writings of the spiritual masters and Church fathers. St. Patrick Parish Center (Youth Room)

- Thursdays 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm
February 15, 22, 29 & March 7, 14

Week 1

Getting Ready for the Battle (Lent)
Original Sin and Its Remedies

Week 2

Fighting Against - Seven Evils
What is Vice?
Pride vs. Humility

- Fridays at 9:00 am
February 16, 23 & March 1, 8, 15

Week 3

Gluttony vs. Temperance
Sloth/Laziness vs. Diligence

Week 4

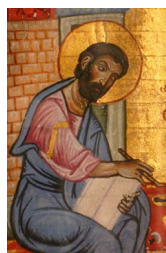
Avarice vs. Generosity
Anger vs. Meekness

Week 5

Envy vs. Mercy
Lust vs. Chastity

BIBLE MARATHON

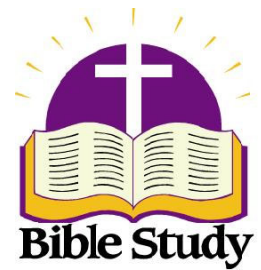
A PUBLIC READING OF THE GOSPEL OF MARK



Saturday, March 23, 2024 — 9:00 am to 11:00 am

A “Bible marathon” is an ancient practice of publicly reading the Word of God (cf. Nehemiah 8:6-8). In a Bible marathon, the community reads the entire Bible for days. But don’t worry! We won’t be doing that! Since this is Liturgical Year B, which uses the Gospel of Mark, we will only read the entire Gospel of Mark in the parish church.

The goal of this spiritual exercise is not to memorize the passages, but to bless our tongues as we read the Word of God; our ears as we hear the Word of God; and our hands as we hold the Word of God.



THREE DAY LENTEN MISSION

EVENING OF REFLECTION WITH FR. RICARDO CHINCHILLA, CJM

Monday, March 18 at 7:00 pm

Join Fr. Ricardo to reflect on the Gospel of Mark's passion narrative and the discovery of the Messiah in Holy Week:

- * *Jesus is authoritative because he is credible; in him, message and messenger coincide.*
- * *The scribes are intelligent and studied but listen to Jesus only with their heads, and we know grammar doesn't move the heart or save the soul.*
- * *Learn to listen to Jesus like a disciple in the gospel of Mark, and then we will move from seeing Jesus as a miracle maker to saying, "Truly, this man was the Son of God!"*



TAIZÉ PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS

Tuesday, March 19 at 7:00 pm

Come and pray with us at the foot of the cross in the style of Taizé. We will chant simple hymns, reflect on the Scriptures and pray in the spirit of Lent. You will enjoy this peaceful, reflective time of personal and communal prayer.

PARISH LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE/SERVICIO PENITENCIAL

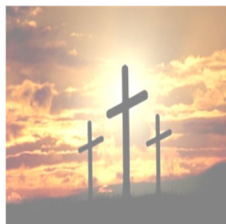
Wednesday, March 20 at 7:00 pm

The third night of our Lenten Mission is our traditional Lenten Penance Service. Through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, we celebrate our Lenten efforts to turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel. Many priests will be available for individual confessions. For additional penance services at neighboring parishes, see our parish bulletin or newsletter.



MISA EN ESPAÑOL DURANTE LA CUARESMA

De lunes a Viernes a las 5:30 pm



MISIÓN CUARESMAL

26 y 27 de febrero después de Misa de 5:30 pm

Dirigido por el padre Oscar Méndez, OFM

Templo parroquial

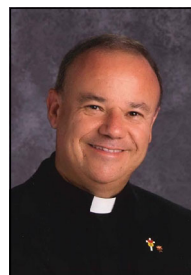


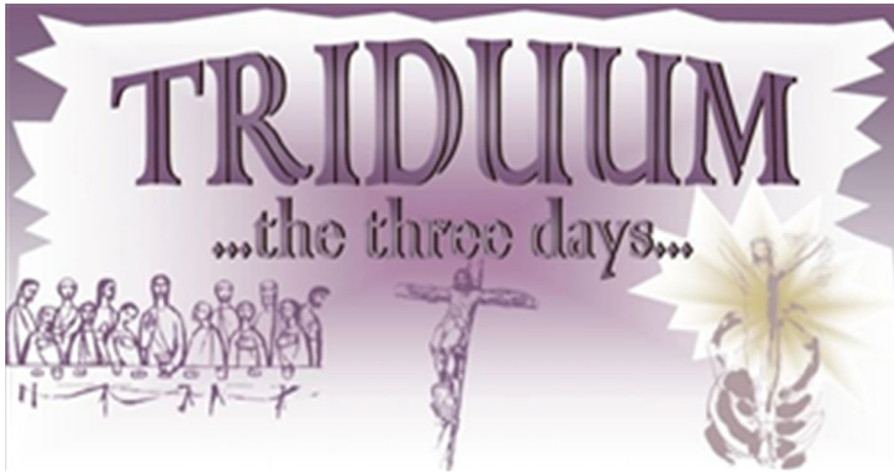
CONFERENCIA CUARESMAL

Viernes 22 de marzo

Obispo Auxiliar Ramón Bejarano celebrará la Misa a las 5:30pm.

Enseguida dará una conferencia.





HOLY THURSDAY/JUEVES SANTO — MARCH 28

7:00 pm Bilingual Mass of the Lord's Supper
Followed by Adoration until 10:00 pm

GOOD FRIDAY/VIERNES SANTO — MARCH 29

- * 12:00 noon - Stations of the Cross
- * 5:00 pm - Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
- * 7:00 pm - Liturgia de la Pasión del Señor (español)

HOLY SATURDAY/SABADO SANTO — MARCH 30

8:00 pm - Bilingual Easter Vigil in the church

GIVE GLORY TO GOD

Just before we begin to enter Holy Week, we are summoned to Bethany. If we had been friends of Mary, Lazarus, and Martha, and found out that Lazarus was gravely ill, we probably would have dropped everything to be with them. This was what was so surprising about the behavior of Jesus. Although he was their close friend, he chose to stay away, that God's glory would be manifested. This is a persistent theme in John's Gospel. Right to the very end, Jesus' works were meant to give glory to the Father. As our Lenten journey reaches a crescendo, let us be mindful that, as people who have "put on Christ" in baptism, we are also called, by our attitudes and actions, to give glory to God.



EASTER SUNDAY MASSES/DOMINGO DE PASCUA — MARCH 31

- ♦ 6:00 am (sunrise), 7:30 am (church)
- ♦ 9:00 am (church), 9:00 am (Family Mass parish hall)
- ♦ 11:00 am (church)
- ♦ 1:00 pm (Español iglesia), 1:15 pm (Español salón parroquial)

NO evening Mass on Easter Sunday.