



THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF DOUGLAS-PIRTLEVILLE

La Comunidad Católica de Douglas – Pueblo Nuevo

For the Weekend of April 13/14, 2024

Dear Parishioners

- ◆ On Saturday, April 13, Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger will confirm (by the time you get a copy of the printed version, the confirmation is already finished) the 8th graders at Loretto Catholic School and the confirmation class of the parishes of Immaculate Conception, St. Bernard, and St. Luke. If everyone shows up at the confirmation, there will be a total number of 84 boys and girls. What happens on Saturday is that the candidates for confirmation declare themselves ready to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit (Spirit of Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, and Fear of the Lord) and wholeheartedly accept (at least, on paper) the role and responsibility that comes with a full pledged Catholic. The Holy Spirit will be all over Douglas this Saturday. It is the Spirit who anoints us to become true and genuine witnesses. To confirm is to put a stamp, to seal the deal and to ratify the gifts received in baptism. It is meant to strengthen the grace bestowed. In other words, you belong to God and the church but, is it also fair to say that the church belongs to you? We'll find out. Unfortunately, confirmation gets a bad rap that it is graduation ceremonies/rites which means that's the last time you will see them in church except for a few. The seed has been planted and will grow in due time. There are increasingly growing versions of faith like believing but not belonging typical of the young adults these days. If the young people/boys and girls leave the church or stopped going to the church following confirmation, it is not because they made a bad decision and are in trouble for doing so. We adult Catholics, preachers, teachers, catechists charged to transmit the faith by teaching and example, word and deed should continue to figure this out. We shouldn't blame them. It's not their fault. There is no one size fits all. Perhaps, there is a disconnect between the church's teaching, beliefs, rites, and the manner they are transmitted. The deepening and strengthening of faith require freedom. Unless one freely opens his/her heart, not even God can penetrate the depths of one's heart.
- ◆ This is the prayer taken from the rite of confirmation spoken by the Bishop before he confers the sacrament: **Dearly beloved, let us pray to God the almighty Father, for these, his adopted sons and daughters, already born again to eternal life in Baptism, that he will graciously pour out the Holy Spirit upon them to confirm them with his abundant gifts, and through his anointing conform them more fully to Christ, the Son of God.** Confirmation is being conformed fully to Christ. The spirit's action is done through the anointing of the chrism intended to shape and form the person to Christ. There is nothing automatic in faith. It is not a programmed machine. Faith requires constant free consent and assent to the mystery of divine love.
- ◆ Thank you so very much for supporting the **2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL.**

In humble service of God and humanity,

Fr. Fejo

Por el fin de la semana de 13/14 de Abril 2024

Estimados feligreses:

- ♦ El sábado 13 de abril, el Obispo Edward J. Weisenburger confirmará (para cuando usted tenga en sus manos una copia impresa de este boletín, la confirmación ya hubo terminado) a los estudiantes de 8º grado en la Escuela Católica Loretto y la clase de confirmación de las parroquias de la Inmaculada Concepción, San Bernardo y San Lucas. Si todos se presentan a la confirmación, habrá un número total de 84 niños y niñas. Lo que sucede el sábado es que los candidatos a la confirmación se declaran listos para recibir los dones del Espíritu Santo (Espíritu de Sabiduría, Entendimiento, Consejo, Fortaleza, Conocimiento, Piedad y Temor del Señor) y aceptan de todo corazón (manifestado previamente por escrito) la tarea y la responsabilidad que le compete a un católico plenamente comprometido. El Espíritu Santo estará por todo Douglas este sábado. Es el Espíritu quien nos unge para convertirnos en verdaderos y genuinos testigos. Confirmar es imprimir una marca, sellar un convenio y ratificar los dones recibidos en el bautismo. Está destinado a fortalecer la gracia otorgada. En otras palabras, perteneces a Dios y a la iglesia, pero, ¿es justo decir también que la iglesia te pertenece a ti? Lo averiguaremos. Desafortunadamente, la confirmación tiene la mala reputación de que se trata de ceremonias / ritos de graduación, lo que significa que es la última vez que los veremos en la iglesia, excepto por unos pocos. La semilla ha sido plantada y crecerá a su debido tiempo. Cada vez hay más versiones de la fe, como creer pero no pertenecer, típicas de los adultos jóvenes de hoy en día. Si los jóvenes (varones y mujeres) abandonan la iglesia o dejan de ir a la iglesia después de la confirmación, no es porque hayan tomado una mala decisión y estén en problemas por hacerlo. Nosotros, los católicos adultos, los predicadores, los maestros, los catequistas encargados de transmitir la fe por medio de la enseñanza y el ejemplo, de palabra y de obra, debemos seguir resolviendo esto. No debemos culparlos. No es su culpa. No hay una única medida para todos. Tal vez, hay una desconexión entre la enseñanza, las creencias, los ritos de la iglesia y la forma en que se transmiten. La profundización y el fortalecimiento de la fe requieren libertad. A menos que uno abra libremente su corazón, ni siquiera Dios puede penetrar en las profundidades de su corazón.
- ♦ Esta es la oración tomada del rito de la confirmación pronunciado por el Obispo antes de conferir el sacramento: **Amadísimos, roguemos a Dios Padre todopoderoso, por estos, sus hijos e hijas adoptivos, ya nacidos de nuevo a la vida eterna en el Bautismo, que derrame sobre ellos el Espíritu Santo para confirmarlos con sus abundantes dones, y por medio de su unción conformarlos más plenamente a Cristo, el Hijo de Dios.** La confirmación es conformarse plenamente a Cristo. La acción del espíritu se realiza a través de la unción del crisma con la intención de modelar y formar a la persona para Cristo. No hay nada automático en la fe. No es una máquina programada. La fe requiere un constante consentimiento libre y un asentimiento al misterio del amor divino.
- ♦ Muchas gracias por apoyar la **CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA ANUAL 2024.**

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**(especially mandarin oranges),
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Meats ~ dried Potatoes ~**

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Thank you for helping us help others**

First Holy Communion / Primera Comunion

Immaculate

Sat. Apr. 20 & 27 ~ 11 am

Loretto School

Sat. May 4 ~ 10 am ~ St. Luke

St. Bernard\

Sat. May 11 ~ 10 am

St. Luke

Sat. May 18 ~ 10 am





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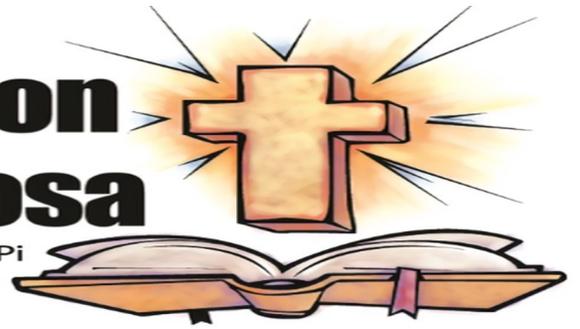
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ST. LUKE	\$5,651

Nos unimos a las parroquias de toda nuestra Diócesis para emb,2707arcarnos en un año de fe y servicio en el marco de la Campaña Católica Anual 2024, Vivir la Misión con un Corazón Generoso. Nuestro Obispo le invita humildemente a sumarse a los feligreses del sur de Arizona para ahondar nuestro compromiso con la misión de Cristo y Su Iglesia. “Es tarea de cada miembro de la Iglesia de Cristo abrazar la misión y participar en ella en la medida de su capacidad"

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WELCOME / BIENVENIDOS

St. Luke-Immaculate Conception-St. Bernard Religious Education Program April 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1 IC-4pm-1st Grade IC-7pm 1st Year Confirmation	2 IC-4pm 2nd Grade SL-5pm 3A & 3B SB-5pm-Confirmation SL-7pm 2nd Year Confirmation	3 IC-4pm 3rd Grade SL-1st year Confirmation	4	5	6	7 SB-3rd Grade
8	9	10	11	12	13 Confirmation St. Luke/ Loretto Immaculate/ St. Bernard	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 First Holy Communion	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 First Holy Communion	28

**END OF
NON-SACRAMENTAL CCD CLASSES
FOR 2023—2024
SCHOOL YEAR**

SACRAMENTS / sacramentos

BAPTISM GUIDELINES

- Call your parish office to register for in person pre-baptism class, 1st Friday of month in English, or 2nd Thursday of month in Spanish. Classes will be given at St. Luke parish hall. Once class is completed, verified, and the paperwork is complete, a date for Baptism will be given.
- **CHANGE:** St. Luke—3rd Tuesday
St. Bernard—3rd Saturday
Immaculate Conception—2nd Saturday
- Godparents must adhere to sponsor qualifications.

REQUISITOS PARA EL SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO

Llame a su oficina parroquial para inscribirse en la clase pre-bautismal en persona, 1º viernes de cada mes en inglés, o 2do jueves de cada mes en español. Las platicas están en el salón parroquial de San Lucas. Una vez que el papeleo se haya completado y verificado, se le dará la fecha para Bautizar.

- **CAMBIO:** San Lucas—3er martes
San Bernardo—3er sábado
Inmaculada Concepción—2do sábado

PRE-MARRIAGE GUIDELINES

- Call the parish office 4—6 months before you wish to marry
- Fill out the wedding request form—no date for your wedding will be given before your initial meeting with the priest

PAUTAS PREMATRIMONIALES.

- Llame a la oficina parroquial de 4 a 6 meses antes de la fecha que desee casarse.
- Complete el formulario de solicitud de boda; no se asentara la fecha para su boda hasta que tenga una reunión inicial con el sacerdote.

REST IN PEACE. . .DESCANSE EN PAZ

Our sincere sympathy to all...

Alfonso Montaña



MASS INTENTIONS

Saint Luke

Saturday, April 13

5:00 p. m.

English Mass

+ Edward & Rafaela Calderón + Chuck Hoyack
+ Albertina & Serge Garcia, Jr. + Elvia Young
+ Albert Galindo + Henry Morales
+ Sgt. Frank Vejar + Fr. Arnold Noriega

Special Intention:

Patrick Hoyack ~ Emma & Tim Barcelo
Robert & Concha Muñoz ~ Melissa Lamadrid
Rochelle Castillo (B-day)

In Thanksgiving:

Sacred Heart of Jesus, Nino de Atocha, & the
intercession of St. Rafael
The intercession of St. Therese, the Little
Flower, Pauline, Leonie, St. Blaise, &
St. Josemaria Escriva

Sunday, April 14

8:00 a. m.

English Mass

+ David Oventile (Ann.) + Fr. Ted Lobo
+ Luciano Gonzalez III + Elvia Young
+ Albertina & Serge Garcia, Jr. + Rick Harmon
+ Luis Javier Guerrero (1st Ann.)

Special Intention:

Solomon Grossman ~ Keith Strahl
John Paul Enriquez ~ Kelly Fitzgerald
Safety of military bases in Middle East

In Thanksgiving:

Sagrado Corazon de Jesus & the intercession
of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Our Lady of
Lourdes, St. Jude, & St. Blaise

11:00 a. m.

Spanish Mass

+ Alfonso Montano
+ Heriberto Gracia
+ Juanita Yanez
+ Ismael Martinez (Ann.)
+ Alberto y Natividad Moran (Ann.),
Arnoldo Moran

Por la Salud de: Lucia Mendez

En Accion de Gracias:

Divino Nino Jesus y la intercesion de San
Judas y San Francisco

Monday, April 15

7:00 a. m.

English Mass

+ Jacqueline Samaniego Zozayo
Special Intention: Joe Salcido

Tuesday, April 16

7:00 a. m.

English Mass (Public)

+ Jacqueline Samaniego Zozayo

Wednesday April 17

7:00 a. m.

English Mass (Public)

+ Jacqueline Samaniego Zozayo
+ Bill & Louise Kimble
+ Tomás & Maurilia Leon

Thursday, April 18

7:00 a. m.

English Mass (Public)

+ Ghery Fimbres
+ Rick Harmon

Friday, April 19

7:00 a. m.

English Mass (Public)

+ Albertina & Serge Garcia, Jr
Special Intention:
Clergy of the Parish
Percell fam.



IN SINCERE APPRECIATION

Envelope & Online collections for the week of

April 7, 2024

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\$678.88

MASS INTENTIONS

Immaculate Conception

Saturday, April 13

7:00 p. m. Spanish Mass (Publica)
+ Letty Sanchez
+ Cesar Quijada
+ Dorian Moreno
+ Esthela Padilla (Ann.)
Por la Salud de:
Jose Luis e Irma Basulto
Intención Especial: Nancie Ames

Sunday, April 14

12:00 p. m. English Mass (Public)
+ Pedro & Maria Urquijo + Pepa Noriega
+ Alfonso Montano + Johnny Owen
+ Dorian Moreno + Hector Castañeda
Special Intention: Nancie Ames

6:00 p. m. Spanish Mass (Public)
+ Jorge "Koki" Salazar + Letty Sanchez
+ Hector y Lorenza Leon + Irma Ruth Gomez
+ Andres H. Rodriguez + Ana Maria Majalca
+ Emma Robles Lopez + Magdalena Majalca
+ Hector y Maria Romero + Luis Carlos Majalca
+ Luis Carlos Majalca, Jr. + Roberto y Irma Flores
+ Pancho Noriega Mendez
+ J. L. "Chepa" Velasquez
Por la Salud de:
Jose Luis e Irma Basulto
Reynaldo Majalca
Jiselle Flores
Carmen Arzola
Cynthia Tibuni

Monday, April 15

9:00 a. m. Spanish Mass
+ Pepa Noriega
+ Dorian Moreno
Intencion Especial:
Nancie Ames
Emilani Smith

Tuesday, April 16

9:00 a. m. Spanish Mass (Public)
+ Bea Smith + Jerry Smith
+ Dr. George Spikes + Padre Antonio Ruiz
+ Padre Arnoldo Noriega + Pepa Noriega
+ Socorro Leon + Dorian Moreno
+ Chebo y Reyna Samaniego
Special Intention: Nancie Ames

Wednesday, April 17

9:00 a. m. Spanish Mass (Public)
+ Petra Davila (Ann.)
+ Dorian Moreno
Por la Salud: Jose Luis e Irma Basulto
Special Intention:
Nancie Ames
Angel Smith y familia

Thursday, April 18

9:00 a. m. Spanish Mass (Public)
+ Daniel Moreno
Special Intention: Nancie Ames

Friday, April 19

9:00 a. m. Spanish Mass (Public)
+ Lorenzo Ramirez
Special Intention: Nancie Ames

Saturday, April 20

9:00 a. m. English Mass (Public)
Special Intention: Nancie Ames

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Envelope & Online collections for the week of

April 7, 2024
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Upkeep & Maintenance
\$578.24

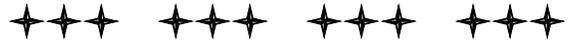
MASS INTENTIONS

Saint Bernard

Sunday, April 14

9:00 a. m. Our Lady of La salette (English)
People of the Parish

9:30 a. m. St. Bernard (English / Spanish)
+Victor Mendez
+ Frank Meza
+ Manuel "Manny" Barco
+ Manuel y Ana Elia Alvidrez, Rafael
Samaniego
+ Fernando, Francisca, y Jacinto Durazo
Special Intention / Intencion Especial:
Norma D. Galindo
Gavino Omar Meza



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NUESTRO MÁS SINCERO APRECIO**

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April 7, 2024

St. Bernard	\$ 980.86
La Salette	\$ 711.00

Upkeep & Maintenance
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BULLETIN HIGHLIGHTS

We congratulate all the students in our second year CCD program and Loretto Catholic School who were sealed with the gifts of the Holy Spirit by Bishop Weisenburger on Saturday .

We now begin our rotation of First Holy Communions in our Catholic Community. Immaculate Conception will have two Masses – Saturday, April 20 and April 27.

CCD classes are now over. Registrations will be announced during the month of June, so check the bulletin.

We take this opportunity to thank all who supported our Lenten luncheons on behalf of Immaculate Conception and St. Luke. We look forward to serving you throughout the remainder of the year.

Don't forget your contributions to the ACA. Any amount your give is the right amount. Thank you

ANUNCIOS

Felicitamos a todos los estudiantes de nuestro segundo año del programa del catecismo CCD y de la Escuela Católica Loretto que fueron sellados con los dones del Espíritu Santo el sábado por el Obispo Weisenburger.

Estamos por comenzar nuestra rotación de Primeras Comuniones en nuestra Comunidad Católica. La Inmaculada Concepción tendrá dos misas: el sábado 20 y el 27 de abril.

Las clases de CCD ya terminaron. Las inscripciones se anunciarán durante el mes de junio. Por favor que consulten el boletín.

Aprovechamos esta oportunidad para agradecer a todos los que apoyaron nuestros almuerzos de Cuaresma, en nombre de la Inmaculada Concepción y San Lucas. Esperamos poder servirles durante el resto del año.

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