

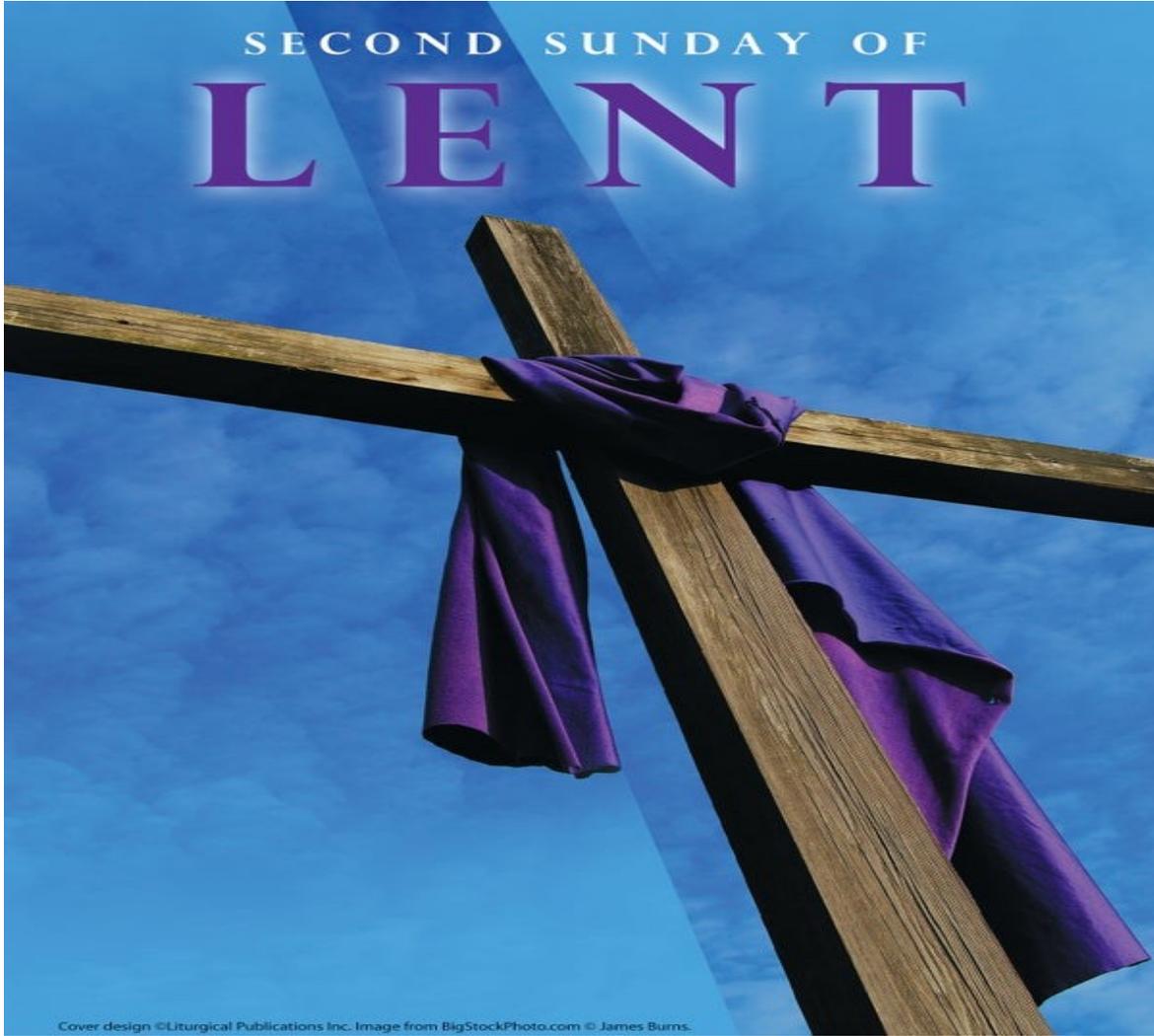


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WEEKEND SCHEDULES

ENGLISH MASS

SATURDAY: 5:00 P.M. ANTICIPATED HOLY MASS

SUNDAY: 10:00 AM & 5:30 PM

MISA EN ESPAÑOL

DOMINGO: 7:30 AM Y 12:00 PM



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH - DAILY MASS/MISA DIARIA

CAPILLA SAN JOSE

4101 Flores St. Edinburg, TX
 CCD Office (956) 386-1235
 A Mission of
 Sacred Heart Church
 SUNDAY/DOMINGO 9:00 AM
 Bilingual/Bilingüe

ENGLISH
 Mon & Wed
 7:00 A.M

ESPAÑOL
 Martes Y Jueves
 7:00 AM

BILINGÜE
 Fri./Viernes
 7:00 AM

CONFESSIONS
 Saturday
 3 pm to 4 pm
 In the Church

CONFESIONES
 Sabado
 de 3 pm a 4 pm
 En la Iglesia

MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES

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| SATURDAY | February 28 | MONDAY | March 2 |
| 5:00 pm | † Juan Angel Perez † Maria Lilia Barrera † Efrain N. Martinez † Antonia Chavez de Vallejo † Jose Cosme Vallejo † Ismael Hernandez † Margarita Hernandez † Estela Ortiz | 7:00 am | † Carmen Barraza † Ester Ybarra † Pedro Ybarra |
| SUNDAY | March 1 | TUESDAY | March 3 |
| 7:30 am | † Jaime Terarn Jr. † Jose y Maria Teran † Gabina Moreno † Buenaventura Garcia † Zoila Garcia Para los Fieles de la Parroquia | 7:00 am | † Juliana Sanders |
| 10:00 am | † Mauro Delgado † Elida P. Gomez † Rodolfo Monzon † Alexander Monzon † Fr. Celso Godilano, SSP † Ruben Luna † Juanita Escobar | WEDNESDAY | March 4 |
| 12:00 pm | † Gloria Valdez † Bernarda Campos † Manuel Flores † Armendina Gonzalez † Etelvina Rios de Cerda Por la Salud de Gracie Lopez Cantu | 7:00 am | † Micaela Reyna |
| 5:30 pm | † Mitzi Amar † Maria Carilo de Garcia † Mario Garcia Flores † Tomasa Villarreal † Rarul Villarreal † Maria Teresa Buford † Emma Trevino Gonzalez | THURSDAY | March 5 |
| | | 7:00 am | † Micaela Reyna † Steffannie Garza |
| | | FRIDAY | March 6 |
| | | 7:00 am | † Micaela Reyna |



GOSPEL MEDITATION ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

March 1, 2026
2nd Sunday of Lent
Matthew 17:1-9

When I sit down to answer emails or write a Gospel reflection or return a phone call, I sometimes wonder: Does any of this humdrum work matter? Maybe you ask the same thing about your daily labor. Today's Gospel, the Transfiguration, offers a surprising answer.

Jesus leads Peter, James, and John up a mountain. There, "his face shone like the sun face and his clothes become white as light" (Matthew 17:2). That detail regarding his clothes is worth considering.

We know Jesus' body is inseparably united to the divine nature. But his clothing? That's something made by human hands. It's an artifact. And yet it shines with the same uncreated light. What does this detail mean? The early Church noted that Adam and Eve's first act after the Fall was to make clothing. This clothing symbolizes all human labor that supports our dignity. In Jesus' glorified garments, we see not just the redemption of our body, but of human effort to protect and uplift human dignity.

Parents, your family is your work. Baristas, plumbers, nurses, accountants — your labor, your emails, your phone calls, your spreadsheets — can all become radiant when offered to God in love. The question isn't just do I believe in Jesus' glory, but do I believe he can share it with the work of my hands?

Lenten Challenge: Identify the "artifact" you are making to uplift the dignity of others: your job, your home, your relationships. Consciously bring it to the Lord this Sunday at Mass. Offer it to share in His glory. It will begin to shine.

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

1 de marzo de 2026
II Domingo de Cuaresma
Mateo 17:1-9

La liturgia de hoy está llena de símbolos de gloria y majestad. Si estamos atentos, podremos descubrir el gran amor de Dios hacia su Hijo Jesús y también hacia nosotros, manifestado en su Transfiguración. La gloria futura se presenta en la nube como signo de la presencia de Dios, así como en los vestidos blancos y el rostro de Jesús resplandeciente como el sol. "A la vista de ellos, su aspecto cambió completamente: su cara brillaba como el sol y su ropa se volvió blanca como la luz" (Mateo 17:2). La muerte que Jesús había anunciado previamente a sus discípulos, la que iba a padecer, será transformada en gloria en la Pascua. Sin embargo, para llegar a esa Pascua hay que pasar por el camino del Calvario, hacia la cruz. Pedro propuso hacer tres tiendas; estaba tan bien allí, con sus compañeros y con Jesús. De repente, se escucha la voz del Padre que dice: "Este es mi Hijo, el Amado; éste es mi Elegido, ¡escúchenlo!" (Mateo 17:5).

Para ser verdaderos seguidores de Jesús, debemos desinstalarnos de nuestras comodidades y de nuestros caprichos. La Cuaresma, que apenas comienza, debe llevarnos a comprometernos con el bien común y con la justicia que tanto necesita la sociedad actual. La dura realidad que estamos viviendo debe ser también un camino para encontrar la luz y la voz de Dios que nos llama a despertar y actuar frente a las necesidades de los demás. También cabe la pregunta: ¿a quién estamos escuchando? ¿A quién, o a qué, le estamos haciendo caso? Recordemos que seguir al Maestro exige esfuerzo y entrega. Bajemos, pues, de lo alto del monte para caminar con Jesús en esta Cuaresma.



Te invitamos a entregar tu corazón a nuestra Madre del Cielo

Rosario por los Sacerdotes

Todos los jueves 3:00 p.m

Capilla de Adoración



Santísima Trinidad, te pedimos les concedas a los Sacerdotes del mundo entero, la sabiduría para mantenerse firmes y fieles a Tú palabra en este peregrinar, para que se acerquen a ti y nos guíen hacia Ti.



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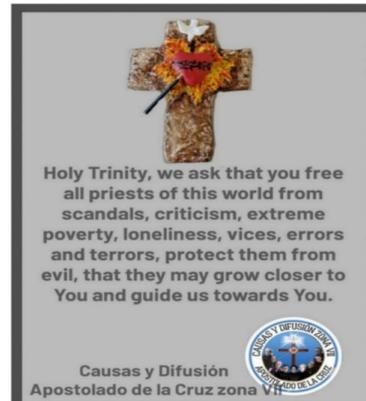
We invite you to surrender
Your hearts to your mother
In heaven."

Rosary for Vocations

Every Thursday 3:00 p.m.

Adoration Chapel

Sacred Heart Church, Edinburg
TX



Holy Trinity, we ask that you free all priests of this world from scandals, criticism, extreme poverty, loneliness, vices, errors and terrors, protect them from evil, that they may grow closer to You and guide us towards You.



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Lenten Penance Service

Tuesday, March 17

6:00PM - 9:00PM

Reconciliation will be available in English and Spanish

servicio de Penitencia

martes, 17 de marzo

6:00PM-9:00PM

La reconciliacion estara disponible en Ingles y Espanol



Stations of the Cross
 Every Friday during Lent starting on
 February 20, 2026 at 6pm
 Stations of the Cross
 are bilingual & will be held inside the church.
 Everyone is Welcome

Via Crucis
 Todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma
 a partir del 20 de febrero 2026 a las 6pm.
 El Vía Crucis
 es bilingüe y se llevara a cabo dentro de la iglesia.
 Todos son Bienvenidos

SACRED HEART PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

*Our Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday,
 March 3, 2026, as we will be at a Diocese Parish
 Retreat. We will resume regular business hours
 on Wednesday, March 4, 2026.*

*Nuestra Oficina Parroquial estará cerrada el
 martes 3 de marzo de 2026, ya que estaremos en
 un retiro parroquial de la diócesis.
 Reanudaremos el horario comercial habitual el
 miércoles 4 de marzo de 2026.*

T.G.I.F. Youth Group

Do you have a problem?



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH YOUTH GROUP
 (TEENS GROWING IN FAITH)

**Burger in a Bag
 Fundraiser
 w/ chips & drink**

\$10.00
 Donation

Date: Saturday, March 21st, 2026
 Time: 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 pm
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 and charitable initiatives. Your participation makes a
 difference—thank you for supporting us!

Violent Conflicts

Question:

What is the Christian attitude towards violent conflicts?

Answer:

In the Beatitudes, Jesus teaches us “Blessed are the peacemakers” and to “love your enemies.” All human beings are made in God’s image and likeness. We are one human family — brothers and sisters despite what divides us. Christians have the obligation to prioritize peaceful means to resolve conflicts. War wreaks a toll on a nation. Civilians bear a disproportionate burden of this cost during the war itself and as the nation rebuilds. However, those in authority have the obligation to protect the innocent.

During the gradual fall of the Roman Empire, theologians began to theorize that war could be just if it was a defensive measure of last resort. The “Just War Theory” was later expanded by St. Thomas Aquinas, who also included moral obligations during the war itself, including the protection of civilians. Those in public authority have the obligation to carefully examine their motives, agendas, and rationale for violent force. Should a cause be just, those who fight and defend under such circumstances must be valued and honored. They deserve our support both during and after the war.

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Conflictos Violentos

Pregunta:

¿Cuál es la actitud cristiana hacia los conflictos violentos?

Respuesta:

En las Bienaventuranzas, Jesús nos enseña: "Bienaventurados los que trabajan por la paz" y a "amar a los enemigos". Todos los seres humanos están hechos a imagen y semejanza de Dios. Somos una sola familia humana, hermanos y hermanas a pesar de lo que nos divide. Los cristianos tienen la obligación de dar prioridad a los medios pacíficos para resolver los conflictos. La guerra causa estragos en una nación. Los civiles soportan una carga desproporcionada de este costo durante la propia guerra y a medida que la nación se reconstruye. Sin embargo, las autoridades tienen la obligación de proteger a los inocentes.

Durante la caída gradual del Imperio Romano, los teólogos comenzaron a teorizar que la guerra podía ser justa si era una medida defensiva de último recurso. La "Teoría de la Guerra Justa" fue ampliada más tarde por Santo Tomás de Aquino, quien también incluyó las obligaciones morales durante la guerra misma, incluida la protección de los civiles. Aquellos en la autoridad pública tienen la obligación de examinar cuidadosamente sus motivos, agendas y razones para la fuerza violenta. Si una causa es justa, aquellos que luchan y defienden en tales circunstancias deben ser valorados y honrados. Merecen nuestro apoyo tanto durante como después de la guerra.

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| <p>Monday-Friday - Lunes-Viernes 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (Closed for lunch 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm) Saturday – Closed/Sabado—Cerrado</p> | <p align="center">Confessions Saturday 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm in the Church For those who are unable to attend on Saturday please call the Parish Office to make an appointment... Confesiones Sabado de 3:00 pm a 4:00 pm en la Iglesia <i>Los que no pueden asistir el Sabado pueden hablar a la oficina parroquial para hacer una cita</i></p> |
| <p align="center">STAFFED BY THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BROWNSVILLE</p> | <p align="center">Marriage Please contact a priest or a deacon at least six months before your proposed wedding date. We look forward to helping you get ready for this great sacrament. <i>Pueden comunicarse con un padre o diacono con seis meses de anticipacion a la fecha de matrimonio. Estamos dispuestos a ayudarlo en este proceso</i></p> |
| <p align="center">PRIEST</p> | <p align="center">Baptisms Please contact Parish Office for information</p> |
| <p>Rev. Rene Gaytan Rev. James K. Awiah Pastor Parochial Vicar rgaytan@cdob.org jawiah@cdob.org</p> | <p align="center">Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick This sacrament helps with serious illnesses or disabilities of the aged. Contact the office for more information. Unción de los Enfermos <i>Este sacramento ayuda en una enfermedad seria o en la fragilidad de la vejez. Pueden llamar a la oficina.</i></p> |
| <p align="center">DEACONS</p> | <p align="center">Quinceañera Services Please Contact the parish office for more information. <i>Favor de llamar a la oficina</i></p> |
| <p>Joe Peralez, III Raul Rangel Deacon Deacon jperalez@cdob.org rrangel@cdob.org</p> | <p align="center">Visiting the Sick/Visitando a los Enfermos Contact the office for a home visit. <i>Llamar a la oficina para que lo visiten.</i></p> |
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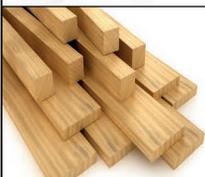
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