



Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

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March 15, 2026

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Arnulfo Jara Galvez
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Bobby Joseph, CMI
Permanent Deacons: James Moore, Jerry White,
Kurt Herbst, Joseph Keating
Director of OCIA: Sister Colie Stokes, SSMN
Director of Music: Jayson Cote
Director of Youth Ministry: Mary Gerard

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

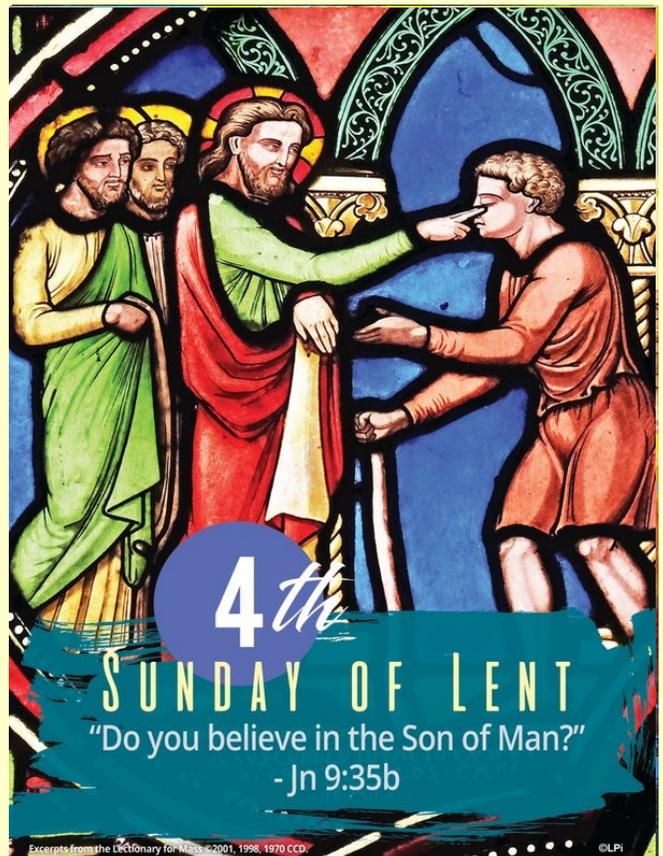
Secretary/Receptionist: Gina Agro
Adm. Assist.: Lori Roberson
Adm. Assist. (Spanish): Patricia Mochizuki
Adm. Assist. (Finance): Theresa Sadler
Office Assist. (Contributions): Paulette Krugger

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Principal: Corinne King
Assistant Principal: Kathy Romer

MAINTENANCE

Facilities: Mario Lopez



MASSES & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

8:30 AM Spiritual Welfare of Parish Community
 11:00 AM Kimberly Matthews
 1:30 PM Intentions from the Hispanic Community
 5:00 PM Dr. Carium Joseph

MONDAY, MARCH 16

8:00 AM Buddy and Dorothy Bendt

TUESDAY, MARCH 17

8:00 AM Ann Mitchum

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

8:00 AM Robert Antoine Riols

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

8:00 AM Clare Hutchinson Cochran

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

8:00 AM Ginger Tezza

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

5:00 PM John Anthony Soffera



SICK AND/OR HOMEBOUND OR HOSPITALIZED:

Below are the names of persons who are in need of special prayer. If you know of someone who should be included in this list,

please call the Parish Office and let us know. *Please let us know when the persons listed are well again, so their names can be removed from the list.* Travis Biernacki, Scott Boinest, Sarah Burn, Pate Chapman, Margaret Clair Conti, Barbara DeWitt, Amelia Finley, Jeffrey Gogol, Sandra Gorman, Sissy Hall, Frank Hamilton, Patricia Hiott, Barbara Jiles, Kitty Kinard, William Luckie, Jane Masciola, Joseph Masucci, Crissey Miller, Nadine Miller, Miriam Moya, Virginia (Ginger) Nadeau, Francis Nolen, Bob Poyer, Karen Raines, Caroline & Perry Reardon, Dorothy Reaves, Margaret Robinson, Tim Torongeau, Kathleen Weatherford, Amelia Wilson and Damian Wofford.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday** Isaiah (Isaias) 65:17-21
John (Juan) 4:43-54
- Tuesday** Ezekiel (Ezequiel) 47:1-12
John (Juan) 5:1-16
- Wednesday** Isaiah (Isaias) 49:8-15
John (Juan) 5:17-30
- Thursday** 2 Samuel (Samuel) 7:4-16
Matthew (Mateo) 1:16-24
- Friday** Wisdom (Sabiduria) 2:1, 12-22
John (Juan) 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
- Saturday** Jeremiah (Jeremias) 11:18-20
John (Juan) 7:40-53
- Sunday** Ezekiel (Ezequiel) 37:12-14
John (Juan) 11:1-45



SANCTUARY LIGHTS: We are thankful to Mrs. Matuskovic who makes a monthly donation for the sanctuary lamp in loving memory of her husband Gregory and son Joseph.

The **SECOND COLLECTION** this weekend is for Catholic Relief Services. Thank you for your generosity.



ONLINE CONTRIBUTIONS: When setting up online contributions, the only way to make sure your contribution goes to Blessed Sacrament Church (Charleston, SC) is to use our WeShare. We do not accept direct Cash App donations. All online payments must go through WeShare. Thank you for your generosity.



WE WELCOME ALL NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS TO BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH.

If you would like to register at Blessed Sacrament, registration forms are available at the back of the church, in the parish office, or you may register online at blsac.org.

BAPTISM: Parents who wish to have their child/children baptized should contact the Parish Office. A preparatory class is mandatory for the proper formation of parents and godparents. You must be an active member at Blessed Sacrament Church (3 months minimum) in order to schedule a baptism.

MARRIAGE: Those wishing to enter into a sacramental marriage should contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to the intended date. You must be an active member at Blessed Sacrament Church (3 months minimum) in order to schedule a wedding.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION: Preparations for the reception of these Sacraments are taken care of by the Office of Faith Formation. Please email blsacfaithformation@gmail.com.

VISITING THE SICK: Please inform the Parish Office should a relative/friend who is homebound/hospitalized need a pastoral visit or the Sacrament of Anointing. A priest will attend to the Sacrament.

Our Parish-established criteria is used to verify parishioner status for Weddings, Sacramental Preparation, Sponsor Certificates for Baptism and Confirmation, and to receive parishioner tuition rates at Catholic schools.

PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY:

9:30 AM K of C Pancake Breakfast - Parish Hall
9:45 AM Faith Formation - School
12:00 PM OCIA Meeting - Parish Hall
6:15 PM Youth Ministry - Parish Hall

MONDAY:

6:00 PM Women's Guild - Parish Hall

TUES:

6:30 PM Baptism Prep Class - Parish Hall

WED:

5:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice
6:30 PM Spanish Youth Group - Parish Hall

THURS:

6:30 PM Books Change Lives - School
Choir Practice - Church
Spanish Adult Group - Parish Hall

FRIDAY:

5:00 PM K of C Fish Fry Dinner - Parish Hall
6:00 PM Stations of the Cross (English)
7:30 PM Stations of the Cross (Spanish)

SATURDAY:

12:00 PM Altar Guild - Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 PM (English)
Sundays 1:00—1:30 PM (Spanish)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 12472 (BLESSED SACRAMENT CHARLESTON)



March 15: Pancake Social following 8:30am Mass - Hall
March 20: Lenten Fish Fry Dinner starting at 5pm - Hall
March 22: Family Rosary before 8:30am Mass
April 3: Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 3pm (Good Friday)
April 5: Coffee & Donut Social following 8:30am Mass—Hall
April 7: Membership Meeting 7pm - Parish Hall

Knight of the Month: David Deen - David led the effort to restart our Free Throw Championship Contest which was a huge success! He is also our Council's Financial Secretary and co-leads our Coffee & Donuts social each month.

Family of the Month: Terry and Kathryn Wray - The Wray's serve our Parish as sacristans and have been long time supporters of our Charity Golf Tournament. Thank you both for being great representatives for our Council and Church!

Charity of the Month: Catholic Radio of South Carolina (\$500)

He is Risen magnets will be available the last two weekends of Lent. Donations are appreciated and will go to local special needs programs.

A "Registered and Active" family/individual is one who:

1. Has been formally registered and is participating in the life of the Parish for at least 3 consecutive months.
2. Participates in Worship through **weekly attendance** at Weekend Masses.
3. Places **envelopes weekly** in the offertory, even if empty.

An extended time with no activity will place a person or family on inactive status.

- ~ If you give online, please turn in your empty envelopes weekly at Mass and check "I give online."
- ~ If you contribute periodically through the collection, please remember to put in envelopes weekly, even if empty.
- ~ Contributions in cash can only be considered when presented in the parish envelope.
- ~ Multiple envelopes put in at a weekend Mass will be considered participation for that one Mass.
- ~ Envelopes Dropped off or Mailed will not be considered participation at Mass.
- ~ Blank Green envelopes are available in the church if needed.

Families must be Active Members for a child to be eligible to receive any Sacrament.

Families must be Active Members to receive reduced tuition rates at Blessed Sacrament School and Bishop England High School.

Active status must be maintained for families in the Schools and Sacramental Program.

ONCE A CHILD FROM A PARISH FAMILY GRADUATES HIGH SCHOOL, WE ASK THAT HE/SHE REGISTERS INDIVIDUALLY AS AN ADULT MEMBER OF THE PARISH, AND WE ENCOURAGE HIM/HER TO PARTICIPATE AS FULLY ENGAGED STEWARDS OF THE PARISH.

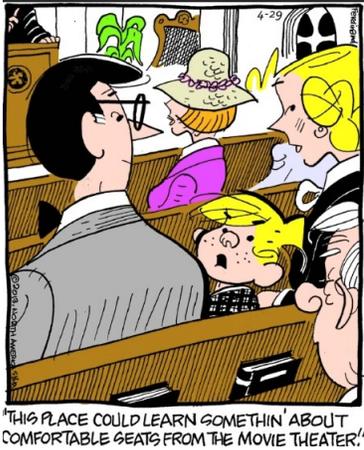


SILVER THREADS CORNER (for our senior members)

INSPIRING QUOTES FROM CATHOLIC SAINTS:

“The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day.” (St. Gianna Molla)

“The devil fears hearts on fire with the love of God.” (St. Padre Pio)



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION is available from Monday 5am to Friday Midnight. If you can commit to giving one hour per week in our chapel, please call Patti at 843-901-9467 or Bob at 843-571-5941 or email poyerrk@gmail.com. For security purposes a passcode is required between 3:30pm and 7:30am. Please call the parish office to get a passcode. (843-556-0801) Our goals are to cover every hour in the week and to have two adorers in every hour. Currently, we need one adorer for the following hours: **Wednesday—Midnight to 1am, 1am-2am, 2am-3am and Friday—3am-4am and 10pm-11pm.**

LENTEN RICE BOWLS: By participating in CRS Rice Bowl, we're helping young people in Timor-Leste find opportunities and support to fulfill their dreams of becoming leaders in their communities. Visit www.crsricebowl.org/week-4 to read about Adriana's dream of becoming a doctor in this week's Story of Hope. Please take a rice bowl home with you today!



We invite all our Women to join this ministry

THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA / PACK 63 WILL BE SELLING CAMP CARDS after Masses on March 14 and 15 to support their Summer Camps. Camp Cards are \$10 per card. They have cards for the following areas: West Ashley, James/Johns Island, North Charleston, and Summerville/Goose Creek areas. Cardholders can save HUNDREDS of dollars this year! Cards vary per location.

EASTER MASSES: Saturday, April 4, Easter Vigil 8pm (bilingual); Sunday, April 5, 9am and 11am (English) and 1:30pm (Spanish). Please join us!



Everyone is encouraged to participate in the **OFFERTORY PROCESSION** at our weekend Masses. If interested, please put your name or your family's name on the sign-up sheet that is displayed on the vestibule bulletin board at the back of the church.



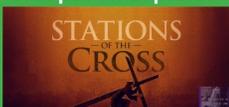
Meatless Spaghetti Dinner

Hosted by our Women's Guild

\$10 for dinner

Stations every Friday
6pm in English
7:30pm en Espanol

March 27th from
5pm to 7pm



Fish Fry Dinner - \$15

Spaghetti Dinner - \$8

Take out or Dine in the Hall



QR to Pre-Order



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

LENTEN FISH FRY

March 20th

5:00pm-7pm in the Parish Hall

Stations of the Cross in the Church at 6:00pm (English) & 7:30pm (Spanish)

BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday, March 29

MASSES: 5:00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil), 8:30 & 11:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. (English)
1:30 p.m. (Spanish)

(Palms will be blessed and distributed at each Mass)

Monday of Holy Week, March 30

MASS: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday of Holy Week, March 31 (NO MORNING MASS)

MASS OF SACRED CHRISM: 11:00 a.m. (All are invited.)

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Downtown Charleston

(At this Liturgy, the Bishop blesses and consecrates the Holy Oils used in the administration of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and Anointing of the Sick.)

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 1

MASS: 8:00 a.m.

PLEASE NOTE that there is no Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during the Paschal Triduum from Holy Thursday through Easter Sunday.

Holy Thursday, April 2 (NO MORNING MASS)

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER: 7:00 p.m. (Bilingual)

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: In the church after Mass until 10:00 p.m.

CHURCH DOORS CLOSE: 10:15 p.m.

Good Friday, April 3 (NO MORNING MASS)

LITURGY OF THE PASSION: 3:00 p.m. (English)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 6:00 p.m. (English)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

LITURGY OF THE PASSION: 7:30 p.m. (Spanish)

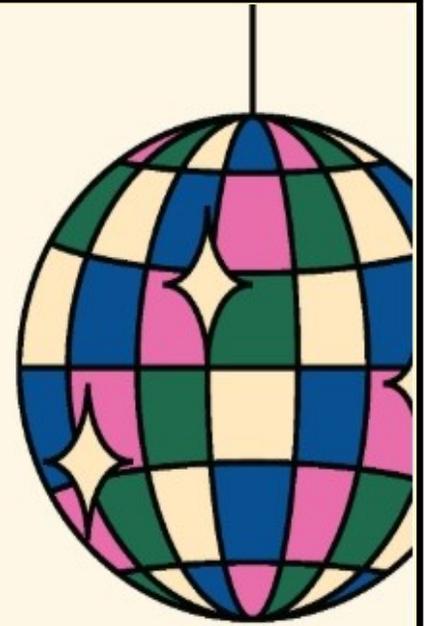
Holy Saturday, April 4 (NO RECONCILIATION; NO 5:00 p.m. MASS)

O.C.I.A. REHEARSAL: 10:00 a.m. (Church)

BLESSING OF EASTER FOODS: 12:00 p.m. (Parish Hall)

EASTER VIGIL LITURGY: 8:00 p.m. (Bilingual)

SAVE THE DATE



BOOGIE ON THE BLACKTOP

Friday, April 24, 2026

Join us for a night of fellowship and fun supporting Blessed Sacrament Parish Life Center Capital Campaign! Enjoy live music, food, and an open bar, plus an exciting silent auction. Last year, over 350 tickets sold—don't miss out! Tickets & sponsorships available.

DON'T MISS IT!



Buy tickets & more info.





Save the Date!

VBS Retreat 2026
 Saturday June 20th
 9AM-3PM

Registration to follow in coming weeks!

Volunteer interest or questions?
 Please Contact Andrea Raines
 Andrea87RN@gmail.com

MEN'S RETREAT



Men's Retreat at Heart Ridge
 March 21 @ 8:00 am - March 22 @ 3:30 pm

Heart Ridge Ministries

Email

Tami@HeartRidgeMinistries.com

View Organizer Website



2ND ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
APRIL 13, 2026
1:00PM SHADOWMOSS GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Golf Team \$600

4 golfers, drink tickets, mulligans, 5 raffle tickets and dinner

Sponsorship Opportunities

All sponsorship opportunities include: Logo on promo materials for event plus social media

Platinum Sponsor \$8000
Gold Sponsor \$5000
Silver Sponsor \$4000

all include the following
 Option to include promo materials in golfer gift bag
 Logo on beverage carts OR Logo at the bar area
 1 golf team (4 players)

Bar Sponsor \$3000
 includes the following
 Option to include promo materials in golfer gift bag
 Logo on beverage carts OR Logo at the bar area
 1 golf teams (4 players)

Golf Cart Sponsor \$2000
Hole - In - One Sponsor \$2000
 both include the following
 Logo signage on golf carts OR designated hole-in-one hole
 Option to include promotional materials in golfer gift bag

Ball Sponsor \$2000
 Logo on the golf ball
 Option to include promotional materials in golfer gift bag

Longest Drive Sponsor \$1000
 Logo signage on designated longest drive hole
 Option to include promotional materials in golfer gift bag

Closest to the Pin Sponsor \$750
 Logo signage on designated green

Putting Green Sponsor \$500
Driving Range Sponsor \$500
 both include the following
 Logo signage on designated putting green OR the diving range

Hole Sponsor \$100
 Logo signage at the tee box

Additional sponsorships available - email kerr.frank@gmail.com
 All proceeds will go to support the Father McCarthy Endowment for Tuition Assistance.

register: www.cbss.org/golf-tournament/

Support the Father McCarthy Endowment

The 2nd annual **Blessed Sacramento Golf Tournament** will take place on **April 13**, with proceeds benefiting the **Father McCarthy Endowment**. Established in 2024, the endowment is dedicated exclusively to providing financial assistance to Catholic children who otherwise could not attend Blessed Sacramento Catholic School due to financial hardship.

As a community of faith, we are called to be good stewards of the blessings God has entrusted to us and to support families in need. As this is only our second year hosting the tournament, we are grateful for the generosity already shown and invite **every Blessed Sacramento family** to help in a simple but impactful way through **\$100 hole sign sponsorships**.

Families or businesses may sponsor a hole sign in honor of a loved one, in memory of someone special, or in support of Catholic education. Your signs will be proudly displayed on the course, serving as visible reminders of our shared commitment to faith, community, and Catholic education.

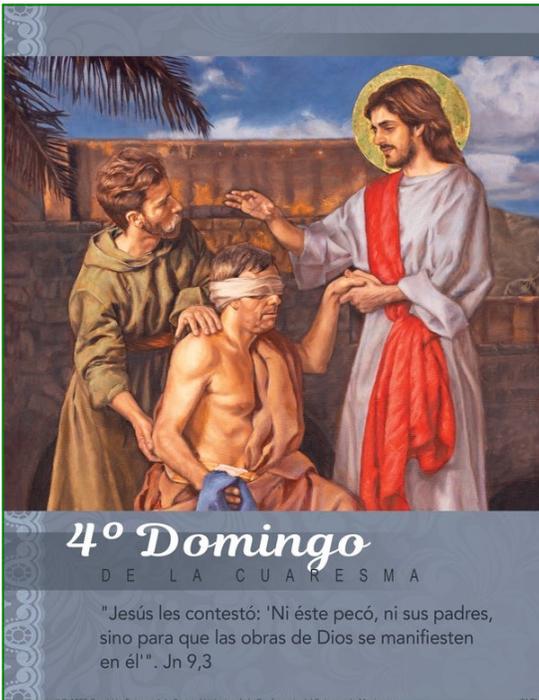
All contributions directly support students and families who rely on the Father McCarthy Endowment.

"Let us not grow tired of doing good, for in due time we shall reap our harvest, if we do not give up."

— Galatians 6:9

Sponsor Here: You will find Hole Sponsor under "Get Tickets"





4º Domingo

DE LA CUARESMA

"Jesús les contestó: 'Ni éste pecó, ni sus padres, sino para que las obras de Dios se manifiesten en él'. Jn 9,3

OFICINA PARROQUIAL MINISTERIO HISPANO

Lunes, miércoles y jueves

9 a. m. - 12 p.m. y de 1 a 2 p. m.

Contacto: Patricia Mochizuki

(843) 556-0801 ext. 2

Correo Electrónico:

mmochizuki@charlestdiocese.org

Horario de Misas dominicales: (Vigilia) Sábados : 5 p. m.

Domingos: Español: 1:30 p. m.

Inglés: sept. - mayo: 8:30am (9 a. m. en verano), 11 a. m. y 5 p.m.

Misa Diaria: Lunes a viernes 8 a.m. (inglés)

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento: de lunes 5 a.m. a viernes 11:59p.m. (excepto Jueves y Viernes Santo)

Sacramento de la Reconciliación

Inglés: sábados, 3:30 - 4:30 p. m.

Español: domingos, 1:00- 1:15 p. m. *Excepto el último domingo de mes.*

Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos

Llamar a la oficina parroquial

Conmemoraciones de la semana

Domingo 15: 4.º Domingo de Cuaresma

Lunes 16

Martes 17: San Patricio, obispo

Miércoles 18: San Cirilo de Jerusalén, obispo y doctor de la Iglesia

Jueves 19: San José, esposo de la Santísima Virgen María

Viernes 20

Sábado 21

Domingo 22: 5º Domingo de Cuaresma

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Santo Rosario. Acompáñenos todos los primeros sábados del mes en la iglesia, a las 7 p.m., para rezar el Santo Rosario.

Misa para Quinceañera. Interesados deben llamar a la oficina parroquial por lo menos 5 meses antes de la fecha estimada para iniciar los arreglos. La quinceañera debe haber recibido la Confirmación.

Meditación del Evangelio - IV Domingo de Cuaresma

El evangelista Juan presenta a Jesús como el hombre que da luz, que es la luz. Describe paso a paso el proceso de fe del ciego de nacimiento. Jesús cura al ciego y lo envía a que se lave en la piscina de Siloé, que significa "Enviado". Él obedece y queda curado.

Después del milagro, surge mucho desasosiego: si realmente era el mismo hombre, cómo fue curado, y otros cuestionamientos más. Él lo explica con lujo de detalles, pero no le creen. Luego interrogan también a sus padres. Finalmente, el hombre enfrenta a los fariseos, y lo expulsan de la sinagoga.

A continuación, nos narra el Evangelio: "Jesús se enteró de que lo habían expulsado. Cuando lo encontró, le dijo: '¿Tú crees en el Hijo del Hombre?' Le contestó: '¿Y quién es, Señor, para que crea en él?' Jesús le dijo: 'Tú lo has visto; es el que está hablando contigo'. Él entonces dijo: 'Creo, Señor', y se arrodilló ante Él" (Juan 9:35-38).

¡Qué felicidad! El ciego ve la luz, mientras que los fariseos, aunque ven a Jesús, quedan ciegos al rechazar al que es la luz. La fe nos saca de las tinieblas. Veamos cómo el ciego, en su proceso de fe, primero dice que el hombre que lo curó se llama Jesús. Luego afirma que es un profeta. Más adelante declara que es un hombre de Dios, y finalmente se postra ante Él en adoración. ¿Qué debemos aprender de este ciego? ¿Qué nombres damos a Jesús en nuestro propio camino de fe? ¿Cómo podríamos describir la manera en que Dios ha curado nuestras enfermedades y perdonado nuestros pecados, como lo hizo con el ciego de nacimiento? ¡Jesús, que vea!

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Virtudes Explicadas - Serie para vivir la Cuaresma (Artículo 4)

La prudencia madre de todas las virtudes

Para empezar, es la primera de las virtudes cardinales, seguida de la justicia, la fortaleza y la templanza; por ende, es la que domina a todas las demás. Es decir, toda virtud debe ser, antes que nada, prudente. Por ejemplo: la valentía, si no va acompañada de la prudencia, se convierte en temeridad, o la generosidad, en despilfarro. El pecado, por ende, es consecuencia de una falta de prudencia. La prudencia perfecciona nuestro impulso para obrar.

Para actuar con prudencia, primero que nada, se debe tener un conocimiento objetivo de las cosas,

“La prudencia dispone la razón práctica para discernir, en toda circunstancia, nuestro verdadero bien y elegir los medios justos para realizarlo” (*Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica*, § 1835). **La prudencia nos ayuda a discernir a ver cual es el verdadero bien, el bien objetivo, no el que me conviene, el que me gusta más, el que esta de moda**, el que siento que es bien para mi y para mis circunstancias. ¿Cómo discernir cual es el verdadero bien? Tenemos que tener una conciencia bien formada. Debemos saber que dice Dios, que dice la Iglesia, que dice la Biblia y los mandamientos. Si pasamos horas viendo televisión y los medios, será la cultura la que moldea nuestra conciencia y no Dios.

La prudencia debe tener 3 elementos esenciales:

1. memoria

2. docilidad

3. habilidad

Memoria para recordar siempre y en toda circunstancia lo que es verdadero y bueno; si no, se corre el riesgo de que la verdad sea falseada por el querer o no querer de nuestra voluntad. Por ejemplo: cuando sé que sobornar es malo, pero en el momento que se me presenta la ocasión de hacerlo para obtener un beneficio, me olvido que es inmoral. **Docilidad**, es decir, la humildad suficiente para dejarse aconsejar, dejando a un lado la manía de querer llevar siempre la razón. **Habilidad**, que es la capacidad de obrar bien ante lo inesperado, venciendo toda tentación de injusticia, cobardía o falta de templanza.

A medida que nos esforzamos por alcanzar una prudencia más perfecta, también debemos ser conscientes que existen dos falsas prudencias: una, por defecto, que consiste en no actuar por miedo o cobardía, esperando certeza donde no la hay; y por efecto, que es una astucia para sacar provecho en beneficio propio, aprovechándose de las circunstancias.

La persona virtuosa ha de buscar su certeza en la experiencia de la vida vivida, en la rectitud de intención y en la providencia de Dios, esperando silenciosa y humildemente el momento de actuar.

La prudencia es, en resumen, el timón que pone rumbo a nuestro camino de perfección.



San José - 19 de marzo



San José,
esposo y

padre elegido por Dios para custodiar la Sagrada Familia de Nazaret, protege nuestras familias.

Haz que el matrimonio sea vivencia de continua y mutua entrega de amor de los esposos, y que los hijos sean la concretización de ese amor.

Que en ninguna familia falte el cariño; que en

ninguna falte el pan; que en ninguna falte la paz.

Te pedimos, en modo particular, por los esposos que se han separado y por los hijos de padres separados. Por todos aquellos que han fracasado en su hogar, para que encuentren en nosotros los cristianos, una verdadera familia que les brinde comprensión, apoyo y amor.

San José, patrono de las familias, ruega por nosotros.

Amén

BLESSED SACRAMENT LES DA LA BIENVENIDA A TODAS LAS NUEVAS FAMILIAS Y VISITANTES

¿Le gustaría inscribirse en la Parroquia Católica Blessed Sacrament? El formulario para registrarse en la parroquia se encuentra en la entrada principal de la iglesia, en la oficina parroquial y también en el sitio de internet, blsac.org.

Celebración de Sacramentos

Bautismo. Los padres que deseen bautizar a sus hijos deben comunicarse con la oficina parroquial por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha estimada para informarse del proceso. Una sesión preparatoria es obligatoria para los padres y padrinos. A partir de 5 años, los niños deben prepararse en el programa de Formación en la Fe y los adultos a través del programa de Orden de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos. Interesados contactar la oficina parroquial.

Matrimonio. Aquellos con deseos de unirse en el Sacramento del Matrimonio deben llamar o venir a la oficina parroquial al menos seis meses antes de la fecha estimada de la ceremonia para comenzar los arreglos. Si ha estado casado anteriormente, le sugerimos iniciar más de un año antes si no ha obtenido una declaración de nulidad.

Visita a los Enfermos. Por favor, informe a la oficina parroquial si un familiar o amigo, que se encuentra hospitalizado o confinado en su casa, necesita una visita pastoral o el Sacramento de la Unción. Un sacerdote lo visitará para el sacramento y, en caso de ser necesario, dispondrá que se le lleve la Santa Comunión a su ser querido.

Sagrada Primera Comunión y Confirmación. La preparación para la recepción de estos sacramentos se lleva a cabo por el ministerio de la Formación en la Fe. La clase para adultos se ofrece a través del programa Orden de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos. Interesados contactar la oficina parroquial.

*Los sacramentos deben celebrarse en la parroquia donde se está inscrito. Aquellos que desean ser padrinos o desean recibir un sacramento deben **solicitar una declaración que testifica el estado de Miembro Activo**. No podemos emitir tal declaración si usted no es un miembro inscrito y activo de Blessed Sacrament. (Ver "Definición de Miembro Activo").*

DEFINICIÓN DE MIEMBRO ACTIVO

Una familia o un individuo son considerados "miembros inscritos y activos" cuando:

1. Han estado inscritos formalmente en la parroquia por, al menos, tres meses.
2. Participan en el culto mediante la asistencia semanal a las Misas dominicales.
3. Colocan los sobres semanalmente en la cesta de la colecta en la Misa, aunque estén vacíos.

Un tiempo prolongado sin actividad y sin notificación, colocará a la familia en un estado inactivo.

- Si usted da su ofrenda en línea, por favor, en la Misa, entregue su sobre vacío. Asegúrese de haber marcado la casilla «I give online», previamente.
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