

Annunciation Catholic Parish

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Holy Masses:

Daily Mass: Monday to Saturday - 8:15 AM

Saturday - 5:30 PM (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday English Mass - 7:30 & 11:00 AM

Sunday Spanish Mass - 1:00 PM

The Holy Rosary is prayed before every Mass.

Confessions:

Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (Anytime upon request)

Baptism: Second Saturday of every month.

Arrangements must be made at least one month in advance and complete Baptismal Class.

Marriage: Arrangements must be six months in advance.

Religious Education (C.C.D.)

Sundays - Sept. to May, 9:30 am to 10:45 am

4th Sunday of Easter

“I am the gate. Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture.” - John 10:9

4to Domingo de Pascua

“Yo soy la puerta; quien entre por mí se salvará, podrá entrar y salir y encontrará pastos.” - Juan 10,9

April 26, 2026

The first reading from Acts of the Apostles takes place right after the disciples received the gifts of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Peter, the apostle who had denied knowing Jesus before he died, now comes out and accuses the crowd of killing Jesus. Considering that he was outnumbered three thousand to one, it took a lot of nerve. So the Spirit gave him the courage to face that crowd. But he did more than just stand up to the people. He offered them forgiveness and hope. He asked them to repent, but not just profess a rejection of sin. What we call repentance, in Peter's time meant a change of heart away from sin and toward a new way of acting or believing. He offered them the same gift of the Spirit that he and the disciples had received. As Peter says in our second reading, "free from sin, [they] might live for righteousness" (1 Peter 2:24). We too can make a change of heart. We can turn away from selfishness and begin to love as Jesus did. We can relinquish anger and begin to forgive. We can put aside fear and boldly proclaim our faith.

Peter also shows us another gift of the Spirit—the ability to suffer for doing good. That also takes a lot of nerve. It's hard enough to suffer for our sins; who wants to suffer for doing good? Yet that is just what Jesus did for us. It is what all disciples are called to do. Following the example of Jesus on the cross, we accept the suffering that comes to us. It may be ridicule for expressing our faith, the pain of losing someone we love, or the eventual pain of dying ourselves. We accept pain because we love the Lord and so love others enough to bear the pain of helping them.

As Jesus became flesh through the power of the Holy Spirit, so the same Spirit shows us that Jesus is present today in his disciples, in the poor, the homeless, the sick and dying. Let us ask the Spirit to help us repent from selfishness to live a new life of love for God and our neighbor.

Tom Schmidt

26 de abril de 2026

La primera lectura de los Hechos de los Apóstoles toma lugar justo después de que los discípulos recibieran los dones del Espíritu Santo en Pentecostés. Pedro, el apóstol que había negado conocer a Jesús antes de su muerte, ahora se presenta y acusa a la multitud de haber matado a Jesús. Considerando que estaba en minoría, con tres mil personas en su contra, se requirió mucho valor. El Espíritu le dio el coraje para enfrentarse a esa multitud. Pero hizo más que simplemente enfrentarse a la gente. Les ofreció perdón y esperanza. Les pidió que se arrepintieran, pero no solo que profesaran un rechazo al pecado. Lo que llamamos arrepentimiento, en tiempos de Pedro, significaba un cambio de corazón, alejándose del pecado y dirigiéndose hacia una nueva forma de actuar o creer. Les ofreció el mismo don del Espíritu que él y los discípulos habían recibido. Como dice Pedro en la segunda lectura, "para que, muertos al pecado, vivamos para la justicia" (1 Pedro 2,24). Nosotros también podemos cambiar de corazón. Podemos alejarnos del egoísmo y comenzar a amar como Jesús. Podemos dejar de lado la ira y comenzar a perdonar. Podemos dejar de lado el miedo y proclamar la fe con valentía.

Pedro también nos muestra otro don del Espíritu: la capacidad de sufrir por hacer el bien. Eso también requiere mucho valor. Ya es bastante difícil sufrir por nuestros pecados; ¿quién quiere sufrir por hacer el bien? Sin embargo, eso es precisamente lo que Jesús hizo por nosotros. Es lo que todos los discípulos están llamados a hacer. Siguiendo el ejemplo de Jesús en la cruz, aceptamos el sufrimiento que nos llega. Puede ser el menosprecio por expresar nuestra fe, el dolor de perder a un ser querido o el dolor final de nuestra propia muerte. Aceptamos el dolor porque amamos al Señor y, por lo tanto, amamos a los demás lo suficiente como para soportar el dolor de ayudarlos.

Así como Jesús se hizo carne por el poder del Espíritu Santo, el mismo Espíritu nos muestra que Jesús está presente hoy en sus discípulos, en los pobres, los sin techo, los enfermos y los moribundos. Pidamos al Espíritu que nos ayude a arrepentirnos del egoísmo y a vivir una nueva vida de amor a Dios y al prójimo.

Tom Schmidt

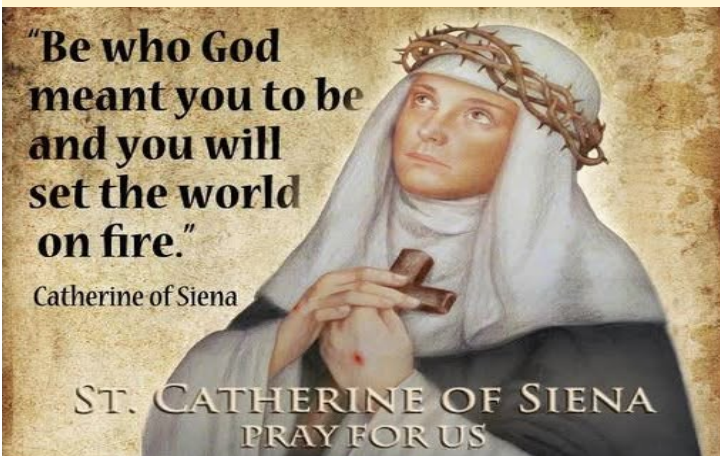
Thank you

To all our volunteers who dedicated their time and effort to make our silent auction a success, as well as everyone who attended, showed their support for our parish, and contributed through donations, we are truly grateful for your generosity and support.

**"Be who God
meant you to be
and you will
set the world
on fire."**

Catherine of Siena

**ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA
PRAY FOR US**



Mass Intentions

Monday, April 27 - 8:15 AM

+ Fred J. Schmidt III

Tuesday, April 28 - 8:15 AM

+ Kurt Knapp - Abdallah Family
- Birthday Blessings for Fr. John - SVDP

Wednesday, April 29 - 8:15 AM

+ Fred J. Schmidt III

Thursday, April 30 - 8:15 AM

+ Grace Lesperance - Family

Friday, May 1 - 8:15 AM

+ Fred J. Schmidt III
- Blessings for Jose Duran
- For the Conversion of Doroteo Mesa

Saturday, May 2 - 8:15 AM

- Birthday Blessings for Philippe Drouillord

Saturday, May 2 - 5:30 PM

- Blessings for Sister Guadalupe

Sunday, May 3

7:30 AM

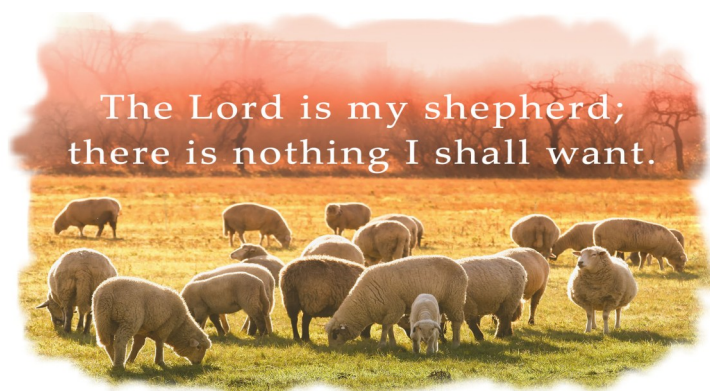
- Henry Araica - Family

11:00 AM

+ Lancy Pais - Family

1:00 PM

- Blessings for Doroteo Mesa and Family



The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.

*** WEEKLY SCHEDULE ***

Monday:

*Spanish Legion of Mary at 7:00 pm, Chapel.

Wednesday:

*English Legion of Mary at 5:00 pm, Chapel

*Spanish Bible Study at 7:30 pm, Chapel.

Thursday:

*Living Water Charismatic Prayer Group 7:00 pm, Music Room

*Cenáculo a la Virgen Maria 7:00 pm delante de la Iglesia

*Cursillos de Cristiandad 8:00 pm, Capilla

*English Bible Study (zoom only) at 7:30 pm.

Saturday: (Third Saturday only)

*Novena to our Lady of Peñafrancia 9:30 am.

Please Pray For The Sick

Tom Mosley	Fr. Quilligan	Gina Whelan
Ann Sullivan	Beckie Walsh Almodovar	Lester Pais
Larry Sweeney	Chris Romanik	Nikki Williams
Socra Antenor	Carmel Edouard	Annette Fanning
John Fernandez	Mary Ann Torelli	Martha Montalvan
Alexander Godinez	Mary De Crane	Janemarie Moore
Kayode Aremu	Henry Gockenbach	Cira Debenedetti
Antonia Rodriguez	Gladys Venturi	Carlos Puentes
Juan Carlos Frias Lizama	Adolfo Ayala	Martha Fanning-O'Connor
Nuria Finch	Patty Velasco	Ligia Sciarrillo
Alejandro Balma	Mimi Garcia Prieto	Carmen Mejia
Roger Cino	Debbie Starnes	Nick Tisi
Liana Cortada	Frida & Ken Ellis	Claudette Morison
Maria Yazmin Rodriguez	Chantal Virgille	Fernando Zavaleta
Dorothy Velasco	Chryl Richardson	Joan Vega

Divine Mercy Chaplet



With exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, May 1 at 7:00 PM



Rosario de la Aurora

Sabado, 2 de mayo a las 6:00 AM

All are welcome

PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

O Glorious Saint Joseph, model of all those who are devoted to labor, obtain for me the grace to work in a spirit of penance for the expiation of my many sins; to work conscientiously, putting the call of duty above my natural inclinations; to work with thankfulness and joy, considering it an honor to employ and develop by means of labor the gifts received from God; to work with order, peace, moderation, and patience, never shrinking from weariness and trials; to work above all with purity of intention and detachment from self, keeping unceasingly before my eyes death and the account that I must give of time lost, talents unused, good omitted, and vain complacency in success, so fatal to the work of God. All for Jesus, all through Mary, all after thy example, O Patriarch, Saint Joseph. Such shall be my watch-word in life and in death.



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Our weekly goal - \$5,000

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