MISSION STATEMENT
“As a family of many families, Holy Family Catholic Church nurtures our universal commitment to celebrate our faith, to love our families and to serve communities.”

DECLARACIÓN DE MISIÓN
“Como una familia de muchas familias, La Iglesia Católica de la Sagrada Familia nutre nuestro compromiso universal para celebrar nuestra fe, para amar a nuestras familias y para servir a las comunidades.”

MASS SCHEDULE
Monday–Friday .......... 8:00am
Saturday .................. 5:30pm
Sunday
Spanish (Chapel) ........ 8:00am
English ..................... 10:00am
Spanish ..................... 12:00pm

Children’s Liturgy is available during the Sunday 10:00am Mass.

BLESSSED SACRAMENT EXPOSITION
Holy Family Church
Friday ........... 9:00am - 5:00pm

SACRAMENTS
Baptism: A pre-baptismal class is required. Call the Parish Office for more information.
Marriage: Couples intending to marry should contact the Parish Office six (6) months prior to the marriage date to begin the process of paperwork and pre-marriage preparation classes.
Reconciliation: Saturdays at 4:00pm at the Church in Modesto.

HORARIO DE MISAS
Lunes–Viernes ............ 8:00am
Jueves (Capilla) ........... 6:00pm
Sábado (ingles) ............ 5:30pm
Domingo (Capilla) ........ 8:00am
Iglesia (ingles) ............ 10:00am
Iglesia (español) ........... 12:00pm

EXPOSICIÓN DE EL SANTISIMO
Iglesia de Modesto
Viernes ...... 9:00am - 5:00pm

SACRAMENTOS
Bautismo: Necesita una clase pre-bautismal. Favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial para mas información.
Matrimonio: Parejas que desean casarse deben llamar a la Oficina Parroquial seis (6) meses antes del día del matrimonio.
Reconciliación: Sábados a las 4:00pm en la Iglesia de Modesto.

PARISH OFFICE
Open Monday through Friday, from 9:00am until 5:00pm.
Phone # ................. (209) 545-3553
Fax #..................... (209) 545-3332
Email: holyfamilymo@yahoo.com
Website: holyfamilymodesto.org

Pastor:
Rev. Fr. Juan Serna S.T.L.

Hospital Chaplain (in residence):
Rev. Fr. Editho Mascardo

Deacon:
Rev. Mr. Felipe Vallejo

Holy Family Pastoral Staff
Parish Administrator
Ed Dyrda

Administrative Assistant
Vickie V. Gibson

Religious Education
Diana E. Jimenez

Celebración de Quinceañeras
La joven o los familiares deberán contactar la parroquia con un mínimo de nueve (9) meses para acordar una fecha según el calendario parroquial.
THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT—FAST AND ABSTINENCE NORMS

ABSTINENCE

The law of abstinence requires a Catholic 14 years of age until death to abstain from eating meat on Fridays in honor of the Passion of Christ on Good Friday. Meat is considered to be the flesh and organs of mammals and fowl. During Lent, abstinence from meat on Fridays is obligatory in the United States as elsewhere and it is sinful not to observe this discipline without a serious reason (physical labor, pregnancy, sickness, etc.).

FASTING

The law of fasting requires a Catholic from the 18th birthday [Cannon 97] to the 59th birthday [i.e. the beginning of the 60th year, a year which will be completed on the 60th birthday] to reduce the amount of food eaten from normal. The Church defines this as one meal a day and two smaller meals which if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity. Such fasting is obligatory on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

THOSE WHO ARE EXCUSED FROM FAST OR ABSTINENCE

Besides those outside the age limits, those of unsound mind, the sick, the frail, pregnant or nursing women according to need for meat or nourishment, manual laborers according to need, guests at a meal who cannot excuse themselves without giving great offense or causing enmity and other situations of moral or physical impossibility to observe the penitential discipline.

Pastoral Council

Jaime Padilla        Juan Magallan        Ed Dyrda
Tony Mordinoia      Chuck Banthos        Ann Tognetti
Roselia Vargas      Linda Graham        Debbie Garcia
Humberto Paniagua   Robin Reno          Jean Smith
Deacon Phil Vallejo

Finance Council

Victor Lopez        Steve Wallace        Ed Dyrda
Richard Peralta    Luis Jimenez         Ema Lopez
Rosy Jimenez       Carmella Smyth       Cesar Padilla
Jose Jimenez

We Need Easter Lilies & Spring Flowers

Donations are being accepted to purchase Easter Lilies and Spring Flowers to prepare the Church and the Salida Chapel for the celebration of Easter Sunday. Please take your contributions to the Parish Office.

NO FOOD DONATIONS!

We are no longer accepting Food Donations in the blue barrel. Thank you to everyone who generously donated on a regular basis or even just once in a while. Please pass the word our friends!!!

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“Pastor’s Weekend Message”

We are who we are because of what the Lord has done for us. He has given us the example as to what we should be and above all confidence because He is always with us. By the fact that we call ourselves "Christians", by it very name's nature, it pronounces our true identity. In meaning, call, purpose and identity, we have a huge responsibility to God's given name. So, to live for God according to his plan of salvation and to strive to live a life of holiness, one must involve the fullness of the Gospel: This means we must journey with Jesus, follow him to his passion, death and resurrection. The phrase, "there is no glory without the suffering and passion of the cross" takes deeper meaning when we pray, fast and give alms during this Lenten period. In order to prepare us for Holy Week, let us take then the meaning of being a "Christian" seriously and hold it with great pride.

Blessings,

Father Juan, Pastor

“Mensaje Pastoral del Parroco”

Somos lo que somos por todo lo bueno que el Señor ha hecho por nosotros. Él nos ha dado el ejemplo perfecto, y lo que debemos ser, pero también nos da la confianza que Él siempre estará con nosotros. Por el simple hecho que nos hacemos llamar "Cristianos", por su propia naturaleza, así solo, éste nombre pronuncia nuestra verdadera identidad. En significado, llamado, propósito, e identidad, nosotros tenemos una tremenda responsabilidad a este nombre dado por Dios. Así bien, el vivir por Dios, según su plan de salvación y en si vivir luchando en la vida por la santidad, involucra vivir el llamado del Evangelio: esto significa seguir a Jesús muy cerca, estar con Él en su pasión, muerte y resurrección. La frase, "no hay gloria sin sufrimiento y la pasión de la cruz", toma un significado profundo cuando oramos, ayunamos y donamos de lo nuestro durante la cuaresma. Así pues, para prepararnos bien para la Semana Santa, tomemos el ser "Cristianos" seriamente y también, poner este nombre el alto y con orgullo. Bendiciones,

Padre Juan, Párroco
Holy Family Ministry of Prayer, Healing and Hope
Please pray for the healing of our sick:
Por favor de orar por los enfermos:
Fifth Sunday of Lent

STATIONS OF THE CROSS (SOTC)
We will have Stations of the Cross every Friday of Lent. The English Stations of the Cross will begin at 6:00pm and the Spanish Stations of the Cross will begin at 7:00pm.

Recuerden que cada viernes hay el Vía Crucis a las 7:00pm en la Capilla y la Parroquia.

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES (7:00pm)
SERVICIOS DE PENITENCIA (7:00pm)
March 23………………St. Stanislaus (Modesto)
March 23………………All Saints(Turlock)
March 25………………..St. Jude’s (Ceres)

Exposicion del Santisimo Sacramento
Todos los viernes de 8:00am a 5:00pm.
Orad siempre en mi Presencia.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Friday from 8:00am until 5:00pm.
Pray always in my Presence.

PASSION OF CHRIST
Youth Strong invite you to their Passion Drama Performance on Tuesday, March 24th at 6:30pm in Modesto Church.
Although admission is free, donations will be accepted during the performance to support our Youth Strong Program.

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DÍA DE AM♥R A LA SAGRADA FAMILIA
El sábado, 28 de marzo, nuestra parroquia tendrá un proyecto de comunidad parroquial — Día de Amor a La Sagrada Familia. El objetivo es embellecer nuestra Parroquia y Capilla de Salida. Necesitamos la ayuda de todo el mundo. ¡Traiga a sus amigos! Vamos a empezar a las 8:00 de la mañana.

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