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.

BLESSED 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.

Pastor:
Rev. Fr. Juan Serna S.T.L.
Hospital Chaplain
Rev. Fr. Edwin Musico
Deacon:
Rev. Mr. Felipe Vallejo

Holy Family Pastoral Staff
Parish Administrator
Ed Dyrda
Administrative Assistant
Vickie V. Gibson
Religious Education
Roselia Vargas

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

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.
Lent is about Conversion: In the Gospel, we hear that All of us deserve a second chance (parable of the Prodigal Son or better titled the Merciful Father). God gives us that chance to “return to the Father’s house” (Luke 15:11-32). This journey home is always spiritual and we do it through prayer and charity to our neighbors. During the Year of Mercy, our Diocese will conduct many different Penance Services. Please come to Our Lady of Fatima Church on Thursday, March 10th, for the second of these Lenten confessions. Bishop Blaire and many priests will be there. Also this coming Thursday, the 3rd of March, Holy Family and the entire community will have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation at 6:30pm. There will be five priests. All confirmation students and their families are required to be at this Lenten Penance Service. Thank you for contributing towards our goal for the Bishop’s Ministry Appeal. Our cash and pledges total is $29,110.50. Your constant financial help is deeply appreciated. May God bless you for your sacrifices. Let us continue praying for one another. We give a warm welcome to all the new members of our Parish.

Blessings in the Lord, Fr. Juan, Pastor

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.

¡RIFA—RIFA—RIFA!

Los Guadalupanos están teniendo una rifa para recaudar fondos para la fiesta de la Virgen de Guadalupe. Primer premio: un cuadro de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, El costo es de $2.00 por boleto y la rifa se llevara a cabo el 6 de marzo, después de la misa de 12:00. Compre sus boletos para la rifa en la oficina parroquial.

GUADALUPANOS RAFFLE

Guadalupanos are having a raffle to raise funds for the celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe. 1st prize is a framed picture of our Lady of Guadalupe. Cost is $2.00 a ticket and the raffle will take place on March 6, after the 12:00pm Mass. You can buy your tickets in the Parish Office.

Lenten Penance Services

Servicios de Penitencia de Cuaresma

February 29th (6:30pm) - St. Mary’s (Oakdale)
March 3rd (6:30pm) - Holy Family Church
March 4th (7:00pm) - Sacred Heart (Turlock)
March 10th (7:00pm) - Our Lady of Fatima (Modesto)

Lenten Prayer before Meals

God of Mercy, your kindness abundantly overflows during this year. I thank you for all your blessings today. Help me live this Lent humbly knowing that you love me forever. Forgive my sins and lead me to true conversion. Strengthen my will to fight all evil.

This I ask in Jesus’ name. Amen

Oración para Bendecir los Alimentos

Dios Misericordioso, tu bondad abundantemente se desborda sobre nosotros durante este año. Hoy te agradeczo por todas tus bendiciones. Ayúdame a vivir esta cuaresma con humildad sabiendo que Tú me amas por siempre. Perdona mis pecados y guíame a una conversión verdadera. Fortalece mi voluntad para luchar contra el mal te lo pido en el nombre de Jesús. Amen
All bulletin requests must be submitted by the Tuesday before the weekend requested. All requests must be approved by Father. We reserve the right to edit any requests submitted for the bulletin.

Peticiones del boletín deben ser sometidas el martes antes de el fin de semana solicitada. Las peticiones tienen que ser aprobadas por el Padre. Reservamos el derecho de editar cualquier petición sometida.
Third Sunday of Lent

RETIRO PARA HOMBRES
Charlas, alabanzas, reflexiones y oraciones
sábado, 12 de marzo
8:00am - 4:00pm
Lugar: La Sagrada Familia - 4212 Dale Road en Modesto
Contribución: $10.00 (comida incluida)
Para más información: Víctor Martínez (209) 409-6455

2016 (BMA) Bishop’s Ministry Appeal
Holy Family Parish Goal: $33,234
Total Cash & Pledges: $29,111
We still need $4,123

2016 Petición Ministerial del Señor Obispo
Meta de la Sagrada Familia: $33,234
Total de promesas de contribuciones: $29,111
Todavía Necesitamos: $4,123

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER
Married Couples—Prepare for Easter in a special way this year. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will help you enjoy life with a new closeness to each other and God. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is July 16-18 in Manteca. For more information visit their website at: stocktonwwme.org or contact Angelica and John Angarita at: applications@stocktonwwme.org or (209) 691-0603.

FRIDAY NIGHT GUITARRISTAS
Do you want to learn how to play the guitar? If you would like to have FREE guitar lessons all you have to do is bring your guitar! If you are interested and can meet on Friday nights at 7pm or have any questions, please call Sandy at (209) 543-3740. GUITARRISTAS DE LOS VIERNES POR LA NOCHE están ofreciendo clases de guitarra gratis. Si le gustaría tomar clases de guitarra todo lo que tiene que hacer es tener una guitarra. El grupo se junta los viernes a las 7:00pm. Si tiene alguna pregunta por favor comuníquese con Sandy Gallardo al (209) 543-3740.

Diocesan Penance Services & Healing Masses (with Bishop Blaire) In this Year of Mercy we want to provide an abundance of opportunities for our Catholic people to experience the Mercy of God and to enter more deeply into the heart of the Gospel. We especially want those who have not journeyed with us for a while to be welcomed back home, to experience the joy of forgiveness and to celebrate returning to the LORD’S MERCY. The schedule for the diocesan wide healing Masses & penance services can be found under ‘Upcoming Events’ at: http://stocktondiocese.org/year-of-mercy-2.

Youth Passion Drama rehearsals have begun! We are looking for more youth to join in on the fun! Rehearsals are on Monday’s at 5:30pm in the Church. We are also looking for a few Mom's (or Dad’s) to help with the costumes! For more information, please contact Nicole Pursch at (209) 872-5997.

Living Mercy in the Jubilee Year of Mercy (Bible Study)
This Lent, Holy Family has formed small Bible Study groups to discuss the Year of Mercy Celebration. Come and join other Parishioners. There are still 4 sessions left and they take place on Sunday’s from 2:00-3:00pm, Tuesdays from 6:30-7:30pm and on Thursdays from 10:00-11:00am or 6:30-7:30pm. Call the Parish Office to join one of these bible study groups!

ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL MUNDIAL
El Fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial es un programa de 44 horas lejos de las distracciones de nuestra vida, impartida por un Sacerdote y tres parejas Católicas, donde se nos enseña una técnica nueva de comunicación. Es una experiencia para parejas buenas que quieran mejorar su relación y es una experiencia personal y privada entre Esposo y Esposa. Para más información, comuníquese con Javier ♥ Amelia Duran al (510) 875-9326 o (510) 410-7369.

St. Stanislaus Kindergarten Preview Night
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