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Second Sunday of Lent March 8, 2020

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 5:30pm Vigil Patagonia

8:00am Sonoita

10:30am Patagonia

Daily Mass

Tuesday – 5:30pm

Wednesday – Friday 9:00am

Confessions

Saturday – 4:00pm to 4:30pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Rest In Peace

† **Ramon Quiroga**

Our Lady of The Angels

Sunday March 8 -Non-perishable food collection for poor & needy.

Lent Season

Wednesday 9:00am Mass at Our Lady of The Angels only. Please note that there will be no Wednesday Mass at St. Therese Parish during lent. March 11, 18, 25 and April 1.

Stations of The Cross

Friday March 13, 2020

3:00 pm at Our Lady of The Angels, **6:00 pm** at St. Therese Parish

Penance Service

Thursday March 19, 2020

5:00 pm at St. Therese Parish

Poor & Needy Spaghetti Fundraiser Dinner

Saturday March 21, 4:00pm – 7:00pm, parish hall

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD said to Abram: All the families of the earth shall find blessing in you

(Genesis 12:1-4a)

Psalm — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

Second Reading — God has called us to a holy life, not because of our works but according to grace (2 Timothy 1:8b-10).

Gospel — Atop a high mountain, Jesus was transfigured before Peter, James, and John (Matthew 17:1-9).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

Prayer Request

Paco Moreno	Bob Bilodeau	Don Witt
Ruben Mendoza	Dr. Jesse	Art Pena
Virginia Fain	Cruz Quiroga	Delfina Madrid
Paul Mihalik, Sr.	Sadie G.	Amelia Barrios
Lucy Mihalik	Joseph Hann	
Pam D.	Waclaw Wolosik	
Steve Biddle	Pelagia Wolosik	
Walter Wolosik	Bill Swyers	
Nancy Swyers	John Swyers	

Week of 03/01/20	Patagonia	Sonoita	Total
Regular Offering	\$991.00	\$504.00	\$1,495.00
Goal			\$1,650.00
Over /Under Goal			\$(155.00)
2nd Collection- Black & Indian Missions	\$108.00	\$255.00	\$363.00

Upcoming 2nd Collections:	March 8- Parish Priest Salary March 15- Poor & Needy March 22- Catholic Relief Services March 29- Parish Priest Salary
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Parish Office Hours

Monday 11:00am – 1:00pm
 Tuesday 8:30am-12:30pm
 Wednesday 8:30am – 10:30am
 Thursday 8:30am – 12:30 pm
 Friday CLOSED

Mass Intentions
March 7, 5:30pm
Missa Pro Populo

Sunday March 8, 8:00am
 † Mary Letarte

Sunday March 8, 10:30 am
Missa Pro Populo

BINGO
MONDAY
MARCH 16, 2020
6:00PM

Sacramental Life

Baptism: Contact Parish Office one month prior to the desired date

Confirmation: Contact Parish Office for information and schedule

Marriage: Contact the Parish Office at least 6 months Prior to the desired date

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Lent;
Daylight Saving Time begins;
International Women's Day
Monday: St. Frances of Rome;
Purim (Jewish observance) begins at sunset
Friday: Abstinence

SAINT FRANCES OF ROME (1384-1440)

March 9

Nature and human nature—plagues and wars—turned late medieval Rome into a living hell, particularly for the sick and poor. Frances, by birth and marriage well provided for, was a devoted wife and mother; but like Benedictine Oblates, who to this day “pray and work” while living with their families and working in the world, she joined like-minded laywomen friends in ministering to society's most vulnerable. Frances' charity was not only “hands on” but “in home.” Her palace became a hospital after the plague claimed two of her three children. When her husband's death ended their loving marriage of forty years, Frances joined other widowed Oblates in community. In an interesting link to the United States, our nation's premier religious congregation for women of color, the Oblate Sisters of Providence, in 1833 established bonds of spiritual communion with these Oblates of Saint Frances in Rome. Though Black History Month is past, take a moment to learn about the good work that Mother Lange's spiritual daughters are doing still and consider supporting them as a Lenten project: www.oblatesisters.com.

SHARING

It's easy to halve the potato where there's love.
—Irish saying

THE HEAVIEST LOAD

A chip on the shoulder is the heaviest load anyone can carry.
—Anonymous

SPRING WEATHER

In the spring, I have counted 136 different kinds of weather inside of 24 hours.