**Call to Family, Community and Participation**

Catholic social teaching inspires and guides how we are to live and work in the world. In this principle, Call to Family, Community and Participation, we remember that human beings are social by nature—we need each other. We, like the early disciples, are called to come together and grow as a community—whether that community is in our classroom, workplace or family.

**Fourth Week of Lent—Encounter Andrise**

Andrise, who’s been a first-grade teacher at a small Catholic school for 11 years. It’s the same school she attended from first through sixth grade, in the community she calls home in northern Haiti.

Andrise says the opportunities at Notre Dame set the course for her life. But a lot has changed since she was a student. New teaching techniques and resources are changing how students learn—and how teachers teach. “We use poems, dances, songs—all sorts of activities to help the students improve their literacy,” she says.

And Catholic Relief Services—working with the Catholic Education Commission in Haiti—is leading the way. Every student receives a new workbook to practice their reading and writing. This is a big change from before, when students had to copy notes from the board. “Now, all the students are able to learn at the same time,” Andrise says. And she benefits too—from ongoing teacher training. Last year, the parish priest named her Teacher of the Year.

The new techniques are working: Andrise’s classroom is a high-energy place, and the students love school—and her. “They call me ‘my mother,’ and I call them ‘my son, my daughter,’” she says. “They’ve already promised that next year, when they’re in second grade, they’ll take time out of their recess to come and visit me.” For a teacher like Andrise, seeing the children grow not just as students, but as people, is the reason she goes to work each day.

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This Lent, become companions on the journey through daily prayer, weekly fasting and almsgiving that will change lives. With CRS Rice Bowl as our guide, we set out to encounter and love our neighbor.
Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life.

His Way is not the way of this world, but rather the Way of our Father in Heaven. We, too, may choose the path Jesus chose, although that path is certainly the one less traveled by people of our world. Therein lies the difference. Many in our society are “of” the world rather than simply “in” the world. Living in darkness rather than in the Light of the Gospel. “We are all called to act as God’s light in this darkening world.”

Our world offers so many enticements that we are told we need in our life and must have to be satisfied. But do we really need them? Do they truly satisfy for more than a short while? The truthful answer to both questions is most likely “no”.

Our Father in Heaven provides for all our needs. We may desire and wish for many things, but are they necessary for our overall health and well-being, especially our spiritual health and well-being? Probably not, if we are honest with ourselves.

Our life, lived in Christ, calls for simplicity which ultimately affords us freedom of heart, mind and soul. This simplicity, this freedom, provides an emptying of self that then allows us to “take in” God and thus love ONLY God on this earthly journey. He is ALL we need.

“Lent is a favorable time to intensify spiritual life: may the practice of fasting be of help to you, in order to acquire greater mastery of yourselves; may prayer be the means to entrust your lives to God and to feel him always nearby; may the works of mercy help you to live open to the needs of brothers and sisters.”

1Faith Under Fire by Matthew Archbold
2The Hope of Lent by Diane M. Houdek

~Carole Drake, Director
Stewardship and Engagement

Healing Mass ~ Healing Adoration
“Rest Awhile with God”
Saturday, March 17
8 - 11 am
offered by Father Dass in honor of SGCWG

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
We are one community nourished and transformed by the Eucharist.
As the body of Christ, we are led by the Holy Spirit to know, love and serve God and one another.

Somos una comunidad alimentada y transformada por la Eucaristía. Como cuerpo de Cristo, somos guíados por el Espíritu Santo, para conocer, amar y servir a Dios y unos a otros.
Pastor’s Message by Father Oscar Martin Picos
Fourth Sunday of Lent / Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma

Our Gospel today begins with Jesus’ reference to a prophetic event in the Old Testament, when God instructed Moses to make a bronze image of a serpent and mount it on a pole in the middle of the camp so that everyone who was bitten by a poisonous snake could look at it and recover (Num. 21, 4-9). With the passage of time, the image Moses made became an idol; King Hezekiah destroyed the bronze serpent because the people had begun to worship it (2 Kings 18,4).

In today’s Gospel, John recounts a prophetic parable of what was to occur with Jesus: just as Moses lifted up the bronze serpent in the desert so those bitten could behold it and save their lives, Jesus was to be lifted up on the Cross so everyone who believes in Him can have eternal life. Jesus is raised on the Cross and on the Ascension.

Many Christians do not seem to fully understand that the path to complete happiness includes suffering as well as joy. We resist the fact that suffering will be present in our lives. Perhaps this is why we are unable to find true happiness.

Christians are not masochists who embrace suffering. Instead, Christians know that all life has a dimension that we cannot avoid or ignore. Suffering has many faces, and only through Jesus, Who realizes the depth of our pain, can we find healing and grace.

Nuestro evangelio de hoy comienza con una extraña historia del Antiguo Testamento. Juan cita un suceso que podemos leer en Núm. 21,4-9. En esa escena Dios le dice a Moisés que haga una imagen de una serpiente y la pusiera en alto en medio del campamento, y los que la miraran se curarían. Con el paso del tiempo aquella imagen de la serpiente se convirtió en un ídolo y tuvieron que destruirla en tiempos del rey Ezequías, porque la gente había empezado a darle culto (2Re 18,4).

Juan tomó aquella vieja historia y la usó como una parábola profética de lo que había de suceder con Jesús. Era necesario que Jesús fuese levantado a lo alto para salvar al mundo. Para Jesús el camino de ser levantado era la cruz. En los evangelios se nos cuenta que Jesús es levantado en la cruz y en la ascensión...

Muchos cristianos no se resignan a entender esto. El camino hacia la felicidad plena pasa sin lugar a dudas por el sufrimiento en sus múltiples formas y maneras. Nos resistimos a que en nuestra vida esté presente el sufrimiento y por eso somos incapases de encontrar la felicidad verdadera.

Los cristianos no somos un club de masoquistas, ni mucho menos, somos quienes hemos descubierto que toda vida tiene una dimensión que no podemos evitar ni ignorar. El sufrimiento hoy tiene multitud de caras. Sólo Jesús es quien es capaz de descubrirnos la hondura de lo que nos duele y sanarla.
PARISH EVENTS

Monday
7:00 pm RCIA (English) Scanlan, FL2
7:00 pm Holy Hour Hurricane
10:30 am Everyday God Scanlan, FL2

Tuesday
9:00 am Marian Hour Kuzy
12-4 pm Bridge Group Kuzy
7:00 pm Neo Catechumenal Way Kuzy
7:00 pm CCD 3rd Grade, 1st & 2nd yr. Confirmation Scanlan FL2

First Tuesday
6:30 pm Women’s Group Kuzy
6:30 pm Knights of Columbus Kuzy, FL2

Second Tuesday
1:30 pm Mass at Veterans Home, Ivins 160N 200E

Wednesday
10:30 am Weekly Bible Study Scanlan, FL3
12:00 pm Bulletin Deadline (11 days prior to publication)
6:30 pm Holy Spirit Prayer Group Kuzy, FL2
7:00 pm Clases Bíblicas Scanlan, FL3
7:00 pm Holy Hour & Benediction

Thursday
9:00 am Way of the Cross of the Unborn Kuzy, FL2
7:00 pm Youth Group Kuzy, FL2

Second Thursday
1:30 pm Mass at Sterling Court, St. George 324N 1680E

Friday
7:00 pm Holy Hour, Spanish

First Friday
8:00 am Anointing of the Sick at Mass

Last Friday
8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration begins

Saturday
7:00 pm Neo Catechumenal Way Kuzy, FL2

First Saturday
8:00 am Mass in Honor of Our Lady Kuzy, FL2
9:15 am Walk for Life Bluff & 600S

After last Friday
6:00 am Eucharistic Adoration ends with Mass

First Weekend
At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection

Third Weekend
At all Masses - K of C Food Drive

Sunday
9:00 am CCD Scanlan, FL2
11:00am CCD Scanlan, FL2
5:00 pm Rosary

First Weekend
At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection

Third Weekend
At all Masses - K of C Food Drive

Mass Intentions
Saturday 3/10
5:00 pm  Alfred Jankus by Barbara Kent
5:00 pm Coach Ray Odette by Family
5:00 pm Ken Odette by Family
All military service personnel, living and deceased
7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo
Jose Guadalupe Acosta Santoyo

Sunday 3/11
9:00 am  Ron Derouin by Family
11:00 am Michelle—For Healing by Mother
1:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo

Monday 3/12
8:00 am Florence and Peter Hnath
Mike Neville

Tuesday 3/13
8:00 am Pallotta Family
Timothy Thalhammer by Family

Wednesday 3/14
8:00 am Anna and Steve Hnath

Thursday 3/15
8:00 am Dolores Pallotta
Michelle & Family by Mother
7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo

Friday 3/16
8:00 am Hnath Family—in Thanksgiving for the many blessing received

Coffee and donuts after the 9 and 11 am Masses
**LOOKING AHEAD**

Mar 11 Pieta Lenten Reflections, DSU, 2 pm  
Mar 13 Lenten Tuesdays through March 20  
Mar 13 SGCWG Monthly Luncheon  
Mar 13 Penance Services 6:30 pm  
Mar 17 “Healing Mass with Fr. Dass 8-11 am  
Mar 19 “Everyday God” Retreat  
Mar 24-25 SGCWG Bake sale—After All Masses  
Mar 30 Ecumenical Way of the Cross, 11 am  
Apr 9 Parish Blood Drive

**Weekly Collection Report**  
Collection (2/25)..............................................$ 11,467

**Capital Improvement Project (January)**  
Renovation and Improvement Fund .........$195,361  
Renovation Fund Collections .................$  4,252

**Lenten Tuesdays**  
A Journey in *Catholicism* with Bishop Robert Barron  
March 13 – 10:00 – 11:30 am  
Scanlan, FL2  
Week 4: *Word Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven*  
Focus/Discussion: The Mystery of the Liturgy and The Eucharist  
Facilitators: Billie Richardson, Carole Drake  
If you have any questions, or plan to attend, please call Billie at 801-971-5478.

**Ladies Luncheon**  
Tuesday, March 13, at 1 pm  
Harmons Santa Clara, 3520 Pioneer Parkway  
The Saint George Catholic Women’s Group invites all women of the parish to our monthly luncheon. Please join us for good food and friendly conversation. Reservations are not required. Just purchase your lunch at the salad bar or deli and join us at the tables upstairs. Children, husbands, friends and house guests are all welcome!

**Weekly Bible Study—Wednesdays 10:30 am**  
Scanlan FL3—San Juan Diego Room

**Scripture Readings Week of March 11**

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**Do You Have Little Free Time But Would Like To Help Your Church?**

Would you like to help your Church, but have very little free time? Join us to count the weekly collections.  
We meet at 7:45 am on Monday mornings in the Scanlan Center. Counting the collection is a group effort of 5 or more people and most Mondays we are finished in about 2 hours. We have teams established so that most volunteers have only a once-a-month commitment.  
Currently, we have a need for more volunteers on the 1st and 2nd Mondays of each month. In addition, we’d like to have an extra pool of 5 or more to cover months with 5 Mondays, or as substitutes for regular counters.  
If you are good at counting money or have a background in banking or retail, you are a perfect fit for counting – however experience is not necessary. If you would like to give it a try, contact Shari Gowers at 435-773-7402 or gowers725@gmail.com

**Bethlehem Wood**

Bethlehem Wood carving will be here at our Church on Saturday, March 10 and Sunday, March 11 to sell olive wood carving from the Holy Land. Proceeds will be used to support more than 600 Catholic and Christian families living in Bethlehem who face difficulties. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated.

**This Sunday’s second collection benefits Catholic Relief Services.**  
Thank you for your support.
Si tienes algún evento religioso para publicar por favor envíanos un email a sgcc.bulletin@gmail.com

Personal Reflections: A Visit to the Holy Land

Tim Kockler: This past January, the 5 of us had the incredible grace of visiting the Holy Land with Dr. Scott Hahn, Kim Hahn, and approximately 190 pilgrims from around the world. This was my second trip with Dr. Hahn, and I must say with my whole heart and soul, just as memorable. Upon my return, many people asked, "What was it like?" How does one begin to describe placing your hand on Calvary rock, kissing the stone where our Savior was prepared before burial, or visiting the tomb of Jesus Christ, in a way that the Holy Spirit moves the body and soul beyond imagination? There are simply no words to describe this spiritual experience, it is something that all must encounter on their own. We pray that all of you may one day visit the Holy Land.

Joe Reed: A pilgrimage to Israel, is it worth it? A little pricey perhaps. Is it a safe place to travel? Yes, it is worth it! I have been on many pilgrimages but this was the best one in my life, not one boring or dull moment. Costly? I received over a hundred times my monies worth. I felt safer than being in St George. The song goes, “Jerusalem, Jerusalem rebuilt again”. Well for me, Jesus was rebuilding me again. They talk about a personal encounter with Jesus; I had a personal experience with Jesus the entire time I was there. Would I go back again? If Jesus allows, I will be back in 2 years. It is a feast, truly an agape, on many levels.

Poncie Reed: My trip to the Holy Land was the most enriching experience in my lifetime. For me, the Bible is more alive now because of my trip to Israel. When we were in Galilee, I felt that God was telling me to bring Jerusalem wherever I go. I was scared because I felt that God was asking too much of me. As our bus was entering Jerusalem, I felt so excited, I cried, but joyful at the same time. I wanted to scream so loud. I did jump up and down praising God. I felt so blessed especially when, just a few hours before we headed back to the airport leaving Israel, Kim, Michelle, Joe and I were able to go back to the Holy Sepulcher Church and do the rosary. What a beautiful send off for us to go back here to St. George. Praise God.

Michelle Winterman: To experience the Holy Land was to enter into the bible. To discover the many places where Jesus touched, taught, perform miracles and changed the lives of many, including my own. I was in awe as I traveled to Nazareth, Cana, took a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, envisioned Jesus' great Sermon on the Mount of Beatitudes. We went to Mount Tabor where Jesus was Transfigured. We went to Bethlehem, Qumran, the Jordan River and floated in the Dead Sea. Then on to the Mt. of Olives, Gethsemane, and Mt. Zion. We walked the Way of the Cross and spent time at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher where we celebrated Mass. There were many other places we went and prayed, had Mass daily, and walked in Jesus' footsteps. Those 10 days were the most inspiring moments in my life.

Kim Jones: The Bible came to life as I walked in the footsteps of Christ. I saw the same mountains, rivers, flowers, rocks and trees that He saw, touched, smelled and heard. When I hear a gospel passage, I now can see it happening in my own eyes and hear it with my own ears. I saw the birthplace of Christ in Bethlehem, Garden of Gethsemane, Calvary, tomb of Christ, Mount of Beatitudes, Mount Tabor (site of the transfiguration), Qumran, and SO many other holy sites of our Lord. I even got to take a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, swim in the Dead Sea and ride a camel. This pilgrimage was such a blessing! I would encourage every Catholic to try and make this pilgrimage. It will draw you closer to Christ and bond you closer to your fellow pilgrims. Do NOT be afraid, it was very safe there!

~submitted by Tim Kockler

Knights of Columbus
Food Collection
Next weekend
We always need canned meats, cereal, pancake mix and syrup, cooking oil, and mayonnaise.

40 Cans for 40 Days
Please drop off your donations of canned food in the box at the Church foyer or at the Parish Office.

Caballeros de Colón
Recogida de Alimentos
el Próximo fin de Semana
Siempre necesitamos carnes enlatadas, cereales, mezcla para panqueques y jarabe, aceite de cocina y mayonesa.

La segunda colecta del próximo fin de semana será beneficio de los a Catholic Relief Services – favor de ser generosos.