Mass Schedule

Weekends
Saturday....5:00 pm; (7:00 pm, Spanish)
Sunday .....9:00 am, 11:00 am;
(1:00 pm, Spanish)

Weekdays
Monday - Friday 8:00 am; (7:00 pm Spanish) No Spanish evening Mass on the last Friday of each month.
First Saturday....8:00 am
Holy Day of Obligation Masses
8:00 am, 6:00 pm, 8:00 pm
Confession
Saturday ............3:30 - 4:45 pm
Sunday................ 7:30 - 8:30 am
Or by appointment
Baptism Preparation
English: Call 925-989-0510 to register
Spanish: 1st & 2nd Sat., 2:00 pm (Scanlan)
Baptism
English: 4th Saturday at 9:00 am
Spanish: 3rd Saturday at 9:00 am
Marriage Preparation
English: Contact the Parish Office
Spanish: Contact a Deacon
Anointing of the Sick
First Friday during 8:00 am Mass
Call Parish Office for home/hospital anointing
Eucharistic Adoration
Tuesday - Friday......9:00 am - 7:00 pm
Last Friday of the Month, 9:00 am to Saturday 6:00 am
Mission Churches Mass Schedule
Saint Paul’s - Hurricane (171 S. Main)
Mass........Every Sunday at 12:30 pm
San Pablo Mission - Beryl Junction
(721 S. Highway 18)
Mass........Every Saturday at 6:00 pm
Saint Christopher’s - Kanab
(39 West 200 South)
Mass..............Sunday at 9:00 am
Zion Park - Springdale (Canyon Community Center, 126 Lion Blvd.)
SCAP..............Sundays at 8:00 am
Palm Sunday through September 30
Church Office
157 North 200 West / PO Box 188
St. George, UT 84771
Ph:435-673-2604 / Fax:435-688-2704
Email: office@sgcatholics.com
Office Hours
Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Closed from 12 noon - 1:00 pm, M-F
Thomas Aquinas said “humility is truth”. We are told believing in God is to know these truths.

It is quite likely many in today’s society will question humility as truth. Humility is certainly not something often, if ever, embraced. A friend tells me she doesn’t ask God for the virtue of humility, because she knows He will give it to her. I always chuckle; He does have His ways of reaching and teaching us.

Other members of our society will say they do not believe in God; they identify themselves as non-Christians. What do they believe, or to what do they turn, or in what do they find solace, during times of distress or need?

Those who believe in God know God is truth and to live these truths is to live as both Jesus and His mother did, with an attitude of humility. It is a beautiful walk and way of life, although it can also be a lonely walk without companions on the journey. One must be strong and resilient.

“Humility is not thinking less of ourselves; it is thinking of ourselves less.” (C.S. Lewis) It is not about weakness.

Father Jonathan Morris points out that humility has more to do with living in the truth of who we are in relation to God and to others. Wealth or our status in life makes us no more important in God’s eyes that anyone else. God has created each of us uniquely in His image, according to His likeness, and for His purpose.

Saint Catherine of Siena heard the Lord once say to her, “Remember that I AM and you are not.” (Wise words for our day also!)

Everything we have is gift from God. He asks us share our gifts, our time, and our love with those we know and those we have not yet met. We glorify God as we carry out His commands.

Our Mother, gloriously honored God with her fiat when she received the Angel Gabriel’s invitation to be the mother of His Son. The Madonna of Humility, a name given Our Mother, is inspired by a style of painting depicting Mary seated on the floor and holding the infant Jesus.

“To grow in humility, we must be willing to take up the cross and pursue our God-given talents in service to others.” (Father Ed Dougherty, The Christophers, IMC, August 18, 2017) In what service to our brothers and sisters, are your talents being shared?

~Carole Drake
Pastoral Assistant and Community Outreach

Tomás de Aquino dijo "la humildad es la verdad". Se nos dice que creer en Dios es conocer estas verdades.

Es muy probable que muchos en la sociedad actual cuestionen la humildad como la verdad. La humildad ciertamente no es algo que se abraza a menudo, si es que se hace. Una amiga me dice que no le pide a Dios la virtud de la humildad, porque ella sabe que Él se la dará. Siempre me rio entre dientes; Él tiene Sus formas de alcanzarnos y enseñarnos.

Otros miembros de nuestra sociedad dirán que no creen en Dios; se identifican como no cristianos. ¿En qué creen, a qué recurren, o en qué encuentran consuelo, en momentos de angustia o necesidad?

Los que creen en Dios saben que Dios es la verdad y vivir estas verdades es vivir como lo hicieron Jesús y su madre, con una actitud de humildad. Es un hermoso paseo y forma de vida, aunque también puede ser un paseo solitario sin acompañantes en el viaje. Uno debe ser fuerte y resistente.

“La humildad no es pensar menos en nosotros mismos; es pensar menos en nosotros mismos”. (C.S. Lewis) No se trata de debilidad.

El Padre Jonathan Morris señala que la humildad tiene más que ver con vivir en la verdad de quiénes somos en relación con Dios y con los demás. La riqueza o nuestro estado en la vida no nos hacen más importantes a los ojos de Dios que cualquier otra persona. Dios nos ha creado a cada uno de nosotros de manera única a su imagen, de acuerdo con su semejanza y para su propósito.

Santa Catalina de Siena escuchó una vez que el Señor le dijo: "Recuerda que YO SOY y tú no". (¡Palabras sabias para nuestro día también!)

Todo lo que tenemos es un regalo de Dios. Él pide que compartamos nuestros dones, nuestro tiempo y nuestro amor con aquellos que conocemos y aquellos que aún no hemos conocido. Glorificamos a Dios mientras llevamos a cabo sus mandamientos.

Nuestra Madre homró gloriosamente a Dios con su aprueba cuando recibió la invitación del Ángel Gabriel para ser la madre de Su Hijo. La Virgen de la Humildad, un nombre dado a Nuestra Madre, está inspirada en un estilo de pintura que representa a María sentada en el piso y sosteniendo al niño Jesús.

“Para crecer en humildad, debemos estar dispuestos a tomar la cruz y perseguir nuestros talentos dados por Dios al servicio de los demás” (Father Ed Dougherty, The Christophers, IMC, 18 de agosto de 2017) ¿En qué servicio a nuestros hermanos y hermanas se comparten tus talentos?
She kept to herself because she was painfully shy and awkward. Although she was intelligent and pretty, heaven help the random student who wanted to sit next to her in class. Her initial response was one of disbelief mixed with anger which made for a testy exchange. Slowly, and after many false starts, this same student began to change. She actually joined a club and replaced her hostile and fearful stare with the same kind of small, nervous laugh common to many of her peers.

The extreme shyness this student eventually overcame was home to many anxieties. They formed a wall between her and others. In various ways some of the People of God suffer from situations which form walls between them and the Lord. A horrible loss, an unexpected illness, or a tragic event in their lives may fill them with anger and worry. Both of these emotions seek to spread beyond the loss or illness and infect other parts of life. If these feelings are successful, they gradually color how the sufferers of anger and anxiety respond to the call to follow Christ. Suspicion and doubt become an easier response to the people and activities in the community as well as in the church.

Sufferers of anxiety and anger may well have great faith. Quite a few of them continue to heed the call to follow Christ, but it is difficult. Slowly, and after many false starts, such people who struggle greatly begin to realize that anger and anxiety are the real enemies and that they have caused a one-sided interpretation of God and the Word of God. Gradually light begins to shine. In the words of this weekend’s second reading: “You have not approached that which could be touched and a blazing fire and gloomy darkness and storm and a trumpet blast and a voice speaking words such that those who heard begged that no message be further addressed to them.” Instead, “you have approached Mount Zion and the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and countless angels in festal gathering, and the assembly of the firstborn enrolled in heaven … and Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and the sprinkled blood that speaks more eloquently than that of Abel.” Catholicism is fundamentally a joyful way of life.

Ella se mantuvo consigo misma porque era dolorosamente tímida e incómoda. Aunque era inteligente y bonita, que el cielo ayude al estudiante que se sentara a su lado en clase. Su respuesta inicial fue una de incredulidad mezclada con ira resultando en un intercambio irritante. Poco a poco, y después de muchos comienzos falsos, esta misma estudiante comenzó a cambiar. En realidad se unió a un club y reemplazó su mirada hostil y temerosa. Con el mismo tipo de media sonrisa y nerviosa como de todos los demás compañeros.

La timidez extrema que esta estudiana finalmente superó fue a dicha de muchas ansiedades. Estos forman un muro entre ella y los demás. De varias maneras, algunas personas del Pueblo de Dios sufren de situaciones que forman muros entre ellos y el Señor. Una pérdida horrible, una enfermedad inesperada o un evento trágico en sus vidas pueden llenarlos de ira y nerviosismo. Ambas emociones buscan extenderse más allá de la pérdida o enfermedad e infectar otras partes de la vida. Si estos sentimientos tienen éxito, gradualmente colorean cómo los que sufren de ira y ansiedad responden al llamado a seguir a Cristo. La sospecha y la duda viene siendo una reacción más fácil para las personas y actividades en la comunidad, así como en la iglesia.

Las víctimas de ansiedad y enojo bien pueden tener una gran fe. Muchos de ellos siguen prestando atención El llamado a seguir a Cristo, pero es difícil. Poco a poco, y después de muchos comienzos falsos, esas personas que luchan comienzan a darse cuenta en gran medida de que la ira y la ansiedad son los verdaderos enemigos y que han causado una interpretación unilateral de Dios y la Palabra de Dios. Poco a poco la luz comienza a brillar. En palabras de esto la Segunda lectura del fin de semana: "No se han acercado a lo que podría ser tocado, a un fuego abrasador, a una oscuridad sombría y a una tormenta, a un sonido de trompeta y a una voz que habla palabras de tal manera que aquellos que escucharon suplicaron que ningún mensaje fuera dirigido a ellos". "Te has acercado al Monte Sión y la ciudad del Dios viviente, la Jerusalén celestial, e incontables ángeles en una reunión festiva, y la asamblea de los primogénitos inscritos en el cielo... y Jesús, el mediador de un nuevo pacto, y la sangre rociada que habla más elocuentemente que la de Abel". El catolicismo es fundamentalmente un estilo de vida alegre.

**“Everyday God” Retreat**  
**Monday, September 30**  
10:00 am - 12 noon  
Scanlan, FL2  
All Are Welcome  
Please Join Us
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| 10:00 am Everyday God (September 30) Scanlan, FL2 | 5:00 pm †Alfred Jankus
All military service personnel, living and deceased |
| 7:00 pm RCIA (September 9) Scanlan, FL2 | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| 3:30 pm Holy Rosary—please join us Hurricane | **Sunday 9/1** |
| **Tuesday** | 9:00 am Generational Healing of All Families |
| 9:00 am Marian Hour - Our Lady of Peace | 11:00 am The Folkes Family
† Ryan Folkes
† Helen Desanto by Niece |
| 12-4 pm Bridge Group | 1:00 pm (Spanish) Arturo & Mariangela - For Blessing on Their Married Life |
| 7:00 pm Neo Catechumenal Way | **Monday 9/2** |
| 6:00 pm CCD Scanlan | 8:00 am †Anna & Steve Hnath by Kathleen Hnath
Joyce Cosentino by Carole |
| **First Tuesday** | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| 6:30 pm Women’s Group (Sept-June) | **Tuesday 9/3** |
| 6:30 pm Knights of Columbus (Sept-June ) | 8:00 am Marty Lynch by Joyce Cosentino |
| **Second Tuesday** | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| 1:00 pm Women’s Group Lunch at Harmons Santa Clara | **Wednesday 9/4** |
| **Wednesday** | 8:00 am †Nancy White by Husband |
| 12:00 pm Bulletin Deadline (11 days prior to publication date) | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| 6:30 pm Holy Spirit Prayer Group Scanlan, FL2 | **Thursday 9/5** |
| 7:00 pm Holy Hour of Reparation | 8:00 am †Robert Kowalski by Karen |
| 7:00 pm Clases Bíblicas Scanlan, FL3 | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| **Thursday** | **Friday 9/6** |
| 9:00 am Prayers for the Unborn | 8:00 am All Souls by Cy & Margaret |
| 6:00 pm CCD Scanlan | 7:00 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo |
| **Second Thursday** | **Remembering our Deceased Loved Ones** |
| 1:30 pm Mass at Sterling Court, St. George 324N 1680E | Transitioning remembrance of our deceased loved ones from the Sanctuary Candle to our Blessed Mother is nearly complete. The lamp whose candle will burn perpetually near Our Mother’s statue in the church, Our Lady of Grace, will be installed in early September. Thank you for your continued patience during the transition period. |
| 6:30 pm 4th Degree K of C | **First Weekend** |
| **Friday** | At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection |
| 7:00 pm Holy Hour, Spanish | **Third Weekend** |
| **First Friday** | At all Masses - K of C Food Drive |
| 8:00 am Anointing of the Sick at Mass | **Sunday** |
| **Last Friday** | 9:00 am CCD Scanlan |
| 9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration begins | 11:00 am CCD Scanlan |
| **Saturday** | 5:00 pm Rosary |
| 7:00 pm Neo Catechumenal Way | **First Weekend** |
| **First Saturday** | At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection |
| 8:00 am Mass in Honor of Our Lady | **Third Weekend** |
| 9:30 am Walk for Life Bluff & 600S | At all Masses - K of C Food Drive |
| **After last Friday** | **First Weekend** |
| 6:00 am Eucharistic Adoration ends with Mass | At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection |
| **First Weekend** | **Third Weekend** |
| At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection | At all Masses - K of C Food Drive |

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LOOKING AHEAD
Sept 1 Kuzy Hall closes for renovation
Sept 2 Labor Day—Parish Office Closed
Sept 9 RCIA begins, Scanlan, FL2
Sept 14 Cursillo Ultreya, 3 pm, Scanlan, FL2
Sept 21 Taste of Carmel: Orientation for New Participants, 2:30 pm, Scanlan, FL2
Sept 28 Taste of Carmel: Carmelite Spirituality Group, 2:30 pm, Scanlan, FL2
Sept 30 “Everyday God” begins, Scanlan, FL2
Oct 4 Save the Date—Parish Blood Drive

Mass In Honor of Our Lady
Join fellow parishioners at Mass in Honor of Our Lady at 8:00 am, on the first Saturday, September 7

Misa en Honor a Nuestra Señora
Únase con sus feligreses a la misa en Honor a Nuestra Señora a las 8:00 am, el primer sábado, 7 de septiembre

Happy birthday to Father Dare and Deacon Tellez. Father Dare celebrates his birthday this week and Deacon Tellez celebrated a few weeks ago. May God grant them many healthy years.

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 guiados por el Espíritu Santo para conocer, amar y servir a Dios y unos a otros.

Weekly Collection Report
Collection (8/18) ........................................... $ 14,554
Capital Improvement Project (July)
Renovation and Improvement Fund...........$ 400,346
Restricted Fund—Kuzy Hall Pledges $ 56,061
Renovation Fund Collections ................. $ 4,489

Next weekend’s second collection benefits the Saint George Catholic Church Renovation Projects
If you have Building Fund envelopes, you may use them for this collection. You may also contribute to the Renovation Projects fund through our online giving.

Announcements...
- Mary Hogan is a newer member of the parish and she is an accomplished spiritual director. She is willing to offer spiritual direction sessions to members of the parish. For more information, please call Father Dave at the parish office.
- A free parenting class will be offered weekly by SwitchPoint from September 5 to November 21. This course is for families with children ages 7-17 and child care is available. For more information or to register, please call 435-628-9310 ext. 113.

Parishioners are invited to attend the Mass in Honor of Our Lady on the first Saturday of September.

Parishioners are invited to participate in the upcoming events and activities.

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MINISTRY DIRECTORY
Rectory.................673-7354
Pastor.................. Rev. David Bittmenn
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Deacons
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Baptismal Preparation Registration (English)
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Newman Catholic Club
Veronica Gonzales, President: veronica.gonzales@dmail.dixie.edu
Maintenance........Call Office (673-2604)
Thank You For Conserving Church Resources
The paper, ink, and time involved in producing and stuffing bulletin inserts impacts church resources. To help conserve, we are asking all groups to please be responsible for their own bulletin inserts. Even better, use the church bulletin itself to promote your event! Thanks to advertisers, the church bulletin is free to our parish—and the bulletin cover is often available.

Pro-Life “Walk for Life”
First Saturday, September 7
The Pro-Life Ministry’s monthly “Walk for Life” is Saturday, September 7 from 9:30 to 11:30 am, at the corner of Bluff Street and 600 South.
What a great opportunity to offer up a sacrifice for the cleansing of the Church and at the same time for the protection of the tiny babies in the womb.
If you can’t stand, bring a folding chair. If you can't stay for 2 hours, invite a friend to take your place when you leave. We need a good turnout. Please come and remember to bring your Rosary. All for Jesus, Amen!

La Tienda de Artículos Regalos
La Tienda de Regalos estará CERRADA el fin de semana del Día del Trabajo y ABRIRÁ de lunes a viernes a partir del martes 3 de septiembre de 10 am a 2 pm
Ven a ver la variedad de artículos disponibles: aretes, cadenas, pulseras de Rosario, Rosarios, libros de oraciones, libros infantiles, tarjetas sagradas, medallas y mucho más. También tenemos artículos en liquidación y artículos donados.
La Tienda de Regalos se encuentra en la esquina suroeste del vestíbulo de la iglesia. Horario: martes - viernes 10 am - 2 pm y después de las Misas del fin de semana.
Contacto: Sharon Rawlins 435-688-1948

Parish Gift Shop
The Gift Shop will be CLOSED Labor Day weekend and REOPEN on weekdays starting Tuesday, September 3rd from 10 am - 2 pm.
Come in to see the variety of items available: Earrings, pendants, rosary bracelets, rosaries, prayer books, children's books, holy cards, medals and so much more. We also have items on clearance and donated items.
The Gift Shop is located in the southwest corner of the vestibule of the church. Hours: Tuesday - Friday 10 am - 2 pm and after the weekend Masses.
Contact: Sharon Rawlins 435-688-1948

Feliz cumpleaños al Padre Dare y al Diácono Tellez. El padre Dare celebra su cumpleaños esta semana y el diácono ellez lo celebró hace unas semanas. Que Dios les conceda muchos años saludables.

Scripture Readings for the Week of September 1

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11 [cf. 11b]/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14
Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17 [1]/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33