March 5, 2017

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Richard Roman, Grand Knight 249-0022

Schedule of Masses

Susanville
Mon ~ Tues ~ and Friday ........ 8:00 AM
Thursday ....................... 6:00 PM
Saturday Vigil ................. .5:30 PM
Sunday ......................... 8:00AM & 11:00AM
Santa Misa (Spanish Mass) ... .5:00 PM
Holy Days ..................... 7:00AM & 5:30PM

Herlong
Sierra Army Depot Chapel:
Saturday .......................... 3:00PM
Holy Days ....................... 11:30AM

Nursing Facilities and High Desert
Eagle Lake Village - 2nd Friday . 11:00 AM
Lassen Nursing Rehab - 3rd Friday. 10:30AM
Hi. Desert State Prison - 4th Friday. 9 - 1 PM

Reconciliation
Susanville ............Saturday 9:30 ~ 10:30AM
Herlong .....................Before Mass
*or by appointment

Baptisms/Quinceañeras/Funerals
Call the Rectory Office at (530) 257-3230
Or Diane Plaster at 253-3604.

Marriages
There is a 6-month Marriage Preparation.
Call the office at (530) 257-3230 for more information.

Mass Intentions for the Week of Mar. 4 - 12

First Sunday of Lent

Herlong
Saturday, 03/04 3:00 pm For Our Men and
Women in the Military

Susanville
Saturday, 03/04 5:30 pm + Liz Gregory
By The Thomas Family
Sunday, 03/05 8:00 am Parishioners of Sacred Heart
11:00 am S.I. For the Youth of our Parish
5:00 pm Para La Comunidad Hispana
Monday, 03/07 8:00 am For the sick of our Parish
Tuesday, 03/08 8:00 am + Jacob Pitt
By Joni Pitt
Thursday, 03/09 8:00 am S.I. Anthony Thomas
The Thomas Family

*NO 6pm Mass

Friday, 03/10
*NO Mass or Exposition and Adoration of
The Blessed Sacrament or
Benediction

* Father Arbel in Sacramento for his immigration meeting.
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Second Sunday of Lent

Herlong
Saturday, 03/11 3:00 pm For vocations to the priesthood
And religious life

Susanville
Saturday, 03/11 5:30 pm S.I. Anthony Thomas
By the Tynans
Sunday, 03/12 8:00 am Parishioners of Sacred Heart
11:00 am + Juanita Binkley
By the Binkley Family
5:00 pm Para La Comunidad Hispana

Parish Ministries

Altar Society, Caring & Sharing, Catholic Crafters,
Knights of Columbus, Music Ministry, Respect Life,
Sacred Heart Auxiliary, Sick & Homebound
First Sunday of Lent
March 5, 2017

Today's Readings:
- Genesis 2:7-8; 3:1-7
- Psalm 51:3-6, 12-13, 17
- Romans 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19
- Matthew 4:1-11

03/04 St. Casimir
03/07 Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs
03/08 St. John of God, Religious
03/09 Sr. Frances of Rome, Religious

Order of the Mass #140
Gloria #146
Profession of Faith #148

WELCOME TO OUR SACRED HEART CHURCH! To all who celebrate with us, whether longtime residents or newly arrived in the Parish, we thank God for you. To register, please visit or call our office at 257-3230 between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, or e-mail us at secretaryshpsusanville@gmail.com.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS FOR: February 25th & 26th: Sunday Offertory: $2,462.00 - All Saints: $5.00
- Poor Box: $47.00 - Votive Candles: $71.00 - Mass Stipends: $60.00 - Funerals: $160.00
- Herlong Rent: $10.00 - Unrestricted Gifts: $20.00 - Retirement for Religious: $100.00 - Caring & Sharing $160.00
- BUILDING MAINTENANCE & REPAIR: $3,282.00 - GRAND TOTAL: $6,377.00

Thank you! May your loving offerings be greatly rewarded!
The donation for devotion candles is 1/$3.00 and 2/$5.00 - Thank You!

Pray for the sick & homebound in our parish especially:
Johnny & Nomma Garate
Rita Wilczynski
Jerry & Dollie Douglass
Melissa Barnetche
Manuela Delgado
Jane Barakat
Michael Schmidt
Dorothy Schuisler
Matthew O'Suna
Richard Bendix
Anthony Thomas
Dan Gustafson
Don Allison
Bebe & Abigail Martinez
Gina Rogers
Mary Giacomelli
Bill Swingle
Cheryl McDonald
Mary Lee Fruehan
Rachel Delgado
Autumn Wilkenson

Please notify the office when a name may be added or taken off the prayer list.

2017

March
- First Friday of the month and all
- Fridays of Lent Adoration after 8 am Mass
- Benediction @ 6:50 pm
- Stations of the Cross @ 7 pm
- Estaciones de la Cruz @ 7:30 pm

18 ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER - CENTENNIAL

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays by 11a.m.

Religious Education News
RCIA meets at 9 am every Sunday in the Park House (behind the Church park)
March 5th – RCIA Classes
March 12th – RCIA Classes
Please call the Church office at 257-3230 or any member of the RCIA team listed on the front of the bulletin.

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Religious Education Classes
Kindergarten through High School
March 5th – CCD Classes
March 12th – CCD Classes

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Attention Parents:
Parents of First Holy Communicants and Confirmandis: It is important that your child be present at ALL classes through May. If they are unable, please talk to the teacher ASAP.

Children’s Choir Practice from 9-9:30 am before CCD classes in the Hall in preparation for the next Children’s Mass on the first Sunday of the month at 8 pm Mass.

Please check the Religious Education Bulletin Board in the vestibule for registration forms and calendars.

Infant Baptism Classes for Parents and Godparents
Please contact Diane plaster at 253-3604 or email dpplaster@frontier.com to schedule classes and Baptisms

Bautismos para niños: Llaman a la oficina los Lunes, Martes o Jueves entre 9-1 pm, 257-3230.

Attention Altar Servers
If you would like to assist during Stations of the Cross on Fridays of Lent, please put your name on the sign-up sheet in the vestibule. Your duties will include benediction at 6:50 pm. Please be at Church by 6:40 pm to get ready.

YG Leader: Marilyn Struthers 249-3564
Visit us on Facebook and Instagram too!
www.facebook.com/sacredheartyouthgroupministry
Instagram shyg2015

Keep Calm
And Love Jesus

Let’s strive and strive to make you more like your Holy Family.
**Sacred Heart Parish Weekly News Bulletin**

**First Friday, Adoration & Benediction**
The First Friday of the month and all Fridays of Lent, Following the 8:00 am Mass we will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction before Stations of the Cross. Come and spend some quiet time in adoration with Our Lord, or better yet, commit to one holy hour.

**Primer Viernes, Adoración y Bendición**
El primer viernes del mes y todos los viernes durante la cuaresma, después de la Misa de 8am, habrá exposición del Santísimo Sacramento terminando con Bendición antes de empezar las estaciones de la cruz. Venga a pasar un rato tranquilo en adoración con nuestro Señor a mejor aún, comprométase a una hora santa.

**Attention: Knights of Columbus**
All Knights of Columbus and volunteers that act as chaperones or are involved in activities where they are interacting with youth are required to take the on-line Diocesan Course “Protect the Vulnerable” and be fingerprinted.

If enough volunteers and/or Knights are interested, arrangements can be made to have the Diocese Coordinator come here with the person who does the fingerprint scan. Time is of importance.

Contact Richard at 249-0022 or 257-2274 and leave a message.

**St. Patrick’s Dinner**—There will be an organizational meeting at 6:00pm in the Hall, Monday, March 6th, in preparation for the upcoming St. Patrick’s Dinner. If you are interested in helping out please feel free to attend.

**Annual Catholic Appeal 2017**
Thank you to those who have already made a one-time or an ongoing donation to the 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal. Your gift will make a difference in someone’s life. If you have not yet made a donation, it’s not too late! Envelopes are still available in the church or in the parish office. Don’t forget…25% of what you give is returned to our parish to assist people in our community who need help.

**El Llamado Católico Anual 2017**
Gracias a todos los que han contribuido al Llamado Católico Anual. Su donación hace la diferencia en la vida de muchas personas. Si no ha contribuido, no es muy tarde, todavía hay sobres en la iglesia y en la oficina. Recuerde que el 25% de su donativo regresa a nuestra parroquia para ayudar a personas necesitadas en nuestra comunidad.

**SCHOLARSHIPS**
The Sacred Heart Auxiliary is offering scholarships to graduating high school seniors who will attend college in the fall of 2017 and are practicing members of Sacred Heart Catholic church. Applications may be picked up in the vestibule of the church or at Lassen High School Counseling Office. All documents must be returned no later than 1:00pm on May 2nd, 2017 to Sacred Heart Church Office OR postmarked by May 2nd, 2017.

The Knights of Columbus will be offering up to five (5) $1,000 Scholarships this year. Contact the Lassen H.S. Counselor’s Office for further information.

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**Lent (Mar. 1 - Apr. 15)**
Lent prepares the faithful to celebrate the Paschal Mystery of Christ’s suffering, death and resurrection. It is a time for reflection and spiritual renewal, a time to examine one’s relationships with God and with others. The Church also calls Catholics to a spirit of penance, above all to practice the “Acts of Religion”: fasting, praying and almsgiving, “which express conversion in relation to oneself, to God, and to others.” (Catechism of the Catholic church, nos. 1249-1253)

**Fast and Abstinence (Self-Denial)**
To foster the spirit of penance and of reparation for sin, to encourage self-denial, and to guide us in the footsteps of Jesus, Church law requires the observance of fast and abstinence (CCC nos. 1249-1253).

1. **Abstinence**: All persons 14 years and older, are obliged to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent.

2. **Fasting**: Everyone from ages 18-59, is obliged to fast and abstain on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Voluntary fasting on other weekdays of Lent, especially Wednesdays and Fridays, is highly recommended. Fasting is generally understood to mean one full meal may be eaten to maintain sufficient strength but together should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed. Other forms of fasting, especially from alcoholic beverages, needless television, video games, internet, and social entertainment is of true spiritual value and strongly encouraged.

If you take medications for serious, continuous illnesses, then you are not bound by any of the disciplines during Lent. However, if you wish to abstain from meat during Lent, you may receive full approval from your physician.

**Stations of the Cross**
Stations of the Cross will be held all Fridays of Lent at 7:00 pm after Adoration and Benediction.

**Las Estaciones de la Cruz**
Las Estaciones de la Cruz serán cada Viernes de Cuaresma a las 7:30 pm después de las Estaciones en inglés.

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**Notice**
Next Thursday, March 9th, Mass will be at 8:00 am. There will be NO 6:00PM evening Mass.

Next Friday, March 10th there will be NO Mass, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament or Benediction. However, we will have the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm.

This is due to Fr. having to go to Sacramento for his immigration meeting.

Pray for Vocations to the Priesthood
And Religious Life.