February : Month of the Passion of Our Lord

Weekday Masses—Mon-Fri 8:00 am
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 5:15pm
Sunday 9:00 am &11:00am (Bilingual)
Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer
Mon-Fri 7:30 am
Parish Office: Monday — Thursday 10:00 am to Noon; 1:00 to 4:00 pm — Friday 9:30 am to Noon

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A New Beginning
Coming Soon, With Your Support and Prayers

Let's Build It!
Father Fred's Corner

February 1st, 2020

Dear Parishioners, I am glad that another month has come. I wish all of you happy month. Let's prepare to celebrate the Valentine's Day with great affection for one another. God gave us the greatest Valentine gift with His Son, Jesus Christ. Carefully calculate John 3:16 and you will see that the word Valentine is hidden in there.

Our construction is becoming a reality very soon. I thank the workers under Jackson Construction and all those who are sacrificing their time, talents and money to help us finish our Church construction.

May God bless you all. We are waiting for the day to put the steeple on our Church building and as soon as the time is available I will notify you all, so that you can be part of it. Until then stay tuned for all updates. God bless you all.

Fr. Frederick K.A. Kutulebi

Parishioner Registration

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New Registration  Change in Information  Other Adult(s)  Date
Head of Household  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
Children’s Names and Genders  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
Mailing Address  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
City  ZIP  City  ZIP
Home Telephone  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
Cell Phone (Whose?)  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
Family E-mail  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
Ministries of Interest  Other Adult(s)  Other Adult(s)
February 22 & 23 (Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time)

First - Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18: Be holy, take no revenge or grudge, and love your neighbor, says the Lord.
Psalm 103: The Lord is kind and merciful.
Second - 1 Corinthians 3:16-23: You are the temple of God and God's Spirit dwells in you.
Gospel - Matthew 5:38-48: "An eye for an eye" and "hate your enemy" are the old law, not the way of Jesus.

February 29 & March 1 (First Sunday of Lent)

First - Genesis: God made man and woman, and they were tempted by the serpent in the garden.
Psalm 51: Be merciful, O God, for we have sinned.
Second - Romans 5:12-19: Sin and death came through man, but they were overcome by the obedience of Jesus Christ.
**Viva il Papa (Long Live the Pope)**

Pope Francis (the first pope out of 266 Supreme Pontiffs in the history of the Church to choose the name Francis) was born Jorge Mario Bergoglio in Buenos Aires, Argentina, on December 17, 1936. After his studies in the novitiate and seminary, he was ordained as a Jesuit priest in 1960. He was ordained bishop in 1998 and was elevated to cardinal by Pope John Paul II in 2001. Following the resignation of Pope Benedict XVI (who had succeeded JP II) on February 28, 2013, a papal conclave elected Bergoglio as his successor on March 13, 2013.

The new pope chose Francis as his papal name in honor of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of the environment and animals, and advocate for the poor and impoverished. This choice reflects the pope’s commitment to protecting the environment, speaking against consumerism, and trying to eliminate poverty through direct pastoral work.

Francis is the first Jesuit pope, the first pope from the Americas, the first from the Southern Hemisphere, and the first pope from outside Europe since Gregory III, who reigned in the 8th century. A lot of firsts!

In his apostolic exhortation *Evangelii Gaudium* (News of Joy), Pope Francis declared: “I prefer a Church which is bruised, hurting and dirty because it has been out on the streets, rather than a Church which is unhealthy from being confined and from clinging to its own security.”

And in recognition of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuit Order, Francis said in one of his meditations: “I am thinking of what Saint Ignatius told us . . . he pointed out two criteria on love. The first: Love is expressed more clearly in actions than in words. The second: There is greater love in giving than in receiving.”

Viva il Papa!

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**Ash Wednesday Is Coming**

Ash Wednesday is early this year (February 26th). The tradition of donning ashes as a sign of repentance actually predates Jesus. There are signs of ashes in the Books of Esther, Samuel, Isaiah, Job and Jeremiah. In our Catholic tradition, we receive ashes on our foreheads as a symbol of repentance on Ash Wednesday, which begins the Lenten season. Lent is 40 days (excluding Sundays) to repent, fast, reflect, and prepare to celebrate Jesus’ Resurrection on Easter Sunday. This time also represents the 40-day period when Jesus fasted in the desert and was tempted by Satan. We set the time aside during Lent to focus on Christ’s life, sacrifice, ministry and Resurrection.

Some people traditionally “give up” something for Lent (candy, movies, etc.) but a more significant opportunity exists to “do something” different or special during Lent as a way of showing our love toward Jesus and toward one another (alms giving, praying, etc.).

The Church also asks us to preserve the tradition of abstaining from meat on Ash Wednesday and on Fridays during Lent and also fasting on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Every person 14 years of age and older - unless excused for health reasons - abstains from meat (chicken, cattle, sheep, pigs) and items made with meat (but not liquids such as broth, gravies or sauces or foods such as butter, cheese and eggs). Fish and shellfish are always permitted. Fasting on the two specified days applies to those between 18 and 59 (again with exclusions for health reasons), and implies just one full meal with two smaller meals that do not equal a full meal.
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**Weekday Masses/Communion Service**

- **Monday - Friday**: 8:00 am
- **Monday - Thursday**: Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer
- **Monday - Wednesday**: 7:30 am, Franciscan Friars' House
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- **Friday**: Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer
- **Tuesday - Thursday**: Rosary
- **Tuesday - Thursday**: Novena Devotions to honor Our Lady of Perpetual Help each Wed. after Rosary

**Confessions**

- See Father Fred

**H.F. Office Hours**

- **Monday - Thursday**: 10:00 am - noon, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
- **Friday**: 9:30 am - noon

**Special Events**

- **February 2**
  - **Feast of St. Blaise**: 7:00 pm Spanish Mass
  - **12 am**: Choir Practice: For Sat. 5:15 Mass > 7:00 pm in Church
  - **2 am**: Choir Practice: For Sun. 9:00 Mass > 7:30 pm in Church

- **February 3**
  - **Feast of Our Lady**: 7:00 pm Spanish Mass

- **February 4**
  - **Choir Practice**: For Sat. 5:15 Mass > 7:00 pm in Church
  - **For Sun. 9:00 Mass > 7:30 pm in Church

- **February 5**
  - **Choir Practice**: For Sat. 5:15 Mass > 7:00 pm in Church
  - **For Sun. 9:00 Mass > 7:30 pm in Church

- **February 6**
  - **Bilingual Choir**: Check with choir director

- **February 7**
  - **8 am First Friday Mass, followed by the Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 am
  - **Liturgy Committee** meets after 5:15 Mass

- **February 8**
  - **8:00 am Spanish Mass
  - **9:00 am Sunday Mass
  - **10:00 am Women’s Club Luncheon at Church 11:30 am

- **February 9**
  - **Choir Practice**: For Sat. 5:15 Mass > 7:00 pm in Church
  - **For Sun. 9:00 Mass > 7:30 pm in Church

- **February 10**
  - **Construction Fund Second Collection
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- **February 11**
  - **Feast of Our Lady**: 7:00 pm Spanish Mass

- **February 12**
  - **Choir Practice**: For Sat. 5:15 Mass > 7:00 pm in Church
  - **For Sun. 9:00 Mass > 7:30 pm in Church

- **February 13**
  - **Bilingual Choir**: Check with choir director

- **February 14**

- **February 15**
  - **Construction Fund Second Collection

- **February 16**
  - **Construction Fund Second Collection

- **February 17**
  - **Presidents’ Day

- **February 18**

- **February 19**

- **February 20**
  - **Women’s Club luncheon at church 11:30 am

- **February 21**

- **February 22**

- **February 23**

- **February 24**

- **February 25**

- **February 26**

- **February 27**

- **February 28**

- **February 29**

- **March 1**

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- **March 30**

- **March 31**
**February Lector Schedule**

If you are unable to fulfill an assignment, please arrange a substitute and make a note of the change on the posted schedule in the back of the church. **Call Rose if you need a copy of the reading for your Mass: 707-208-6853** - or - Check the scripture readings elsewhere in the bulletin for your date.

**Jan 25**
5:15 1st: Shirlese Hayes  
2nd: Leslie Gaffney  
9:00 1st: Ernie Zambrano  
2nd: Davet Mohammed  
11:00 1st: Bernie Borges  
2nd: (Spanish) Sylvia Cachola

**Feb 1**
5:15 1st: Missionary Families of Christ  
2nd: Missionary Families of Christ

**Feb 2**
9:00 1st: Kevin Kain  
2nd: Carmen Scott  
11:00 1st: Bernie Borges  
2nd: (Spanish) Sylvia Cachola

**Feb 8**
5:15 1st: David Mezzera  
2nd: John Collins

**Feb 9**
9:00 1st: Ernie Zambrano (KCs)  
2nd: John Fahey (KCs)  
11:00 1st: Cynthia Cruz  
2nd: (Spanish) Marina Maldonado

**Feb 15**
5:15 1st: Rolando Negranza  
2nd: Mary Weir

**Feb 16**
9:00 1st: Catherine Mendoza  
2nd: Marie Walton  
11:00 1st: Eunice DeLeon  
2nd: (Spanish) Ana Castro

**Feb 22**
5:15 1st: Leslie Gaffney  
2nd: Melita Negranza

**Feb 23**
9:00 1st: Davet Mohammed  
2nd: Rosalie Llave  
11:00 1st: Danilo Barcelon  
2nd: (Spanish) Marco Pomatz

**Feb 28**
5:15 1st: Shirlese Hayes  
2nd: Alma Arcega

**Mar 1**
9:00 1st: Bill Walton  
2nd: Tracy Hogland  
11:00 1st: Numer Tamoro  
2nd: (Spanish) Francisco Jimenez

**Feb Eucharistic Minister Schedule**

If you are unable to fulfill an assignment, please switch with another EM ahead of time and make a note of the change on the posted schedule in the back of the church.

**Jan 25:**
5:15 Rachel & Lawrence Valdez, Mary Weir, Sonia Lumampao, David Pott, David Mezzera

**Jan 26:**
9:00 Ralph Andino, Betty Lorenz, Elizabeth & Harvey Weil, Erika Myers, Kevin Kain  
11:00 Marnel Yturralde, Suzette Yturralde, Danilo Barcelon, Percy Barcelon, Rose & Numer

**Feb 1:**
5:15 Missionaries of Charity (6)

**Feb 2:**
9:00 Norma Flores, Rosalia St.Germain, Virginia Zambrano, Ralph Andino, Betty Lorenz, John Fahey  
11:00 Marina Maldonado, Francisco Jimenez, Jod’tl Cruz, Marnel Yturralde, Suzette Yturralde, Kat Teitgen

**Feb 8:**
5:15 James Campagna, Romy Blanquera, Jack Goodwin, Frank & Bannie Lee, Carol Strausborger

**Feb 15:**
5:15 Rachel & Lawrence Valdez, Sonia Lumampao, Shirlese Hayes, Leslie Gaffney, Jack Goodwin

**Feb 16:**
9:00 Erika Myers, Elizabeth & Harvey Weil, Melissa Benjamin, Ralph Andino, Bill Walton  
11:00 Rose & Numer Tamoro, Danilo Barcelon, Percy Barcelon, Cynthia Cruz, Jod’tl Cruz

**Feb 22:**
5:15 Frank & Bannie Lee, Shirlese Hayes, Mary Weir, David Pott, David Mezzera

**Feb 23:**
9:00 Norma Flores, Rosalia St.Germain, Virginia Zambrano, Nina Tolentino, Salvador Cariño, Erika Myers  
11:00 Jimmy DeLeon, Bernie Borges, Marnel Yturralde, Suzette Yturralde, Kat Teitgen, Francisco Jimenez

**Feb 29:**
5:15 Rachel & Lawrence Valdez, Leslie Gaffney, Sonia Lumampao, Frank & Bannie Lee

**Mar 1:**
9:00 Betty Lorenz, Ralph Andino, John Fahey, Harvey & Elizabeth Weil, Nina Tolentino  
11:00 Marina Maldonado, Bernie Borges, Jod’tl Cruz, Cynthia Cruz, Danilo Barcelon, Percy Barcelon

**Monthly Cleaning Schedule February 2020**

1st Week: Ana Castro Group, Angelica Castro, Maria Mosqueda  
2nd Week: Rona Yacob, Bannie & Frank Lee, Maria Teresa Leach  
3rd Week: Teresa Vargas, Julie Collins, Esther Valentin  
4th Week: Erika Myers, Perfecta Trining, Teresita Dumno, Bill Walton  
1st Week (March): Ana Castro Group, Angelica Castro, Maria Mosqueda  
2nd Week (March): Sonia Lumampao, Meriam Walton, Daisy Kalu, Nenita Goroza, Letty Elayda

Sub: Melissa Benjamin (679-8140) Volunteers are still needed. Please contact Erika Myers @ 707-554-0422.
February 14th Quiz Answer

Valentine’s Day is indeed also called Saint Valentine’s Day or the Feast of Saint Valentine. So who was Valentine in the history of the Church? *Valentinus* (from the Latin "valens", meaning to be strong and in good health) was a common name in ancient Roman times, so there are various candidates for this saint. Here are a couple of martyrdom stories associated with various people named *Valentinus* prior to the year CE 500 in and around Rome:

**Valentine of Rome.** One legend says that in CE 269, this Roman convert to Christianity refused the Roman Emperor’s demand that he convert back to paganism. Because he ministered to Christians, he was put in prison where, while waiting for execution, he restored sight to the blind daughter of his jailer and gave her a note signed “From your Valentine” as a farewell before his execution, which occurred on February 14 that year.

**Saint Valentine.** This version says that Valentine was a Roman priest who performed weddings for soldiers who were forbidden by the emperor to marry. The emperor’s edict decreed that married soldiers did not make good warriors and thus the young men could not marry. Valentine, according to legend, wore a ring with a Cupid on it - a Roman symbol of love - that helped soldiers recognize him, and he secretly would perform marriage ceremonies for soldiers. He was caught doing this and beaten to death with clubs on February 14th around the year CE 270 for disobeying the emperor, Claudius II.

**Valentino of Terni.** This *Valentinus* was a physician and the first bishop of Terni, a city about 60 miles northeast of Rome. He too suffered martyrdom on February 14, CE 273, for proselytizing during the persecution of Christians by Caludius Gothicus. His relics were buried under a basilica in Terni which was built by Pope Julius I.

Why is Valentine considered a saint? Whether a single story or an amalgam of similar stories, *Valentinus* was declared a saint by the Church as a martyr to the faith as each of three stories above illustrate. Sainthood is a statement of the Church that it is “worthy of belief” that the person is in Heaven and saved due to giving their life voluntarily for belief in Jesus as Savior and Son of God.

Whether Valentine performed a miracle of eyesight, married soldiers who were otherwise forbidden, or spread the word of the love of Jesus - or all three - *Valentinus* was a person of love. So in honor of his love, Happy St. Valentine’s Day on February 14th.

Open to all Holy Family members and friends: The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring another casino trip on Saturday, **February 29th**, to Jackson Rancheria and Harrah’s Casino (Ione). Meet in Holy Family parking lot at 7:30. $35 per person with “casino cash” given back at the two sites. Proceeds go to Knights of Columbus Council 15750 and the Holy Family Construction Fund. [The last casino trip plus the Christmas Ornament project raised $500 for the Construction Fund!] Tickets may be procured from Grand Knight Jod'l Cruz (707-631-8001) or Knight Jimmy DeLeon (510-861-7104) or see any KC Brother.

Also, the Knights are hosting a Hawaiian Dinner-Dance party on Saturday, **May 9th**, from 4:00 to 10:00 pm at the Community Gym (100 Benton Way). Tickets will be $40 per person with proceeds benefiting Council 15750 and the Construction Fund. It’s a win-win event and more information will be forthcoming.
Pray for Our Sick

Merlie Abran, Nicholas Arenas, Rosalina Alba, Isaiaes Bautista, Lita Bautista, Milan Bautista, Joan Bennett, Janet Birkholz, Josephina Botello, Enrique Campos, Milena Cancia, Deacon Chuck Cancilla, Lamar Carter, Virgilita Castillo, Tony Castor, Fe Celones, William Chua, Richard Corona, José & Esther Corpuz, Charito Dela Cueva, Toni Durante, Zachery Fahey, Lino Fernandez, Douglas Fong, David Garcia, Gino Grundy, Aurora Guiriba, Tess Guison, Elmo Irish, Dahlia Johnson, Daee Hee Kim, Pacita Lacerna, Gene Lacson, Francisca Lagiosa, Geraldo Laguna, Rosalyn Mendoza, Elma Mercado, Lita & Ernie Morales, Steve Myers, Antonio Neria, Azucena Neria, Ildefonso Neria, Jaime Neria, Judy Ong, Dorothy Pender-gast, Leah Pereira, Candy Peterson, Earline Poirer, Araceli Rodrigues, Benjamin Rufo, Ariel Ruiz, Juan Salas, Ruben San Pedro, Amy San Pedro, Pacita Sarabia, Carmen Scott, Tom Scott, Joyce Shields, Kathleen Silva, Ann Simmons, Sylvia Sistena, Jesselee Inacay Superticioso, Edwin Tichangco, Sheila Urick, the Vega Family, Pacita Villaluz, Vilma Wakin, Brenda Wheeler, Chet Wilkerson, Rolly Yacob, Raymond Young, Cheryl Zimmerman, John Zimmerman. To add a loved one to our prayer list or to remove someone, e-mail: holyfamily.amcan@gmail.com

Pray for the Men and Women Serving Our Country

Don Appel, Jorden Appel, Jenny Bartlett, Joseph Bloom-See, Alexander Bombita, Brandon Bridges, George Buenviaje, Scott Harris, Angelica Hinojosa, Jared Holmes, Jeremy Holmes, Josh Holmes, Chris Hurst, Jen James, Jerome Latona, Trevor Logan, Angela O’Brien, Chad Oliver, Christopher Oliver, Andrew Mariano, Kiara Mendiola (RIP), Christopher Paradeza, Jennifer Phillips Plante, Alwin Respicio, Alex Rubang, Jr., Patricia Samson, Sebastian Zablan. To add a friend, family member or loved one to our military service list, please call Carol Harris at 310-4792 or e-mail her at: crlhar@aol.com

Recycling: Continue to drop off recycling cans and bottles at the church office. Please remove caps, liquids, and foreign objects from all bottles and place loose caps in same bag with bottles. All proceeds from recycling go directly to the Construction Fund. The last turn-in earned $144 for the fund. Thanks for your participation in this endeavor.

February Comics

"Fasting" doesn't mean eating fast food!