

Welcome! Immaculate Conception Church gives a hearty welcome to our visitors and new parishioners.



SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2023

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday- Wednesday: 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. Closed 12:00 p.m.- 1:00 p.m. Thursday & Friday: 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. **ICC Gift Shop:** open during office hours.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE: Monday-Friday: Mass at 8:00 a.m. Saturday: Confessions at 3:00 p.m. and Mass at 4:00 p.m. Sunday: Masses 8:00 a.m. (Spanish) 10:30 am and 12:00 p.m. (English)

ADORATION TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Thursday 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: First Friday of the month after Mass

HOLY ROSARY: Weekdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

SACRAMENTS:

Call or email the office for information about Sacraments and XV Años, as well as for requests of Holy Communion for the homebound.

PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS:

Second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish hall. All paperwork must be received prior to attending this class.

HORAS DE OFICINA:

Lunes- Miércoles: 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. Cerrado 12:00 p.m.- 1:00 p.m. Jueves- Viernes: 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. ICC Gift Shop (La Tiendita): abierta durante horas de oficina.

HORARIO LITÚRGICO:

Lunes- Viernes Misa 8:00 a.m. Sábado Confesiones 3:00 p.m. Misa 4:00 p.m. Misas de Domingo 8:00 a.m. (Español) 10:30 a.m. y 12:00 p.m. (Inglés)

ADORACIÓN AL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO: Jueves 4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

UNICIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS: Primer Viernes del mes después de Misa.

SANTO ROSARIO:

Entre semana despué de Misa

SACRAMENTOS:

Solicite información detallada en la oficina, ya sea por teléfono o por correo electrónico acerca de Sacramentos, de XV Años o para solicitar Comunión para enfermos confinados.

CLASE PRE-BAUTISMAL:

Segundo martes de cada mes 7:00 p.m. en el salón parroquial. Dcumentación completa es requerida para poder asistir.



Saturday, Mar. 4, Lenten Weekday St. Casimir

4:00 p.m.- †Carmen & Willie, Sr. Ortegaby The Ortega Family†Frances Brusuelasby Family†Adelaida & Enrique, Sr. Floresby Family†Veronica Viscarraby Family†AJ George Baca (Anniv. of his death)by FamilyHoly Family (In thanksgiving)by SandySt. Peter & St. Andrewby Sandy

Sunday, Mar. 5, SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00 a.m †Andres & Alexandria Gonzales	by Family
Consuelo Lothridge (2nd. Anniv. of her death)	by Esperanza y Fe

by Family

10:30 a.m.- †John Alexander Vasquez

12:00 p.m.- For the incarcerated

Monday, Mar. 6, Lenten Weekday 8:00 a.m.- For caretakers

Tuesday, Mar. 7, Lenten Weekday Ss. Perpetua and Felicity

8:00 a.m.- †Lisa Marie Chavez (11th. Anniv. of her death) by Family †Francisca & Pablo Martinez by M. Hendrickson †Amalia Barrios by M. Hendrickson David Gallegos (Birthday)

Wednesday, Mar. 8, Lenten Weekday St. John of God, Religious 8:00 a.m.- For all victims of addiction

Thursday, Mar. 9, Lenten Weekday St. Frances of Rome, Religious 8:00 a.m.- For families divided by addiction

Friday, Mar. 10, Lenten Weekday 8:00 a.m.- For the youth struggling with addiction

Special Mass Intentions and Sanctuary Candles can be ordered by phone or in person at the office. There is a \$10 stipend. To be included in the next bulletin, submissions must be made by Monday noon.

Pope Francis's special intentions for the month of MARCH: For victims of abuse

We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my beloved Son, hear him.

Mass Readings for the Second Sunday of Lent

First Reading - Genesis 12:1-4a: "I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, so that you will be a blessing.

- Responsorial Psalm Psalm 33: "Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you." Second Reading – 2 Timothy 1:8b-10: "Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God."
- Gospel Matthew 17:1-9: "Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light."

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES:

Sat. Mar. 4.- Lenten Weekday St. Casimir Sun. Mar. 5.- SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT Tue. Mar. 7.- Lenten Weekday Ss. Perpetua & Felicity Wed. Mar. 8.- Lenten Weekday St. John of God, Religious Thurs. Mar. 9.- Lenten Weekday St. Frances of Rome, Religious



Lenten Penance Service: Thursday, March 23 at 6:00 p.m. **Confesiones Coaresmales:** Jueves 23 de Marzo a las 6:00 p.m.



In the first reading, Abram is called by God to leave his home and kin and go to an unknown land. In an act of great trust, he obeys. He does not know what lies ahead, but he walks in faith. We must also walk in faith, especially during our Lenten journey. His faith is a result of his encounter with God.

In the transfiguration, Peter, James and John also encounter God. They experience the divine presence in the transformed Jesus Christ. The change in his face, which "shown like the sun" and his clothes which became "white as light" are a reference back to Moses's appearance after receiving the Ten Commandments. The transfiguration also foreshadows the resurrection of Jesus. In his appearance to Mary of Magdala at the tomb, he also had bright white clothes. And clearly something was significantly different about his appearance, for Mary did not recognize him.

Bilingual Lenten Mission:

Monday, March 20 Tuesday, March 21, and Wednesday, March 22.

*Imparted by Fr, Ivan Torres

MISIÓN CUARESMAL BILINGÜE:

Lunes 20, Martes 21 y Miércoles 22 de Marzo

*Imapartida por el Padre Iván Torres





Adult Bible Study in English Tuesdays at 4:00 p.m. at the Religious Ed Bldg. Please bring your Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church.



Se extiende una cordial inviación a todos los feligreses a participar en TALLERES DE ORACIÓN Y VIDA, un curso de Evangelización en Español que será impartido los Lunes a las 6:00 pm en la Casa Memorial.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND DONATIONS AND **CONSTANT SUPPORT!**



DONATIONS ARE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED IN THE OFFICE OR AT THE FOOD PANTRY. OPEN MARCH 9 & 23, 2023 From 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.



MONEY BOX Located at the entrance of the church EXCLUSIVELY for Altar flowers.

THANK YOU!



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The CRS Rice Bowl Program is not a parish collection but rather a Lenten program run in schools and parishes. **CRS Rice Bowl** provides funding for Catholic Relief Services' food security projects which support agriculture, nutrition, education, and self-sufficiency in communities around the world. 25% of this collection is retained in our diocese of Las Cruces for anti-poverty programs. Please be generous toward this collection. Individual and Family Offerings throughout Lent (2/22/23 - 4/9/23).



Is having a

GORDITA PLATE SALE! Each plate consists of 2 Gorditas, beans & rice, salsa, coffee, lemonade or tea. \$8.00 per plate

Sunday, March the 5th, after all Masses and while supplies last.



Proceeds will help our youth go to the World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal with Pope Francis. Consider supporting this fundraiser.

Friday at **6:00** p.m.

VIA CRUCIS VIERNES 6:00 P.M.





Knights of Columbus St. Mary's Council is hosting an

Arts & Prafts Show

At the ICC Parish Hall on Saturday, March 11, 2023. From 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Local Vendors!

Handmade Crafts!

Food and drinks!

Contact Dave Lozano for more details (575) 491-3818. Davidlozano62@gmail.com

The December Winter Gala was a success and so much fun. We would like to have a "CINCO de MAYO SUMMER GALA" on May 5, 2023. We are starting early for those who couldn't sponsor a table in December. We are accepting sponsors for the tables in May. A very filling dinner will be served and music for dancing will be provided as part of the Gala. For more information contact Graciela Ogas (575)495-6800. Proceeds will go to support United in Ministry.