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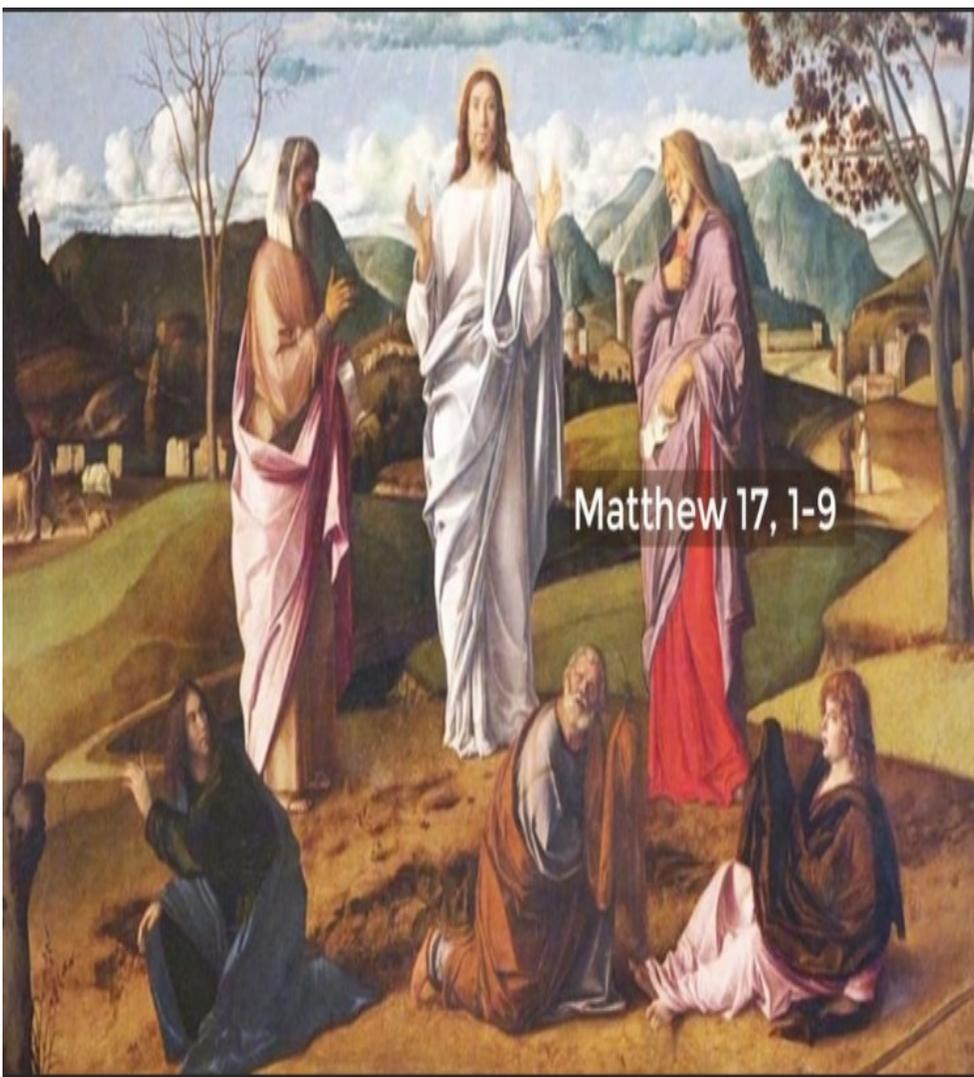
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MARCH 1, 2026  
SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



Matthew 17, 1-9

**OUR PARISH MISSION:**

As a united family of faith, Immaculate Conception Parish welcomes everyone to encounter Jesus Christ through word, worship, community, and service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, all are invited in faith, to live by Divine truth and love, generously serving others, teaching by word and example.

**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.

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:**

Monday: 8:00 a.m. Communion Service  
Tuesday-Friday: Mass 8:00 a.m.  
Saturday: Confessions 3:00 p.m.  
Mass at 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday Masses:  
7:30 a.m.. (Spanish)  
11:00 a.m.

**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.

**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.

**HORARIO LITÚRGICO:**

***lun. 8:00am Servicio de Comunción***

*mar- vie. Misa 8:00 a.m.*  
*sáb. Confesiones 3:00 p.m.*  
*Misa 4:00 p.m.*  
*Misas de Domingo*  
*7:30 a.m. (Español)*  
*11:00 am*

**ADORACIÓN AL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO:**

*Jueves 4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.*

**UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS:**

*Primer viernes del mes después de Misa.*

**Sacred Heart Church  
is a Mission of Immaculate  
Conception Church**

205 James Canyon Hwy  
Cloudcroft, NM 88317  
**Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.**  
Confessions prior to Mass  
**Wednesday Mass: 9:30 a.m.**  
Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament and Rosary:  
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

# PRAYER / MASS INTENTIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Pope Leo Special Intentions for the month of March

### FOR DISARMAMENT AND PEACE

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.



the departed, may perpetual light shine upon them.

†Ana Cole

## The Sanctuary Candle

Burns to honor the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

Teresa Cano (Health & Well Being) by Family

Lilly Smith

In Thanksgiving

†Darrell Vigil

†Charles & †Carolina Duran

†Charles Duran Jr.

†Blanch Enriquez by Duran & Moyer Family



Monday, March 2

8:00 a.m.- Communion Service (Rosary before service)

6:00 p.m.- *Talleres de oracion y vida (Religious Ed)*

Tuesday, March 3

8:00 a.m.- Mass (Rosary before Mass)

5:00 p.m.- Bible Study (English)

6:00 p.m. Estudio Biblico en español

Wednesday, March 4

8:00 a.m. -Mass (Rosary before Mass)

5:00 p.m. -Latin Class (Parish Hall)

Thursday, March 5

8:00 a.m. -Mass (Rosary before Mass)

4:00 p.m. -Adoration Queen of Peace

Friday, March 6

8:00 a.m.- Mass (Rosary before Mass)

Office closes at noon

6:00p.m Stations of the Cross with meal in the Parish Hall

6:30-8pm Youth Group at Religious Education Building

Saturday, March 7

3:00 p.m.- Confessions

4:00 p.m.- Mass (Rosary before Mass)

Saturday, Feb. 28, Lenten Weekday

4:00 p.m. †Yolanda Baily (Anniversary of Death) by Barb Silva

†Charles & Carolina Duran by Duran & Moyer Families

†Charles Duran Jr. by Duran & Moyer Families

†Darrell Vigil by Duran & Moyer Families

†Blanch Enriquez by Duran & Moyer Families

Sunday, March 1, SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30 a.m. †Consuelo Lothridge by Daughter

†Eusebio Torres (anniversary of Death) by Family

11:00 a.m. Maria Garcia (Health & Well-Being)

†Ruby Gonzales by Family

†Millie Chavez by Ernest & family

### PENITENTIAL RITE

Monday, March 2, Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Adelaida Flores (Birthday Memorial) by Grandchildren

Tuesday, March 3, Lenten Weekday

8:00 am. Lilly Smith (In Thanksgiving)

Wednesday, March 4, Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Momo & †Emma Armijo by T. Lozano

Thursday, March 5, Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Rosalia Barela by Angie

†Tila Aguilar

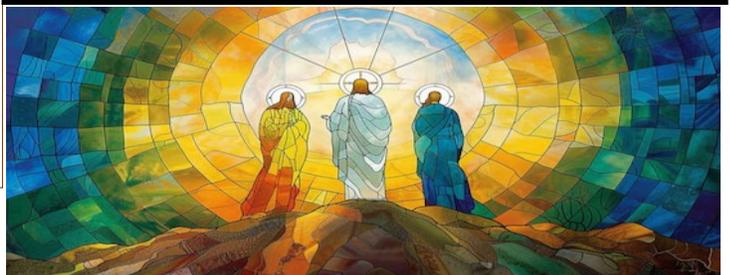
†Otomi Martinez

Friday, March 6, Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. †Juanita Ruiz World day of Prayer by Isabel Renfrow

The transfiguration of Jesus, proclaimed early in Lent, offers a glimmer of hope during our season in the desert. It was the same Peter, James and John. They had just heard Jesus predict his passion for the first time. When we are in the thick of our struggles, it can be nearly impossible to remember that God makes all things new. Like the apostles, we need consolation.

What can you do to help someone who is struggling?



## First Reading

*Genesis 12:1-4a*

God promises Abram a great blessing.

## Responsorial Psalm

*Psalm 33:4-5,18-20,22*

God's mercy is upon those who trust in God.

## Second Reading

*2 Timothy 1:8b-10*

Through God's grace we are called to holiness.

## Gospel Reading

[Matthew 17:1-9](#)

Jesus is transfigured on the mountain in the presence of Peter, James, and John.

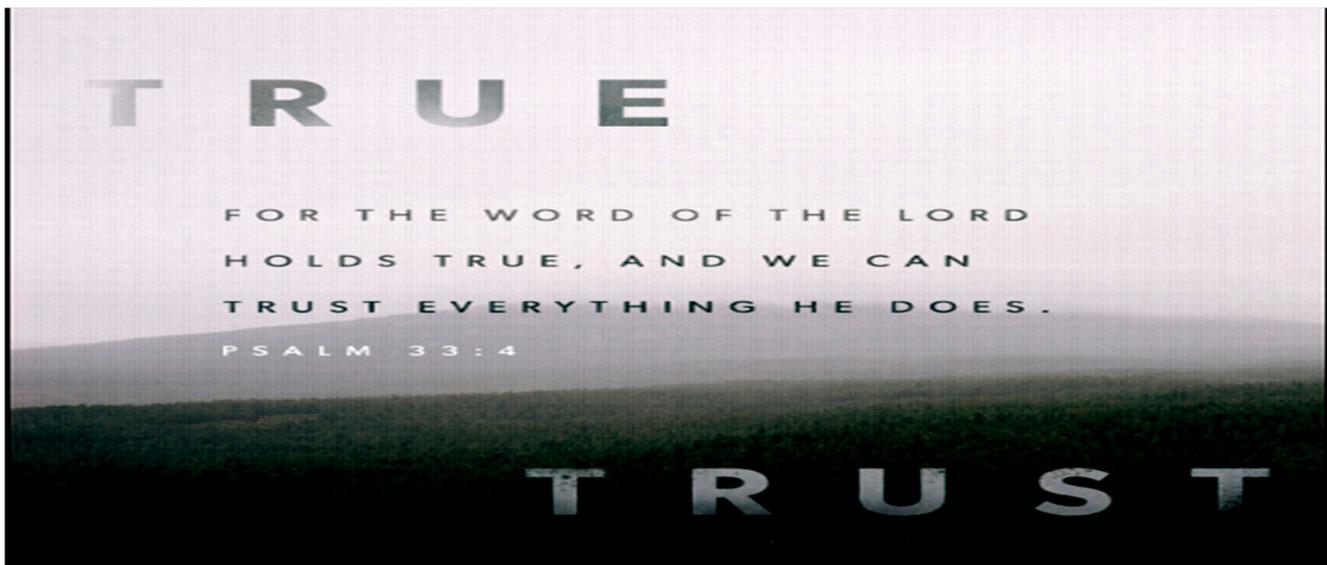
## Background on the Gospel Reading

For the second Sunday of Lent, we move from Jesus' retreat to the desert to his Transfiguration. Each year on the first Sunday of Lent, our Gospel tells the story of Jesus' temptation in the desert. On the second Sunday of Lent each year, we hear the story of Jesus' Transfiguration.

The story of Jesus' Transfiguration is told in the three Synoptic Gospels: Matthew, Mark, and Luke. In each of those Gospels, the Transfiguration follows Jesus' first prediction of his death and his teaching about the costs of discipleship. Jesus' Transfiguration is a promise of Jesus' glory, his Resurrection.

On a mountain in today's reading, a voice affirms that Jesus is God's Son in words reminiscent of the voice at Jesus' baptism. In addition, the appearance of Moses and Elijah on the mountain connects this story with God's relationship to the people of Israel. Moses and Elijah represent the Law and the Prophets, respectively. Together with Jesus, they represent God's complete Word.

The Transfiguration occurs in the presence of just three of Jesus' disciples: Peter, James, and John. In Matthew's Gospel, those disciples are among the first whom Jesus calls. The three men are identified as an "inner circle" among Jesus' disciples when Jesus asks them to accompany him to the Garden of Gethsemane just before his arrest.



## EVENTS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **RECONCILIATION TIMES**

Reconciliation Saturdays at 3pm  
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, AFTER 8am Mass.

It is time for a new Pictorial Directory! Our dates of photography are April 7-11, 2026. Just for participating you will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a church directory. You will view your images right away and have the chance to purchase family portraits for your own memories and to give as gifts. If needing help making your photo appointment, please call the office we will help you set your appointment. IT'S FREE!!

Ya es tiempo de Nuestro nuevo Directorio con fotografía. Nuestras fechas para tomar las fotos son del 7 al 11 de abril de 2026. Solo por participar recibirás un retrato de 8x10 de cortecia y un Directorio de la Iglesia. Verás tus imágenes de inmediato y tendrás la oportunidad de comprar retratos familiares para tus propios recuerdos y para regalar. Si necesitas ayuda para hacer tu cita para la foto, por favor llama a la oficina, te ayudaremos a hacer tu cita. ES GRATIS.!

### **ST. FRANCES CABRINI CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

On going ticket sales for 2026 Enchilada Fundraiser  
March 20th 10am to 6pm

ICC Parish Hall 705 Delaware Ave. Dine in or Take Out  
Tickets on SALE NOW call 575-437-7821

or

come by St. Frances Cabrini Catholic School to purchase your tickets

**The next Baptism Class will take place on  
Tuesday March 10 at 7:00 p.m. @ the Religious Ed  
Bldg. (711 New York Ave.) \*Registration is needed in  
order to attend this class.**

### **FOOD PANTRY DISTRIBUTION 12-2PM**

*Thursday's March 12 & 26  
(subject to change)*

Last week's Collection For  
FEBRUARY 22, 2026

REGULAR COLLECTION \$3735.75  
Second collection \$678.00  
Ash Wednesday collection  
\$1948.344



*next week second collection  
will go to WORLD YOUTH DAY*

*From the shining cloud the  
Father's voice is heard:  
This is My beloved Son,  
hear Him.*

En el esplendor de la nube  
se oyó la voz de Padre:  
"Este es Mi Hijo, el Amado;  
a Él han de escuchar".



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Connie Garcia, Youth Ministry & VIRTUS coordinator  
Dave & Trish Lozano, OCIA  
Nicole McKinley, Marriage & Baptism Preparation  
Lorena Rivera, Estudio Bíblico en español  
Hugo Sapién, Bible Study Instructor  
Mary Sanchez, Altar Servers Ministry  
Sylvia Candelaria, Sacristans Ministry  
Chester Sheffield, Eucharistic Ministers Ministry  
Rosie Garcia, Lectors Ministry

### **MISSION SUPPORT TEAM**

Connie Garcia, Business Manager  
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Angie Garcia, Parish Office Assistant  
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