



St. Francis

OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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February 18, 2024 - First Sunday in Lent

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Mass Schedule

Daily English Masses: Monday - Saturday 8:30 AM

Daily Spanish Masses

Tuesday /Martes - Thursday/Jueves 7 PM

Sunday Masses

Saturday/Sábado 5:30 PM - English (Vigil)

7:00 PM - Spanish

Sunday /Domingo 7 AM - English

***Sunday /Domingo 8 AM - Spanish**

Sunday/Domingo 10 AM - English

Sunday / Domingo 11:30 AM - English

***Sunday /Domingo 1:00 PM- Spanish**

Sunday /Domingo 3:00 PM - Portuguese

***Sunday /Domingo 7:00 PM - Spanish**

Confessions English Saturdays 4 - 5 pm & Tuesday 6-7pm

Spanish Wednesday / Miércoles & /Thursday / Jueves 6 - 7 PM

Sacrament of the sick / Unción de los Enfermos

Please call/ Favor llamar al **(925) 682-5447**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/ *Exposición del Santísimo*

Monday-Friday/ *Lunes -Viernes* from 9 am - 7 pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS/ HORAS DE OFICINA

Our office is open Monday—Friday

9:00 am— 7:00 pm Closed 12:00 – 2:00 pm

Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 19 for Presidents Day Holiday.

Nuestra Oficina esta abierta de Lunes - Viernes

9:00 am - 7:00 pm Cerrada de 12:00 pm— 2:00 pm

Cerrada - Lunes 19 de febrero en observación del día de los Presidentes.

During Lent : We will have Stations of the Cross in English on Fridays after 8:30am Mass and bilingual at 7:00PM., follow by a Lenten Meal in the John Paul Center.

Our Communal Reconciliation Service is scheduled for Tuesday, March 5 at 5:30pm in the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, Feb 17th

- 8:30 AM † Regina & Felix Villamor, Sr.
5:30 PM † Margarito Viramontes & Olivia Estopellan
*7:00 PM † Natalia Vargas

Sunday, Feb 18th

- 7:00 AM Sp. Int. Mike Crvarich
*8:00 AM † Josefina Hernandez
10:00 AM † Jack Pochini
11:30 AM † Barabara Jean & Bill Roberts
* 1:00 PM Sp. Int. Gonzalez Family
* 3:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi
* 7:00 PM † Edgar Reyes

Monday, Feb 19th

- 8:30 AM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

Tuesday, Feb 20th

- 8:30 AM † Josefina Baldoza

Wednesday, Feb 21st

- 8:30 AM † Dioscoro Silagan

Thursday, Feb 22nd

- 8:30 AM Sp. Int. Tara Schmidt

Friday, Feb 23rd

- 8:30 AM † William Lesser & Marco Michalato

Saturday, Feb 24th

- 8:30 AM † Gilbert Galeana
5:30 PM † Jose Agustin
*7:00 PM Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi

* Masses in Spanish

CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Financial Reporting

February Parish Income

Sunday Donations = \$ 9,620

Faith Direct Donations = \$ 6,024

Parish Repairs = \$ 769

Thank you for your generous donations. God Bless!

Parish Repair donations will be strictly restricted to parish maintenance and repairs. Chapel roof needs to be replaced.

I ask you to prayerfully consider supporting our parish with electronic donations through Faith Direct. You can sign up online at faith.direct/FD2, / text 'Enroll' to (Text-to-Give Number) / or call Faith Direct customer service at 866-507-8757.

Puede registrarse en línea en faith.direct/FD2, enviar un mensaje de texto con la palabra "Inscribirse" al (número de texto para dar) o llamar al servicio al cliente de Faith Direct al 866-507-8757.



SFA GRILL The next San Francisco Grill take out dinner sponsored and prepared by the St. Francis of Assisi parish Knights of Columbus council will be on Saturday, February 24. We will be serving savory New Orleans gumbo, rice, potato salad, bread and traditional Mardi Gras King Cake. Please order on line at SFG grill.org and enjoy one of our most popular meals while supporting your parish.

The Knights of Columbus will once again be hosting the annual Saint Francis of Assisi St. Patrick's Day celebration on Saturday, March 16, in the family center. Come and enjoy traditional corn beef and cabbage with potatoes and onions, Irish soda bread, salad, and great company. We will also have the traditional desert auction. This is major fundraiser for the parish, so Come and show your support.

Planning to Baptize your Baby in 2024? Contact our Parish Office Monday to Friday for available dates, requirements and more information.

¿Planeando bautizar a su bebé? Contacte o visite nuestra oficina parroquial de lunes a viernes para obtener los requisitos y las fechas disponibles.

Parish Office/ Oficina Parroquial (925) 682-5447


Leadership Retreat

2024

with the father



Marco Carrasco

from the Diocese of Tucson, Arizona.



"Father I have sinned against you"

Monday, February 26
 after 7:00 PM Mass
 Bilingüe for all leaders of St. Francis of Assisi


St. Francis of Assisi Church

Ejercicios Espirituales de CUARESMA

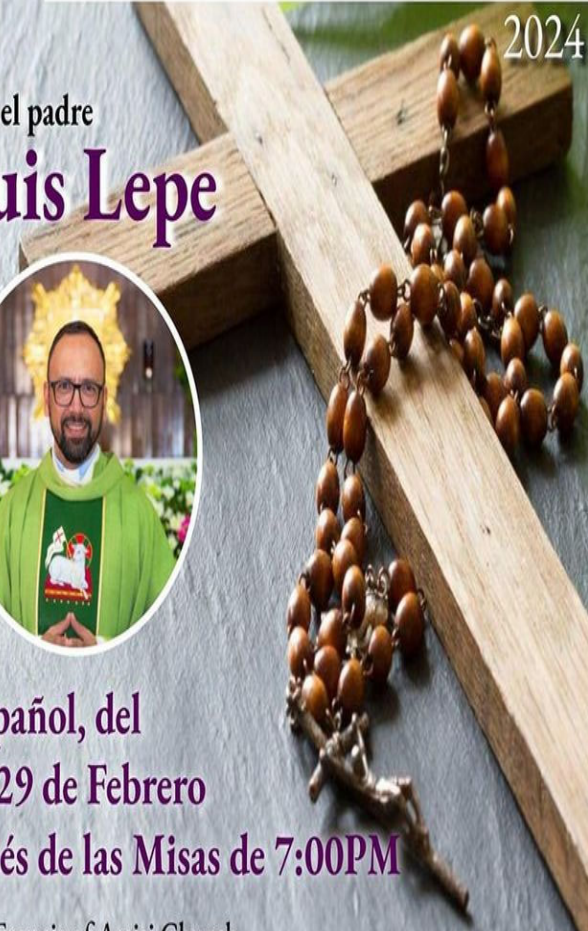

2024

Con el padre

Luis Lepe



En español, del 26 al 29 de Febrero después de las Misas de 7:00PM

St. Francis of Assisi Church



Calling All Catholic Women!

Magnificat, a Ministry to Catholic Women invites you to our Prayer Breakfast with our speaker, Jennifer Norton!

Saturday March. 16th~ 9:30am-12:30pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish

500 Fairview Ave, Brentwood

Jen, a Santa Clara University graduate is an award winning artist and author who's work is inspired by her Catholic faith. She will share with us

how her art helps her connect more deeply with her prayer life. Jen is also the author of two journal retreats.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

New Location—Rossi House

St. Vincent de Paul has moved to the Rossi /Assisi House, their hours of service will continue as Wednesday 9:30am –11:30am Saturdays 9:00am—11:30am.

La oficina de San Vicente de Paul tiene una nueva ubicación, se mudó a la Casita Rossi/Assisi House. Los horarios de atención son los siguientes: Miércoles: 9:30am – 11:30am; Sábados 9:00am—11:30am. (925) 682-5811.

Candle offering to The Blessed Sacrament.

You may offer 6 red devotional candles to the Blessed Sacrament on behalf of your family.

Suggested donation for offering \$45. Contact our Parish Office for more information.

Velas Rojas para el Santísimo, usted puede ofrecer 6 velas en nombre de su familia para el Santísimo. La donación sugerida es de \$45. Favor contactar la oficina parroquial para más información.

Religious Education / Educacion Religiosa & Youth Ministry / Ministerio de Jóvenes

For those registered in catechesis either in First Communion, Teen Confirmation, Adult Confirmation or RCIA please come to the Parish Office if you have any items pending like certificates, payments, registration information or need to turn in any other documents. Thank you.

Para los que están inscritos en la catequesis de Primera Comunión, Confirmación de Jóvenes, Confirmación de Adultos o RICA por favor de venir a la oficina de la parroquia si tienen algo pendiente como traer sus certificados, hacer su pago, o entregar algún otro documento. Gracias.

Durante Cuaresma: Meditación del Vía Crucis, todos los viernes después de la Misa de 8:30am en ingles y a las 7:00pm será bilingüe. Seguida por comida de cuaresma en el salón Juan Pablo II.

Confesiones Cuaresmales: Martes 5 de marzo a las 5:30pm.

- **Grupo de la Renovación Carismática**

Le invita a un retiro a realizarse el sábado 9 de marzo de 9:00am—5:00pm en el salón Juan Pablo II.

VIEW OUR NEW WEBSITE: www.sfaconcord.com

We have just launched our new look website. It's now even easier (we hope!) to find the important information and discover some exciting new ones at the same time. With better navigation and more in-depth information, we hope you love it as much as we do.

You can sponsor to our website and your advertisement will appear in our website to help popularize your business.

VEA NUESTRO NUEVO SITIO WEB: www.sfaconcord.com

Acabamos de lanzar nuestro nuevo sitio web. Ahora es aún más fácil (¡esperamos!) encontrar información importante y descubrir información nueva e interesante al mismo tiempo. Con una mejor navegación e información más detallada, esperamos que te guste tanto como a nosotros.

Quiere anunciar su negocio y apoyar a nuestra parroquia, anuncie su negocio en nuestra nueva pagina de internet.