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Saturday, Sunday & Holidays - OFFICE IS CLOSED



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Fr. JOSE GABRIEL Forero Martinez, c.s. (Pastor)

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WEEKDAYS MASSES:

Weekdays: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Italian)
11:30 a.m. (English)
1:00 p.m. (English)
2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,
only 3rd Sunday of the Month)
4:00 p.m. (English)
6:00 p.m. (Misa en español)

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. Catherine of Siena School	905-277-2448
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Fr. Daniel Zanon School	905-279-3722

"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - *Sabado*: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)

Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental)

Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY- SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usted y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Grains of Wheat from the Barns of Heaven

St. John Baptist Scalabrini

Walking a Path of Conversion

“Turn away from sin and believe in the Good News” (Mk 1:15)

“The Crucified Christ is the foundation of all things – St. Paul writes – whoever refuses to build on such a foundation, will only accumulate his losses.”
Discourse on the Most Holy Crucifix, 1990

“The Church teaches us to imitate our Crucified Lord, so that, crucified with him to the vanities of this world, we may be partakers with him both in his suffering and in his joy.” *Homily of All Saints, 1886*

“To believe that we have received the Spirit of God and yet refusing to be tolerant for the love of God, finding everything difficult and impossible and not mortifying ourselves nor making any effort to control ourselves would be a very serious mistake. The Holy Spirit is essentially eagerness and love.” *Homily on Pentecost Day*

“As true disciples of the Redeemer, filled with his Spirit, we ought to publicly confess his name, bear witness to him as worthy of our faith, so as to expand ever more on earth God’s kingdom of charity.”
Homily of Pentecost Day, 1882

“Everyone who is close to God has above all peace and rest from inordinate attachments, and that inner peace of heart, which is gentle, sweet, ineffable, and surpasses every sense of earthly sweetness.” *Pastoral Letter, Lent 1881*

“Christian penance goes hand-in-hand with joy, not with sadness and gloom; the law fasting is the rule for a healthy penance, not for one’s destruction; it is an invitation to self-discipline, not an edict of death.”
Proceeding of the Synod, Piacenza 1970

“I will go to confession immediately when I feel a temptation approaching, right from the start. And when I have recklessly exposed myself to moral danger, I will throw myself before God and weep for my misery and confess it.” *Ibidem, Aug. 1894*

“Willingness to cast out any unclean thought without self-discipline will fail...it will perish.” *Personal Resolutions, Aug. 1893*



Saturday, Mar. 11, 2023

8:00am + Narcisa Nancy Loanzon
6:00pm + Giuseppe La-Cute

Sunday, Mar. 12 3rd Sunday of Lent

8:30am + Jose Constancio Vaz
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Isidoro Pasqual
4:00pm + Adnan Zohrob
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Mar. 13

8:00am Thanksgiving for Mary
11:00am SENIORS’ MASS
7:00pm + Elizabeth Vera Ryan

Tuesday, Mar. 14

8:00am + Anthony Almeida
7:00pm + Dason Cruz Jeyapaul

Wednesday, Mar. 15

8:00am Thanksgiving for Bernadette Pedro
6:00pm Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help
7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Mar. 16

8:00am + Joseph & Magdalena Grima,
Joseph & Pauline Scerri & family
7:00pm + Franco Stumpo & Nazzareno Di Michele
LENTEN MISSION
8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Friday, Mar. 17

St. Patrick

8:00am + Mary Anne Bastiampillai
3:00pm Stations of the Cross (Italian)
6:15pm Stations of the Cross (English)
7:00pm + Joaquim Silva
LENTEN MISSION

Saturday, Mar. 18

St. Cyril of Jerusalem

8:00am + John McShane
9:00am-2:00pm LENTEN RETREAT (Main Hall)
6:00pm + Fausto Sabatino

Sunday, Mar. 19

4th Sunday of Lent

8:30am + Peter Tran Van Kha & Anna Truong Thi Hue
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Antonio Antidormi
2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
4:00pm + Amanda Gabat
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL

Talleres de Oración y Vida del Padre Ignacio Larrañaga inicia este 2 de Marzo, en la parroquia de Santa Catalina de Siena. Vengan este Jueves para conocer más sobre esta experiencia de transformación de Vida. Nos reuniremos durante 15 Jueves de 6 a 8 pm nos reunimos a descubrir diferentes maneras de orar y aprender a entrar en un trato más personal, íntimo y profundo con Dios.

El Jueves 16 (7:30 pm, Iglesia), Viernes 17 (7:30 pm, Iglesia) y Sabado 18 (9:00 - 2:00 pm, Salón Grande) de Marzo participaremos en la Misión Parroquial de Cuaresma con el Padre Gabriel Forero. El tema de la Misión es: "Vengan, para que arreglemos cuentas" (Isaias 1, 18). La reflexión y las preguntas se harán en Inglés y en Español.

El Jueves 16 de Marzo (8:00 pm) participaremos en la Santa Misa en Español.

El Viernes 17 de Marzo no habra asamblea de oración y alabanza del grupo de la Renovacion Carismatica Catolica Hispana, para que participemos en la Santa Misa y Misión Parroquial de Cuaresma (7:00 pm) con el Padre Gabriel Forero.

Hoy, Domingo 12 de Marzo participaremos en el Santo Viacrucis (5:15 pm) y la Santa Misa en Espanol (6:00 pm).

El siguiente es el enlace del Internet para aquellos hermanos y hermanas que deseen participar virtualmente en el Santo Viacrucis y la Santa Misa en Español:

<https://stcatherine.ca/live-mass/>

DATES FOR SACRAMENTS 2023

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Mon., May 1 7:00pm St. Catherine & Mary Fix Schools
Tues., May 23 7:00pm St. Timothy & Fr. Zanon Schools

FIRST COMMUNIONS

Sat., May 6 3:00pm Mary Fix School
Sat., May 13 10:00am St. Catherine of Siena School
Sat., May 27 10:00am St. Timothy & Atrium Schools.,
Sat., May 27 3:00pm Fr. Zanon & Public Schools

CONFIRMATIONS

Mon., May 29 7:00pm St. Catherine & Public Schools
Tues., May 30 7:00pm Fr. Zanon & Mary Fix Schools
Wed., May 31 7:00pm St. Timothy & Atrium Schools

POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS –

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.”

We are in LENT, this very special time for prayer, reflection and charity.



ADULT CATECHISM and RCIA every Monday at 7:00pm in the Main Hall.

The next Session is on **A Love that Lasts: God's Plan for Sexuality**

BIBLE STUDY every Tuesday at 7:30pm in person in Zanon Hall or on Zoom. The 24 lessons will be on the Gospel of Matthew: The King and His Kingdom. Session 9: **New Wine, New Wineskins**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS every Friday during Lent at **3:00pm in Italian** and **6:15pm in English**.

ENGLISH PRAYER GROUP

In person every Saturday at 2:30pm in Scalabrini Hall at St. Catherine of Siena Church.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

SENIORS' MASS on Monday, March 13th at 11:00am followed by potluck lunch in the main hall. No deserts please.

PARISH LENTEN MISSION On March 16-17-18, Thursday & Friday night at 7:00pm in Church, and Saturday, Mass at 8:00am followed by Lenten Retreat in the main hall until 2:00pm. **Theme: "Come now, let us set things right" Isaiah 1:18**

THE FEAST is a faith-lifting community gathering with prayers, songs, talks, fellowships & refreshments; Sunday, March 19th at 3:30pm in Scalabrini Hall. **Talk Theme: UNCLUTTERED**
This is a free, family-friendly event open to all.

PRE-CANA – All couples preparing for marriage, this year or next year, are invited to participate in a series of conferences offered by our parish beginning on Friday, March 24, from 7:00pm till 9:00pm. There will be 6 sessions, which will cover the major aspects of Christian Marriage. The fee is \$125.00 per couple. Participants must register before that date.

SHARE LIFE Sunday is March 26 and we once again ask you to give generously to support Catholic Agencies, who in turn care for the most vulnerable in our communities. As a parish, this is our opportunity to live the Gospel! Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



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