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Dear Friends!

First of all a big congratulations to all of our newly ordained priests!!! And congratulations to Fr. Simon, he is no longer the youngest priest in the Archdiocese! He has held that "distinction" for the last three years!

The new youngest priest in the Archdiocese is: Fr. Angelo Marquez. Hurray!

Please don't forget: no noon time confessions this week or next.

Also please don't forget to pre-register for CCD next year. If you do so the Vacation Bible School is free! The only two pre-registration times left are after the 10:30 Mass this Sunday, May 22 and then this Wednesday May 25 at 4PM, both in the school.

Please get all your friends and everyone you know to sign up for the Vacation Bible School. It will be loads of fun for all the kids (ages kindergarten through 6th grade). When do we ever get to see and be with young, dynamic, faithful and wonderful Sisters? Please do not miss this opportunity.

The VBS is for everyone. Again it's free for our parishioners who pre-register for next year's CCD. For those not from our parish and/or for those who do not pre-register it's \$25 per child. But please do not let money keep someone you know or their children from participating. Scholarships are available for those needing them.

This is one of the best things going for children the whole summer. Please get everyone so we can get as many there as possible. Invite everyone!

We also need a lot of volunteers for that week. June 13-17. Please call Lora Rodriguez [575-309-8130](tel:575-309-8130) if you can help in any way.

Lastly, our Sacred Heart Softball season is off to a tremendous start!!! We have so many people that we will have two whole teams! We have one men's team and one co-ed team. Anyone who wants to play and of any level is welcome!

Seriously, it is riotously fun and great camaraderie, our softball teams. **If you want to play and join this is your last chance to sign up. Please call Josh Romero at [575-218-9326](tel:575-218-9326) immediately if you want in.** Among other things we have to get your t-shirt size and number so we can order the uniforms asap but also the league registration deadline is May 24th. The player fee is \$25 per person which includes everything, the fields the 10 games and tournament

All those playing on the teams, please turn in your \$25 to the office. You have to have payed the player fee before the first game to be able play.

If you are interested in sponsoring our parish softball teams, please let me know!

God bless you all. Have a wonderful first week of summer vacation!

+Fr. Simon

Prayer for priests**Prayed daily by St. Therese of Lisieux**

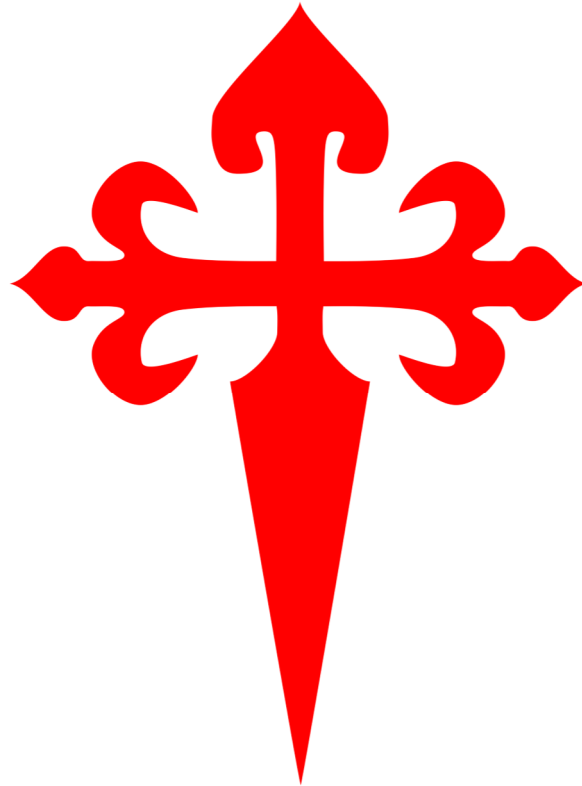
O Almighty Eternal God, Look upon the face of Thy Christ, and for the love of Him, Who is the Eternal High Priest, have pity on Thy priests. Remember, O most compassionate God, that they are but weak and frail human beings. Stir up in them the grace of their vocation which is in them by the imposition of the Bishop's hands. Keep them close to Thee, lest the enemy prevail against them, so that they may never do anything in the slightest degree unworthy of their sublime vocation.

O Jesus, I pray to Thee, for Thy faithful and fervent priests; for Thy unfaithful and tepid priests; for Thy priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields; for Thy tempted priests, for Thy lonely and desolate priests; for Thy young priests; for Thy aged priests; for Thy sick priests; for Thy dying priests; for the souls of Thy priests in purgatory.

But above all, I commend to Thee the priests dearest to me: the priest who baptized me; the priests who absolved me from my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Thy Body and Blood in Holy Communion; the priests who taught and instructed me or helped and encouraged me; all the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way, particularly [name a particular priest of your choosing here]. O Jesus, keep them all close to Thy heart, and bless them abundantly in time and in eternity. Amen.



SACRED HEART MATAMOROS



Softball sign-ups deadline

May 24th. Please call Josh Romero at
(575) 218-9326



Adult Bible Study AM session

Every Wednesday morning, starts at 9AM sharp. We are starting a new series. We will be doing the great Bible Timeline, a journey through the whole Bible. Please come join us in this awesome journey! This is an incredible way to grow in your faith and to learn about the whole Bible. Please do not miss this opportunity! Everyone is welcome!

Adult Bible Study PM session

Every Wednesday evening starting at 6:00PM sharp located in the school building, come and learn more about our Catholic faith and the Bible. All are welcome! The Bible study is the same as in the morning, but allowing those who work or have school to come. Hopefully one of the times (either 9AM or 6PM) works!

See you there!!!

Catholic Women's Bible Study**with play group for kids too!**

Meets every Tuesday morning at 9:30 am. Call Maria Northcutt at (575) 309-2353 or Rosa Bouchard at (575) 762-2336 for more information at (240) 401-8236.

We would like to thank Keelin Cromar for getting this started. You have been a blessing to our parish community. God bless you and your family in your new adventure!

Religious Education Classes

EARLY REGISTRATION



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)
REGISTER EARLY!!!!

Registration for Vacation Bible School, CCD, RCIA, Youth Group, and Confirmation will begin this Wednesday, May 18th from 4:00—6:00 PM in the school. **Please bring a copy of Baptismal & First Holy Communion certificates if they were not provided last year.** The cost will be \$25 per family. If you complete registration for CCD and register your child for Vacation Bible School, the cost for VBS will be **FREE!**

Additional Registration Dates will be as follows:

- Sunday, May 22—after the 10:30 AM Mass
- Wednesday, May 25—4:00—6:00 PM in the school building

For further information, contact Lora Rodriguez at (575) 309-8130



Distribution is held every Saturday of the month. Please come at 8:30 am! This is a truly beautiful ministry living the Gospel and really helping many in need here in our community.

We are in need of volunteers to help!

If you are interested, please call Rosie Buchan at (575) 309-5040 so she can give you further information and to inform you of a time to meet to help prepare for our distribution, or call the parish office and leave your name and phone number so that we may contact you.

Our next distribution will be May 28, 2016.**The Food Pantry is in need of the following items:**

Canned Vegetables,

Canned Meats,

Cereal,

and Lunchbox Snacks

Any help will be greatly appreciated. You can place items in the baskets in the back of the church or bring them into the parish office. Thank you and may God Bless you.

WE ARE NO LONGER IN NEED OF CLOTHING!!!!

We will resume distribution of clothing and blankets during the winter months.



KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

Applicants must be local High School Seniors working towards a degree from a two to four year secondary, vocational, or technical school. All applications are available in the parish office. All applications must be postmarked and mailed by **June 1, 2016.**

MINISTERS – SATURDAY – May 28, 2016

SACRISTANS

5:30 P.M. Katie Haynes-Burns

USHERS

9:00 P.M. Same Loyal & Faithful Bunch

ALTAR SERVERS

5:30 P.M. Kruz Trujillo
Caleb VanBeek
Evan VanBeek

LECTORS

5:30 P.M. Megan Palla
Jack Palla

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:30 P.M.	L-Stephen Haynes*	R-Ed Gomez
	L-Fidel Madrid	R-Julie Wilhelm
	L-Marta Madrid	R-Lola Bryant
	L-Katie Haynes-Burns	R-Vivian Trujillo

MINISTERS – SUNDAY – May 29, 2016

SACRISTANS

8:30 A.M. Mary Shockley & Jesse Alvarez

10:30 A.M. Carlos & Dora Rivero

USHERS

8:30 A.M. Eddie's Angels
10:30 A.M. Same Loyal & Faithful Bunch

ALTAR SERVERS

8:30 A.M. I—Ryan Rowley
Joseph Vickers
Jacob Rowley
Esperanza Tafoya

10:30 A.M. Francisco Rodriguez
Elijah Rodriguez
Marvin Campos

LECTORS

8:30 A.M. Mary Shockley
Lee Smith

10:30 A.M. Ruben Lucio
Kaitlin Lusk

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

8:30 A.M.	L-Lee Smith*	R-Victor Gutierrez*
	L-Lila Lucero	R-Mary Shockley
	L-Jimmy Maes	R-Suzanne Ellis
	L-John Schonberger	R-Jesse Alvarez
10:30 A.M.	L-Betty Maes*	R-Paul Ellis*
	L-Mabel Encinias	R-Annette Madrid
	L-Ruben Encinias	R-Diana Moya
	L-Cliff Kuchta	R-Dora Rivero

CHURCH CLEANING

May 28 – * Anita Fite, Anna Nagro, Fran Calvert

ALTAR LINENS

April & May – Lola Bryant



SATURDAY May 21, 2016

5:30 P.M. Rudy & Amy Armenta (Health)

SUNDAY May 22, 2016

8:30 A.M. † Carlos Encinias
10:30 A.M. For the people of the parish

MONDAY May 23, 2016

5:30 P.M. † Curt Jones

TUESDAY May 24, 2016

7:00 A.M. † Joseph & † Beatrice Sandoval

WED May 25, 2016

12:10 P.M. Fr. Simon Carian

THURSDAY May 26, 2016

7:00 A.M. TBA

FRIDAY May 27, 2016

5:30 P.M. † Cecil Huff

SATURDAY May 28, 2016

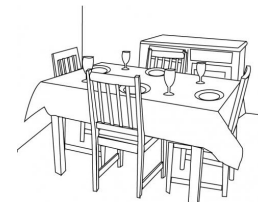
5:30 P.M. † Antonita Martinez

SUNDAY May 29, 2016

8:30 A.M. For the people of the parish
10:30 A.M. † Johnny Jesse Chavez
† Sabina & † Toni Madrid

St Catherine Mission—Melrose, NM

1:00 P.M. † George Roger Barnard



AN EVENING WITH THE SISTERS

Please join our parish in an evening of Dinner, Dessert, and Discussion with the Sisters of Mary, Father Simon and our Seminarian. Bring your questions, along with your family and friends!

Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at 6pm in the Sacred Heart Gym
If you would like to host a table for your family and friends, please call the parish office [575 763-6947](tel:5757636947). Hosting a table includes decorations, place setting and dessert for one 8x10 rectangular table. Dinner and tea will be provided.