

HOLY EUCHARIST CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

**WE ARE A SUPPORTIVE, FAITH FILLED COMMUNITY THAT WELCOMES ALL PEOPLE.
THROUGH OUR BAPTISMAL CALL TO STEWARDSHIP WE BUILD UP THE BODY OF CHRIST
AS WE PRAY, WORSHIP, CELEBRATE AND REACH OUT IN SERVICE TO OTHERS.**

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 28 & MARCH 1, 2026

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:
This is my beloved Son, hear him.
Matthew 17:5



II DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

28 DE FEBRERO Y 1° DE MARZO, 2026

En el esplendor de la nube se oyó la voz del Padre:
"Éste es mi Hijo, el Amado; a él han de escuchar".
Mateo 4:15:5

Mass Schedule/Horario de Misas

Thursday/Jueves 9:00 am Spanish/Español

Friday/Viernes 9:00 am English/Inglés

Saturday/Sábado 4:00 pm English/Inglés

Sunday, Domingo 8:00 am & 10:00 am English, 12:00 pm Español

Holy Days (as scheduled in bulletin)

Días Festivos (según lo programado en el boletín)

Sacraments/Sacramentos

Please call the Parish Office at 722-5490 to make an appointment. Por favor llame la Oficina al 722-5490 para hacer una cita.

Reconciliation Services-By request, before and after Mass

Servicios de Reconciliación-Solamente por petición, antes y después de la Misa

Sacrament of Baptism-Parents and God Parents are required to attend one session of preparation in advance of infant baptism.

Sacramento de Bautizo-Padres y Padrinos se les requiere que atiendan una sesión antes del bautismo del infante.

Sacrament of Marriage

Bride & Groom must begin premarital preparation six months prior to date.

Sacramento de Matrimonio

Novios deberán comenzar una preparación prematrimonial seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.

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Office Hours: Tuesday – Thursday 9:30 am to 4:30 pm, Friday 9:30 am-3:30 pm

Horas de Oficina: Martes – Jueves 9:30 am – 4:30 pm, Viernes 9:30 am-3:30 pm



ALMSGIVING: An Important Lenten Exercise

When we look at the three traditional “disciplines” of Lent, prayer, fasting and almsgiving, we know that almsgiving gets the least attention. Yet, the Bible places emphasis firmly on almsgiving: Prayer and fasting are good, but better than either is almsgiving accompanied by righteousness ... It is better to give alms than to store up gold; for almsgiving saves one from death and expiates every sin. Those who regularly give alms shall enjoy a full life (Tobit 12:8-9). A central part of our faith is the practice of almsgiving. It is a practice described in our Catholic Catechism thusly: The foundational call of Christians to charity is a frequent theme of the Gospels. During Lent, we are asked to focus more intently on “almsgiving,” which means donating money or goods to the poor and performing other acts of charity. As one of the three pillars of Lenten practice, almsgiving is “a witness to fraternal charity” and “a work of justice pleasing to God.” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2462).

To be a Christian steward includes having compassion towards others, especially the most vulnerable in our society. Almsgiving is an act where we imitate the love and mercy that God has for these people by providing for their most basic and fundamental needs. Almsgiving is also an expression of our gratitude for all that God has given us, and a realization that as a member of a community of faith, it is never just about “me and God.” It is fundamental to being a good steward of our community. For disciples of the Lord, almsgiving means much more than simply throwing a little change in the poor box. It is an attitude of generosity. It challenges us to examine how we are using our time, abilities, and money to better the lives of those around us. It urges us to share what we have been given by God with others in love and justice. It reminds us that Jesus blesses those who seek to be “poor in spirit” (Matthew 5:3).

Almsgiving opens our hearts to the realization that God blesses us through those we serve. We see God in the life of Jesus, and we see Jesus in all those who are in need of our care. Look around, see those who are in need, and ask God to take away those obstacles and distractions that keep us from being generous with them. In turn, we will receive God’s blessing in ways we cannot even imagine.



Tamale Sale
March 1st after all Masses
All proceeds will go to out Patio
Enclosure Fund.

Venta de Tamales 1° de marzo después de todas las misas Todo lo recaudado se destinará al Fondo para el Patio.

Second Sunday of Lent

In today’s second reading, Timothy is issued a strong directive: “Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God.” For the early Christians this could mean torture and execution. For most Christians today enduring hardship for the Gospel might include accepting ridicule or mockery, or the suggestion that we lack sophistication. Nevertheless, in his letters, Saint Paul is adamant that we should not be ashamed of being followers of Christ. Good stewards are not ashamed of their allegiance to Christ. They do not hide their faith. Reflect on this question: Are you willing to speak about following Christ Jesus no matter who your listeners happen to be?

Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

En la segunda lectura de hoy, Timoteo recibe una Fuerte directiva: “Comparte conmigo los sufrimientos por la predicación del Evangelio, sostenido por la fuerza de Dios”. Para los primeros cristianos, esto podría significar tortura y ejecución. Para la mayoría de los cristianos de hoy, las dificultades duraderas del Evangelio pueden incluir aceptar el ridículo o la burla, o la sugerencia de que carecemos de sofisticación. Sin embargo, en sus cartas, San Pablo insiste en que no debemos avergonzarnos de ser seguidores de Cristo. Los buenos corresponsables no se avergüenzan de su lealtad a Cristo. No esconden su fe. Reflexione sobre esta pregunta: ¿Está dispuesto a hablar sobre seguir a Cristo Jesús sin importar quiénes sean sus oyentes?

ALMS

At the end of each month we send out donations to the following organizations in our area:

Pajaro Valley Shelter Services
Pajaro Valley Loaves and Fishes
Pregnancy Resource Center

The Alms collected each weekend in the Alms box are used for this purpose. Please give what you can, when you can. Thank you for your continued support.

LIMOSNAS

Al final de cada mes enviamos donaciones a las siguientes organizaciones en nuestra área:

Pajaro Valley Shelter Services
Pajaro Valley Loaves and Fishes
Pregnancy Resource Center

Las limosnas recolectadas cada fin de semana se utilizan para este propósito. Por favor, dé lo que pueda, cuando pueda. Gracias por su continuo apoyo.

Please join the Holy Eucharist
Rosary Group.

The group meets on Tuesdays at 10:30
am here in the church.

Mass Schedule & Readings

Saturday, February 28

4:00 pm Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
+Michael Spellman (Berdell Spellman)
For the Special Intention of Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)

Sunday, March 1

Second Sunday of Lent

8:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
+Michael Spellman (Berdell Spellman)
+Gino Stefanini (Art & Chris Rodriguez)
+Lynn Eaton (Holy Eucharist)
For the Special Intention of Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)

10:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)

For the People of Holy Eucharist
+Eric Ackerman (Alois & Rosario Ackerman)

12:00 pm Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Spanish)

+Jose Francisco Regalado (Rosa Regalado)
+Marjorie Albright (Maricela Botello)
+Souls in Purgatory (Maricela Botello)
+Rosa Hernandez (Holy Eucharist)
For the Special Intention of Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)
For the Special Intentions of Marco Antonio Rodriguez & Maria Angelina Muñoz (Maricela Botello)
For the Special Intentions of Marciano Muñoz, Conchita Ortiz, Elvira Mariscal, Maria Elena Mariscal & Maria del Carmen Garcia Ramirez

R: Genesis 12:1-4a; 2 Timothy 1:8b-10; Matthew 17:1-9

Monday, March 2

R: Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday, March 3

R: Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday, March 4

R: Jeremiah 18:18-20; Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday, March 5

9:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Spanish)
+Rosa Hernandez

R: Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31

Friday, March 6

9:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
R: Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday, March 7

4:00 pm Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
+Robert Barrett (Jackie Kiely)
+Lynn Eaton (Karen Victorino & Jolene McFeely)

Sunday, March 8

Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
For the People of Holy Eucharist

10:00 am Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (English)
+Hermila & Herminio Vera (Francisco Vera & Family)
+Alonso Martinez (Francisco Vera & Family)
+Eric Ackerman (Alois & Rosario Ackerman)

12:00 pm Mass (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Spanish)
+Jose Francisco Regalado (Rosa Regalado)
+Cristian Correa Morales (Maricela Botello)
+Antonio Botello & Enrique Guerrero (Maricela Botello)
+Rosa Hernandez

For the Special Intention of Angelina Botello (Maricela Botello)
For the Special Intentions of Marco Antonio Rodriguez & Maria Angelina Muñoz (Maricela Botello)
For the Special Intentions of Elvira Mariscal, Maria Elena Mariscal & Conchita Ortiz

R: Exodus 17:3-7; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42

Horarios & Lecturas de la Misa

Sábado, 28 de Febrero

4:00 pm Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
+Michael Spellman (Berdell Spellman)
Intención Especial de Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)

Domingo, 1° de Marzo

II Domingo de Cuaresma

8:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
+Michael Spellman (Berdell Spellman)
+Gino Stefanini (Art y Chris Rodriguez)
+Lynn Eaton (Holy Eucharist)
Intención Especial de Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)

10:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)

Feligreses de la Parroquia
+Eric Ackerman (Alois y Rosario Ackerman)

12:00 pm Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Español)

+Jose Francisco Regalado (Rosa Regalado)
+Marjorie Albright (Maricela Botello)
+Almas del Purgatorio (Maricela Botello)
+Rosa Hernandez (Holy Eucharist)
Intención Especial de Alfredo Madrigal (Angie Madrigal)
Intenciones Especiales de Marco Antonio Rodriguez y Maria Angelina Muñoz (Maricela Botello)
Intenciones Especiales de Marciano Muñoz, Conchita Ortiz, Elvira Mariscal, Maria Elena Mariscal y Maria del Carmen Garcia Ramirez

L: Génesis 12:1-4; 2 Timoteo 1:8-10; Mateo 17:1-9

Lunes, 2 de Marzo

L: Daniel 9:4-10; Lucas 6:36-38

Martes, 3 de Marzo

L: Isaías 1:10, 16-20; Mateo 23:1-12

Miércoles, 4 de Marzo

L: Jeremías 18:18-20; Mateo 20:17-28

Jueves, 5 de Marzo

9:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Español)
+Rosa Hernandez

L: Jeremías 17:5-10; Lucas 16:19-31

Viernes, 6 de Marzo

9:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
L: Génesis 37:3-4, 12-13, 17-28; Mateo 21:33-43, 45-46

Sábado, 7 de Marzo

4:00 pm Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
+Robert Barrett (Jackie Kiely)
+Lynn Eaton (Karen Victorino y Jolene McFeely)

Domingo, 8 de Marzo

III Domingo de Cuaresma

8:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
Feligreses de la Parroquia

10:00 am Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Inglés)
+Hermila y Herminio Vera (Francisco Vera y Familia)
+Alonso Martinez (Francisco Vera y Familia)
+Eric Ackerman (Alois y Rosario Ackerman)

12:00 pm Misa (Fr. Derek Hughes) (Español)
+Jose Francisco Regalado (Rosa Regalado)
+Cristian Correa Morales (Maricela Botello)
+Antonio Botello y Enrique Guerrero (Maricela Botello)
+Rosa Hernandez

Intención Especial de Angelina Botello (Maricela Botello)
Intenciones Especiales de Marco Antonio Rodriguez y Maria Angelina Muñoz (Maricela Botello)
Intenciones Especiales de Elvira Mariscal, Maria Elena Mariscal y Conchita Ortiz

L: Éxodo 17:3-7; Romanos 5:1-2, 5-8; Juan 5:5-42



Lenten Retreat

On Saturday, March 14th, 11 am- 4 pm, we will have a Lenten retreat for all of you who are involved in the ministries at work here at Holy Eucharist (Greeters, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Scrip Sellers, Musicians, Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick, Donut Ministry, Sacristans, Catechists, Feed the Hungry, etc.).

The retreat is for both Spanish and English ministers—we will start the retreat together in the church.

After a brief welcome we will separate into 2 groups— English and Spanish. We will come together again in the patio for lunch, and return to our groups until 4 pm, at which time we invite you to attend the 4 pm Mass celebrated by Fr. Paul Botenhagen.

Please call the office if you plan to attend.

Retiro Cuaresmal

El Sábado 14 de Marzo, 11 am-4 pm, tendremos un retiro Cuaresmal para todos los que participan en los ministerios de la Parroquia Sagrada Eucaristía (hospitalidad, ministros de Eucaristía, lectores, vendedores de Scrip, músicos, ministros de la Eucaristía para los enfermos, ministerio de las donas, sacristanes, catequistas, ministerio de alimentación a los necesitados, etc.). El retiro es para ministros en Inglés y Español; comenzaremos juntos en la iglesia. Después de una breve bienvenida, nos dividiremos en dos grupos: uno en inglés y otro en español. Nos reuniremos nuevamente en el patio para almorzar y regresaremos a nuestros grupos hasta las 4:00 pm. Los invitamos a asistir a la misa de 4 pm. Con el Padre Paul Botenhagen. Por favor, llame a la oficina si planea asistir. Gracias por todo lo que hacen por la parroquia.

Donation Letter 2025

If you would like a donation letter stating your tax deductible contributions to Holy Eucharist for the year 2025, please contact the office by phone 722-5490 or email, office.holyeucharistca@yahoo.com

Carta de Donación 2025

Si usted necesita una carta de donación como contribuidor, para deducir sus impuestos de la Parroquia del año 2025, por favor llame a la oficina 722-5490 o email office.holyeucharistca@yahoo.com

FEED THE HUNGRY

***Team #3 is hosting this Monday
Salvation Army-Watsonville, CA***

Food for the hungry is provided each Monday evening. You can contribute to this program by leaving a monetary contribution in the brown wooden on the offering table.

Meals served last week:

February 23, 2026—81 Total Meals

Thank you to all that contribute to this ministry.



Programa Dar Comer al Hambriento

***El equipo #3 estará sirviendo este Lunes.
Salvation Army- Watsonville, CA***

Todos los lunes por la noche se sirve comida caliente para las personas que tienen hambre. Usted puede contribuir al programa dejando su contribución monetaria en la caja de madera marrón sobre la mesa de ofrendas.

Comidas Servidas la semana pasada:

23 de Febrero, 2026—81 Alimentos Totales

Gracias a todos los que contribuyen a este ministerio.

Lenten Penance Service

Thursday, March 26, 2026

7:00 pm.

There will be several priests on hand to hear your individual confessions.



Servicio de Reconciliación Cuaresmal

Jueves, 26 de Marzo, 2026

7:00 pm.

Habrá varios sacerdotes para escuchar confesiones individuales.

*Be angry, and yet do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not give the devil an opportunity. All bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and slander must be removed from you, along with all malice. Be kind to one another, compassionate, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.
Ephesians 4:26-27, 32-32*

*Si se enojan, no pequen; que el enojo no les dure todo el día. No le den oportunidad al diablo. Alejen de ustedes la amargura, las pasiones, los enojos, los gritos, los insultos y toda clase de maldad. Sean buenos y compasivos unos con otros, y perdónense mutuamente, como Dios los perdonó a ustedes en Cristo.
Efesios 4:26-27, 31-32*

Scrip is an ongoing fundraiser here at Holy Eucharist. For every gift card you buy, a percentage stays here. Scrip is sold after Mass this weekend and during office hours, Tuesday-Friday, 9:30 am-3:00 pm. Thank you for your support.

2026 Annual Ministry Appeal for the Diocese of Monterey
“Walking in His Light as Messengers of Hope”

Please prayerfully consider your gift to this year's **AMA**. As our Parish strives to unite in Christ with the faithful of the Diocese, we will see ourselves being good stewards of the many gifts the Lord provides each and every one of us.

2026 AMA Project– to replace the patio awnings with a permanent structure. The awnings have served their time, they are tattered and are further damaged each time there is a large storm. The patio enclosure is important for our fundraisers as well as receptions after funerals, etc.

Thank you for your continued support.

All money donated once we have met our goal comes back here to Holy Eucharist. You should have received a letter from Father Derek, with a donation envelope enclosed. If you do not receive an envelope in the mail, please call the office and one will be sent to you. There are also envelopes available in the foyer.

Campaña Ministerial Anual para la Diócesis de Monterey
“Caminando en Su Luz como Mensajeros de Esperanza”

Considere en oración su donación a la **AMA** de este año. Mientras nuestra Parroquia se esfuerza por unirse en Cristo con los fieles de la Diócesis, nos veremos siendo buenos administradores de los muchos dones que el Señor nos brinda a todos y cada uno de nosotros.

Proyecto AMA 2026: reemplazar los toldos del patio por una estructura permanente. Los toldos ya han cumplido su tiempo, están hechos jirones y se dañan aún más cada vez que hay tormentas. El cerramiento del patio es importante para nuestras recaudaciones de fondos, así como para las recepciones después de los funerales, etc.

Gracias por su continuo apoyo.

Todo el dinero donado una vez que hayamos cumplido nuestra meta regresa aquí a la Sagrada Eucaristía. Deberías haber recibido una carta del padre Derek, con un sobre de donación adjunto. Si no recibe un sobre por correo, llame a la oficina y le enviaremos uno. También hay sobres disponibles en el vestíbulo.

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi (Prayer for Peace)

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

Amen.



Oración por la paz (San Francisco de Asís)

Señor, hazme un instrumento de Tu paz.

Donde hay odio, que lleve yo el Amor.

Donde haya ofensa, que lleve yo el Perdón.

Donde haya discordia, que lleve yo la Unión.

Donde haya duda, que lleve yo la Fe.

Donde haya error, que lleve yo la Verdad.

Donde haya desesperación, que lleve yo la Alegría.

Donde haya tinieblas, que lleve yo la Luz.

Donde haya tristeza, que lleve yo la Alegría.

Señor, que yo no busque ser consolado, si no consolar;
ser comprendido, como comprender; ser amado, si no amar.

Porque es dándose como se recibe; es olvidándose de sí mismo como uno se encuentra a sí mismo; es perdonando como se es perdonado; es muriendo como se resucita a la vida eterna. Amén.

Empowering Growth in Ghana

By supporting CRS Rice Bowl, you help parents and caregivers in Ghana to receive training in health, nutrition and early childhood development. That means, young children in these communities are better able to thrive and meet critical milestones in their growth. Visit crsricebowl.org/week-2 to read this week's Story of Hope.

Apoyando el desarrollo y bienestar infantil en Ghana

Al participar en Plato de Arroz de CRS, ayudas a que los padres de familia y cuidadores en Ghana reciban capacitación en salud, nutrición y desarrollo infantil para que sus niños crezcan sanos y alcancen etapas importantes de su desarrollo. Visita crsplatodearroz.org/semana-2 para leer la Historia de Esperanza de esta semana.

Please call us if you know of someone who is ill or homebound and would like to receive Communion.
Our Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick would be happy to make a visit.

Por favor llámenos si sabe de alguien que esté enfermo o que no pueda salir de casa y le gustaría recibir la sagrada comunión. Nuestros ministros de la Eucaristía para los enfermos, con gusto le harán una visita.

Parish Calendar

Monday, March 2
Office Closed
Salvation Army -Team #3 4:15 pm

Tuesday, March 3
10:30 am Rosary Group
4:30 pm 1st Year Religious Education

Wednesday, March 4
10:00 am Bible Study-English
7:00 pm Bible Study-Spanish

Thursday, March 5
9:00 am Mass-Spanish
3:00 pm Second Harvest Food Bank
4:30 pm 2nd Year Religious Education

Friday, March 6
9:00 am Mass-English
9:30 pm Office Hours

Saturday, March 7
4:00 pm Mass-English



Calendario Parroquial

Lunes, 2 de Marzo
Oficina Cerrada
Salvation Army - Equipo #3 4:15 pm

Martes, 3 De Marzo
10:30 am Grupo de Rosario
4:30 pm 1° Año de Educación Religiosa

Miércoles, 4 de Marzo
10:00 am Estudio de Biblia-Inglés
7:00 pm Estudio de Biblia-Español

Jueves, 5 de Marzo
9:00 am Misa-Español
3:00 pm Banco de Comida
4:30 pm Segundo Año de Educación Religiosa

Viernes, 6 de Marzo
9:00 am Misa-Inglés
9:30 am-3:30 pm Horas de Oficina

Sabado, 7 de Marzo
4:00 pm Misa-Inglés

Stewardship of Treasure Plate Collections February 21 & 22, 2026

Plate Collection & Mail in Donations	\$2,634.59
Electronic Donations (Plate only)	\$ 775.77
Total	\$3,410.36
Weekly Plate Collection Budgeted (needed)	\$3,860.17
Shortage	-\$ 449.81

Reporte de Finanzas de Corresponsabilidad Colecta de la Limosna 21 y 22 de Febrero, 2026

Misas de fin de Semana	\$2,634.59
Donaciones Electrónicas	\$ 775.77
Total	\$3,410.36
Colecta de la limosna semanal Presupuesto (necesario)	\$3,860.17
El Déficit	-\$ 449.81

Second Collections

March 7 & 8-Parish Development
March 21 & 22-Catholic Relief Services

Segundas Colectas

7 y 8 de Marzo-Desarrollo Parroquial
21 y 22 de Marzo-Caridades Catolicas

We have one more bench in our Stations of the Cross Garden. We would like to dedicate it to our dear Lynn Eaton. If you would like to make a contribution to this project, please send donations to the office. Thank you for your support.

Tenemos una banca más en nuestro Jardín del Vía Crucis. Se lo dedicaremos a nuestra querida Lynn Eaton. Si desea contribuir a este proyecto, por favor, envíe sus donaciones a la oficina. Gracias por su apoyo.

May our Prayers be a comfort to our parish family.

Que nuestras oraciones sean un consuelo para las familias de nuestra parroquia.

Sergio Abarca, Dana Alaga, Mabel Alameda, Wanda Allee, Mary Ellen Ambriz, Virginia Anderson, Jane Ango, Leonardo Arias, Richie Avalos, Camille Baxter, George Boero, Ken Brodkey, Tony & Vickie Cadiente, Ana & Jose Cahue, Karen Campbell, Laurie Chapman, Gretchen Coffey, Coco Conklin, Teri Corman, Greg Cornell, Aileen Correa, Trish Cronin, Mary Cross, Elizabeth Dailey, Roberta Dallimonti, Diane DeLisle, Lori Dewitt, The Dias Family, The Diaz Family, Jessica Dixon, Joseph Bradley Diaz, Marilynn Fanucci, The Faria Family, Maria Flores, Patty Galvan, Catalina Garcia, Ed Golditch, Jasmine Gomez, Maria Cuqui Gonzalez, Donna Harlan, Fr. Derek Hughes, Barry Jennings, Larry Jennings, Daniel Johnston, Robin Jozovich, Robin Karr, Susie Kehoe, Nancy Kirk, The Landacre Family, June Landacre, Joanne Landa, The Landis Family, Anabella Grace Legare, Terry Locke-Paddon, Connor Lopez, Chris Luffman, Juana Magdaleno, Ken & Romba Maitoza, Alfredo Marquez, Angelica Marquez, Lorena Marquez, Maru Marquez, Alfredo Madrigal, Raiden Martinez, Susie Martinez, Rose Marie McNair, Rebeka Medina, Emma Morales, Rosie Morales, Luis & Maura Motta, Theresa Orosco, Daniela Ortiz, Michael Ortiz, Lucinda Pappani, Jane Patricio, Aidan Patterson, The Pezzini Family, Steve Podulke, Caroline Policicchio, Oliver Potts, Sue Proost, Maria Quintana, Luis Ramirez, Adrian Renteria, Elaine Ribeiro, Mary Ringrose, Joel Rivera, Elis Rojas, Serafin Lopez Rojas, Kathie Skov Rossi, Jose Rufino, Johnny & Yoli Salgado, Baby Samuel, Robert Schuster, Sandra Silva, Ed Smith, Tom Stickel, Barbara Stringari, Julio Cesar Tena, Pedro (Elyer) Torres, The Valdivia Family, Genoveva Vázquez, Arturo Villalobos, Paul Vitali, Laura Wallenstein, Betsy Walsh, Dan & Kateri Walsh, Andy Wiley and Jim Wood, Emil Yappert.



LENT 2026

Holy Eucharist Catholic Community

Fr. Derek Hughes



= a day of fasting and abstinence from meat



= a day of abstinence from meat

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>"Lent is the liturgical season of forty days which begins with Ash Wednesday and ends with the celebration of the Paschal Mystery (Easter Triduum). Lent is the primary penitential season in the Church's liturgical year, reflecting the forty days Jesus spent in the desert in fasting and prayer" (<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>).</p> <p>22 Stay after Mass and pray for a spiritually fruitful Lent.</p>	<p>23 Pray the Morning Offering before checking your phone.</p>	<p>24 "Peace begins with a smile" (Mother Teresa). Resolve to smile at everyone.</p>	<p>16 <i>Ash Wednesday</i> Attend Mass and receive the cross of ashes — a sign of humility and repentance.</p>	<p>19 Fast from social media for one evening each week.</p>	<p>20 Remember to abstain from meat today. Pray for those who can't afford to have meat.</p>	<p>21 Spend five minutes in silent prayer each morning or night during Lent.</p>
<p>1 March Read Matthew 17:1-9. Where does God want to transform your heart, prayer, and life?</p>	<p>2 Today, pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory, who always need our prayers.</p>	<p>3 Read the daily Gospel and meditate on one line that stands out to you.</p>	<p>4 Today, choose silence instead of complaining.</p>	<p>5 Pray for Christians experiencing persecution. Pray for a conversion of heart for the persecutors.</p>	<p>6 Return love for Love. Visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, where He waits in love.</p>	<p>7 Avoid gossip and change the subject when it starts. If it's untrue, unkind, or confidential, don't say it.</p>
<p>8 Read John 4:5-42. Where do you go when life feels messy? What if Jesus met you there?</p>	<p>9 If your responsibilities permit it, choose one weekday this week to attend Daily Mass.</p>	<p>10 Practice patience intentionally with one difficult person.</p>	<p>11 Skip a meal and donate the money saved from fasting to the poor box.</p>	<p>12 First thing today, tell God, "Thy Will be done!" — and really mean it!</p>	<p>13 Give up a small luxury - drive-thru coffee, streaming, take-out meals - just for today for God.</p>	<p>14 Do a hidden act of service without seeking thanks.</p>
<p>15 <i>Laetare Sunday</i> The priest wears rose for the halfway point of Lent. Enjoy a small treat to celebrate.</p>	<p>16 Holy Week and Easter are busy times for parishes and ask how you can help.</p>	<p>17 <i>St. Patrick's Day</i> Pray for missionaries and catechists who, like St. Patrick, bring the faith to every corner of the world.</p>	<p>18 Experience God's mercy and attend Confession this week.</p>	<p>19 <i>St. Joseph's Day</i> Say an extra prayer for your father. Don't forget the priests — spiritual fathers.</p>	<p>20 Buy food or hygiene items for a local pantry.</p>	<p>21 Take a mini-retreat. Reserve time to silence your phone, light a candle, and be with Jesus.</p>
<p>22 Stay after Mass and pray for the intentions of the Pope and your bishop.</p>	<p>23 Give the gift of a spiritual bouquet — a note recording prayers said for someone who needs them.</p>	<p>24 Think before you speak, especially before responding in annoyance or anger. Recall the presence of God.</p>	<p>25 <i>The Annunciation</i> We celebrate Mary's "yes," which opened the way for Christ's coming. Pray the Rosary in her honor.</p>	<p>26 Set out a box and fill it with gently used items, books, or clothes. When it's full, bring it to its destination.</p>	<p>27 Abstain from recreational screen-use between 12:00pm and 3:00pm in honor of Jesus' final hours on the Cross.</p>	<p>28 Visit a church or chapel for 10 minutes of quiet if possible.</p>
<p>29 <i>Palm Sunday</i> Read Matthew 27:11-54, accompanying Jesus through His trial, Passion, and Death.</p>	<p>30 This whole week, practice the Heroic Minute and get up the moment your alarm rings.</p>	<p>31 Say grace slowly and intentionally, with gratitude, before meals today.</p>	<p>1 April Today is the day, Judas plotted to betray Christ. Take time to seek forgiveness or to extend it, if needed.</p>	<p>2 <i>Holy Thursday</i> Visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Thank Him for the Eucharist, the Mass, and the Priesthood.</p>	<p>3 <i>Good Friday</i> Pray the Stations of the Cross. Your presence and love today consoled Him then.</p>	<p>4 <i>Holy Saturday</i> Thank God for His blessings this Lent. Consider which practices you will continue.</p>

CUARESMA 2026

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Domingo	Lunes	Martes	Miércoles	Jueves	Viernes	Sábado
<p>22</p> <p>Quédese después de Misa y rece por una Cuaresma espiritualmente fructífera.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Reza la Oración de la Mañana antes de revisar tu teléfono.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>“La paz comienza con una sonrisa” (Santa Teresa de Calcuta). Propóngase sonreír a todos.</p>	<p>18</p> <p><i>Asht Wednesday</i> Asiste a la Misa y recibe la cruz de ceniza, signo de humildad y arrepentimiento.</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Ayuna de las redes sociales una noche a la semana.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Recuerda abstenerte de comer carne hoy. Ora por quienes no pueden permitirse comer carne.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Dedica cinco minutos a la oración en silencio cada mañana o cada noche durante la Cuaresma.</p>
<p>1</p> <p>Marzo Lee Mateo 17:1-9. ¿En qué quiere Dios transformar tu corazón, tu oración y tu vida?</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Hoy, reza por las Almas Santas del Purgatorio, que siempre necesitan nuestras oraciones.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Lee el Evangelio del día y medita sobre una línea que te llame la atención</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Reza hoy por una persona específica, mencionándola por su nombre.</p>	<p>26</p> <p>La preocupación cierra el corazón. Reenplázala con confianza: «Jesús, en Ti confío».</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Incluso cuando las cosas salen mal, sé paciente, empezando contigo mismo.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Cumple un compromiso o una promesa que has estado postergando.</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Lee Juan 4:5-42. ¿A dónde acudes cuando la vida se siente desordenada? ¿Y si Jesús te encontrara allí?</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Si tus responsabilidades te lo permiten, elige un día entre semana esta semana para asistir a la Misa diaria.</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Practica la paciencia de manera intencional con una persona difícil.</p>	<p>II</p> <p>Omite una comida y dona el dinero ahorrado por el ayuno a la caja de los pobres.</p>	<p>12</p> <p>A primera hora de hoy, dile a Dios: «¡Hágase tu voluntad!» — y dílo de verdad.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Renuncia a un pequeño lujo — café para llevar, servicios de streaming, comidas para llevar — solo por hoy, por Dios.</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Haz un acto de servicio oculto sin buscar agradecimiento.</p>
<p>15</p> <p><i>Domingo de Laetare</i> El sacerdote viste de color rosa en el punto medio de la Cuaresma. Disfruta de un pequeño regalo para celebrarlo.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>La Semana Santa y la Pascua son tiempos muy ocupados para las parroquias: pregunta cómo puedes ayudar.</p>	<p>17</p> <p><i>Día de San Patricio</i> Ora por los misioneros y catequistas en todo el mundo.</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Experimenta la misericordia de Dios y asiste a la Confesión esta semana.</p>	<p>19</p> <p><i>El día de San José</i> Ora por los misioneros y catequistas que, como san Patricio, llevan la fe a cada rincón del mundo.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Compra alimentos o artículos de higiene para un banco de alimentos local.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Haz un mini retiro. Reserva un tiempo para silenciar tu teléfono, encender una vela y estar con Jesús.</p>
<p>22</p> <p>Quédate después de la Misa y ora por las intenciones del Papa y de tu obispo.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Ofrece el regalo de un ramo espiritual — una nota que registre las oraciones ofrecidas por alguien que las necesita.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Piensa antes de hablar, especialmente antes de responder con molestia o enojo. Recuerda la presencia de Dios.</p>	<p>25</p> <p><i>La Anunciación</i> Celebremos el “sí” de María, que abrió el camino para la venida de Cristo. Reza el Rosario en su honor.</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Coloca una caja y llénala con artículos, libros o ropa en buen estado. Cuando esté llena, llévala a su destino.</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Abstente del uso recreativo de pantallas entre las 12:00 p. m. y las 3:00 p. m., en honor a las últimas horas de Jesús en la Cruz.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Visita una iglesia o capilla para 10 minutos de silencio, si es posible.</p>
<p>29</p> <p><i>Domingo de Palmas</i> Lee Mateo 27:11-54, acompañando a Jesús en su juicio, Pasión y Muerte.</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Durante toda esta semana, practica el Minuto Heroico y levántate en el momento en que suene tu alarma.</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Di la bendición antes de las comidas hoy, despacio y de manera intencional, con gratitud.</p>	<p>I</p> <p>Hoy es el día en que Judas planeó traicionar a Cristo. Tómate un tiempo para buscar el perdón o para otorgarlo, si es necesario.</p>	<p>2</p> <p><i>Santo Jueves</i> Visita a Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento. Dale gracias por la Eucaristía, la Misa y el Sacerdocio.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Reza el Vía Crucis. Tu presencia y tu amor hoy lo consolaron entonces.</p>	<p>4</p> <p><i>Santo Sábado</i> Da gracias a Dios por sus bendiciones durante esta Cuaresma. Considera qué prácticas continuarás.</p>



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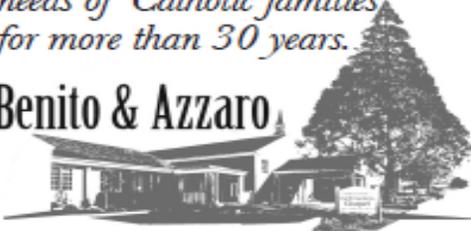
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