2nd Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2020

“This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.” - Mt 17:5b

“Este es mi Hijo muy amado, en quien tengo puestas mis complacencias; escúchenlo”. - Mt 17, 5
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If you are new to the area, looking for a new spiritual home, or have been attending mass at the Cathedral Basilica and haven’t formally registered, we would like to invite you to become part of our spiritual family. Registration forms can be found on our website www.cbsfa.org (look for the Parish Registration tab) or by visiting our parish office. Adults, 18 and older are invited to register under their own name.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Ready Reasons
Was Jesus’ Sacrifice Enough?
The Catholic teaching on penance is often rejected because they think it implies Jesus’ death on the cross was not enough. Learn why that is not actually the case.
Second Week of Lent

Sunday, March 8 - Second Sunday of Lent (Daylight Savings Time Begins)

- Second Collection for the benefit of Santo Niño School
- Coffee & Donuts following the 8AM & 10AM Mass in Crispin Hall

8:00 AM +Mercy Roybal - George T. Roybal
   For the People of the Parish
10:00 AM +Antonia P. Maes - Deacon Juan & Mary Jane Martinez
   +Louise McKenna/Robert Wallace, Jr. - Cecilia & Emil Matic
   +Michael & Michelle Sedillo Hardy - Dorothy & Pablo Sedillo

12:00 PM +Elizabeth Rael - Natasha Montoya
   +Greg Chavez - Natasha Montoya
   +Emily Rael - Natasha Montoya

Monday, March 9
7:00 AM Health & Wellbeing of Bishop Rene Gracida - John & Loretta Funk
   +Frank Dofflemeyer - Henrietta Dofflemeyer-Deagueru
   +Jose A. Quintana - Family

Tuesday, March 10
7:00 AM +Carolyn Fitzsimmons - Jean G. Rodriguez
   +Catherine Anstey - Vicki Chris Benson
   +Bernice & Tomas Mendez - Ray & Margie Mendez

Wednesday, March 11
- Coffee & Donuts following the 7AM Mass in Clare Hall - KofC
7:00 AM +Msgr. Morgan Rowsome - John & Loretta Funk
   +Mercy Roybal - George T. Roybal
   +Jim Kendrigan - Kathy Kendrigan

Thursday, March 12
7:00 AM +Mercedes Roybal - Loretta & John Funk
   +Matilde Cordoba - Teresa C. Holloway
   +Kevin Kendrigan - Kathy Kendrigan

Friday, March 13
7:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus & their Benefactors
   For the departed souls not in heaven who have no one to pray for them - Anonymous
   +Alicia Gutierrez - Teresa C. Holloway

Saturday, March 14
- Rosary following the 7AM Mass in La Conquistadora Chapel led by the K of C
7:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus & their Benefactors
   +Grace & Alex Gutierrez - Jean G. Rodriguez
   +Pete & Dora Chavez - John P. Chavez

5:15 PM Health & Wellbeing of Travis Funk Family - Parents
   +Tonita & Francisca Roybal - Ramon M. Roybal
   +Ida Ortiz - Ministers of Hospitality

Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, “Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.” – Mt 17:1-5

Readings for the Week of March 8, 2020

Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/ Mt 17:1-9
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. Ps 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gb 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

What the Parish needs weekly to meets its obligations:

- $18,654.00

Envelopes:
- $9,854.00

Loose Money:
- $3,031.00

Online Giving:
- $4,911.00

Total Collection:
- $17,796.00

Shortfall:
- ($858.00)
The readings for the Second Sunday of Lent encourage us to trust God and to listen to his Son. The First Reading presents the call of Abraham from Genesis 12. Recorded during the period of Israel’s monarchy in the tenth-century BC, this story spoke to those times: Israel had become a great nation united under a single monarchy and a single king, David. The people of Israel were blessed with land and descendants that had elevated Israel to a status unknown in their previous thousand years of existence. From this place, Israel saw Abraham as their great patriarch—the first to trust God to be the guide for his people.

The Gospel reading tells of the Transfiguration of Jesus. From Matthew’s Jewish community, the setting on a high mountain, the presence of Moses, the overshadowing cloud and Jesus’ transfigured face and clothes would have conjured up images of Exodus 19-24, Moses receiving the law on Mount Sinai. They would have heard Jesus’ Transfiguration in the context of their own traditional sacred stories. But in this Transfiguration account, Matthew aims for more than preserving details that would be familiar to his community. Matthew is teaching that God is doing something new; God’s definitive revelation now lies with his beloved Son. Just as God told Abraham to trust him, God now calls the three disciples (Peter, James and John) to trust the words of his beloved Son; “Listen to him” (Matthew 17:5).

These readings teach us how to be open to God’s grace: we must trust God to be our guide and listen to the words of his beloved Son. As our Lenten journey continues, we can turn to the words Jesus spoke to the disciples: “Rise, and do not be afraid” (Matthew 17:7).

Faith Formation classes:
5:30 PM - 6:45 PM (K-8)
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (Confirmation/RCIA)

Spring Break Monday, March 16, 2020

Thank you to the Quintana’s from Baskin Robin, who
Generously donated the Chocolate, Vanilla, and Strawberry
Ice Cream for our Ice Cream Social.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for your help in
preparing and serving our delicious treat!

Thank you to all who attended and joined in prayer as we
celebrated as one faith community and prepared for Lent!

Communion to the Homebound
Deacon Bill’s Ministry to the Homebound has
a number of volunteers who take the Eucharist
to anyone in the parish who cannot attend Mass
due to illness, disability or age. Volunteers are
available Sundays after the 10am Mass or on Friday mornings
(other times by arrangement). If you or someone you know
needs this service, please call 505.955.8876 and a volunteer will contact
you.

All Doctors, Nurses and EMT’s!
We need your help. We are asking for you to please
identify yourselves to either the security or hospitality
folks at the entrances of the Cathedral when you ar-
rive for mass. This will be extremely helpful in case
of an emergency during mass. Many thanks for your
help and God Bless.

Into the Breach
Wednesday at 6:30 PM, Deacon Bill Kollasch at the St Katheryn
Drexel Center every Wednesday during lent call for more infor-
mation 505.470.6071

"Into the Breach" is Bishop Thomas J. Olmsted apostolic exhorta-
tion which outlines the challenges faced by men of faith in the
world today. Into the Breach is a call to battle for Catholic men
which urges them to wholeheartedly embrace masculine virtues in
a world at crisis. By reading and discussing Bishop Olmsted’s in-
spirational words and accompanying study guide, men will prayer-
fully examine the enormous breach in doing so, they will begin to
devise a personal plan of spirituality.
Census 101
What You Need to Know
Lo que necesita saber sobre el censo

The 2020 Census is closer than you think! Here’s a quick refresher of what it is and why it’s essential everyone is counted.

¡El censo del 2020 está más cerca de lo que piensas! A continuación te damos un rápido repaso de lo que es y por qué es esencial que todos seaos contados.

Everyone Counts
The census counts every person living in the U.S. once, only once and in the right place.

Todos cuentan
El censo cuenta a cada persona viviendo en los Estados Unidos solo una vez y en el lugar correcto.

It’s in the Constitution
The U.S Constitution requires a census every 10 years. The census covers the entire country and everyone living there. The first census was in 1790.

Está en la constitución
La constitución de los Estados Unidos requiere un censo cada 10 años. El censo cubre el país entero y todos los que viven ahí. El primer censo fue en 1790.

It’s about $675 billion
Census data determine how more than $675 billion are spent, supporting your state, country and community’s vital programs.

Se trata de $675 billones
La información obtenida en el censo determina como más de $675 billones de dólares serán gastados, apoyando a tu estado, país y programas vitales en tu comunidad.

It’s about redistricting
After each census, state officials use the results to redraw the boundaries of their congressional and state legislative districts, adapting to population shifts.

Se trata de la redistribución de distritos
Después de cada censo, oficiales del estado usan los resultados para delinear los límites de sus distritos legislativos del Congreso y del Estado, adaptándose a los cambios de población.

Taking part is your civic duty
Completing the census is required: it’s a way to participate in our democracy and say “I COUNT!”

Participar es tu deber civil
Participar en el censo es un requisito: Es una manera de participar en nuestra democracia y decir “YO CUENTO”.

United States Census Bureau
U.S. Department of Commerce Economics and Statistics Administration
U.S. CENSUS BUREAU
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United States Census 2020
Census Data Is Used All Around You

Residents
Residents use the census to support community initiatives involving legislation, quality-of-life and consumer advocacy.

Los residentes
Los residentes usan el censo para apoyar iniciativas de la comunidad relacionadas con la legislación, calidad de vida y defensa del consumidor.

Local Governments
Local governments use the census for public safety and emergency preparedness.

El gobierno local
El gobierno local usa el censo para seguridad pública y preparación para emergencias.

Businesses
Businesses use census data to decide where to build factories, offices, and stores, which creates jobs.

Los negocios
Los negocios usan la información del censo para decidir dónde construir fábricas, oficinas, y tiendas, las cuales crean trabajos.

Real Estate Developers
Real estate developers use the census to build new homes and revitalizing old neighborhoods.

Promotores Inmobiliarios
Promotores inmobiliarios usan el censo para construir hogares nuevos y revitalizar sectores más antiguos.

Your data is confidential.
Federal law protects your census responses. Your answers can only be used to produce statistics. By law we cannot share your information with immigration enforcement agencies, law enforcement agencies or allow it to be used to determine your eligibility for government benefits.

Tu información es confidencial
La ley federal protege tus respuestas en el censo. Tus respuestas solo pueden ser usadas para producir estadísticas. Por ley, no podemos compartir tu información con agencias de control de inmigración, agencias policíacas o permitir que se use para determinar su elegibilidad para beneficios gubernamentales.

You can help
You are the expert - we need your ideas on the best way to make sure everyone in your community gets counted.

¡Tú nos puedes ayudar!
¡Tú eres el experto! Necesitamos tus ideas sobre la mejor manera para contar a todos en tu comunidad.

2020 will be easier than ever.
In 2020, you will be able to respond to the census online.

El censo del 2020 va a ser más fácil que nunca
En el 2020, podrás responder al CENSO en línea.

www.2020census.gov/jobs
1-855-JOB-2020