



Saturday, March 22, 2014 6:00 PM Michele Erk (L) By Grandpa Correia	Saturday, March 29, 2014 6:00 PM Johnnie T. Martin (D) By Betty Farmer
Sunday, March 23, 2014 8:00 AM Nicolas Lucero (D) By Lucero Family	Sunday, March 30, 2014 8:00 AM Johnnie T. Martin (D) By Carmie Martin
10:00 AM Mary Bianchi (D) By Nellie Vincent	10:00 AM Living and Deceased Members of S.P.R.S.I.
PRO POPOLO	PRO POPOLO
11:30 AM Salvador Gonzalez (D) Por Familia Gonzalez	11:30 AM Juana Enciso (D) Por Familia Diaz-Enciso
WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM	3:00 PM HEALING MASS
Monday, March 24, 2014 Rosie Lencioni (D) By Manuel/Joanne Caetano	WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM
Tuesday, March 25, 2014 Antonio Roberto (D) By Maria Roberto	Monday, March 31, 2014 Juan V. Navarro (D) By Guadalupe/Caroline Navarro
Wednesday, March 26, 2014 Lionildo & Francisca Garcia (D) By Parreira Family	Tuesday, April 1, 2014 Rita da Gloria (D) By Ilda Marquez
Thursday, March 27, 2014 Rosie Lencioni (D) By Mary Pedeflous	Wednesday, April 2, 2014 Antonio & Conceicao Martins (D) By Antonio/Fatima Areias
Friday, March 28, 2014 Ronney Phillips (D) By St. Jude Altar Guild	Thursday, April 3, 2014 Happy Birthday Joe Rossotti By Mary Rossotti
8:00 AM-12:00 PM ADORATION	Friday, April 4, 2014 Natale Guidi (D) By Mary Byford
12:00 PM Rosie Lencioni (D) By Elaine Lencioni	8:00 AM-12:00 PM ADORATION
5:PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS	12:00 PM Francisca Garcia (D) By Clementina Simas
7:00 PM VIA CRUCIS	5:PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS 7:00 PM VIA CRUCIS

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

"I am he, the one speaking with you." Jesus reveals his true identity to an anonymous woman, and a Samaritan at that. She speaks about the Messiah only to discover that she is speaking with the Messiah! How does this woman, this non-disciple and non-Jew, this perfect stranger earn the right to such a direct revelation? Why does Jesus choose her?

For the same reason he chooses us. Out of love. The "woman at the well" did not earn her place at the side of Christ. She did nothing to merit this life-changing encounter. In fact, the reading implies she was a sinful woman. Yet Jesus approached her first. He asked her for a drink, and then looked for an opportunity to offer her the "living water" that would quench her deepest thirst.

This is what Jesus has done for us. As Saint Paul says, "God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us" (Rom 5:8). He offers us the gift of salvation, the "spring of water welling up to eternal life." We don't earn this gift; Jesus paid for it on the cross. In other words, we get to drink without having to dig the well. As Jesus tells his disciples, "others have done the work, and you are sharing the fruits of their work."

Of course, we must be willing to "drink" by accepting the gift Christ offers, orienting our lives around it. Like the woman who "left her water jar and went into the town" to testify, we are called to leave behind our old life of sin and selfishness once we accept our new life in Christ. Indeed, Lent is the season that prepares us for such a dramatic rebirth. We pray and fast and give alms, not to earn the joy of Easter, but to be ready to drink it in.

THE BIBLE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 23, 2014

Sunday:	Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday:	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday:	Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Wednesday:	Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday:	Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14
Next Sunday:	1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Second Collection: Maintenance & Repair	
Last week's plate collection:	\$2,077.00
Religious Education:	\$783.50
Next week: Piarist Fathers	
Thank you for your continued generosity.	

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Let us pray for all who are listed in our Book of Remembrance and all souls. Pray for the sanctification of our priests.

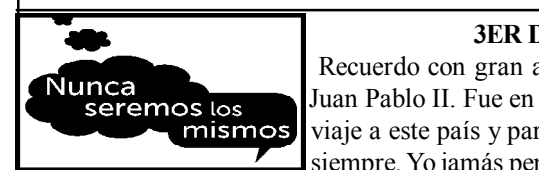
WELCOME RCIA!

We welcome our Catechumens and the Elect today at the 10:00 am Mass as they celebrate their First Scrutiny. Please continue to pray and support them on their continuous faith journey. They will receive their sacraments at the Easter Vigil, April 19, 2014 at 8:00 pm.

HEALING MASS 3:00 PM MARCH 30, 2014

CONGRATULATIONS CONFIRMANDI!

Friday, March 21st, our Bishop Armando conferred the sacrament of Confirmation to 33 high school students. Our Lady of Assumption joined our class for this sacred sacrament. Confirmandi from St. Jude were: *Alicia Antonia Aguilar, Alejandra Aguiniga Murillo, Christina Espinosa Chagolla, Veronica Cruz, Roman Alexander DePew, Aristeo Gomez Gomez, Julian Guzman, Julian Ray Hernandez, Marilyn Emperatris Herrera, Saira Jareli Larios, Alma Yasmine Maravilla, Marina Alyssa Martinez, Xavier Martinez, Jasmin Morales Mejia, Daniel Ortega Mendez, and Jesse Zavala, Jr.* May the Lord continue to bless them in their journey of faith. Special thanks to Catechist Ben Martinez for preparing these young people for their sacrament.



3ER DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

Recuerdo con gran alegría cuando conocí a su Santidad el Papa Juan Pablo II. Fue en Guadalajara, Jalisco, México. Era su primer viaje a este país y para mí un encuentro que cambió mi vida para siempre. Yo jamás pensé que conocería a tan importante personaje. Su figura, sonrisa y carisma me arrebataron el corazón. Me imagino que te habrá pasado lo mismo alguna vez que has conocido a alguien importante. Todo cambia y nunca te olvidas. Son los grandes regalos que Dios nos concede para poder transformar nuestra vida y verlo a él en el camino. La liturgia de hoy en este Tercer Domingo de Cuaresma nos ilumina con un gran encuentro.

La mujer samaritana tiene un encuentro con una persona formidable: Jesús. Y veamos que él no era un simple viajero con sed. Por esta simple razón la mujer jamás olvida este encuentro. ¿Qué vio ella en él? ¿Por qué no tuvo miedo al diálogo? ¿Cuándo nos ha pedido Jesús agua? Año tras año escuchamos este relato, pensando quizá que este Evangelio es largo pero sin darnos cuenta de que toma tiempo conocer a Jesús: ¡toda nuestra vida! La enseñanza ahora es saber que, si de verdad hacemos dialogo con Jesús, nunca seremos los mismos. La oración, el ayuno y las buenas obras que estamos invitados a hacer todos los días en esta Cuaresma son claves para continuar o dar comienzo a un encuentro vivo con Dios. Por experiencia propia sabemos que con frecuencia simplemente hablábamos por hablar. Analicemos el diálogo de Jesús y la samaritana y tomemos nota de la gran apertura de corazón; de lo genuino de la conversación. De hecho, esta apertura es la clave de la transformación.

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA DEL 23 DE MARZO DE 2014

Domingo:	Ex 17, 3-7/Rom 5, 1-2. 5-8/Jn 4, 5-42 o 4, 5-15. 19-26. 39. 40-42
Lunes:	2 Re 5, 1-15/Lc 4, 24-30
Martes:	Is 7, 10-14/Heb 10, 4-10/Lc 1, 26-38
Miércoles:	Dt 4, 1. 5-9/Mt 5, 17-19
Jueves:	Jr 7, 23-28/Lc 11, 14-23
Viernes:	Os 14, 2-10/Mc 12, 28-34
Sábado:	Os 6, 1-6/Lc 18, 9-14
Domingo siguiente:	1 Sm 16, 1. 6-7. 10-13/Ef 5, 8-14/Jn 9, 1-41 o 9, 1. 6-9. 13-17. 34-38

MASS OF ORDINATION OF BISHOP-ELECT COTTA

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PIARST FATHERS VISIT

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CATHOLIC SCOUT FAMILY RETREAT

Scouts of all types and ages and their family members are invited to the third annual Scout Family Retreat to be held at Camp Teresita at St. Anthony's Retreat Center in Three Rivers on April 13 & 14, 2014. Outdoor Mass, candlelight rosary procession, campfire, crafts and activities. For information, contact Scout Chaplain Rev. Beaumont 897-5953 or fresnocatholic@aol.com

FISH & CHIPS DINNER

The KC fish dinners are available every Friday at 5:00-7:00 pm in the church hall. Come enjoy the fish dinners. \$12. Children 10 & under \$7.

MISA DE UNCIÓN	
Domingo, 30 de marzo misa de unción las 3:00 en la tarde en la iglesia, San Judas.	
Misa diario 7:30 AM	Viernes 8-12 pm Exposicion Eucaristica Misa 12 pm
Via Crucis 7 PM	
CENA DE PESCADO	
Los Caballeros de Colon tendran una cena de pescado todos los viernes de Cuaresma en el salon de iglesia de San Judas a las 5:00-7:00 pm. Adultos \$12 y niños 10 años y menos \$7.00.	
TIEMPO DE AYUNO	
En esta Cuaresma tiempo de ayuno, oracion acompañado de las obras solidarias. Te invitamos a que juntos realicemos el ayuno solidario, a favor de las familias migrantes, ponemos en tus manos las cajitas donde depositaras tu apoyo economico durante la Cuaresma. Y se entregaran en la semana Santa en San Judas, o con tu catequista del centro. Que Dios bendiga tu generosidad. Mil Gracias.	
POR FAVOR, NO CHICLE ADENTRO O AFUERA DE LA IGLESIA	
<i>¿No hay una cubeta? ¿El pozo es profundo? ¿Los dones del agua via de espiritu son tuyos! Jesus es el agua viva. Bebe de ese pozo profundo, oye la buena nueva de salvacion. Juan 4:5-42</i>	
¿TENSION EN SU MATRIMONIO?	
Retrouvaille es un programa para parejas casadas que se sienten aburridos, desilusionados, frustrados, o enojados en su matrimonio. Para informacion, llame 935-1424 o 367-6575.	
ESTUDIO BIBLICO	
Tenemos estudio Biblico todos los jueves @ 7:00 pm en Español aqui en nuestra parroquia de San Judas.	

ST. JUDE LENTEN SCHEDULE

Weekdays: Mass every day 7:30 AM

Fridays: Adoration 8:00 am - 12:00 (Sign up and spend time with Jesus.)

12:00 noon Benediction followed by Mass

5:00 PM Stations of the Cross

RCIA Easter Vigil April 19, 2014

EASTER BUNNY IS COMING

Hippity Hop-Hop! It's that time again! We are looking for donations of plastic eggs for our Second Annual Easter Egg Hunt. You may bring the eggs and give them to your child's CCD teacher on Sunday.

BASKETS ON PARADE

St. Jude Altar Guild will have their Easter Baskets on parade at the Fish Fry on Friday in the church hall. The tickets will also be available after the Church masses.

PLEASE DON'T BRING YOUR GUM TO CHURCH. LEAVE IT HOME, PLEASE.

A surprise encounter can turn our lives around. God offers us living water. Come and drink. John 4:5-42

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