

ST LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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*“Jesus said: “I am the good shepherd.
A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”
John 10:11*

*“Jesús dijo a los fariseos: “Yo soy el buen pastor.
El buen pastor da la vida por sus ovejas.”
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Mass Schedule:

Monday – Friday 6:30 pm
Martes misa en español 7:30 pm
Saturday 5 pm & 8 pm

Confessions:

30 minutes
before each weekend mass

Adoration:

Friday: 7:15 pm

Mass Intentions / Readings of the Week
Intenciones de Misa / Lecturas de la Semana

Saturday, April 20th

Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18
6:00 pm Enrico Antonucci, Mr. Legoute, Sebastian Chavarria

Sunday, April 21st *4th Sunday of Easter*

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

9:00 am St Lawrence Parish and parishioners

11:00 am Henry St. Paul Legoute † Elizabeth Zoble,

1:00 pm † Teresa Millan, † Emma Hormazabal, † Francisco Gonzalez, † Miguel Guevara, † Jorge Tosi Matallana, † Teresa Tosi, Richard Marszalski, James Parker,

6:00 pm † Jose Fernando Bitar, † Almas del Purgatorio, Familia Salazar Troya, † Rolando Marrugo

Monday, April 22nd *Earth Day*

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

6:30 pm Henry E. Florence Legoute, † Marcela Jara

Tuesday, April 23rd *St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr*

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

6:30 pm Magdalena Ugarte

7:30 pm Luz Moscoso

Wednesday, April 24th *St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr*

Acts 12:24—13:5/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

6:30 pm †

Thursday, April 25th *St. Mark, Evangelist*

1 Pt 5:5-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

6:30 pm †

Friday, April 26th *Arbor Day*

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11/Jn 14:1-6

6:30 pm †

PARISH STAFF:

Clergy:

Rev. Fr. Cletus O. Omode - Pastor
Rev, Mr. Clyde McFarland - Permanent Deacon
David Zalocco - Transitional Deacon

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Parish Groups
Grupos Parroquiales

Legion of Mary / Legión de María
Mondays 7:30pm - Office Chapel

Cursillos de Cristiandad
Mondays 8:00pm - Old Building

Divina Misericordia después de la misa
dominical de 1:00pm - Church

Grupo de Oración
Friday 8:00pm - Parish Hall

Parish Ministries

Lectors, Ushers
Eucharistic Ministers, Choir,
Altar Servers,
Catechists for Religious Education

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WITH PRAISE AND GRATITUDE TO
ALMIGHTY GOD, ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
REGIONAL SEMINARY JOYFULLY
ANNOUNCES THE ORDINATION OF 12
SEMINARIANS AS DEACONS

Those ordained on April 13, 2024:

Mr. Jakub Bereza (RM)

Mr. Charles Bemis

Mr. John Triolo

Mr. Jude Okeke

Mr. Jacob Gwynn

Mr. William Gibson

Mr. Peter Jutras

Mr. Grant Sennott

GOSPEL MEDITATION

Brothers and sisters, I must talk about love again. It seems I don't know what else to say. There is only one essential message: the great love that God has for us. This, my dear friends, is the heart of everything.

The rest—the rituals, the laws, the many regulations—are minor compared to this overwhelming love. Discussions, our sins, and our debates about doctrine are insignificant if we miss the central point: God forgives us.

The core of our faith, the essence of our happiness, is found in experiencing the love that God has for us. Each person encounters this love differently, in God's perfect timing. Remember, "The Lord is my shepherd," "I am the bread of life," "I am the good shepherd." These words are not just ancient texts; they are the reality of experiencing God's love today.

We encounter Jesus most profoundly in our moments of great need. It is then we truly understand the words, "I have come for the weak, for the poor." It is to the humble, to those who feel empty and unworthy, that this truth is revealed—not to the self-satisfied or the seemingly perfect. This, indeed, is the essence of Christianity: feeling loved by the Lord when no one else may love you.

I rejoice in knowing that Christ, the Good Shepherd, gives his life for us, his sheep. Unlike the hired hand who cares nothing for the sheep, Christ deeply cares for each of us. He cares for you; He cares for me. This assurance fills me with joy today, knowing that I am cherished in the heart of Christ.

Consider the words of the gospel about where our treasure lies: "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." If our treasure is earthly, our hearts will be earthly too. But remember, you are the treasure of Jesus. You reside in His sacred heart—a beautiful, profound truth that underscores how much we matter to Him. No one is ever truly lost.

Whatever your circumstances, your sins, your weaknesses, or your poverty, give them to the Lord. He will use them to meet you, to shepherd you to eternal life, to complete and fulfill our everlasting happiness in heaven.

MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICA

Hermanos y hermanas, debo hablar de nuevo sobre el amor. Parece que no sé qué más decir. Sólo hay un mensaje esencial: el gran amor que Dios nos tiene. Esto, queridos amigos, es el corazón de todo.

El resto -los rituales, las leyes, las muchas normas- son insignificantes comparados con este amor abrumador. Las discusiones, nuestros pecados y nuestros debates sobre doctrina son insignificantes si pasamos por alto el punto central: Dios nos perdona.

El núcleo de nuestra fe, la esencia de nuestra felicidad, se encuentra en experimentar el amor que Dios nos tiene. Cada persona encuentra este amor de forma diferente, en el momento perfecto de Dios. Recuerda: "El Señor es mi pastor", "Yo soy el pan de vida", "Yo soy el buen pastor". Estas palabras no son sólo textos antiguos; son la realidad de experimentar el amor de Dios hoy.

Nos encontramos con Jesús más profundamente en nuestros momentos de mayor necesidad. Es entonces cuando comprendemos verdaderamente las palabras: "He venido por los débiles, por los pobres". Es a los humildes, a los que se sienten vacíos e indignos, a quienes se revela esta verdad, no a los autocomplacientes ni a los aparentemente perfectos. Ésta es, en verdad, la esencia del cristianismo: sentirte amado por el Señor cuando nadie más puede amarte.

Me alegra saber que Cristo, el Buen Pastor, da su vida por nosotros, sus ovejas. A diferencia del jornalero que no se preocupa por las ovejas, Cristo se preocupa profundamente por cada uno de nosotros. Él cuida de ti; Él cuida de mí. Esta seguridad me llena hoy de alegría, al saber que soy apreciado en el corazón de Cristo.

Considera las palabras del Evangelio sobre dónde está nuestro tesoro: "Porque donde esté vuestro tesoro, allí estará también vuestro corazón". Si nuestro tesoro es terrenal, nuestro corazón también lo será. Pero recuerda que tú eres el tesoro de Jesús. Resides en Su sagrado corazón, una verdad hermosa y profunda que subraya lo mucho que le importamos. Nadie está nunca verdaderamente perdido. Sean cuales sean tus circunstancias, tus pecados, tus debilidades o tu pobreza, entrégaselos al Señor. Él las utilizará para salir a tu encuentro, para conducirte a la vida eterna, a la felicidad completa, plena y eterna en el cielo.

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Goal 47,411



Collection 4/13 to 4/14 2024

Mass	1st Collection	2nd Collection	Census
5:00 PM	370.00	-	62
9:00 AM	676.00	-	83
11:00 AM	716.00	-	118
1:00 PM	908.00	-	236
6:00 PM	879.00	-	239
Subtotals (1) (2)	3,549.00	-	
2nd Collection:			
Daily Masses			
Tuesday 6:30 pm 4/9/24	18.00		25
Tuesday 7:30 pm 4/9/24	67.00		23
Wednesday 6:30 pm 4/10/24	12.00		20
Thursday 6:30 pm 4/11/24	58.00		35
Friday 6:30 pm 4/12/24	57.00		36
Monday 4/15/24	80.00		33
Subtotals (3)	292.00		
Candles	154.00		
Offertory by mail	840.00		
Parish Improvements by mail	183.00		
Offertory (online giving)	864.50		
Parish Improvements (online giving)	128.50		
Subtotals (4)	2,170.00		
Total (1)+(2)+(3)+(4)	6,011.00		

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