

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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APRIL/ABRIL 21, 2024

Office Hours/Horario de oficina

Tuesday/Martes -Friday/Viernes

9:00 AM -1:00 PM

Sunday/Domingo

9:00 AM-12:00 PM

Monday/Lunes , Saturday/Sábado-Closed/Cerrado

Daily Mass Schedule/Horario de Misa Diaria

Monday-Saturday/Lunes-Sábado

8:00 AM (Spanish/Español)

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

Misa anticipada para el Domingo

Saturday/Sábado

5:30 PM (Spanish/ Español)

Sunday Mass/ Misa de Domingo

8:00 AM (Spanish/Español)

10:00 AM (English/Ingles)

12:00 PM (Spanish/Español)

Holy Hour every Thursday

Hora Santa cada Jueves

5:00 PM (Español)

Confessions/Confesiones

Saturdays/Sábados 4PM-5PM (only/solamente)

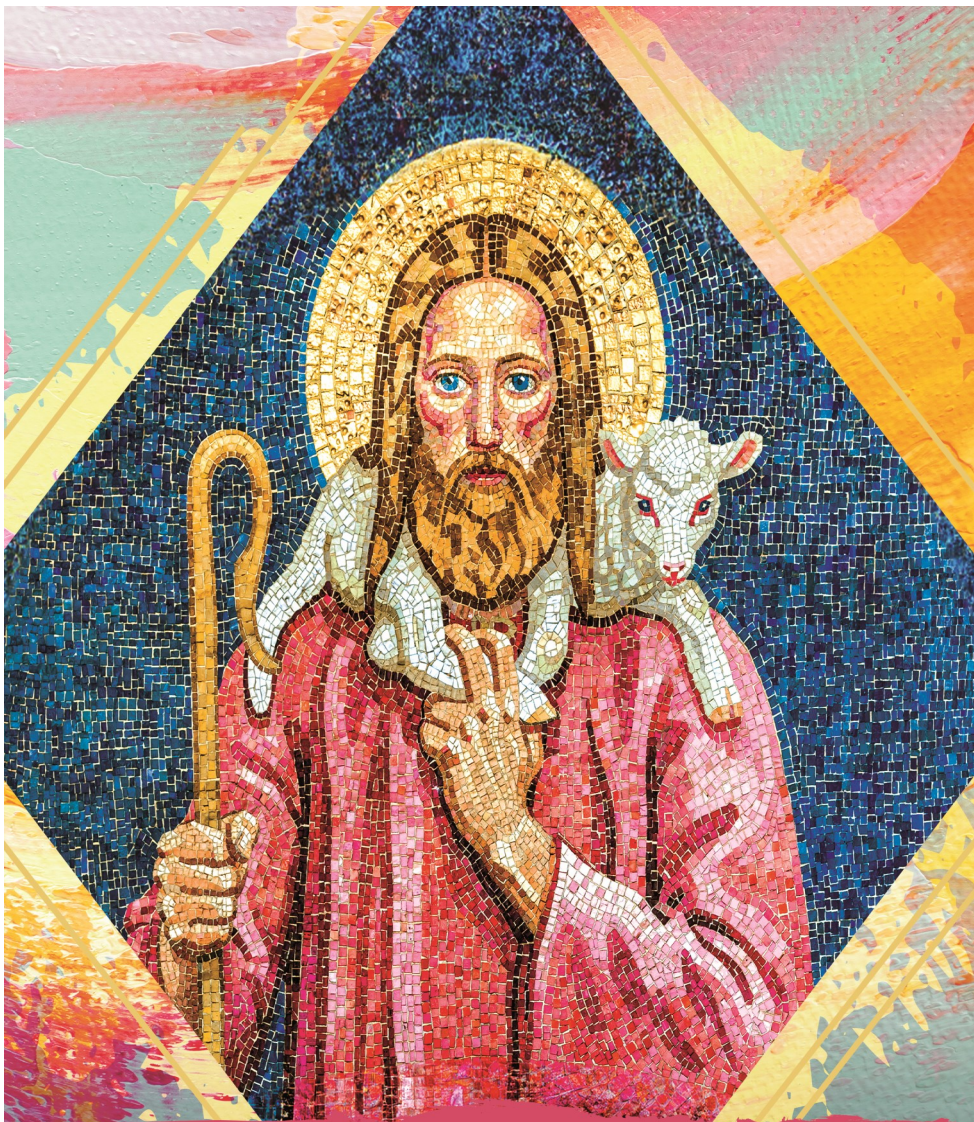
By appointment during the week

Con cita previa en la semana

Religious Formation

Richard Valles
915-497-5538

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915-497-5652



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again.” - Jn 10:17

4° DOMINGO DE PASCUA

“El Padre me ama porque doy mi vida para volverla a tomar”. - Jn 10, 17

Mass Intentions

Saturday/Sábado, April/Abril 20, 2024

5:30 PM - † Steven Galindo
† Alejandro Castro
† George Castro
† Catalina Castro
† Norma Castro

Sunday/Domingo, April/Abril 21, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Petición a la Virgen de Guadalupe
Petición al Sagrado Corazón
Por la sanación de Abraham Santos Quiralte
Cumpleaños Maribel Alvarez

10:00 AM - **For the repose of the souls of all deceased members
of the Knights of Columbus Council 2592**

† Ana Maria Aduato Ortega
† Veronica Ortega
† Xavier Muñoz
† Freddy Valles

12:00 PM - † Gloria Gamboa
† Jose Marco
† Genovevo y Concepcion Chavez
† Cosme Gallardo
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

Monday/Lunes, April/Abril 22, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Por la sanación de Abraham Santos Quiralte
Por la salud y sanación de Lauro Rivera
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

Tuesday/Martes, April/Abril 23, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Por la sanación de Abraham Santos Quiralte
Por la salud y sanación de Lauro Rievera
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

Wednesday/Miércoles, April/Abril 24, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Por la sanación de Abraham Santos Quiralte
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

Thursday/Jueves, April/Abril 25, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio
Cumpleaños Maria Dominguez

Friday/Viernes, April/Abril 26, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
† Cosme Gallardo
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

Saturday/Sábado, April/Abril 27, 2024

8:00 AM - † Efren Gonzalez
Por las Benditas Animas del Purgatorio

10:00 AM - Rosary for Juan Eduardo Ernewayn
11:00 AM - Funeral Mass - Juan Eduardo Ernewayn

April/Abril 14, 2024

Sunday Collection/Colecta de Domingo

\$ 2399.15

Second Collection/Segunda Colecta

\$ 199.82

(Collection for Monthly payment to the Diocese for our
heating and cooling units./ **Se utilizara la segunda colecta para
dar el pago mensual de las unidades de calefacción y
refrigeración.**)

Thank you for your offering. May God Bless You!
Gracias por su ofrenda. ¡Dios lo bendiga!

BAPTISMS/ BAUTIZOS

4th Saturday of the month 10AM / 4to Sábado de cada mes 10AM

PRE- BAPTISMAL CLASSES

CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES

1st Saturday of the month 10AM / 1er Sábado de cada mes 10AM

Must be registered before attending the classes

Debe estar registrado antes de asistir a las clases

MARRIAGE /QUINCEAÑERAS

Preparations must begin at least six months prior to desire date.
Come by or contact the office for more information.

MATRIMONIO/QUINCEAÑERAS

Preparativos deben empezar al menos seis meses antes de la fecha
deseada. Pase a la oficina o llamar para mas información.



*La mejor forma de conocer a un amigo, es pasar tiempo con Él
¡Ven todas los jueves a contrarte con el amor de los amores Jesús, el
mejor amigo, te espera! Hora Santa cada Jueves a las 5 de la tarde.*

*The best way to get to know him is to come spend time in the presence
of Jesus! Come every Thursday to connect with the love of Jesus!
Jesus is waiting for you! Holy Hour every Thursday at 5:00PM.*

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Our Lord Jesus Christ, during his earthly ministry, knew very well how to speak to the people about his person and his mission, using simple and direct words. The images or examples Jesus used in his teachings were taken from the daily lives of the people whom he addressed. Even so, the people did not always immediately grasp the meaning of these images or examples, so Jesus took pains to explain more clearly how the people should apply his teachings to their lives. In the Gospel text for this Sunday, the image Jesus uses for himself is that of a good shepherd who lovingly tends his flock. Jesus also calls himself the gate by which the sheep come and go from the sheepfold. All of this would have been familiar imagery for the nomadic and pastoral people who listened to Jesus. While few or maybe none who read this are shepherds of sheep, we should easily enough understand the idea being put forth of the importance of a good shepherd and a peaceful sheepfold. To adhere to Jesus without fear or doubt is the basic challenge the Lord presented to his first hearers and to us in this day and age as well. Jesus contrasts himself as the good shepherd with the thieves who deceive and do not lead the sheep along good paths. Jesus says clearly that what he comes to bring is life, and life to the full. What the thieves bring may look like life, but in fact brings spiritual death. That would include the unbridled pursuit of pleasure, accumulation and hoarding of goods, living for oneself and not for God and others in genuine and humble service; in short, living a life of vice and not of virtue. Jesus speaks of himself as the leader of God's flock, the Good Shepherd, walking in front of the sheep, as the way, the truth and the life for all those who are truly seeking to be in God's sheepfold. Today, perhaps more than ever, in the face of so much loss of morality and direction in life, where apathy and mistrust abound in the social, political and even religious realms, we need to hear again the strong message of Jesus. The Lord is indeed our Good Shepherd, guiding us in right paths, giving us courage and strength even in our darkest moments, spreading a banquet for us and inviting us to dwell in God's house forever. If that be the case, then truly we shall not want for anything! This is the theme of the famous and well-loved psalm 23(22) that begins, "The Lord is my shepherd. There is nothing I shall want." Another psalm of the Old Testament expresses the same sentiment with the beautiful phrase: "And now, Lord, what is there to wait for; in you rests all my hope" (Psalm 39 (38), verse 8). The gentle message of the Lord today is applicable to all, the rich and the poor, the well and the infirm, the young and the old, leaders and followers, saints and sinners. No one is to be excluded from Jesus' sheepfold and all are lovingly invited to it. The shepherd knows his sheep, Jesus says, and he knows each of us. Nothing is hidden from God's sight, so we can never pretend to be other than what we are: a flock that has been loved into being. As individuals, endowed with free will, we are capable of straying from the fold and seeking our own will rather than God's. However, the good shepherd never leaves the flock untended, and is always seeking the return of the stray, finding the lost and the discouraged among the sheep. Expressed another way, God continually gives grace so that we, the sheep of God's flock, may truly adhere to the one thing necessary, that is, participation in God's life, which Jesus came to give us to the full by dying a bitter death yet rising from the dead. "By his wounds you were healed," says Saint Peter in his First Letter, chapter 2, verse 24. Could there be a richer consolation for our weary hearts? Saint Peter proclaimed this message as well on Pentecost and won many adherents to Christ, recounted in the Acts of the Apostles, chapter 2. There Saint Peter says, "Let the whole house of Israel know beyond any doubt that God has made both Lord and Messiah this Jesus whom you crucified" (Acts 2:14). Our Good Shepherd knows our needs, shares our experiences, and is in communion with his flock. Because of this, we have confidence that we are never left without the help of a loving and saving God. As a flock gathers around its shepherd, we are called to assemble in worship with our Good Shepherd, Jesus, who feeds us with the finest wheat, and pours himself out for us. At the Eucharist we truly "taste and see the goodness of the Lord," as the psalmist expressed it so well in Psalm 34(33):8, when we partake of the Body and Blood of the Lord in Holy Communion. Jesus assures us, "Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh" (John 6:51). This is our peace and joy in this Paschal tide.

Immigrant and Refugee Project
Sponsored by the Augustinians of the Assumption
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The Immigrant Program at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church is in need for the following items for the migrants who are being housed here!!! Please find it in your heart to donate to those who are less fortunate. ¡¡¡El Programa de Inmigrantes en la Iglesia Católica St. Francis Xavier necesita los siguientes artículos para los migrantes que están siendo alojados aquí!!! Por favor, encuentren en sus corazones donar a aquellos que son menos afortunados.

Jam / Mermelada
Ham (sliced) / Jamon rebanado
Sandwich Bread/ Pan de sándwich
Potato chips (snack size)/ Papas fritas (tamaño chiquas)
Canned Fruit / Fruta enlatada
Brown sugar / Azúcar Morena
Sugar / Azucar
Cereal Boxes / Cajas de cereal
Applesauce / Puré de manzanas
JELLO-O Gelatin Box and JELLO-O Cups Gelatin Snack / JELLO-O Gelatina Cups Snack y JELLO-O Gelatina en caja
Coffee Creamer / crema para café en polvo
Eggs / Huevos
Butter / Mantequilla
Shelf Milk Cartons / Leche de estante
Instant Drinks (Fruit Punch Powdered, Lemonade Drinks, Powerade, Gatorade and etc.) / Bebidas instantáneas (ponche de frutas en polvo, bebidas de limonada, Powerade y Gatorade y etc.)
Canned Goods (example corn, green beans, etc.), Frozen Bag Vegetables and Frozen Fruit / Productos enlatados (por ejemplo, maíz, judías verdes, etc.), verduras y frutas congeladas
Coffee Creamer / crema para café en polvo
Dish Soap / Jabón para trastes
laundry detergent liquid / Detergente líquido para ropa
Trash Bags 33 Gallon / Bolsas de basura de 33 galones
Disposable Foam Rectangular Plates / Platos de fomi rectangulares desechables
Disposable Paper Plates (8in) / Platos de desechables Fomi (8in)
Disposable White Plastic Soup Bowls (12oz) / Platos hondos de sopa desechables de plástico (12oz)
Disposable Plastic/Clear Cups (10oz) / Vasos desechables de plástico (10oz)
Foam Coffee Cups – (10oz) / Vasos Desechables para café -12oz
Ziploc Brand Freezer Bags, Gallon Size, Sandwich Size, Quart Size, Snack Size / Bolsas para congelar marca Ziploc, tamaño galón, tamaño cuarto tamaño Sándwich, tamaño bocadillo
Bottle Water / Agua Embotellada
Lysol Disinfectant Spray / Desinfectante Lysol en aerosol

For any monetary donations, please contact our church office at (915) 532-2761, or you may mail your donation to St. Francis Xavier Church, 519 South Latta, El Paso, TX 79905. / Para cualquier donación monetaria, comuníquese con nuestra oficina de la iglesia al (915) 532-2761, o puede enviar su donación por correo a la Iglesia St. Francis Xavier, 519 South Latta, El Paso, TX 79905. Please make your check payable to: Augustinians of the Assumption/ Por favor, haga su cheque a nombre de: Agustinos de la Asunción.

Thank you for your support in this endeavor and may God bless you.
Gracias por su apoyo en este esfuerzo y que Dios los bendiga.

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS
LECTURAS DIARIAS DE LA ESCRITURA
Week/Semana April/Abril 21, 2024

Sunday/Domingo: Hch 4, 8-12/Sal 117, 1. 8-9. 21-23. 26. 28. 29 (22)/Jn 3, 1-2/Jn 10, 11-18
Monday/Lunes: Hch 11, 1-18/Sal 41, 2-3; 43, 3. 4/Jn 10, 1-10
Tuesday/Martes: Hch 11, 19-26/Sal 86, 1-3. 4-5. 6-7/Jn 10, 22-30
Wednesday/Miércoles: Hch 12, 24—13, 5/Sal 66, 2-3. 5. 6 y 8/Jn 12, 44-50
Thursday/Jueves: 1 Pe 5, 5-14/Sal 88, 2-3. 6-7. 16-17/Mc 16, 15-20
Friday/Viernes: Hch 13, 26-33/Sal 2, 6-7. 8-9. 10-11/Jn 14, 1-6
Saturday/Sábado: Hch 13, 44-52/Sal 97, 1. 2-3. 3-4/Jn 14, 7-14

To all our Parishioners



We need Eucharistic Ministers to help distribute Communion, both Bread and Wine. If you wish to become a Eucharistic Minister, it is required that you attend a course at the TEPEYAC INSTITUTE in the Diocese of El Paso. Those who are already Eucharistic Ministers must ensure that they stay updated. If you would like more details, please get in touch with the church office during regular office hours.

A todos nuestros feligreses

Necesitamos Ministros de la Eucaristía para repartir la Comunión en las 2 especies: Pan y Vino. Si deseas convertirte en un Ministro de la Eucaristía, es necesario que asistas a un curso en el INSTITUTO TEPEYAC en la Diócesis de El Paso. Aquellos que ya son Ministros de la Eucaristía deben asegurarse de mantenerse actualizados. Si deseas más detalles, por favor comunícate con la oficina de la iglesia durante el horario regular de oficina.



Guardian Angel Church Bazaar 2024 Raffle Tickets sold at the Rectory during office hours.



Los boletos de la Rifa del Bazar 2024 de la parroquia Santo Ángel se venden en la Rectoría durante el horario de oficina.



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