THOUGHTS ON STEWARDSHIP

"Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread." 1 CORINTHIANS 10:17

As disciples of Jesus, we are called to lead holy lives and invite others to join us. Living a stewardship lifestyle, being grateful and generous with our gifts, serves a twofold purpose. One, it helps build God's kingdom here on earth. Two, it is a road map to Heaven. Let's help each other get there!

March 9-10 Mass Collection: SA = \$4,475.00; SM = \$725.00Online Giving: SA = \$1,320.00; SM = \$100.00

God bless you super abundantly for your generosity!



MAKE YOUR DONATION ONLINE

When you give online, your gift will be transferred conveniently and securely from Online Giving your bank or credit card account directly to the church. Access your account any time

you like - you're in complete control.

Also, when you have set up your donation online, even when you're on vacation, your weekly donation to the parish is taken care of. Call Deacon Al Llenos, our Operations Manager at (530) 795-2230 if you need help setting up your online account OR go to our parish website www.sa-sm.org. Thank you.

OUTREACH SERVICES

St. Anthony—St. Vincent de Paul Society: (530) 760-9455

St.. Martin—St. Vincent de Paul Society: (530) 312-8967

Pregnancy Hotline: (800) 484-LOVE

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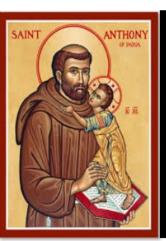
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Contact the parish office, 530-795-2230, or email admin@sasm.org for further information on placing an ad in our bulletin.

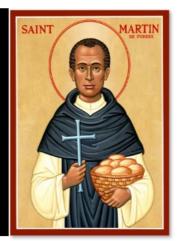
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St. Anthony Parish Winters, CA

St. Martin Mission Esparto, CA



FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT - MARCH 17, 2024

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. **SA**; 7:00 p.m. **SM** 8:30 a.m. **SM** Sunday

10:30 a.m. & 12:30 pm SA

Weekday Masses:

Tue, Thu & Fri 8:30 a.m. SA Wednesday 6:00 p.m. SM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 1st Friday of the month 6 - 9 p.m. SA

Holy Hours

Every Wednesday 6:30-7:30 p.m. SM

SACRAMENTS:

Reconciliation/Confessions -

1st, 2nd & 4th Friday of the month 6:00—7:00 p.m. **SA** 3rd Friday of the month 6-7 p.m. SM

Baptism -

Please call the office at (530) 795-2230 to obtain information, preparation of necessary documents before the date of baptism can be scheduled.

Marriage -

Engaged couples must contact the office to setup an appointment with the priest to begin preparation of necessary documents at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick/Communion to the Sick & Homebound -

Please call the office at (530) 795-2230

MISSION STATEMENT

We are brothers and sisters in the Body of Christ. We come together to provide a welcoming community, in order to learn, to practice, to share, and to grow in our Catholic faith. Using our time, talent, and treasure, we serve our Lord and our community through worship, by promoting Gospel values, and through ministries that positively mpact our parish and our greater community.

Somos hermanos y hermanas en el Cuerpo de Cristo. Nos unimos para proporcionár una comunidad acogedora, para aprender, practicar, compartir y crecer en nuestra fe católica. Usando nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro, servimos a nuestro Señor ya nuestra comunidad a través de la adoración, promoviendo los valores del Evangelio y a través de ministerios que impactan positivamente en nuestra parroquia y nuestra comunidad en gêneral

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Praised are you, O God, our loving creator and giver of all good gifts. Bless our parish, strengthen our faith, and grant us the spirit of Christian stewardship so that we may give generously of our time, talent, and treasure in worship and prayer, and in spreading Your kingdom here in our Church and throughout the world. This we ask through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God now and forever. Amen.

ORACIÓN DE MAYORDOMÍA

Alabado seas, oh Dios, nuestro amoroso creador y dador de todos los buenos dones. Bendice nuestra parroquia, fortalece nuestra fe y concédenos el espíritu de mayordomía cristiana para que podamos dar generosamente de nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro en adoración y oración, y en la difusión de Tu reino aquí en nuestra Iglesia y en todo el mundo. Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo, tu Hijo, nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, Dios ahora y por siempre. Amén.

Church & Office

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(530) 795-2230 Tel (530) 795-5470 Fax

www.sa-sm.org

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Parish Deacon:

Deacon Jorge Villalobos deacon@sa-sm.org

Administration:

Deacon Al Llenos - Ops. Manager allenos@sa-sm.org

Administrative Assistant:

Marisela Garcia

mgarcia@sa-sm.org

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Dawn Barrera

dbarrera@sa-sm.org

3/17/2024

We welcome new families to our Parish. Upon receipt of this form, we will mail you the parish registration form to complete. You may place it in the offertory basket or mail to:

> St. Anthony Parish 511 Main Street Winters, CA 95694

Or you may fax it to (530) 795-5470

PARISH REGISTRATION AND CHANGE IN CONTACT INFO

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City: _			Zip:	
Phone: _		_ Email:		
I am interested / Estoy interesado: (please check box / checan el cajon)				
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_Altar Server (Write Parents name and phone number above)

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT—MARCH 17, 2024—MASSES FOR THE WEEK

March 18, Monday, Lenten Weekday, Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Jn 8:1-11: March 19, Tuesday, ST JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; March 20, Wednesday, Lenten Weekday, Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42; March 21, Thursday, Lenten Weekday, Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59; March 22, Friday, Lenten Weekday, Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42; March 23, Saturday, Lenten Weekday, Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56; MARCH 24, PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD, Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (37)/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11

Mass Intentions / Intenciones March 16—22, 2024

Praying for the Intention of the Pope, March 2024:

For the new martyrs: We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Orando por la Intención del Papa, Febrero de 2024: Por los nuevos mártires: Oramos para que quienes arriesgan su vida por el Evangelio en diversas partes del mundo enciendan a la Iglesia con su valentía y entusiasmo misionero.

Saturday, 3/16

5:00pm—For all the Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm—Miguel Genaro Garcia+, Alejandro Conrique+Sunday, 3/17

8:30am—Parishioners

10:30am—Parishioners

12:30pm—Lorenza Canales+, Jesus Guzman+, Roberto Lara Guzman+, Manuel Esquivel Lopez+, Santiago Ornelas+, Santiago Ornelas Camarena+, Evangelina Camarena+, Angela Garcia Roque+, Celia, Ricardo, Teresa y Carolina Rodriguez—por su salud

Tuesday, 3/19

8:30am—Jose y Josefina Villalobos+, Josefina Hernandez por su cumpleaños

Wednesday, 3/20

6:00pm—Feligreses

Thursday, 3/21

8:30am—Feligreses

Friday, 3/22

8:30am—Parishioners

St. Anthony Parish Activities This Week

Tuesday, 3/19

7:00am Alcoholics Anonymous— SA Parish Hall 9:00am—12:00pm Adoration—SA

Wednesday, 3/20

9:30am Senior Foundation Yoga Day—SA Parish Hall

7:00pm Rosario de Padres—SA

7:30pm Knights of Columbus Group Meeting—SA Parish Hall

Thursday, 3/21

1:00pm Senior Group Game Day—SA Parish Hall

6:00pm Respect for Life Rosary—SA

6:00pm Altar Society Group Meeting—SA Parish Hall

7:00pm Men's Group Meeting—SA Parish Hall

7:00pm Sagrada Familia Grupo de Oración—SA Parish Hall

Friday, 3/22

7:00am Alcoholics Anonymous—SA Parish Hall 6pm–7pm Confessions—SA

STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT VIA CRUCIS CADA VIERNES DURANTE CUARESMA

Saint Anthony's Church, Winters / Iglesia de San Antonio

7:45 AM English / Ingles

7PM Bilingual / Bilingue

Saint Martin's Mission Church, Esparto / Iglesia de San Martin

7PM Bilingual / Bilingue

"Lord Jesus, increase my hunger for you and show me the way that leads to everlasting happiness and peace. May I desire you above all else and find perfect joy in doing your will."

Daily Quote from the Early Church Fathers: Love what is in the image of God, by Caesarius of Arles (470-543 AD)

Whatever you love is either the same as yourself, below you or above you. If what you love is beneath you, love it to comfort it, care for it and to use it but not to cling to it. For example, you love gold. Do not become attached to the gold, for how much better are you than gold? Gold, indeed, is a shining piece of earth, while you have been made in the image of God in order that you may be illumined by the Lord. Although gold is a creature of God, still God did not make it according to his own image, but you he did. Therefore, he put the gold beneath you. This kind of love should be despised. Those things are to be acquired for their usefulness, but we should not cling to them with the bond of love as if with glue. Do not make for yourself members over which, when they have begun to be cut away, you will grieve and be afflicted. What then? Rise from that love with which you love things that are lower than you, and begin to love your equals, that is, things that are what you are... The Lord himself has told us in the Gospel and clearly showed us in what order we may have true love and charity. For he spoke in this way, 'You shall love the Lord your God with your whole heart, and with your whole soul and with your whole strength. And your neighbor as yourself" (Luke 10:27). Therefore, first love God and then yourself. After these, love your neighbor as yourself." (excerpt from SERMONS 173, 4-5.25) taken from dailyscripture.net

Vincentian Meditation:

In the Manual of the Society, we read: If Jesus stands at the center of Vincentian spirituality, the poor stand next to him. Jesus' words, "You always will have the poor with you," are the reason for being for Vincentian existence. Blessed Frederic said: "Sons of Saint Vincent de Paul, let us learn of him to forget ourselves, to devote ourselves to the service of God and the good of men. Let us learn of him that holy preference which shows most love to those who suffer most." Mercy is a facet of charity that calls us, first to identify in spirit with our suffering brothers and sisters. Mercy calls also for outward signs and actions. We weep with those who weep, we rejoice with those who rejoice. We empathize; we reach out in compassion. (US Manual, P.16-17)) Vincentian Reflections

HOLY WEEK 2024 / SEMANA SANTA 2024

March 23-24

PALM SUNDAY (Usual weekend Mass schedule)

DOMINGO DE RAMOS (horario de Misa de fin de semana)

Palms will be distributed and blessed at the start of all the Masses. Las palmas serán distribuidas y bendecidas al comienzo de todas las Misas.

March 25-26

MON. & TUES. OF HOLY WEEK LUNES Y MARTES DE SEMANA SANTA

Saint Anthony's Church, Winters

Confessions: 7:30AM - 8:20AM; Bilingual Mass - 8:30AM

Saint Martin's Church, Esparto

Confessions: 5PM - 5:45PM; Bilingual Mass: 6PM

March 28 - HOLY TRIDUUM / SANTO TRODUO

HOLY THURSDAY / JUEVES SANTO

BILINGUAL MASS-THE LORD'S LAST SUPPER

MISA BILINGUE - LA ULTIMA CENA

Saint Anthony's Church, Winters: 5PM

Saint Martin's Church, Esparto: 6PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT IN THE PARISH HALL UNTIL 12AM IN ST. ANTHONY & 10PM IN ST. MARTIN

ADORACIÓN DEL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO EN EL SALON HASTA LAS 12AM EN SAN ANTONIO Y 10PM EN SAN MARTIN

March 29

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE / SERVICIO DE VIERNES SANTO

St. Anthony's Church, Winters

St. Martin's Church, Esparto

STATIONS OF THE CROSS / ESTACIONES DE LA CRUZ

Saint Anthony's Church

English - After the 12Noon Service;

Spanish (outdoor) - 6PM

Saint Martin's Church- after 1PM service, bilingual.

March 30

HOLY SATURDAY / SABADO SANTO

BILINGUAL EASTER VIGIL OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION / VIGILIA BILINGUE PASCUAL DE LA RESURRECCIÓN DEL SEÑOR

Saint Anthony's Church, Winters 730PM BILINGUAL

March 31

EASTER SUNDAY / DOMINGO DE PASCUA

Saint Anthony's Church, Winters

10:30AM - English Mass

12:30PM – Spanish Mass

Saint Martin's Church, Esparto

7AM Spanish

8:30AM - English Mass

The Masses on Palm Sunday will begin 5 minutes earlier than scheduled for the blessing of the palms.

Las Misas de Domingo de Ramos empezaran 5 minutos antes del horario para bendecir las palmas.

Adult Confirmation Registration

Adult confirmation is offered twice a year in our Diocese. The next Confirmation Mass for adults will take place Saturday, May 18, 2024 at Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Sacramento.

This special rite is for adults who were baptized in the Church, received First Holy Communion and have been regularly attending Mass, but were never confirmed. Those who have not received First Holy Communion and have not been attending Mass regularly should be treated as candidates in the RCIA process.

Please come in to our Parish Office to get more information and register, last day to register is March 25, 2024.

Registro de Confirmación de Adulto

La confirmación de un adulto se ofrece dos veces al año en nuestra diócesis. La próxima Misa de Confirmación para adultos tendrá lugar el sábado, 18 de Mayo del 2024 en la Catedral del Santisimo Sacramento, Sacramento..

Este rito especial es para adultos que fueron bautizados en la Iglesia, recibieron la Primera Comunión y asisten regularmente a la Misa, pero nunca fueron confirmados. Aquellos que no han recibido la Primera Comunión y que no han asistido a misa regularmente deben ser tratados como candidatos en el progama de RICA.

Venga a nuestra Oficina Parroquial para obtener más información y registrarse, el ultimo dia para regristrarse es el 25 de Marzo del 2024.

PRAYING FOR THE SICK REZANDO POR LOS ENFERMOS

Please include in your daily prayers the members of our Parish Community who are sick. If you want the names of your sick family members included in this list, please call the Parish Office.

Incluya en sus oraciones diarias a los miembros de nuestra comunidad parroquial que estén enfermos. Si desea que los nombres de sus familiares enfermos se incluyan en esta lista, llame a la Oficina Parroquial.

Alejandra Ibarra

Marlene and Nils Carlson

Maria Elena Moreno

Tito Gloria

Lupita Aguirre

Nancy Moreno

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Patty Cox

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Love Faith Armenta Maria Concepcion Franco
Ana Rosa Cruz Arnau Nallely Alvarado Garcia

Yolanda Alanis Dewey Cope Eddie Trujillo Cira Hernandez

Peter Gribi