ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT CATHOLIC CHURCH
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ST. ANTHONY’S , LOS ALAMOS
270 Helena St.  
Mass: 8:45AM & 11:30AM Span.

MAS SCHEDULE:  934-3172
Daily: 6:30AM, 8:00AM
First Fridays: 5:30PM
Saturday: 8:00 AM
Vigil: 5PM Eng, 6:45PM Span.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 & 6:00PM
Holy Days: Vigil 5:30PM, 6:45PM Span.
Liturgy of the Hours: M-F 6:55AM
Novena/Benediction: Thursdays 7PM
All Night Adoration: Thurs. before First Fri. 7PM to 6:30AM Fri.
Confessions: Sat. 3:15-4:45PM & 8-9PM Bilingüe

SAN RAMON CHAPEL, SISQUOC
Foxen Canyon Mass: 10:15AM

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ASAMBLEA DE ORACIÓN: Lunes 7 - 8:30 en la Iglesia

BAPTISMS: Ages 0-6: 1st & 3rd Sundays at 1PM (Eng)
BAPTISM CLASSES: 2nd Sunday of the month at 1PM Pre-registration 10 days in advance.
BAUTISMOS: edad 0-6 años: Cada cuarto domingo a la 1:30PM
CLASES BAUTISMALES: Segundo lunes del mes a las 7PM
Información: Rectoría 937-4555 o Félix González
BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: David Dana 937-4134
BODAS/QUINCEAÑERAS:
Informes: Diacono Raúl Blanco 937-6642 y Coordinadoras: Gaby G. 937-4435 o María S. 934-4831
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St. Louis de Montfort Mission Statement
We are called to be and to become a loving family centered in Jesus. We acknowledge and accept that each of us is unique and has special gifts from the Holy Spirit. We wish to nurture, develop and share these gifts within and for the Body of Christ. Having been called by Baptism into that Body, we celebrate our relationship in Word, Sacrament and Family Celebration. We are then sent to call others to Christ through whom we are and what we do. We recognize Christ’s call to be one in Him and commit ourselves to his way of life.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**
7:30am Elena Zarate +
9:30am Parishioners
11:30am Julio Alvarez +
6:00pm Doris Wilson +
**LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:**
Ismael Solorio C.
**SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:**
Bozo Battrich +

**MONDAY, APRIL 18**
6:30am William Moran +
8:00am Andres Solorio C. +

**TUESDAY, APRIL 19**
6:30am Rochelle Beebe +
8:00am Darrell & Julie Freese +

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20**
6:30am Hope Michel +
8:00am Pagdilao Family (1 & +)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 21**
6:30am Ginger Marchesi +
8:00am Sabina Catapay +

**FRIDAY, APRIL 22**
6:30am Sara Lamoureux +
8:00am Cindy Lou Paxton & Amalia Books

**SATURDAY, APRIL 23**
8:00am Lena Mazzone +
5:30pm Charles Freeman +
6:45pm Braulia Morales +

**SUNDAY, APRIL 24**
7:30am Alfredo Santos +
9:30am Tom Pratt +
12:00pm Octaviano Melero Nevarez +
6:00pm Moises Lopez +
**LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:**
Parishioners
**SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:**
Mary Reinartz

**FR Aidan Peter writes:**
Dear parishioners,

Our second reading this week from the book of the Apocalypse is intriguing to say the least and it is so full of hope for us. Some of our Christian brethren get caught up in the text prior to this about the 144,000 before the heavenly throne. These blessed ones are God’s choice and we are not too sure who they are, indeed some bibles conveniently cut out these verses about the countless multitude of every tribe and tongue and people and nation. So we have to be careful with the Book of the Apocalypse. It is open to interpretation like no other New Testament writing and we have to be careful not to read scripture with an exclusivist bent.

For me what is important here is the inclusivity of the text. All peoples are part of the countless multitude. Is this the promise to Abraham and his descendants fulfilled? This is also in line with another text where Jesus tells the disciples that he has sheep of other flocks that he calls and who listen to his voice and he must tend to them too. So from this, I have a wonderful belief in the inclusiveness of God’s love and mercy and friendship. Our faithful following in the Catholic Church tradition is how we wish to follow him righteously, but we must never be judgmental of our other Christian and Non-Christian brothers and sisters; they may well be listening to the call of God faithfully in another tradition in which he is speaking. The Second Vatican Council talks of “the seeds of the truth” in other traditions and Peter Berger talks of the “Rumor of angels” in other faiths. It is the bane of all religions to fall into this exclusivist trap; “I’ve got God right and you haven’t” or “God’s on my side not yours”. Such approaches are to put human limits on the merciful omnipotence of our loving God, or to vainly conspire to control God’s omniscience. God is for all and our response to him needs to be faithful to our tradition and at the same time respectful of the calling others receive. As the Dalai Lama once said so simply, “What the world needs are good Catholics, good Protestants, good Hindus good Jews, good Muslims good Buddhists…” Note the one word that repeats; the difference between good and God is just a letter “o”!
MONTH BY MONTH
at St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Church
“Be merciful as your heavenly Father is merciful”

April: Mercy, Keeping Us Ever Young of Heart (Youth)
May: Developing a Spirituality of Mercy (Spirituality)
June: Mercy, the Heart of Ministry (Ministry)
July: Mercy and Womanhood (Women)
August: Mercy and Our Planet (Environment)
September: Handing on Our Mercy Faith (Catechesis)
October: Mary, Mother of Mercy (Mary)
November: Mercy’s Destiny….Glory (Saints and Souls)
December: The Trajectory of Mercy (Forever Merciful)

Each month will have a calendar of events. Please see our bulletins, notice boards or Website for details.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be celebrated this year on April 17, the Fourth Sunday of Easter.

Together in Mission
Update March 30, 2016
Total pledges 533
Total Pledge Amount $115,338.00
Total Paid Amount $76,125.50

If you have questions, please call the rectory and we will see what we can do to help you get your answers. Thank you for your generosity, and it is not too late to make a pledge if you would like.

ROSEMARY HILL PANTRY NEEDS YOU!
Please help us with the following:
Canned soups
JAMS/JELLIES!!!!
Canned chicken
peanut butter
Please check expiration dates! Thank you

REZAMOS POR NUESTROS ENFERMOS:

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND JR. HI, NEWS
Religious Education classes: Classes have resumed from Easter break and will meet every week through May 18th & 19th. If you have questions, contact kelly@sldm.org

EARLY REGISTRATION TIME for Religious Education classes & Junior High group: Parents can register their children early for the 2016-2017 classes which being after Labor day. Registering early makes it easier to choose the day of week you want your children to go to classes, gives you one less thing for your summer to do list and you receive an early bird discount of $5.00. The last day for early registration discount is June 3rd. The RE Office is open for registration every Tuesday from 4:30-6:30pm, Wednesday from 3:00-5:30pm and Thursday from 5:00-8:00pm. If you have questions, contact kelly@sldm.org

Junior High group – Meets on Thursdays from 6:00-7:15pm through May 12th in Lou’s Grotto. On May 19th for the final session of the year there will be a Summer Kick-Off Praise and Worship Concert from 6:00-8:00pm in the parish hall with Jeremy & Ryan. ALL are welcome (kids of all ages, parents, grandparents, and nonparents alike) COME one, come ALL! For more information contact Kelly via email: kelly@sldm.org or 937-8363

1st Communion Prayer Partners: Banners will be in the church next week with pictures of each of the children receiving their First Communion on May 7th. We are asking parishioners to sign up to be prayer partners for the children. Thank you in advance for praying for these special young people receiving the sacrament.

April is Child Abuse prevention month and each year our parish’s Safeguard the Children Committee sponsors an evening for parents focused on various strategies to keep our children safe. This year our event is Wednesday, April 27th from 6:30-8:00pm in the Parish Hall and our Guest Speaker is Sandra Brown, a Santa Barbara County Sheriff’s Deputy with years of experience in educating parents on a range of topics related to keeping children safe. Don’t miss out on this very informative talk. ALL adults are invited: parents, grandparents, Godparents, concerned adults. For more information contact kelly@sldm.org

Vacation Bible Camp: Registration has begun for this summer’s VBC “A Radical Ride on the Wings of Prayer”. Camp will be held the week of July 18th-22nd from 9:00am-noon each day and is open to children from 4 years old through entering 6th grade. Volunteers are needed to support this awesome event, to register or volunteer please contact kelly@sldm.org
DID YOU KNOW
In recognition of National Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles is participating in the Prevent Child Abuse American Pinwheel for Prevention campaign. The pinwheel is an uplifting symbol of childhood and represents every child’s right for a life filled with hope, health and happiness. Through this Campaign we are provided another opportunity to transform awareness into action. For more information on how to have your parish, school or family be a part of this important campaign, contact jvienna@la-archdiocese.org.

3:00 PM - THE HOUR OF GREAT MERCY
"Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world." (St. Faustina - Dairy #476)
The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets Fridays at 3:00 pm at the Josephite Seminary Chapel, 180 Patterson Road. You are invited to join us.

WHEELCHAIR SUNDAY
It is estimated that worldwide, over 100 million children, teens and adults lack mobility due to birth defects, war, disease, accident, natural disaster or advanced age, and are in need of wheelchairs but cannot afford one. Please join the Knights of Columbus on “WHEELCHAIR SUNDAY”, 5/7-5/8 to learn how you can help.

MAGNIFICAT
Magnificat, a ministry to Catholic women, will host its quarterly Prayer Breakfast. Featured speaker will be Maria Echeverria who has suffered numerous and painful ordeals in her life. Instead of blaming God and accepting the role of victim, Maria will share how she has chosen to survive by clinging to her faith and living in the Light of Christ. Date: Saturday, April 30, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Place: Santa Maria Inn Cost: $25/ person Reservations: Dolly Van Horn (878-0420 or 934-1857 - after 5:00 pm).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:11-18
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Jn 12:44-50
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14