St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Church
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Rectory: 5075 Harp Rd. + Santa Maria, CA 93455 + 805-937-4555 + FAX: 805-934-2805
Website: sldm.org Email: sldmchurch@sldm.org

San Ramon Chapel, Sisquoc
Mass Schedule: 934-3172
Daily: 6:30AM, 8:00AM
First Fridays: 5:30PM
Saturday: 8:00AM
Vigil: 5:30PM
Holy Days: 6:30AM, 8AM, 12 Noon, 6PM
Liturgy of the Hours: M-F 6:55AM
Novena/Benediction: Thursdays 7PM
Adoration: 8:30– Noontime
Confessions: Sat. 3:15-4:45PM & 8-9PM
Bilingual
270 Helena St.
Mass: 8:45AM & 11:30AM Span.
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Información: Rectoría 937-4555 o Félix González
Bereavement Ministry: David Dana 937-4134
BODAS/QUINCEÑERAS:
Informes: Diacono Raúl Blanco 937-6642 y
Coordinadoras: Gaby G. 937-4435 o María S. 934-4831
CONFIRMACIÓN: Luis Oros
OROSNADAB@sldm.org 937-0701
CONMARÍAS: By appointment at least 6 months in advance.
PREPARACIONES MATRIMONIALES:
Martes 7PM en los salones de la escuela #7 y #8
Informes: Rosario y Antonio Mejia - 925-2408
RCIA: Chris & Janell Hansen-christophansen@aol.com
RCIA Children: Raquel Orozco- roroizco@sldm.org
RICA - Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos:
Viernes 6:30 a 8PM en el salón parroquial
Informes: Mayra Morales y Jorge Farias 478-3123
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Kelly McLoughlin - 937-8363 Kelly@sldm.org
HS. MINISTRY: 937-0701– Luis Oros-rosadab@sldm.org
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jess.sheaff@gmail.com

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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.

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Fr Aidan Peter writes:

**THANKS.** Thanks for Thanksgiving. Thanks for the Jubilee Year of Mercy. Thanks for your generosity to the Josephite African Missions. Thanks, thanks, thanks. The little word, “thanks” acts like an Ikon in many ways. What it conveys is much greater than its tiny expression; it leads us into something deeper. The heart of all Catholic Christian spirituality is a profound sense of thanksgiving to God for all his mercies and blessings. It is why the Eucharist (Greek for thanksgiving) is the archetype of all worship; as the document on the Liturgy from Vatican Council II says it is “the source and summit” of our Christian life. As the doxology at the end of each Eucharistic prayer end, “through Him, with Him, and in Him...” Specifically I want to thank the Lord for His graces bestowed upon us in the Year of Mercy. We had many events, many visitors and we have grown as a community through this experience and the added honor of being the Northern most pilgrimage church with a Holy Door in our diocese. This Mercy theme will not abruptly end. Our Advent Mission has the theme of the Divine Mercy. After Easter we will again have a focus on the Mercy of God at the appropriate time and with the powerful witness to prayer of the Hispanic Congress in May. As a Josephite parish with the Daughters of Mary and Joseph, we have as a bedrock of our spirituality the understanding that we are “instruments of mercy in the hand of God”. Next year is the 200 anniversary of the founding of our two religious orders so it will be a constant theme next year too.

I want to thank you for your openness of heart and generosity to our African missions and especially our young men in religious and priestly formation. If you haven’t given in your kind contribution it is never too late, just drop the envelope into the offering basket with your weekly offering. Any financial assistance you give will make a great impact upon our ability to form these good young men to serve and teach the people of God in some of the most challenging places on earth.

Finally in this burst of thanks giving, I want to thank you for being you, the members of this great parish. Since I have been here for just over a year I have been overwhelmed by the generosity and spirit of our community. As we go out through the doors in to the world that great hymn rings in my ear “send us as a blessing Lord”...and you know what...he does!

God bless you, your families and the new Church year ahead.
CHRISTMAS STORE WITH MORE…
New or slightly used donations requested

SLdM School’s 5th Grade is now looking for new or slightly used donations to their “Christmas Store with More”. This store will be open on December 15th from 8:15-11:30 am for all SLdM Students to shop for Christmas presents for family and friends. Items range in price from 10 cents to $5. We will take any items you would like to donate. Please deliver to the 5th grade classroom before December 9, 2016. All proceeds benefit the Alzheimer’s Association. Thank you and have a prayer-filled Advent. Mrs. Hubbard and the 5th Gr.

GET READY, GET SET, GO!!!!!!

To raise money for Catholic Charities
1/2 MARATHON RUN / WALK
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2017
Register either at Active.com or at SLDM rectory $60 registration fee
Monetary contributions are also being accepted to defer costs.
EN SUS MARCAS, LISTOS, COMIENZE!!!!
Para beneficio de las Caridades Católicas de Santa María Tendremos medio maratón caminando / corriendo SABADO 4 DE FEBRERO, 2017 Registrate active.com o también en la rectoría de St. Louis de Montfort. Contribuciones monetarias se están aceptando para cubrir los costos incurridos.

Advent Parish Mission
DECEMBER 12, 13, & 14, 2016
St. Louis de Montfort welcomes back…
Rev. Piotr Prusakiewicz, CSMA of Poland
Mission Title
“WALKING IN THE SPIRIT OF MERCY”
Morning Mission
♦ 8am Mass / brief talk during the Homily
♦ 10am First Talk (same as evening Talk)
♦ 11am-12:00pm Confessions & Chaplet of St. Michael the Archangel
♦ 12pm - 3pm - *Break
Evening Mission
♦ 3pm-4:15pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet, Talk, silent time for private prayer
♦ 6pm - 6:45pm Confessions
♦ 6:30pm Rosary and Litanies
♦ 7pm Healing Mass & Talk included

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND JR. HI. NEWS
Junior High group
We gather every Thursday from 6:00-7:15pm in Lou’s Grotto. Parents can register their son/daughter any week before or after group gatherings. For more information contact Kelly via email: kelly@sldm.org

Ministry Formation Center: Consider taking training to become certified as a Catechist. Basic faith “formation” is an essential step in developing ourselves as proclaimers of the message of Jesus Christ. It is our belief that those who serve in ministry deserve to be nurtured and fed as mature Christian adults in their own faith. SLDM is hosting a training that will enhance knowledge of our faith and our church, while enriching our personal faith and developing skills to become a more effective catechist.
The cost is $50 a person. The first day of class is Friday, January 6th from 6:00-9:00pm. To view all the dates and/or to register go to: http://www.larchdiocese.org/org/ore/Documents/CF-StLouisdeMontfortWinter%202017%20SBPR.pdf (printed copy available in RE office). Any questions please email: kelly@sldm.org Any adult is welcome to attend the training to grow in your faith.

DEC 12, FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

4:30 am Songs and Aztecan Dancers
5:30 am Coro Peregrino and Mañanitas (Morning Songs)
6:30 am Bilingual; 6:30 a.m. Mass(Sp).
Mary, the Mother of God, appeared on Tepeyac hill, in Mexico City in 1531, asking San Juan Diego for a chapel to be built. On December 12 she left as a pledge of the seriousness of the request, that most beautiful image we all know on the rough burlap cloak (tilma) of San Juan. Bishop Zumárraga built a chapel, and the cloak with the image was exposed there for all to see. San Juan was able to show the Indians that in fact this was the image of the Mother of God, who lives forever in heaven, rather than the repulsive statue of Tonantzin which required human sacrifice to keep her alive. There followed a huge wave of conversions, unprecedented in Church history: 8 million in 10 years. Note: Fatima was in 1917, Lourdes in 1858, Guadalupe 1531.
DID YOU KNOW?
Make sure holiday shopping is done safely
No matter how you handle Christmas gifts, you're likely to have to go to the mall with your kids during the holiday season. In the midst of the crowds, children can easily become separated from their parents. Be alert in crowds and maintain awareness of what others around you are doing. Institute the buddy system—have your kids hold your hand or one another’s. Talk with your children about what to do, and who to go to for help, should you become separated. Also, it is important to give your child your cell phone number so mall security can contact you quickly if needed. For more information, please visit http://safety.more4kids.info/186/shopping-with-kids/.

ADVENT
Be prepared. It’s that simple. As this Advent season opens before us, the Lord Jesus summons us to stand ready for his coming. At this time of year much of our attention is focused on being prepared for the details that accompany the holiday season. We purchase gifts; we decorate our homes, inside and out; we prepare foods that we eat only during the holidays; we write and send Christmas cards; we attend holiday concerts; we prepare either to welcome family and friends into our homes or arrange for visits to their homes. We really can’t escape the details that make up the season. Perhaps this Advent is a time to attend to all those details with a different spin. As we prepare to celebrate the feast of Christmas, why not be deliberate about acknowledging the presence of the Lord as we go about these tasks? The Lord often comes to us in wonderfully surprising ways. Let us be prepared.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS SALE
The Knights of Columbus will be holding a unique Pre-Christmas sale in the Parish Hall on December 3rd from 7:00am—11:00am. Please mark this date on your calendar and find that special item for the holidays!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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¿SABIA USTED?
Asegúrese que las compras de la temporada navideña se hagan con seguridad
No importa cómo usted maneje los regalos navideños, lo más probable es que tenga que ir al centro comercial con sus hijos durante la temporada de Navidad. En medio de las multitudes, los niños fácilmente pueden separar de sus padres. Mantenga alerta en las multitudes y esté consciente de lo que estén haciendo las demás personas a su alrededor. Instruya a sus hijos en los detalles y que sus hijos se tomen de su mano o entre ellos. Plácate con sus hijos sobre qué hacer y a quién acudir para ayuda, en caso que se separen de usted. Además, es importante darles a sus hijos su número de teléfono celular para que el personal de seguridad del centro comercial pueda contactarla/o rápidamente si es necesario. Para más información, por favor visite http://safety.more4kids.info/186/shopping-with-kids/.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SILENT ANGEL CAMPAIGN
There is a Silent Angel who will DOUBLE any monetary donation you make from now until the end of December to Santa Maria Catholic Charities. This is the time for you to Make a Difference in assisting with their hopes and dreams of lifting all peoples up to self-sufficiency and helping to feed those in need. Your contribution will be twice as effective.

During this Annual appeal you can mail or bring your gift to:
Santa Maria Catholic Charities
607 West Main Street
Santa Maria, CA 93458 before December 31, 2016.
Thank you for your continued support, it is greatly appreciated.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
Sunday, December 11, 2016 from 8:00am-11:00am.
During the Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast
SLDM Parish Hall
Come find the perfect handmade treasure to give as a gift..

THANKSGIVING....Project Jo
We give thanks to God and to the many parishioners who provided Thanksgiving dinners for 55 needy families. Special thanks to the students at SLDM and SJHS schools for their overflowing bags and boxes of food. To Central Coast Water for their donation; to the individuals who came to drop off extra turkeys.
And to the fantastic helpers who sorted, bagged and boxed the supplies...extra hours.
And to the generous farmers who provided the savory green veggies straight from the fields. Let’s not forget the delicious apples from a local market.
It is an awesome experience to see the joy and gratitude in the eyes of the recipients.

PROJECT NOREEN BEGINS THE DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING
See Sr. Catherine for details