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

MASS SCHEDULE: 934-3172
Daily: 6:30AM, 8:00AM
First Fridays: 5:30PM
Saturday: 8:00AM
Vigil: 5 PM Eng. 6:45PM Span.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30, 3:00 Span. & 6:00PM
Holy Days: Vigil 5:30PM, 6:45 Span.
6:30AM, 8AM, 12 Noon, 6:00PM
Liturgy of the Hours: M-F 6:55AM
Novena/Benediction: Thursdays 7PM
Adoration: 8:30– Noon –Mondays
For 1st Friday: 7PM Thurs. to 6:30AM Fri.
Confessions: Sat. 3:15-4:45PM & 8-9PM Bilingual

SAN RAMON CHAPEL, SISQUOC
Foxen Canyon Mass: 10:15AM
www.sanramonchapel.org

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Rev. John Mayhew CJ - Associate (Ext. 105)
Rev. Alfred Verstreken CJ – Associate (Ext. 109)
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ST. JOSEPH HIGH SCHOOL: 4120 S. Bradley Rd. 937-2038
Joanne Poloni - Principal www.sjhsknights.com

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.

BODAS/QUINCEAÑERAS:
Informes: Diacono Raúl Blanco 937-6642 y
Coordinadoras: Gaby G. 937-4435 o María S. 934-4831

MARRIAGES: By appointment at least 6 months in advance.

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ASAMBLEA DE ORACIÓN: Lunes 7 - 8:30 en la Iglesia
Informes: Salvador y Connie Barajas 934-3097
Eugenia Pacheco 934-0510 o Sergio Valentin 260-2563

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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BAUTISMOS: edad 0-6 años: Cada cuarto domingo a la
1:30PM

CONFIRMATION/CONFIRMACIÓN: Luis Oros-
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EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA: Martes de 5:30 - 7PM
Información: Rectoría 937-4555 o Félix González

PREPARACIONES MATRIMONIALES:
Martes 7PM en los salones de la escuela #7 y #8
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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: Jessica Sheaff, 406-0116 or
jess.sheaff@gmail.com
St. Louis de Monƞort 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.

22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
7:30am    Alfredo Santos +
9:30am    Pearl Garcia +
11:30am   Larry Eskew
3:00pm    Parishioners
6:00pm    Zumbro Family

LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:
    Bill Caldera Sr. +

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
    Boerger Family

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
6:30am    Lana Thomas +
8:00am    Tom Madden +

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
6:30am    Ron Guida +
8:00am    Jomar Dayrit

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
6:30am    Gloria McCormick
8:00am    Fred Wellenkamp +

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
6:30am    Emilio Cervantes+ & Victor Nunez
8:00am    Mariett Dayrit

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
6:30am    Jose Cervantes
8:00am    Carlos Day

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
8:00am    Alice Korpal +
5:00pm    John Collier +
6:45pm    Maria De La Luz Esparza +

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
7:30am    Hank Crist +
9:30am    Joe Mendonca +
11:30am   Jules Diamond +
3:00pm    Maria Cleofas Argon +
6:00pm    Parishioners

LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:
    Bill Caldera Jr. +

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
    Sr. Regine Donner

Fr Aidan Peter writes:
I want to say a little about the importance of
music in our worship. Firstly, the Church
teaches us that Music is integral to the Mass,
not an added extra that seems for some to get
in the way. The Liturgy in the Western Church is essentially
musical; we have a sung liturgy. We sing the Mass we
don’t simply sing bits of music in the Mass. Secondly, mu-
sic itself is a participatory art/action. Good liturgical music
for the vernacular liturgy should invite participation by all.
Thirdly, we all can make music. I think some of us have
little self-belief that we can contribute to this important
aspect of our worship; it is not just the work of the choir/
music group.

There are also some important benefits of the congregation
singing the Mass. Singing is a whole body experience and
thus a commitment to our duty to praise God with all our
being. Furthermore, if for whatever reason you feel that
you can’t sing for love nor money, you could at least open
the hymnbook and read along with the verses and be fed
that way. Hymnody has always been one of the most fruit-
ful ways to learn to express our faith in daily life. For many
of us there are hymns or fragments of hymns that pop into
our consciousness quite often. For me the definition of a
good hymn is when the melody so fits the words that we
are carried deeper into our own faith by the faith of the
hymnodist. So singing at Mass is very important because it
nourishes our faith, draws us deeper into the dynamic of
the Mass, and gives the Lord our fulsome praise which is
his due.

So can I ask you if you are not in the habit of singing
please give it a go and reap the rewards of a fuller level of
participation? If you feel you can’t sing then at least open
the hymn book and follow the texts so they speak to you.
Our choirs and musicians work hard for our community
and it can be discouraging for them and also for the pastor presiding to see blank faces and firmly closed mouths.
Give it a go. As a well-known hymn proclaims, “Raise
your voices, lift your hearts, this is the day the Lord has
made, let all the world rejoice”. I will be working closely
over the coming months with our musical groups to come
to reflect upon this ministry and ways we can take it for-
ward for and WITH you.

God bless you and the week ahead, Fr AP
**SPECIAL COLLECTION**

Our prayers go out to all those who were impacted by Hurricane Harvey. Archbishop Gomez is asking that a special collection be taken up to support the victims and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted dioceses. The collection will be taken at the end of Mass on the weekend of September 2nd and 3rd. Please make checks payable to SLDM with “Hurricane Harvey” in the memo section.

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**PARISH STAFFING POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

St. Louis de Montfort is looking to hire for 2 part time bilingual office positions. Approximately 12-15 hours a week, must be available for flexible schedule. Please get job descriptions and applications from the Rectory Office. Thank you!

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**WOMEN’S SILENT RETREAT**

October 20-22, 2017, located at the beautiful and serene grounds of Sacred Heart Retreat House in Alhambra. Retreat Master Rev. Gerard Gonda, OSB. Theme: “Streams of Grace and mercy”. Bus tickets are available from St. Louis de Montfort for $40. Reserve as soon as possible; they are first come, first served. Ouble room for the weekend includes food for $180.00. To register or for questions: Lori Vittello 805-264-5606 or vtolori@gmail.com

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**SONGS, STORIES & SYRAH**

Back by popular demand… you’re invited to fundraiser concert… "Songs, Stories & Syrah" on Friday, September 22, from 5:30 – 9pm at San Ramon Chapel in Sisquoc! Singer/songwriter Chris Beland (Bee-lnd) will be playing selections from his new album of P.P. Bliss hymns entitled “Ville du Havre".

Fr. Aidan Peter will introduce each hymn telling the story behind the song— in his fun, unique way.

$20 entrance fee at the door includes the album and a souvenir wine glass.

Wines-by-the-glass from local wineries, Chef Rick’s jambalaya pasta, BBQ steak sandwiches, and desserts will be available for donation.

You must RSVP for this event as seating is very limited:

miarelyea@comcast.net / 805-598-0654

Go to SanRamonChapel.org or the St. Louis de Montfort website for more information.

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND JR. HI. NEWS**

The first week of classes for the 2017-2018 year will be September 6th & 7th, 2017.

We offer classes for Kindergarteners through 6th grade on Wednesdays (3:45-5:15pm) or Thursdays (6:00-7:30pm). You choose one or the other day for classes.

First Communion preparation is a two year process that begins as early as 1st grade. The fee is $65.00 for the first child in a family and $40.00 each for any additional children. (Year 2 Communion class is $80.00) The registration forms can be found at this link: http://sldm.org/forms-for-religious-education-2017-2018/. If you don’t have access to a printer, sets of these forms are printed and available in the RE office and the rectory.

Our Junior High group for 7th and 8th graders gathers on Thursdays from 6:00-7:30pm in Lou’s Grotto beginning Thursday 9/7.

**Spanish First Communion**

Spanish First Communion Preparation is a two year process. Classes begin on September 12th at 5:30 in the Upper Room.

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**FOLLOWING CHRIST**

If you’ve ever had an unpleasant but somewhat amusing practical joke played on you, then you have some understanding of how Jeremiah feels today when he tells God “good one—you duped me.” We can almost see him shaking his head with a bit of a rueful smile, but an angry undertone in his voice. In similar fashion, Peter thinks Jesus is “duping” him when Jesus starts to explain that being Messiah means suffering and dying, and being a follower of the Messiah means taking up a cross and doing the same. Jeremiah tries to deny God’s will for him by trying to shut up; Peter—who has just been made the new leader of the church—out and out denies the teaching of Jesus, for which he is named “Satan” today. Fortunately for us, Jeremiah comes to realize that to have the word of God placed in your heart means that it will be futile to try and keep silent, even if it means scorn and derision from those around you. Luckily Peter ultimately returned to the faith he professed in last week’s Gospel, and came to understand our need as baptized followers of Christ to follow in his way, even when it means following him to our very death.

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**ROSEMARY HILL PANTRY NEEDS YOU!**

Please help us with the following:

- Jams/Jellies
- Cereal
- Soad Crackers
- Spaghetti Sauce

Please check expiration dates! Thank you!
DID YOU KNOW?
Warn tweens and teens about selfie risks
Teens and tweens typically like to push boundaries and test their limits, but the new trend of taking dangerous selfies has led to several tragedies. There are far too many people who think that taking a picture while driving, or standing out on a ledge, is more important than their own safety, and that getting “likes” on a photo makes the risks worth it. Talk to your kids about safety, smart choices, and being aware of their environment and surroundings, even when they’re using their smartphones. For a copy of the VIRTUS© online article “Selfies are More Dangerous Than You Think,” email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call (213) 637-7227

Volunteer sign-up up sheets are in the vestibule. Please consider donating a two hour block and spend the rest of the day enjoying the entertainment and great food.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13; Lk 4:16-30, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass “For the Blessing of Human Labor,” nos. 907-911
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10-11; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
Saturday: Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8; Lk 6:1-5
Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

FOLLOW ME:
MEETING JESUS IN THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Being Catholic takes more than simply believing in God or doing what he asks of us. Jesus wants you to be more than just a believer—he wants you to be his disciple and friend. To help you answer this call to deeper friendship with Christ, St. Louis de Montfort will begin Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John on Monday night, September 11th at 7:00pm, in the Upper Room. For more information or to register, contact Steve Stanley at 805-621-2966 or see the flyer on the church bulletin boards. You will not only benefit personally from being part of this study; you will also help us to grow in fellowship as a parish as we grow closer to Christ together.

Follow Me invites you to experience the joy of a renewed friendship with Christ. You will learn what it takes to follow him. You will experience the joy of divine friendship, and you will see how God—and only God—can satisfy the deepest desires of your heart.

Participants of Follow Me will receive a workbook and will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. The eight thirty minute videos, presented by Dr. Edward Sri, will guide you through the Gospel of John. Dr. Sri will explain how Christ’s encounters with others in the Gospel are examples of how he lovingly and persistently calls each of us to a more intimate and life-changing relationship with him.