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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: Rectorı́ 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

MARRIAGES: 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 Mejía - 925-2408

RCLA: Chris & Janell Hansen- chrishansen@sldm.org

RICA - Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos:
Viernes 6:30 á 8PM en el salón parroquial
Informes: Mayra Morales y Jorge Farias 478-3123

RELIGIOUS ED./FIRST COMMUNION/JR. HIGH MINISTRY:
Kelly McLoughlin - 937-8363 Kelly@sldm.org

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA: Martes de 5:30 - 7PM
Salón Upper Room - Kelly McLoughlin 937-8363

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jess.sheaff@gmail.com
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.

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
JANUARY 7, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7
7:30am    Sean Carson
9:30am    Parishioners
11:30am   Louis Leo Raef HF1 +
3:00pm    Lily Gutierrez +
6:00pm    Gail Woodworth Kelley +

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

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
DMJs

MONDAY, JANUARY 8
6:30am    Paul Rudd II
8:00am    Dan & Alice Connors +

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9
6:30am    Mary Rudd
8:00am    Merce Vela

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10
6:30am    Ruth Herman
8:00am    Javier Calero

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11
6:30am    Sheryl Cork
8:00am    Karl Erhardt +

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12
6:30am    Pastora Nelson +
8:00am    Pat Carriel +

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13
8:00am    Barbara Delahant
5:00pm    Ruby & Jeffrey Wintroub
6:45pm    Alfredo Gonzalez +

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14
7:30am    Denise Valente
9:30am    John Ferenz
11:30am   Parishioners
3:00pm    Miguel Andrade Perez +
6:00pm    Sr. Alice Nugent DMJ +

LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:
Tony Vierra +

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
Fr. Campion Aspinall +

Fr Aidan Peter Writes:

I hope you have been good about keeping your New Year’s resolutions; I have, just about! Resolve is an interesting word, it comes from the Latin verb *resolvere* which means, “to loosen, unyoke, melt, set free…” presumably of those things that burden us or hold us back so that we might have more determination (noun) and be able to move forward.

In many ways this is what our 2018 focus at SLdM will be about; Stewardship. We will, over the course of the year, look at the whole of our life as a parish reflecting upon our mission statement and how best our talents and time can be offered to make it a more effective ongoing reality. And yes, when we have a clearer picture of the way forward together we will look at the financial implications for an effective mission to bring Christ and our Catholic Faith to the wider world in our area. Stewardship is ultimately about the Mission of the Church and requires us to move further than simply maintaining the good practices and assets that we have. Our calendars this year have the theme of stewardship. January has the byline “Stewards chart their course, guided by faith and charity, with steady eyes on Jesus Christ” We are going to do just that this year; chart our course. We will free ourselves from those things, be they burdens, mindsets, assets or practices, that keep us from being determined Christophers – Christ bearers. As Ps 40:10 says “I have not hidden your saving help within my heart, I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation; I have not concealed your steadfast love and your faithfulness from the great assembly”. We must become proclaimers of the light of God that entered our world through the Christ child to a world ever increasing in its need for such light. So please let us all enter into this adventure for Christ together wholeheartedly.

God bless us all in 2018

Fr Aidan Peter
GET READY, GET SET, GO!!!!!!
To raise money for Catholic Charities we are hosting a 1/2 MARATHON RUN / WALK ON SATURDAY
February 3, 2018
From San Ramon Chapel in Sisquoc, CA to St. Louis de Montfort (SLDM), Santa Maria, CA.
All proceeds benefitting Catholic Charities of the Santa Maria Valley.
Hosted by Father John Mayhew and SLDM parishioners.
Register either at chapeltochurch.com, or Active.com, or at SLDM rectory. $60 registration fee which includes medal, t-shirt & lunch.

805-937-4555 St. Louis de Montfort Church
Monetary contributions are also being accepted to defer costs to hold this event so that all of the proceeds raised may be contributed to Catholic Charities.

EN SUS MARCAS, LISTOS, COMIENZE!!!!
Para beneficio de las Caridades Católicas de Santa María.
Tendremos medio maratón caminando / corriendo Sabado 3 de febrero, 2018.
Comenzando en la capilla de San Ramón, Sisquoc Terminando en la iglesia de St. Louis de Montfort, Santa Maria.
Presentado por el padre Juan Mayhew y parroquianos.
Regístrese en chapeltochurch.com o active.com o también en la rectoria de St. Louis de Montfort o llame a 805-937-4555.
Contribuciones monetarias se están aceptando para cubrir los costos incurridos para poder tener este evento y para que todo el dinero que se junte de este evento se pueda contribuir a Caridades Católicas.

HELP WANTED AT RECTORY
We are now taking applications for a part-time janitor.
Daytime hours on Saturday and Sunday. Evenings Monday and Tuesday. Approximately 20 hours a week.
Janitorial experience preferred.
Please contact Rectory to pick up an application and Job Description.

Thank You

DECORATION TAKE DOWN!
Epiphany has come and gone so it is time to take down the Christmas Decorations!
Please help us Monday, January 8th at 1:30pm. Your time is greatly appreciated.
Thank You,
The Decorating Committee

ROSEMARY HILL PANTRY NEEDS YOU!
Please help us with the following:
Pinto Beans (1 or 2 lb. bags only)
Commercially packed beans & rice only, please!
Saltine/Soda Crackers
Boxed Cereal
Please check expiration dates!

Pray for our sick:
Joe Vasquez, Jhenna Manko, Yolanda Garcia, Carys Tomilloso, Christina Meraz, David Dana.

REQUIEM FOR THE UNBORN
This is a wonderful opportunity to renew our commitment to life.
DATE:  Saturday, January 20, 2018
TIME:  5:00pm
PLACE:  Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels
555 W Temple St., Los Angeles

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND JR. HI. NEWS

Junior High group is open to anyone entering the 7th or 8th grades. We gather every Thursday from 6:00-7:30pm in the upper room. Parents can register their son/daughter in advance during any week of the group gatherings.

January Parent Session/Workshop: Wednesday 1/10 or Thursday 1/11 (same topic each night-only choose one or the other) from 7:30-8:30pm in the parish hall.
The topic will be-“The Catholic Church”. These meetings will be for parents of children of all ages Kindergarten through 12th grade. (Religious Education and SLdM school year 1 and year 2 Communion parents are required to attend a minimum of 1).

Family Night for January is Wednesday 1/24 from 6:30-7:30pm in the parish hall and the topic is “New Year”. We will have a variety of activities during the hour including prayer, craft activity to make and take home and snacks. All ages of family members are welcome. (Religious Education and SLdM school year 1 and year 2 Communion parents are required to attend a minimum of 1).

FIFTY PLUS CLUB
The Fifty Plus Club will have their monthly luncheon on January 11th, 2018, at 11:30am. The menu will consist of Pasta with Marinara sauce, Green Salad, Broccoli and Lemon Cake for dessert. All of this for just $12.00. Please call Irene at 934-2511 for reservations.
Anyone 50 years or older may join…...dues are $7.00 per year.

SENIOR PROM 2018-
The SLDM Youth Ministry would like to invite the senior citizens of our community to our 8th Annual Senior Prom Dinner/Dance held on Friday, February 2nd. You can pick up the invitations and tickets in the Youth Ministry Office, starting Tuesday, January 9th, Monday to Friday between 9am – 4pm. We will be out of the office for Lunch from 12pm – 1pm. There’s only a limited amount of tickets. First come, first served.
**DID YOU KNOW?**
Teach children how to handle bullies
Many schools have started initiatives focused on eliminating bullying, and teaching kids how to be kind to each other. At home, you can teach your children how to defend themselves and stand up for friends and classmates using firm, polite statements. Talk with your kids about bullying – what’s happening, who’s doing it, and how to stop it with the help of a trusted adult. For more information on bullying and in-school conflicts, visit http://kidshealth.org/parent/emotions/feelings/bullies.html.

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**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**
Please join Catholic Daughters at the Santa Maria Civic Theatre 1660 North McClelland St on Saturday, January 20, 2018, for their annual fund-raiser. Doors open at 1:00 PM; show begins at 1:30. The play is called Kimberly Akimbo – a comedy. Ticket donation is $20.00. Call Rebecca DeMarco for reservations at 937-3200 and/or remit money to her at 3536 Dakota Dr, Santa Maria, CA 93455. We appreciate your continued support.

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**SANTA MARIA MAGNIFICAT**
Santa Maria Magnificat Chapter invites all women to hear Elizabeth Vargas, a cradle Catholic, who stepped away from her Catholic faith briefly only to return with determination for a deeper walk with the Lord. Come hear a story of faith, courage, and trust in our Lord.

**Prayer Breakfast:** Saturday, January 27, 9:30am-12:30pm
**Place:** Santa Maria Inn
**Cost:** $25/person
**Reservations:** Dolly Horn (878-0420 or 934-1857) Marie Schaefer (938-1254)

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

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**¿SABIA USTED?**
Enseña a sus hijos cómo defenderse contra los acosadores o “bullies”
Muchas escuelas han comenzado iniciativas para eliminar el acoso o “bullying” y a enseñar a los niños cómo ser amables unos con otros y aprender juntos. Usted también puede enseñar a sus hijos cómo defenderse contra los acosadores y cómo usar palabras para comunicar en vez de la violencia. Hable con su hijo acerca de “bullying”. Pregúnteles qué es lo que está pasando, quién lo está haciendo y hablen sobre cómo prevenir el acoso con la ayuda de un adulto de confianza. Para obtener más información sobre el acoso o “bullying”, visite el sitio http://espanol.stopbullying.gov/.

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**GREAT NEWS**
It is with joy that I am able to announce the appointment of our new Director for Faith and Family Formation [the DF3!]

Mr. David Stevens, will be joining us in early January to take up this important role in the life of the mission, religious education and catechetics of the whole parish. David comes to us from San Diego with a wealth of experience and qualifications as parish catechist, youth leadership, liturgical music and parish support. David has also worked for a national Catholic youth organization organizing amongst other things the Steubenville youth congress in San Diego for several years.

David’s wife, an elementary school principal is a Santa Maria native and they have two young daughters. I’m sure he and his family will receive from us a warm welcome and that we will respond readily to his requests for support in this vital area of parish life.

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- Parish News
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- Ministry Information
- Event Photos
- Weekly Bulletins
- Program Information

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