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First Fridays: 5:30PM
Saturday: 8:00AM
Vigil: 5PM 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: 8:30–12 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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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
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 Mejia - 925-2408
RCIA: Chris & Janell Hansen- chrishansen@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
DIRECTOR OF FAITH AND FAMILY FORMATION
David Stevens - david@sldm.org - 937-8363
EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA: Martes de 5:30 -7PM
Salón Upper Room - Via David Stevens - 937-8363
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Luis Oros - Orosnadab@sldm.org - 937-0701
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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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**PALM SUNDAY**

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**Fr Aidan Peter Writes:**

Father Aidan Peter has left us with this reflection:

**A NEW KIND OF KING**

"I give my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out my beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting." (Isaiah 50:6)

Why does Jesus enter Jerusalem? Or better: how does he enter? The crowds acclaim him as king. And he does not deny it or tell them to be silent. But what kind of king is he? He rides on a donkey, not accompanied by a court, not surrounded by an army as a symbol of power. He is received by humble people, simple folk who have the sense to see something more in Jesus. They have that sense of the faith which says: here is the savior. Jesus does not enter the holy city to receive the honors reserved to earthly kings, to the powerful, to rulers. He enters to be scourged, insulted and abused, as Isaiah foretold. He enters to receive a crown of thorns, a staff, a purple robe: his kingship becomes an object of derision. He enters to climb Calvary, carrying his burden of wood. Jesus enters Jerusalem in order to die on the cross. And it is precisely here that his kingship shines forth in godly fashion: his royal throne is the wood of the cross!

*Pope Francis*

*Jesus, help me deepen my faith to recognize you as my savior too.*
TRIDUUM SCHEDULE
Holy Thursday:  8:00am Morning Prayer
               7:30pm Mass of Lord's Supper
Good Friday:   8:00am Morning Prayer
               12:30 Stations of the Cross
               1:00pm Office of Readings
               2:30pm Solemn Passion
Holy Saturday: 8:00am Morning Prayer
               8:00pm Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday: 6:00am Mass
               7:30am Mass
               9:30am Mass
               11:30am Mass
               3:00pm Mass (Sp)
               6:45pm Mass (Sp)

Take A Senior to Church
Isolation among our older seniors is a growing issue, but we have an opportunity to do something about that. Community Partners in Caring (CPC) will help establish a free transportation service for seniors that will help them reconnect (stay connected) with our church community. We need you. Volunteer 2 hours per week or per month to drive a senior to our church and, if time permits, stop by the grocery store to help him/her carry groceries back home. You'll be reimbursed for your mileage and because they coordinate all rides, your phone number will remain private. You'll also be bringing some needed light into someone's life. To learn more, contact Community Partners in Caring 805-925-0125 or go to the information event they're hosting at Shepard Hall (Santa Maria Library) on March 20th. They have 3 sessions: 11:30am, 12:15pm, and 1pm.

Faith and Family Formation
There will be no Faith Formation Classes next week (March 27th - 29th) as we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Classes will resume the week of April 3rd to the 5th.
Family Night
Our final Family Night is just around the corner. We will be having our next Family Night on April 25th at 6:30pm and the topic will be LOVE. Mark your calendars and bring your whole family for a night of fun. Parent Night will be held on April 11th or 12th with the topic of Kingdom of God. Just a reminder, if your child is in year 1 or 2 of communion classes you are required to attend a minimum of one Family Night and two Parent Nights.
For more information contact David Stevens 937-8363 or David@sldm.org

Pray for our sick:

It's BUNCO TIME Again!
Come join the Catholic Daughters at St. Louis de Montfort Church in the upper room (multi-purpose building).
Saturday, April 14, 2018
Doors open at 12:30 pm. For a $15.00 donation come for an afternoon of food, fun and door prizes.
To reserve your seat call Peggy Morris at 805.934.2948.
Space is limited...so call early!

THREE O'CLOCK -- THE HOUR OF GREAT MERCY
"I began Holy Lent in the way that Jesus wanted me to, making myself totally dependent upon His holy will and accepting with love everything that He sends me." -- (St. Faustina, Diary #1625) The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets Fridays at 3:00pm at the Josephite Chapel at 180 Patterson Road. Come pray with us.

FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION
March 25 is the Feast of the Annunciation...
The visit of the Angel Gabriel to Mary...
The feast will be celebrated on April 8.
Suggestion: read Lk. 1:26-38.

Parish Military Banner
Our Banner honoring members of our parish families currently serving on active duty in the military is being reconstructed and will be unveiled in the Easter Season. To help this process we need to following to happen.
All those with family already represented on the old banner please let us know whether or not they are still serving and therefore to be included or not on the new Banner. We will return photos of those who have left military service with grateful thanks.
Any member of the parish who has a currently serving family member that was not on the old banner please can you give us their name, military rank & corp/flight/ship etc. and a photograph to include on the new one with those currently serving. Can we please have all this updated information by March 25th [Palm Sunday] so that the needle workers can create the new banner.
**KEEP ‘EM SAFE**

Teach children gratitude
Gratitude is one of life’s greatest virtues. Teaching children to recognize the many blessings in their lives helps to teach them to have grateful hearts. Modeling gratitude in your home can help your child learn what to value and be grateful for, and learn to avoid the things that are not valuable or worthy of their time and interest. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article “Teaching Children to be Thankful Makes Them Happier and Safer” visit: http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx

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- **Wednesday**: Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25
- **Thursday**: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:27-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21
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**MANTENLOS A SALVO**

Enseñe gratitud a los niños
La gratitud es una de las mayores virtudes de la vida. Enseñar a los niños a reconocer las muchas bendiciones en sus vidas ayuda a enseñarles a tener corazones agradecidos. Modelo la gratitud en su hogar puede ayudar a su hijo a aprender qué valorar y por qué estar agradecido, y aprender a evitar las cosas que no son valiosas o dignas de su tiempo e interés. Para obtener una copia del artículo completo de VIRTUS® “Teaching Children to be Thankful Makes Them Happier and Safer” (Enseñar a los niños a ser agradecidos los hace más felices y más seguros), visite http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx

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**Lent : A Time for Giving**

...There are those who give with joy, and that joy is their reward.
And there are those who give with pain, and that pain is their baptism...
They give as in yonder valley the myrtle breathes its fragrance into space.
Through the hands of these God speaks,
And from behind their eyes He smiles upon the earth.
It is well to give when asked
But it is better to give unasked, through understanding.
And to the open-handed the search for one who shall receive is joy greater than giving.
And is there aught you would withhold?
All you have shall one day be given;
Therefore give now, that the season of giving may be yours And not your inheritors.

Kahlil Gabran “The Prophet”

Compassionate God,
You bless us with the abundance of your love
and grace us with the gift of your eternal presence.
In this Lenten time give us the wisdom to recognize our poverty
and the compassion to share its treasure
with our brothers and sisters.
We ask this through your Son Jesus Christ, who gave his life for us. Amen

**ROSEMARY HILL PANTRY NEEDS YOU!**

Please help us with the following

- Oatmeal Packets
- Tuna

Please check expiration dates!