ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Website: sldm.org Email: slmdchurch@sldm.org

San Ramon Chapel, Sisquoc
Mass Schedule:
- Daily: 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM
- First Fridays: 5:30 PM
- Saturday: 8:00 AM
- Vigil: 5PM Eng. 6:45PM Span.
- Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30, 3:00 Span. & 6:00 PM
- Holy Days: Vigil 5:30PM
- Liturgy of the Hours: M-F 6:55AM
- Novena/Benediction: Thursdays 7PM
- Adoration: 8:30– Noon –Mondays
- For 1st Friday: Thurs. to 6:30AM Fri.
- Confessions:
  - Sat. 3:15-4:45PM & 8-9PM Bilingual
  - 270 Helena St. Mass: 8:45AM & 11:30AM Span.

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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 Valentín 260-2563

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

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.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: Kathe Klein 345-0206
BODAS/QUINCEAÑERAS:
Informes: Diacono Raul Blanco 937-6642 y Coordinadoras: Gaby G.937-4435 o María S. 934-4831

MARRIAGES:
PREPARACIONES MATRIMONIALES:
Martes 7PM en los salones de la escuela #7 y #8
Informes: Rosario y Antonio Mejía - 925-2408
RCIA: Chris & Janell Hansen- chrishansen@sldm.org
RICA - Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos:
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 Lucero Nunez 349-3768
YOUTH MINISTRIES AND CONFIRMATION:
Luis Oros - Orosnadab@sldm.org - 937-0701
YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: Jessica Sheaff, 406-0116 or 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.

2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
DECEMBER 9, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9
7:30am Gary Ono +
9:30am Parishioners
11:30am Michael Meehan +
3:00pm Miguel Guerra +
6:00pm Arthur Razo III +

LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:
Carson & Sherry Scheller

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
Special Intention

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10
6:30am Amalia Reyes +
8:00am Loreto Parco +
5:30pm Tomas & Maria Ramos +

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11
6:30am Loreto Parco +
8:00am Joe Padilla +
5:30pm Sotero&Clotilde Lopez, Delfina Real +

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12
4:30am Moises Lopez +
6:30am Sue Kuomo +
8:00am Jim Jepsen +
5:30pm Rogelio & Esther

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13
6:30am Diane Mitchell +
8:00am Bailey Hudson +
5:30pm Michael Behrick

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14
6:30am Kyle Wilson +
8:00am Margaret & Louis Smith +
5:30pm Ed & Emma Senger

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15
8:00am Lucio Magdaleno +
5:00pm Michael & Debbie Swann
6:45pm Manuel Escobedo +

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16
7:30am Kyle Wilson +
9:30am Virginia Rita Sanchez +
11:30am Margaret Castro +
3:00pm Sofia & Carlos Uc +
6:00pm Linda Juarez

LOS ALAMOS, ST. ANTHONY’S:
Parishioners

SISQUOC, SAN RAMON CHAPEL:
Bozo Batinich +

Fr. Aidan Writes:

It is good to be back! After my trip to Rome, Belgium
and England I have returned hoping to be firing on all
cylinders; unfortunately the jet lag this time has been
very strong but I’ll survive. Whilst in Rome, I had the
great joy of joining maybe 10,000 people in St Peter’s
Square for the Holy Father’s midday Sermon and Angelus. The Holy Father spoke on that Sunday’s Gospel
about the Widow placing her last two coins in the offer-
ing at the temple. She gave everything, not just
spare money. Last weekend we introduced the
“Treasure” element of our stewardship drive to move
the parish forward in 2019. Many of you will have
received the brochure and commitment card in the
post. Please pray as a family and make your discern-
ment so that you can commit to the life of the parish
financially. Thank you. At all Masses this weekend we
will place our commitment cards before the altar as a
sign of our active commitment to the mission and life
of the Church.

As we gear up for Christmas, keep your eye out for
pre-Christmas events such as the Penance Services on
18 and 19th of December, the Pastorellas and the Carol
Service, but especially the Advent Reflection evening
on the 14th with Fr. Garcia our former pastor.

Advent is a time of growing excitement, filled with
expectancy; let us keep all Moms-to-be in our prayers
as they, like Mary, carry their babies to birth.

The Works have been delayed because of the rain but
hopefully we will be able to pour the new concrete
this coming week. You can’t pour concrete in the rain!

So we have the blessing of rain but the inconvenience
for our local project at the same time!

God bless us for our Advent ...... Fr. AP
INCREASED OFFERTORY PROGRAM
Thank you for celebrating Commitment Sunday with us this weekend. Your commitment to our parish through our Increased Offertory Program will continue to bring life to our community. If completing your commitment card was not possible at Mass, an invitation to respond will be mailed later this week to your home. Please return your Commitment Card to the office this week or in next week’s collection. If you have not yet done so, join the many others and give your gift online through our electronic giving program. Please call the parish office with any questions.

SAVE THE DATE!
ANNUAL CHAPEL-TO-CHURCH HALF MARATHON
FEBRUARY 2, 2019
RUN OR WALK BUT REGISTER NOW!
GO TO ACTIVE.COM

JUVENILE HALL MINISTRY
The Juvenile Hall Ministry would like to invite all SLdM choirs to join in the sing-along of Christmas carols on December 18th. This function will take place at Santa Maria Juvenile Hall from 6:45-7:45pm. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact Carlos to join as a guest for the caroling.
Contact number: 805-588-8927

Saturday, December 15th, the Blast 805 which used to be Rooney’s in Orcutt will donate a percentage of their evening ‘take’ to Catholic Charities...so those who live here please plan to eat dinner there that night...and bring your friends

Faith Formation Christmas Break
The Faith Formation Program will be on a Christmas/New Year’s break and there will be no Faith Formation classes the following days.
Dec 18/19, Dec 26/27 & Jan 2/3
Classes will resume the week of Jan 7th.
From all of us in the Faith Formation office we pray that your family has a blessed Christmas and Happy New Year.
KEEP 'EM SAFE

Get your family on the same page about social media. Social media is one of the leading forms of communication and connection in our world today, but it has dangerous side effects if used carelessly or improperly. Social media platforms can be used to solicit minors, distribute drugs, share pornography and more. If your family does not have a social media safety policy in place, work to establish one immediately. Rules such as no direct messages from anyone you don’t know in person and no private or hidden contact with anyone are important. Establish regular check-ins to make sure that the rules are being followed to see what your children are viewing. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article “Raising the Bar,” visit http://www.larchdiocese.org.org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx.

CHRISTMAS ADOPT-A-FAMILY

We have some families that would benefit from the loving kindness shown to those “adopted” at Thanksgiving. Would you be interested in playing St. Nick to a needy family? Please contact the rectory for more information. We need YOU! Our numbers are larger than ever this year, so please consider participating this year....you will be richly blessed.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

The Knight of Columbus will be holding their monthly parish breakfast this Sunday to raise funds for Spanish Catholic Radio. Cost is only $5 for a great meal. Join us and help keep Spanish Catholic Radio on the air! Also, enjoy the breakfast and take home a Catholic book for your Advent reading!

READEINGS FOR THE WEEK

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MANTENÍOS A SALVO

Informe a su familia sobre las redes sociales. Las redes sociales son una de las formas principales de comunicación y conexión en nuestro mundo actual, pero tienen efectos secundarios peligrosos si se usan de forma descuidada o inadecuada. Las plataformas de medios sociales pueden usarse para interceptar menores, distribuir drogas, compartir pornografía y más. Si su familia no tiene una política de seguridad en las redes sociales, trabaje para establecer una de inmediato. Establezca reglas que prohíban la recepción de mensajes directos de cualquier persona desconocida y la de contactos privados u ocultos con alguna persona. Establezca controles regulares para supervisar lo que ven sus hijos. Para obtener una copia del artículo completo de VIRTUS® “Raising the Bar” (Elevar el nivel) visite http://www.larchdiocese.org.org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx.

DECEMBER TAMALE SALE!

Sale begins Saturday, December 22 from 1-6pm and Sunday, December 23 from 11am-1pm.
Cost is $18 a dozen or $1.50 each. Pick up in the Hall.
Pre-orders are recommended.
English: 805-938-0446
Spanish: 805-260-8533

LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION CHURH CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Sunday, December 16th at 5:00pm.
Admission is free. For info: Teresa 310-819-7365

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

Aging religious need your help. Catholic sisters, brothers and religious order priests ministered for years for little or no pay. Their sacrifices now leave their religious communities without adequate retirement savings. Your gift today to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps to provide care for tens of thousands of elderly religious. Please be generous. Donation envelopes can be found in the pews.

Silent Angel 2018

There is a ‘Silent Angel’ who will DOUBLE any monetary donation you make from now until the end of December to the Santa Maria Catholic Charities.

If you would like to see the facility, stop by for a tour. Now is the time for you to MAKE A DIFFERENCE in assisting with the hopes and dreams of lifting all peoples up to self-sufficiency by mailing your gift to:
Thank you for your continued support!

ROSEMARY HILL PANTRY can always count on our generous parishioners to keep the shelves full. Thank you!!

Needed:
- Peanut Butter
- Jams/Jellies
- Mac&Cheese
- Canned Beans (pinto, black, etc.)
- Soups

Please check expiration dates!