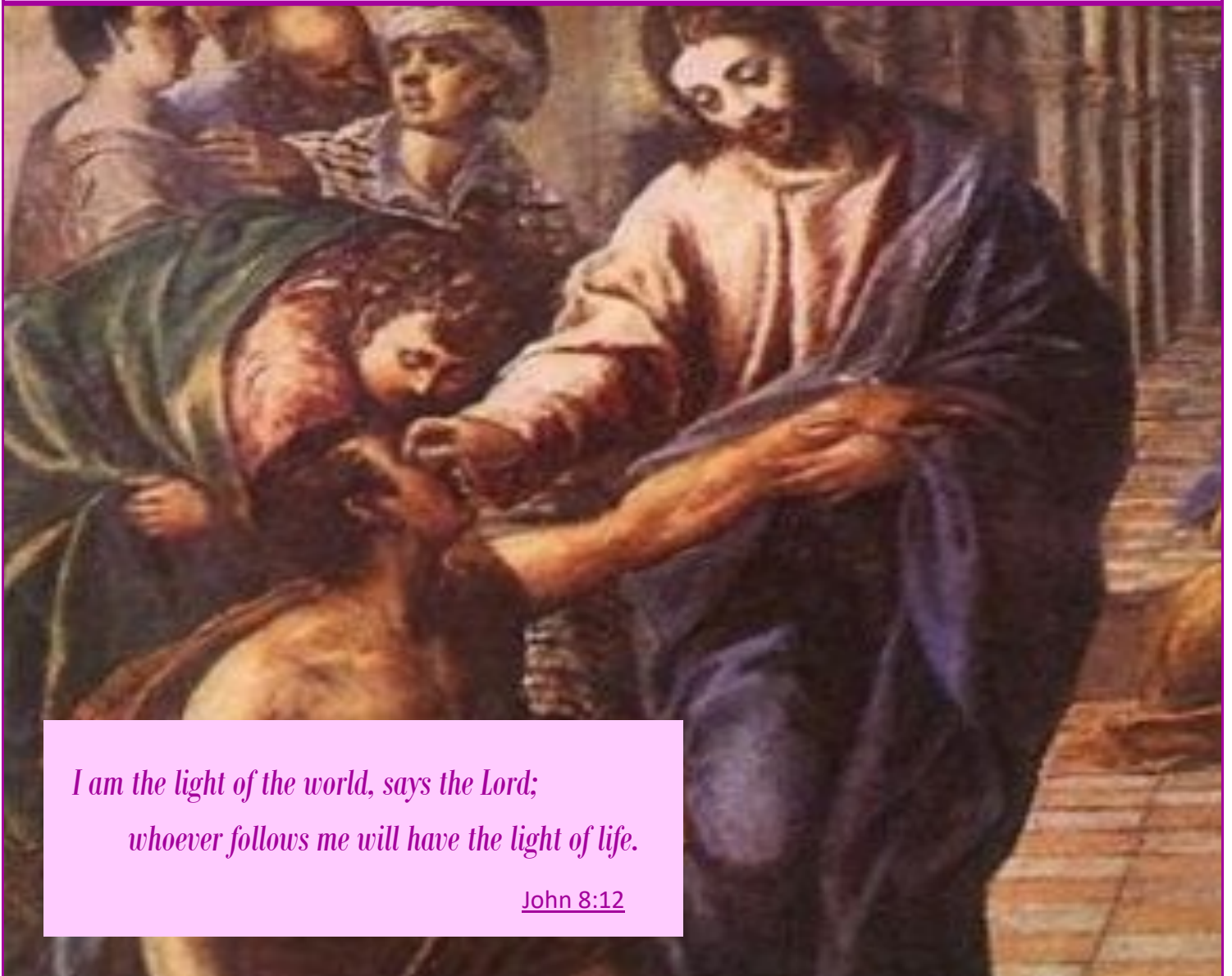


# Sacred Heart Catholic Church Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón

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*I am the light of the world, says the Lord;  
whoever follows me will have the light of life.*

John 8:12

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March 15, 2026 • 4th Sunday of Lent

15 de marzo de 2026 • 4to Domingo de Cuaresma

# Welcome • Bienvenidos

Welcome to Sacred Heart Church, where we embrace each other as family, just as Jesus taught us to love one another and share each other's burdens. We strive each day to grow a little kinder, a little better, guided by the light of our faith. We are thrilled to extend our warmest greetings to you as you join our community. We make it our mission to make you feel at home, starting with reserving you a seat among us. We invite you to explore our website or stop by the church office to learn more about how you can become an integral part of our parish family. We look forward to getting to know you and journeying together in faith. Remember Sacred Heart in your will!

Bienvenidos a la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón, donde nos abrazamos como familia, así como Jesús nos enseñó a amarnos los unos a los otros y compartir las cargas de los demás. Aquí nos esforzamos cada día por ser un poco más amables, un poco mejores, guiados por la luz de nuestra fe. Estamos encantados de extenderle nuestros más cordiales saludos al unirse a nuestra comunidad. Nuestra misión es hacerle sentir como en casa, empezando por reservar un asiento entre nosotros. Lo invitamos a explorar nuestro pagina web o pasar por la oficina de la iglesia para obtener más información sobre cómo puede convertirse en una parte integral de nuestra familia parroquial. Esperamos conocerle y caminar juntos en la fe. ¡Recuerda el Sagrado Corazón en tu testamento!

## Mass Intentions Intenciones de Misa

### Monday, March 16 • Lunes 16 de Marzo

12:10 PM † Marcie Martinez  
† Irene Romero  
Jayden Walker (7th Birthday)

### Tuesday, March 17 • Martes 17 de Marzo

7:00 AM For the Intentions of the Celebrant

### Wednesday, March 18 • Miércoles 18 de Marzo

12:10 PM Gregory Bryant (Intercessions)  
Blessed Stanley Rother (Canonization)

### Thursday, March 19, • Jueves 19 de Marzo

6:00 PM † Adolfo Reyes

### Friday, March 20 • Viernes 20 de Marzo

12:10 PM Rosie Sela Munoz (Birthday)  
Leslie Garcia (Birthday)

### Saturday, March 21 • Sábado 21 de Marzo

5:00 PM † Leon Garcia (15th Anniversary)

### Sunday, March 15 • Domingo 15 de Marzo

8:30 AM † Marcie Martinez  
† Chad Lee  
† Elaine Rodriguez & Blanca Candelario

10:30 AM † Marcie Martinez  
† Raul Lucero  
† Jasmine Honorato (15th Birthday)

5:00 PM Romero Family (Healing)  
Deacon Francisco Rodriguez (Employment)  
† Marcos Ramirez

## Ministers • Ministros

### Saturday, March 21 • Sábado, 21 de Marzo • 6:00 PM

**Sacristans • Sacristanes** ..... Carmen Sosa

**Lectors • Lectores** ..... Betty Sanchez y Daniel Sanchez

**Altar Servers • Monaguillos**..... Yaretzi Sanchez,  
.....Yandel Barajas Lopez, & Alejandro Gonzales

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

**Ministros Extraordinarios  
de la Sagrada Comunión** ..... L-Carmen Sosa,  
..... R-Rocio Candelario Ramos

### Sunday, March 22 • Domingo 22 de Marzo

#### Sacristans • Sacristanes

8:30 AM ..... Mary Shockley, & Katie Haynes-Burns  
10:30 AM ..... Jacob Rodriguez  
5:00 PM..... Martha Campos

#### Lectors • Lectores

8:30 AM .....Jennifer Johnson, & Katie Haynes Burns  
10:30 AM ..... Libby Nichols & Billy Penland  
5:00 PM.....Licinda Bonney & Martha Campos

#### Altar Servers • Monaguillos

8:30 AM .....Luke Gutierrez, Samantha Streseman,  
..... Beckett Wiegler  
10:30 AM ..... Tobias Chairez, Edgar Reyna,  
..... Arabella Rodarte  
5:00 PM..... Carlos Bouchard, Justin Bouchard,  
..... Noah Dybevik

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión

8:30 AM ..... \*Lora DeBusk, Christy Gutierrez,  
.....David Grauvogl, Jennifer Johnson, & Sean Little  
10:30 AM ..... \*Jim Hicks, Hector Lopez,  
..... Ruben Lucio, Mike Lysaught, &  
..... Juan Reyna  
5:00 PM.....L-Phil Stella, R-Margaret Romero

# Scripture Readings

## For the Week of March 15, 2026

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|------------------|---|
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>4th Sunday of Lent</b><br>1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a ; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 ; Ephesians 5:8-14 ; John 9:1-41; or John 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38 |
| <b>Monday</b>    | Isaiah 65:17-21 ; 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b ; John 4:43-54  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12 ; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 ; John 5:1-16  |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Isaiah 49:8-15 ; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18 ; John 5:17-30  |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 ; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 ; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22<br>Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a  |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22 ;<br>Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 ;<br>John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | Jeremiah 11:18-20 ; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 ;<br>John 7:40-53   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | Ezekiel 37:12-14 ; PS 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 ;<br>Romans 8:8-11 ; John 11:1-45  |

## Holy Days of Obligation 2026 Fiestas de Precepto 2026

### May 29 de Mayo

Ascension of Jesus  
Ascensión de Jesús

### August 15 de Agosto

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
(Obligation to attend abrogated)  
Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María  
(Obligación de asistir derogada)

### November 1 de Noviembre

All Saints Day (Not a Holy Day this year)  
Día de Todos los Santos (No es festivo este año)

### December 8 de Diciembre

Immaculate Conception  
Inmaculada Concepción

### December 25 de Diciembre

Nativity of our Lord, Jesus Christ  
Natividad de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo

## Baptism Class



There will be a **Baptismal Class on Monday, March 23, 2026 at 6:00 PM**. This class is for **parents and godparents** preparing for a baptism. If you have any questions, please call the **Parish Office**.

Habrará una **Plática Bautismal** el **lunes 23 de marzo de 2026 a las 6:00 PM**. Esta clase es para **padres y padrinos** que se preparan para un bautismo. Si tiene alguna pregunta, por favor llame a la **Oficina Parroquial**.

### Sacred Heart Prayer Warriors!

#### ¡Guerreros de Oración del Sagrado Corazón!

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please contact Mary Shockley at (575)799-6402. She will place that individual that is in need of prayer into a circle of prayer. Parishioners of Sacred Heart Church will then pray for those individuals to Almighty God. This is a wonderful ministry and privilege for us to be able to pray for you.

Si usted o alguien que conoce necesita oración, por favor contacte a Mary Shockley al (575) 799-6402. Ella pondrá a esa persona en un círculo de oración. Los feligreses de la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón orarán por ellos a Dios Todopoderoso. Es un ministerio maravilloso y un privilegio para nosotros poder orar por ustedes.

### Pray for More Priests! • ¡Oren Por Más Sacerdotes!

Our beloved Archdiocese is in a crisis. We have a shortage of priests to lead God's people, hear their confessions and provide absolution, give comfort to the sick and dying, and celebrate the liturgy of the Mass. Please, pray for more priests and pray for the ones that God has blessed us with!

Nuestra querida Arquidiócesis está en crisis. Tenemos escasez de sacerdotes para guiar al pueblo de Dios, escuchar sus confesiones y dar la absolución, dar consuelo a los enfermos y moribundos, y celebrar la liturgia de la Misa. Por favor, ¡oren por más sacerdotes y por aquellos con quienes Dios nos ha bendecido!

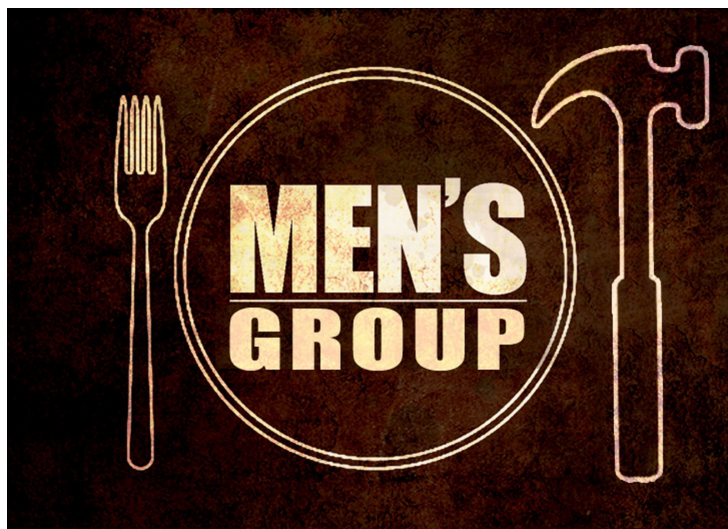
# Lent



## Stations of the Cross Estaciones de la Cruz

We will be conducting the Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent. We will be having the English Stations of the Cross at 6:00PM and the Spanish Stations at 7:00P M.

Realizaremos el Vía Crucis los viernes de Cuaresma. El Vía Crucis en inglés será a las 18:00 h y el Vía Crucis en español a las 19:00 h.



The Sacred Heart Men's Group meets EVERY Monday at 5:30 P.M. in Room One. This is a wonderful opportunity for Catholic Men to gather together in fellowship and grow in their faith. All men are invited to attend.

*We look forward to seeing you there!*

El Grupo de Hombres del Sagrado Corazón se reúne TODOS los lunes a las 17:30 en la Sala Uno. Esta es una maravillosa oportunidad para que los hombres católicos se reúnan en comunión y crezcan en su fe. Todos los hombres están invitados.

*¡Esperamos verlos allí!*



The Sacred Heart Youth Group meets on Sundays from 6:00 to 7:30 PM in the Room One in the school. Ages 14 through 12th grade are welcome and encouraged to attend.

El Grupo Juvenil del Sagrado Corazón se reúne los domingos de 18:00 a 19:30 en el Salón Uno del colegio. Se anima a asistir a alumnos de 14 a 12.º grado.



## Religious Education Schedule Horario para Educación Religiosa

### Mondays • Martes

OCIC - 6:00PM

### Tuesdays • Miércoles

OCIA - 6:00 PM

### Wednesdays • Miércoles

6:00 - 7:00 PM

Grades Kinder to 5th, Sacramental Prep. I & II  
Grados Kinder a 5to, Prepa. Sacramental I & II  
7:20PM - 8:30 PM

Grades 6th & 7th, Confirmation I & II  
Grados 6to & 7to, Confirmación I & II  
6:00 - 7:00 PM

Grades Kindergarten to 5th,  
Sacramental High School I & II  
Grados Kinder a 5to, Prepa.  
Sacramental I & II  
7:20 - 8:30 PM

## Adult Formation Class Schedule Horario de Clases de Formación Para Adultos

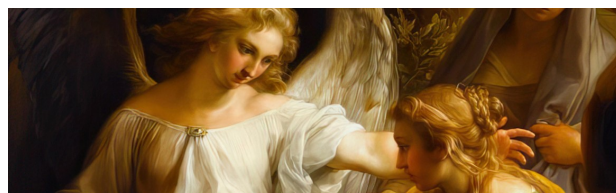
All parents with children  
in sacramental classes must attend four classes.  
Todos los padres con hijos  
en clases sacramentales necesitan asistir cuatro  
clases.

### Spanish Classes • Clases en Español

There will be **NO** Classes on March 18  
Enjoy your Spring Break....

### March • Marzo 25

Altar Server Ministry  
Ministerio de Monaguillos Gabrielle Campos





**Lenten Lesson on the Mass –  
Lesson 3: The Tabernacle.**

During Lent, the Church invites us to rediscover the beauty and meaning of the Mass. One of the most sacred places in a Catholic church is the Tabernacle. As reflected by Father Rocky’s Lenten lessons on the Mass, in the Temple of Jerusalem there was a place called the “Holy of Holies,” the innermost chamber where only the High Priest could enter. Today, in our Catholic churches, the Tabernacle is our “Holy of Holies.”

Inside the tabernacle is the Holy Eucharist, kept in a sacred golden vessel and often covered by a veil. Here we believe that Jesus Christ is truly present, Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity, under the appearance of bread.

Because of this sacred presence, the Church teaches that the tabernacle should be clearly visible, noble, beautiful, safe, and secure. In many churches it is placed in the center of the sanctuary and can only be opened with a key, reminding us of the great reverence due to the Eucharist.

When we enter the church, we genuflect toward the tabernacle. This simple gesture is our act of faith, acknowledging that the Lord Himself is present among us.

As Pope Benedict XVI once wrote: “The Holy Eucharist is the center of absolutely everything.”

During this Lenten season, let us renew our love for the Eucharist. Whenever we come into the church, let us pause, kneel, and pray before the tabernacle, remembering that Jesus is truly here, waiting for us.

Fr. Franklin  
Pastor.



# Sacred Heart Parish

## *Easter Remembrances Order Form*

The holy season of Easter will soon be upon us. All throughout our world, people will celebrate this most beautiful and holy feast day. Here at Sacred Heart, we would like to celebrate as fittingly as possible. We are offering you the opportunity to honor your loved ones. Your gift will enable us to beautify Sacred Heart Parish during the Easter season. Please fill out the form below, include your check or cash in an envelope marked “Flowers” and place it in the collection basket or return it to the office. Your donation will be used for flowers/plants to decorate our church.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

For the intentions of:

\_\_\_\_\_ Living/Deceased

\_\_\_\_\_ Living/Deceased

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Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Annual Catholic Appeal 2026 Campana Católica Anual 2026

Here we go Sacred Heart! It is officially time to begin our joint endeavor that is the Annual Catholic Appeal. Praise be to God and the overwhelming generosity of you, our parishioners, we have met our ACA goal for the last four consecutive years. Let's get this year started right!

Remember folks, NO CASH will be accepted! Ensure your contributions are done so by check or money order. Also remember that the amount of the contribution is not as important as participating! You can also donate to the ACA by visiting the Archdiocesan website at [www.archdiosf.org](http://www.archdiosf.org), click on "Offices", click on "Annual Catholic Appeal", then click on "Donate" or "Pledge Here" if you are not yet ready to donate but wish to make a pledge and pay the entire sum later or in installments.

¡Vámonos parroquia del Sagrado Corazón! Ahora es el momento para empezar con nuestra empresa conjunta del Campana Católica Anual. Gracias a Dios y ustedes, nuestros feligreses, hemos cumplido nuestros objetivos para el CCA los últimos cuatro años. ¡Vamos a empezar este año bien!

¡Recuérdense, NO EFECTIVO! Solo aceptamos cheques o giro postal. También recuérdense que participación es más importante que el tamaño de su contribución. Si quieren, también se puede donar visitando el sitio web de la Arquidiócesis en [www.archdiosf.org](http://www.archdiosf.org), hagan clic en "Offices", hagan clic en "Annual Catholic Appeal", luego hagan clic en "Donate" o "Pledge Here" si quieren pagar después.

### Archdiocesan Goal

Objetivo Arquidiocesana ..... \$2,500,000.00

### Parish Goal

Objetivo Parroquial ..... \$34,500.00

### Total Pledged

Total Comprometida ..... \$14,170.00

### Total Paid

Total Pagado ..... \$10,905.00

### Shortfall

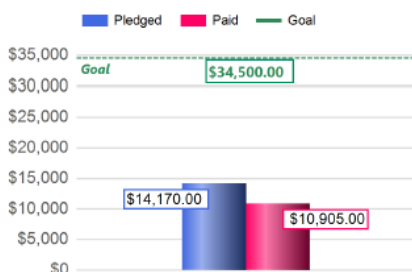
Déficit ..... \$24,550.00

### Registered Families

Familias Registradas ..... 1,685

### Families Participating

Familias Participando ..... 42



**The food pantry operates each 2nd and 4th Saturday** of the month at 9:00a.m. in an effort to help the less fortunate of God's children in our community. Thanks be to God, our Food Pantry is now the largest in Eastern New Mexico! Anyone interested in volunteering, please come at **8:30AM** or call **Mary Marez** at **575-268-1331** for further information.

**We are only providing commodities outside of the gym. This drive-thru system will be in effect until further notice. Many thanks to all those who donate their time and goods to this wonderful ministry!!!**

**ATTENTION!** All donations are greatly appreciated. However, if you are donating to the Food Pantry, please ensure that all items are in their original packaging and are unopened. Also, no items past their best buy date will be accepted. Thank you for your generosity!

La despensa de alimentos opera el segundo y cuarto sábado del mes a las 9:00 a. m. para ayudar a los hijos de Dios menos afortunados de nuestra comunidad. ¡Gracias a Dios, nuestra despensa de alimentos es ahora la más grande del este de Nuevo México! Si le interesa ser voluntario, por favor, venga a las 8:30 a. m. o llame a Mary Marez al 575-268-1331 para obtener más información.

**Solo proporcionamos artículos fuera del gimnasio. Este servicio de autoservicio estará disponible hasta nuevo aviso. ¡Muchas gracias a todos los que donan su tiempo y bienes a este maravilloso ministerio!**

**¡ATENCIÓN!** Agradecemos enormemente todas las donaciones. Sin embargo, si dona a la despensa de alimentos, asegúrese de que todos los artículos estén en su empaque original y sin abrir. Además, no se aceptarán artículos cuya fecha de caducidad haya pasado. ¡Gracias por su generosidad!

## Tithes and Offerings • Diezmos y Ofrendas

**March 8, 2026 • 8 de marzo, 2026**

|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| Envelopes • Sobres .....                      | \$4,250         |
| Loose • Suetos .....                          | \$6,435         |
| Repairs • Reparaciones .....                  | \$0             |
| Special Collection • Colección Especial ..... | \$0             |
| Online • Coleccion Electronicas .....         | \$2,276         |
| <b>Total .....</b>                            | <b>\$12,961</b> |



Scan this QR code to give your donation or tithe to Sacred Heart Church online.

Escanee este código QR para dar su donación o diezmo a la Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón en línea.



Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Please turn in your Rice Bowls at the conclusion of Lent to the ushers after Mass or at the church office during regular office hours.

A través de Plato de Arroz de CRS, las familias aprenden cómo nuestros hermanos en todo el mundo superan dificultades como el hambre y la desnutrición, y cómo gracias a nuestras limosnas de Cuaresma, tenemos el poder de hacer del mundo un lugar mejor para todos. Pueden entregar sus Platos de Arroz a los ujieres después de la Misa o en la oficina de la iglesia durante el horario de oficina. ¡Gracias y Dios te bendigan!

**Sacred Heart  
Catholic Daughters**

Lenten Food Drive Please bring non-perishable food items to Mass And place them in the baskets in the back of the church.

Join us in supporting the Sacred Heart Food Pantry.

**Hijas Católicas  
del Sagrado Corazón**

Colecta de alimentos de Cuaresma. Por favor, traigan alimentos no perecederos a la Misa y colóquenlos en las canastas ubicadas En la parte trasera de la Iglesia.

Únase a nosotros para apoyar la Despensa de alimentos de nuestra Sangrado Corazón

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**Mission**

We are a dynamic and welcoming Catholic community, cooperating with God's grace for the salvation of souls, serving those in need, and spreading the Good News of Jesus and His Love.

**Misión**

Somos una comunidad católica dinámica y acogedora, cooperando con la gracia de Dios para la salvación de las almas, sirviendo a aquellos en necesidad, y compartiendo la Buena Nueva de Jesús y Su amor.

**Office Hours • Horario de la Oficina**

**Monday - Friday • Lunes - Viernes**  
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**Lunch • Almuerzo**

1:00 - 2:00 PM

**Pastoral Team**

**Pastor**  
Rev. Fr. Franklin U. Iwuagwu

**Deacon**  
Rev. Mr. Juan A. Rodríguez

**Deacon**  
Rev. Dr. Michael Rowley

**Deacon**  
Rev. Mr. Eric Nelson

**Deacon**  
Rev. Mr. Guadalupe Sosa

**Deacon**  
Rev. Mr. Francisco Rodríguez

**Parish Staff**  
**Business Manager**  
Carlos Rivero  
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**Bookkeeper**  
Valerie Marshall

**Director of Religious Education**  
Lora Rodriguez

**Facilities Manager**  
Mark Sanchez

**Masses • Misas**

**Monday • Lunes** ..... 12:10pm

**Tuesday • Martes**..... 7:00am

**Wednesday • Miércoles**..... 12:10pm

**Thursday • Jueves** ..... 6:00pm

**Friday • Viernes**..... 12:10pm

**Saturday Vigil • Sabado Vigilia** .. 6:00pm  
(Spanish / En Español)

**Sunday • Domingo** ..... 8:30am,  
..... 10:30am & 5:00pm

**St. Catherine's Mission in Melrose**

**1st Sunday of Month**  
**1er Domingo del Mes** ..... 1:00pm

**1st Saturday Mass**  
**Misa del Primer Sábado** ..... 9:00am

**2nd Saturday Mass**  
**Misa del Segundo Sábado** ..... 9:00am

**Confession Times • Confesiones**  
**Monday, Wednesday, and Friday**  
**Lunes, Miércoles, y Viernes**  
..... 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**Thursday • Jueves** ..... 5:30 - 6:00 PM

**Saturday • Sábado** ..... 4:00 - 5:30 PM

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Adoración del Santísimo**

**Wednesday • Miércoles**  
1:00 - 2:00 PM

**Thursday • Jueves**  
6:30 - 7:00 PM

**Friday • Viernes**  
6:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**Food Pantry • Despensa**  
2nd & 4th Saturday/2º y 4º sábado:  
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

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