

Weekly Mass Readings

Monday, February 20

Sir 1: 1-10
Mk 9: 14-29

Tuesday, February 21

Sir 2: 1-11
Mk 9: 30-37

Wednesday, February 22

1 Pt 5: 1-4
Mt 16: 13-19

Thursday, February 23

Sir 5: 1-8
Mk 9: 41-50

Friday, February 24

Sir 6: 5-17
Mk 10: 1-12

Saturday, February 25

Sir 17: 1-15
Mk 10: 13-16

Sunday, February 26

Is 49: 14-15
1 Cor 4: 1-5
Mt 6: 24-34

Perpetual Care Cemeteries

The three Catholic perpetual care cemeteries, Mt. Calvary, Gate of Heaven and Rosario, are offering a 15% discount on pre-need purchases of crypts during the month of March. This discount program is designed to help families plan now so that those left behind are not tasked with difficult decisions and costly expenses at a time of need. For more information, please call Mt. Calvary Cemetery at 505-243-0218, Gate of Heaven Cemetery at 505-821-0800 or Rosario Cemetery at 505-983-2322.

Weekly Offering Report for February 11 & 12

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,639.65
Loose	<u>\$ 1,650.84</u>
	\$ 6,290.49
Envelopes used 247	
Building Fund	\$ 1,798.94
Envelopes used 89	
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 509.00
Other	\$ 3.00

40 Days For Life

From March 1 through April 9, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 701 San Mateo NE, and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please visit us at www.defendinglife.org/events. You can also send an email to dominique@defendinglife.org or call Project Defending Life at (505) 266-4100.

Join us in peaceful prayer in front of Planned Parenthood at 701 San Mateo NE any time daily between 7:00am and 7:00pm.

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 20

7:00am +Adan Paul Flores
Special intention for Jennifer Coyle

Tuesday, February 21

7:00am +Tony, +Amy Romero by Ismael & Margaret Dieppa
Birthday wishes for Fr. Andrew J. Pavlak by Elsie Solis

Wednesday, February 22

7:00am Special intention for Jeniifer Coyle

9:00am *School Mass*

Thursday, February 23

7:00am *Communion Service*

Friday, February 24

7:00am For the health of Jose Vigil by Michael Vigil

Saturday, February 25

4:00pm +Joe Louie Garcia by the family
+Gloria Rodriguez by the family
+Renee Zamora by the family

6:00pm +Dorothy Wood by the Wood Children
+Alvin, +Steven Farley by the family

Sunday, February 26, The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00am For the health of Jose Vigil by Michael Vigil
+Arthur Romero by Alice & Judie

9:00am +Trini Trujillo by the family
+Rose Zamora, +Carmen Terrazas by Ernestina Aguirre
+Maria Sabina by Domenica Barile

11:00am In thanksgiving to Santo Nino de Atocha by Julia Arguelles
In thanksgiving to San Antonio by Julia Arguelles

+Jose Antonio Gomez by the family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Take no revenge and cherish no grudge; love your neighbor as yourself. (Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18).

Psalm — The Lord is kind and merciful (Psalm 103).

Second Reading — You are the temple of God, and holy (1 Corinthians 3:16-23).

Gospel — Offer no resistance; love your enemies (Matthew 5:38-48).



Throughout the year students participate in weekly Masses, prayer services, sacramental preparation, Advent, Lent and other celebrations of the Church Year. The 8th grade students (shown above) participated in the celebration of Catholic School's Week at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.

We are now enrolling for the 2017-2018 school year. SFdN offers PreK-8th grade. Please visit our website, www.sanfelipedenerschool.org and come by for a personal tour.

Attention Ministers/Atencion Ministros

The Archdiocese has recently changed the policy concerning the Abuse Awareness Training. The training is available online at www.archdiosf.org then click on the Virtus link. All Archdiocesan and Parish Employees and Volunteers are mandated to take this.

If you have any questions please contact the Parish Office at 243-4628 or Annette Klimka at 831-8144 at the Archdiocese.

La Arquidiocesis ha cambiado la poliza sobre el Entrenamiento del Prevencion de Abuso. El Entrenamiento se debo renovar cada cinco (5) anos. Esta disponible por internet en www.archdiosf.org en el enlace de Virtus en Espanol. Todos los Empleados y Voluntarios de la Arquidiocesis y Parroquia deben tomar esta clase.

Si tienen alguna pregunta, favor de contactarse con la Oficina Parroquial al 243-4628 o con Annette Klimka al 831-8144 en la Arquidiocesis.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In brushing up for “Catholic Jeopardy,” it might help to know that there is only one feast on the calendar for a thing, rather than a person or mystery. It’s for a chair: Saint Peter’s chair in fact

After the Resurrection, there can be no doubt that the disciples reserved a special place for Simon Peter in the upper room. Later, Peter became the bishop of Antioch in today’s Syria, the place where we were first called “Christians.” From there, he went to Rome, the center of the Empire, where it is said that Peter sat in a chair in the house of Priscilla and Aquila to instruct his flock. Jesus, in entrusting the keys of the Kingdom to Peter and his successors, entrusted his compassion and mercy to them, and charged them with pointing to the Kingdom of God. Compassion and mercy are to resonate through their teaching.

Since the ancient sign of a teacher is the chair (“disciple” literally means one who sits at the feet of a teacher), Peter’s chair has long been treasured. Today there is a symbolic shrine of Peter’s chair above the main altar of St. Peter’s Basilica in Rome. This monument is the last work of Bernini, a huge bronze throne supported by four doctors of the Church: Augustine and Ambrose from the Western Church, and Chrysostom and Athanasius from the East. High above it is the alabaster window of the descent of the Holy Spirit.

Religious Education 2017

Monday, February 20

No class due to President’s Day holiday

Tuesday, February 21

No class due to President’s Day holiday

Classes to resume as normal on Monday February 27

Wednesday, February 22

RICA and Adult Formation: 6:00pm

Adult Confirmation Spring Session – February For practicing adult Catholics who are attending Mass regularly, have been Baptized, have received their First Holy Communion and wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, San Felipe de Neri will offer a Spring session which consists of 6-8 weeks of classes. These classes are a concentrated preparation for adults (post high school age) who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Interested participants should complete the registration form on the parish website and submit it to the Office of Religious Education by February 27.

Confirmation II Retreat – February 25 The Confirmation II class of San Felipe de Neri Parish will be accompanying the Confirmation II group of San Martin de Porres in a one day retreat at the Norbertine Community Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey. Please keep these students in your prayers