

St Joseph Catholic Church



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 13, 2022

**"Blessed are you who are poor,
for the kingdom of God is yours.
Blessed are you who are now hungry,
for you will be satisfied."**

— Luke 6:20-21a

Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord,
whose hope is in the Lord.
He is like a tree planted beside the waters
that stretches out its roots to the stream.

Jeremiah 17:7-8

Welcome to Visitors & New Members

You are welcome to worship with us at any time. If you are new to the Randolph County area, may we invite you to register as a member of the parish.

Registration forms are available in parking lot vestibule or by calling the office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Sacramento de la Reconciliación

Saturday/Sabado

1:00pm-3:00pm

EUCARISTIC ADORATION/ ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA FIRST FRIDAY/ PRIMER VIERNES 9AM- 5AM

Mass Schedule/ Misas

Saturday/Sabado: 4:00 PM English

6:00 PM Spanish

Sunday/ Domingo 7:00 AM Español
9:00 AM English
12:00 PM Español
4:00 PM Español

Weekly Masses/
Misas entre semana Monday and Friday 8:15 AM
Wednesday 6:00 PM
Thursday 7:00 AM

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From the Pastor's Desk / Del Escritorio del Padre

Our faith becomes refined when we reflect on it in the presence of the Lord . Our faith is renewed when we recognize our failures and weaknesses and willingly surrender ourselves to the Lord in humility. Then we find a new strength to do what God wants us to. This brings a new focus in our lives. We can feel the power of an overwhelming preoccupation and a forceful motivation to keep busy doing what will bring glory to God. This is how our faith becomes active and alive.

This faith is personally enriching and spiritually enlightening. Now we are on a positively encouraging spiritual journey. This will lead to a personal intimacy with God through Jesus . His words in the Bible will have a powerful influence in our daily lives. We hear deep inside that we are called to follow Jesus.

There two developments at this stage of our faith journey: discipleship and stewardship. Disciples listen to the Lord, walk with Him and live with Him. They are sent out as His Apostles, to proclaim His Good News and to witness to His resurrection. This is when we become true Christians. Whatever be our choice of life - clergy, consecrated religious, married couples etc- this is our true vocation, to become genuine disciples of Jesus, in life and in action.

Stewardship is the inevitable result of a genuine Christian life. We realize and acknowledge that all that we have and all that we are, it is due to the mercy of God. We are only caretakers. We do not own anything, even our very life. We have to be responsible managers. We must always care to discern the mind of the Master. At the end we are accountable to Him, for whatever we did and whatever we failed to do. The prayer Jesus taught us - Thy kingdom come, and Thy Will be done- becomes the expression of our growing into this stewardship mode every day.

This is a matter of believing and living. Such an honest Christian life will develop a sense of belonging to God. It is easy to believe that we are God's children. It is a joy to follow Jesus and feel His presence with us.

We must frequently reflect on our discipleship journey and our stewardship attitude. We must discuss such faith matters with our children and enlighten them into such true Catholic way of life.

God bless you all.

Nuestra fe se refina cuando la reflexionamos en la presencia del Señor. Nuestra fe se renueva cuando reconocemos nuestros fracasos y debilidades y nos entregamos voluntariamente al Señor en humildad. Entonces encontramos una nueva fuerza para hacer lo que Dios quiere que hagamos. Esto trae un nuevo enfoque en nuestras vidas. Podemos sentir el poder de una preocupación abrumadora y una poderosa motivación para mantenernos ocupados haciendo lo que traerá gloria a Dios. Así es como nuestra fe se vuelve activa y viva.

Esta fe es personalmente enriquecedora y esclarecedora espiritualmente. Ahora estamos en un viaje espiritual positivamente alejador. Esto conducirá a una intimidad personal con Dios a través de Jesús. Sus palabras en la Biblia tendrán una poderosa influencia en nuestra vida diaria. En nuestro interior escuchamos que estamos llamados a seguir a Jesús.

Hay dos desarrollos en esta etapa de nuestro viaje de fe: discipulado y mayordomía. Los discípulos escuchan al Señor, caminan con Él y viven con Él. Son enviados como Sus Apóstoles, para proclamar Su Buena Nueva y dar testimonio de Su resurrección. Es entonces cuando nos convertimos en verdaderos cristianos. Cualquiera que sea nuestra elección de vida - clérigos, religiosos consagrados, matrimonios, etc.- esta es nuestra verdadera vocación, convertirnos en auténticos discípulos de Jesús, en la vida y en la acción.

La mayordomía es el resultado inevitable de una vida cristiana genuina. Nos damos cuenta y reconocemos que todo lo que tenemos y todo lo que somos, se debe a la misericordia de Dios. Solo somos cuidadores. No somos dueños de nada, ni siquiera de nuestra propia vida. Tenemos que ser gestores responsables. Siempre debemos preocuparnos por discernir la mente del Maestro. Al final, somos responsables ante Él por todo lo que hicimos y todo lo que dejamos de hacer. La oración que Jesús nos enseñó -Venga tu reino, y hágase tu voluntad- se convierte en la expresión de nuestros crecimiento en este modo de mayordomía todos los días.

Esto es cuestión de creer y vivir. Una vida cristiana tan honesta desarrollará un sentido de pertenencia a Dios. Es fácil creer que somos hijos de Dios. Es una alegría seguir a Jesús y sentir su presencia con nosotros. Debemos reflexionar con frecuencia sobre nuestro viaje de discipulado y nuestra actitud de mayordomía. Debemos discutir tales asuntos de fe con nuestros hijos e iluminarlos en tal forma de vida católica verdadera.

Dios los bendiga a todos.

In Luke's version of the Beatitudes, he has only four blessings and he adds four woes. Did you notice that all the things that we work forty or more hours a week to give to our family are considered "woes"? So is Jesus saying we should not have savings for the future, food for the kids, a happy, safe environment, or a good reputation?

I suspect that the disciples and the others listening to Jesus wondered the same thing. The values of this world are not necessarily the values of God's Kingdom. Jesus himself is the extreme example of reversing worldly values: His death was not a tragic ending, but the saving action that brought us forgiveness and new life in the Resurrection.

So how do we experience the blessings of the poor, the hungry, the mourning, or the unpopular? Do we have the faith to let go of self-reliance and to trust in Jesus? How much money does it take to meet the needs of our family? Are we really helping our children if we give them anything they want? We buy them nice clothing; do we teach them to see Jesus in others? How can we say this is all too idealistic, and still claim to believe in the Resurrection?

I don't expect everyone do go around saying "woe is me." Some of the happiest people are those who live simple lives of faith and trust in God. When we learn to trust the Lord and love one another, we not only can see Jesus in the poor or the lonely, he can also be seen in us.

DICHOSO EL HOMBRE QUE CONFÍA EN EL SEÑOR



WEEKLY OFFERINGS: 2/06/2022

Offertory:

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MASS SCHEDULE: Week of 2/13/2022

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| Mon 2/14 | <u>8:15am</u> Marriage of Enciso Casas
by Mar Casas |
| Wed 2/16 | <u>6:00pm</u> Los Sacerdotes by Mar Casas |
| Thurs 2/17 | <u>7:00am</u> St Joseph Honor and Intentions
by Albert Hodges |
| Fri 2/18 | <u>8:15am</u> Nancy Lopez by Alma Rosa Enciso |
| Sat 2/19 | <u>4:00pm</u> †Jerry Nurss by Kim Price
<u>6:00pm</u> †Juan Dominguez
by Antonia Dominguez |
| Sun 2/20 | <u>7:00am</u> †Jesus & Alejandro Uribe
by Angelita Uribe
<u>9:00am</u> †Lou Keefe by Frank and Carol Rich
<u>12:00pm</u> †Almas del Purgatorio
by Cecilia Arellano
<u>4:00pm</u> †Lucia Garcia & Bartolo Martinez
by Leopoldo Jaimes |



Saturday 1:00PM-3:00PM

BIRTHDAY LIST

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| 2/14 | Darlin Jarely Batz Ajpacaja, Jennifer Benefield, Felipe Cambron, Valentin Corona, Valentin Fuentes, Liam Ortiz, Zachary Shandor, Amanda Smith, Jonathan Smith, Patricia Whitehead |
| 2/15 | Gustavo Benitez, Ana Cristina Gomez, Luis Lopez, Erick Luna, Ernesto Morales, Betty Powell, Renee rich, Alejandra Rosas |
| 2/16 | Maria Aguilar, Vaughn Cercega, Hermilia Hernandez, Javier Jaimes, Maria Landeros, Carmen Vences |
| 2/17 | Lessly Martinez, Giselle Ramos, Angel Gabriel Salinas, Maria del Pilar Santibanes, Nathan Sosa |
| 2/18 | Ronny Barrera, Hilario Dominguez, Brenda Cruz, Kevin Fruchtnicht, Luis Jaimes, Guy Litchty, Kevin Montoya, Rachel Vallejo |
| 2/19 | Justin Bejerano Garcia, Marco A Benitez, Laura Cornelison, Shannon Rogers, Amy Valdovinos |
| 2/20 | Margaret DiDona, Alexa Estrada Macias, Daniel Ramirez, Amber Ruiz, Jayden Solis, Emily Salinas, Rosa Luz Santos, Diego Vences, Jacqueline Vruwink |



Have a Very Blessed Birthday

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The one who trusts in the Lord is like a tree planted beside the waters (Jeremiah 17:5-8).

Psalm — Blessed are they who hope in the Lord (Psalm 1).

Second Reading — Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep (1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20).

Gospel — Blessed are you who are poor, hungry, weeping. Woe to you who are rich, filled, laughing (Luke 6:17, 20-26).

READINGS OF THE WEEK

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| Monday: | Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76;
Mk 8:11-13 |
| Tuesday: | Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a; 14-15,
18-19; Mk 8:14-21 |
| Wednesday: | Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26 |
| Thursday: | Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-7; Mk 8:27-33 |
| Friday: | Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-6;
Mk 8:34 — 9:1 |
| Saturday: | Jas 3:1-10; Ps 12:2-3, 4-5, 7-8;
Mk 9:2-13 |
| Sunday: | 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23;
Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13;
1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38 |



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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| Sunday: | Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Marriage Day |
| Monday: | Ss. Cyril and Methodius;
Valentine's Day |
| Thursday: | The Seven Holy Founders
of the Servite Order |
| Saturday: | Blessed Virgin Mary |

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Bienaventurado es el que confía en el Señor (Jeremías 17:5-8).

Salmo — Dichoso el hombre que ha puesto su confianza en el Señor (Salmo 1).

Segunda lectura — Cristo fue resucitado de entre los muertos, como primer fruto de los que duermen (1 Corintios 15:12, 16-20).

Evangelio — Jesús predica: Felices cuando sufren a causa del Hijo del Hombre. Les espera una recompensa grande (Lucas 6:17, 20-26).



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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| Lunes: | Sant 1:1-11; Sal 119 (118):67-68,
71-72, 75-76; Mc 8:11-13 |
| Martes: | Sant 1:12-18; Sal 94 (93):12-13a;
14-15, 18-19; Mc 8:14-21 |
| Miércoles: | Sant 1:19-27; Sal 15 (14):2-4ab, 5;
Mc 8:22-26 |
| Jueves: | Sant 2:1-9; Sal 34 (33):2-7; Mc 8:27-33 |
| Viernes: | Sant 2:14-24, 26; Sal 112 (111):1-6;
Mc 8:34 — 9:1 |
| Sábado: | Sant 3:1-10; Sal 12 (11):2-3, 4-5, 7-8;
Mc 9:2-13 |
| Domingo: | 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23;
Sal 103 (102):1-4, 8, 10, 12-13;
1 Cor 15:45-49; Lc 6:27-38 |

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

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| Domingo: | Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario;
Jornada Mundial del Matrimonio |
| Lunes: | Ss. Cirilo y Metodio; Día de san Valentín |
| Jueves: | Los siete Santos fundadores de la orden
de los Siervos de María |
| Sábado: | Santa María Virgen |

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Señor Dios, que prometiste poner tu morada en los corazones rectos y sinceros, concédenos, por tu gracia, vivir de tal manera que te dignes habitar en nosotros.

Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo
y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

Pregunta de reflexión:

¿Cómo puedo permitir que Dios, por medio de su gracia, haga su morada en mi corazón?



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FEELING BLESSED

Congratulations! Welcome to the Kingdom! Rejoice and leap for joy! Sounds a little like Easter, doesn't it? Well, in a very real way, it is. This Sunday, the scriptures remind us that we are blessed and beloved, especially when we have difficulties and don't feel especially blessed. Jesus reminds us that God blesses us in our trials, so we should trust in the saving power of God. We are "raised from the dead," as it were, each time we arise from our hardships. The ultimate proof of all of this is our new life in Christ, who died so that we could be free of sin, and was raised from the dead so that we might all have new life. Wouldn't that be something? A new life, in which poverty is riches and sadness is transformed into lightness of spirit? It's a topsy-turvy world, isn't it? Do you feel blessed today?

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PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who teach us that you abide in hearts that are just and true, grant that we may be so fashioned by your grace as to become a dwelling pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How can I allow God's grace to fashion me into a pleasing dwelling for the Lord?



SEXTO DOMINGO del Tiempo Ordinario

13 DE FEBRERO DE 2022

SENTIRSE BENDICIDO

¡Felicitaciones! ¡Bienvenido al Reino! ¡Alégrate y salta de alegría! Suena como algo de la Pascua, ¿cierto? Bueno, de una manera auténtica, lo es. Este domingo, las Escrituras nos recuerda que somos bendecidos y amados, especialmente cuando tenemos dificultades y no nos sentimos sobre todo bendecidos. Jesús nos recuerda que Dios nos bendice en nuestras pruebas, por lo que debemos confiar en el poder salvador de Dios. Estamos "resucitados de la muerte", por así decirlo, cada vez que nos levantamos de nuestras dificultades. La prueba definitiva de esto es nuestra nueva vida en Cristo, quien murió para que pudiéramos liberarnos del pecado, y quien resucitó de la muerte para que pudiéramos tener una nueva vida. ¿No sería eso algo? Una vida nueva, en la que la pobreza es riqueza y la tristeza se transforma en luz del espíritu. Es un mundo al revés, ¿verdad? ¿Te sientes bendecido hoy?

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† Sacraments †

****Sacrament of Baptism**—Baptism is a highly sacred event and deserves careful and complete readiness. Please contact the church office (336-629-0221) to register for the Baptism Preparation Class, which is done on a regular basis. Parents must be registered and participating members of our parish community

****Sacrament of Marriage** - Couples should contact the Pastor (336-629-0221) at least 6 months prior to the wedding date for necessary preparation.

****Ministry of the Sick**—Please call the church office (336-629-0221) to inform us of an illness or hospitalization of a family member. Federal Privacy Law prohibits the hospital from giving room numbers, so we must have prior knowledge of a patient's room number before we visit the hospital. The Sacrament of Anointing is done upon request prior to surgery or a illness.



****Prayers for our Military**—please call the office (336-629-0221) to notify us of their Military Status

Out of respect for the Liturgy in which we partake, please turn off or mute all cell phones and pagers as you enter the Sanctuary of Our Lord. If your Children are acting up, please take them to the cry room in order not to disrupt the liturgy for others.

Escuché entonces la voz del Señor que decía:
“¿A quién enviaré? ¿Quién irá de parte mía?”
Yo le respondí: “Aquí estoy, Señor, envíame”.

LUCAS 6:20-21A

Calling all young men ages 10-18. Are you looking to grow in your faith, learn to become a community leader, or help your community and church all while having fun with other Catholic young man? Well, the Columbian Squires are looking for new members. The Columbian Squires is part of the Knights of Columbus family. For more information please have a parent contact Grand Knight Jason Kroeger at 336-301-4418



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

*The Knights are looking for new members to join their brotherhood. For more information please contact Grand Knight Jason Kroeger at 336-301-4418.

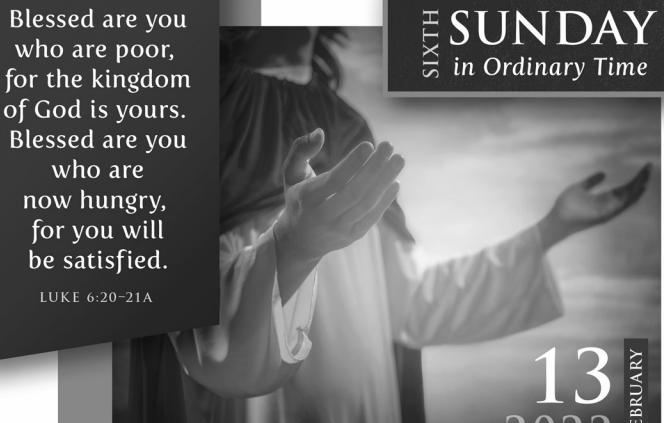


COLUMBIETTES:

The St. Joseph Columbiettes – Auxiliary 10891 would like to extend an invitation to all the ladies of the parish to join our organization. If you are interested in joining or would like more information, please contact the church office. A current Columbiette will return your call.



SIXTH SUNDAY
in Ordinary Time



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FEBRUARY

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISHIONERS & THEIR FAMILIES

Please take a moment to pray for our parishioners needs, Illness, persona problems and our young men serving our country:

Christopher Gardner, Lillian Hazelwood, Colleen Greene, Flora Smith, Gary Hutchins, Jose Espiallet, Monica Smith, Patrick Guarion, Raphael Guriel, Josefina Arellano, Laurie Wills, JR Newsome, Mary Matthews, Sara Dunmeyer's daughter, Donald Hills, Robert Barker, Mary Poremba, Sharon Derosi, Chester Devarney, Ernest Devarney, Albert Trapani, Luis Saavedra, Don Troup, Phyllis Morrison, Harry Chriscoe



Military: Adolfo Angel Vasquez, Matthew Bryant, Angela Salinas Ruiz, Manuel Salinas Ruiz

Seminarians & Religious: Jose Palma, Kevin Martinez, & Jessica Palma

St Joseph Cares

Our Parish council has proposed to establish a Catholic Family Fund.

Children are special gifts from God. It is the most holy privilege of parents to raise them for God, not for the world.

Our community has to support parents who raise their children in faith and love. They have to have regular family prayers and devotional practices akin to catholic traditions.

This fund is raised by depositing the offertory of the fifth weekend of any month. Requests are reviewed by a committee established by the pastoral council which makes recommendations to the Pastor who makes the decision.

Registered practicing catholic families of our parish who raise more than one child for God are eligible to apply. The family must be active in the liturgical and other spiritual activities of this parish. Exceptions are at the Pastor's discretion. Family may be required for a money management evaluation and a brief counseling for fiduciary responsibility if necessary. Either the Pastor or his delegate will do this session.

Funds may be requested for rent/mortgage, food, utilities, educational, medical or transportation needs.

Let us together build His Kingdom in our community.



San Jose te Cuida

El Consejo Pastoral ha propuesto establecer un Fondo de Caridad Familiar Católico.

Este fondo se obtendrá depositando el ofertorio del quinto fin de semana de cualquier mes. Las peticiones de ayuda son revisadas por un comité establecido por el consejo pastoral que hace recomendaciones al párroco y el toma la decisión.

Las familias católicas practicantes registradas de nuestra parroquia que

crian a más de un niño para Dios son elegibles para aplicar. La familia debe participar activamente en las actividades litúrgicas y espirituales de esta parroquia. Las excepciones quedan a discreción del párroco. La familia que solicite ayuda puede ser requerida para una evaluación de manejo de dinero y un breve asesoramiento sobre responsabilidad financiera si es necesario. El Parroco o su delegado hará esta sesión. Se pueden solicitar fondos para alquiler/hipoteca, alimentos, servicios públicos, necesidades educativas, médicas o de transporte.

Construyamos juntos Su Reino en nuestra comunidad.

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whose hope is in the LORD.
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that stretches out its roots to the stream.**

Jeremiah 17:7–8

RECYCLING

The Youth Group is collecting aluminum cans, tin cans, and other metal items for recycling to support the Youth Group activities. Please leave your items by the shed in the corner of the parking lot. Thank you in advance for separating the cans into separate bags for aluminum and steel. Steel items like old fry pans, basketball hoops, poles, tools, shovels, tire rims etc. can be turned in for cash. Please donate. Thank you.



RECICLANDO

El Grupo de Jovenes es recogiendo latas de aluminio, latas de comida o cualquier otro metal para apoyar las actividades del Grupo Juvenil. Por favor deposite los artículos que usted tenga a la esquina de la casita. Gracias a los que poneen en bolsa separadas el aluminio y el acero. Artículos de acero como sartenes biejos, erramientas, palas etc.. Se convierten en efectivo. Porfavor Done. Muchas Gracias.



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