

OUR LADY OF SOLITUDE
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA SOLEDAD
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March 21, 2021



MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday Vigil / Vigilia
4:00 p.m. English
6:00 p.m. Español

Sunday / Domingo
8:00 a.m. English
10:00 a.m. English
12:00 p.m. Español
4:00 p.m. Español

Weekdays / Entre Semana
9:00 a.m. Mass: Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Holy Days / Días Santos
As announced in Bulletin
Anunciado en el Boletín

Baptisms / Bautismos
Please visit the parish office.
Favor de visitar la oficina

Confessions / Confesiones
Wednesday/Miercoles 4:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Weddings / Bodas
Please contact the office at least six months in advance.
Favor de hacer una cita lo menos seis meses antes.

PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Claudio Cabrera
Pastor

Fr. Jose Chavez
Parochial Vicar

Deacon, Jose Alcalá
Deacon, Ron Panziera

Sister Liza Raphael, I.M.,
Director of Religious
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Fifth Sunday of Lent

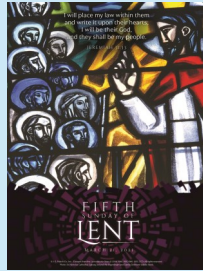
PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As a Catholic Community, Our Lady of Solitude Parish, in the Diocese of Monterey, is home for individuals and families, and a source of faith, refuge and hope. Nourished and guided by Word and Eucharist, we strive to follow Christ, bringing the compassionate love, justice and peace of Jesus and our Blessed Mother, to our largely agricultural and multicultural community of the Salinas Valley. We are especially committed to the Good News of the Gospel and the evangelizing service of God's Reign as we serve the needs of the marginalized and sick, workers and families, children, youth and adults.

Fifth Sunday of Lent March 21, 2021

THE NEW COVENANT

Today's first reading is an enormously important passage, not only in the history of the Jewish people, but also for us as disciples of Jesus, who see in it a foreshadowing of the Christian dispensation. The prophet announces that God has chosen to forgive the people, and that as a sign of divine forgiveness a new covenant will be established. Contrasting the new covenant with the one made with Moses on Mount Sinai, Jeremiah says that the new covenant will be written on the people's hearts rather than on tablets of stone. No longer will the community's tradition be the sole bearer of the covenant; henceforth, God will speak directly and personally to each individual, forgiving sin and calling for a return to God in faithfulness. No longer will mere outward compliance with the dictates of the Law suffice; henceforth, God asks for an obedience that springs from the depths of one's heart. Precisely that kind of obedience is highlighted in today's second reading, where the author of the Letter to the Hebrews describes Jesus as the mediator of the new covenant whose obedience has made him the source of salvation for all who, in turn, obey him. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Ask senior parishioners about this fifth Sunday, and they will share memories of this Sunday years ago, when it was known as "Passion Sunday." In those days, the statues and crucifixes were draped in purple cloth, and a deeply somber atmosphere infused worship. The structure is different today for good reason. The stunning changes in the appearance of the church building drew attention away from the twofold work of Lent: reconciliation and preparing for initiation. Today, this Sunday is given to reflection on the necessity to commit, like Jesus, to the Father's will. Wherever elect are present today, the "A" reading reveals Jesus' compassion in the face of human suffering, and his desire to call us from the tombs of sin, isolation, and even death itself. As Lent draws to a close over the next ten days, and before the beginning of the Easter Triduum on Holy Thursday, we enter an ideal time for celebrating the sacrament of reconciliation. Today's old title of "Passion Sunday" has migrated to next Sunday, also called "Palm Sunday." In many places, people prepare their own bundles of branches for next week's liturgy: pussy willow, forsythia, dogwood. If your parish schedules a procession, you may want to prepare these branches at home and bring them along.—James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

2021 ENGLISH BAPTISMAL CLASSES AT 5:00 P.M. BAPTISMS, SATURDAYS AT 10:00 A.M.

Dates subject to change due to the current situation with the COVID-19.

<u>BAPTISMAL CLASS</u>	<u>BAPTISM DATE</u>
Tue. Mar. 23, 2021	Sat. Mar. 27, 2021
Tue. Apr. 20, 2021	Sat. Apr. 24, 2021
Tue. May 18, 2021	Sat. May 22, 2021
Tue. Jun. 22, 2021	Sat. Jun. 26, 2021

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will make a new covenant; I will write my law upon their hearts (Jeremiah 31:31-34) or Ezekiel 37:12-14.

Psalm — Create a clean heart in me, O God (Psalm 51) or Psalm 130.

Second Reading — Christ learned obedience and became the source of eternal salvation (Hebrews 5:7-9) or Romans 8:8-11.

Gospel — If a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it produces much fruit (John 12:20-33) or John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45].

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament, every Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

**Adoracion al Santisimo Sacramento,
cada Jueves
de 5:30 p.m. a 6:30 p.m.**

Effective the weekend of **February 27 and 28, 2021** we are modifying the place where we celebrate our masses. The masses that are celebrated inside our Parish are only with a limited capacity of 75 people, if more than 75 people arrive, they will be invited to participate in the mass from the patio where we normally celebrated our daily mass, we will have chairs available.

It is important to remember that we still need to comply with all the recommendations from the Health Department such as wearing a facemask, practice social distance, using antibacterial gel, among other things.

These are the following times of our Mass celebrations:

Monday to Friday 9:00 am – Bilingual - inside the Church.

Saturday

4:00 pm – English - inside the Church.

6:00 pm – Spanish - inside the Church.

Sunday

8:00 am – English - inside the Church.

10:00 am – English - inside the Church.

12:00 pm – Spanish - in the parking lot.

4:00 pm – Spanish - inside the Church.

Take into consideration the following precautions that we are taking to control the spread of the Corona Virus for the well-being of you and all the parishioners in attendance.

Before entering our Mass celebration area, the following is required:

- 1) Keep 6 feet away from other people.
- 2) Use a facemask at all time.
- 3) The temperature will be taken for each person on the forehead.
- 4) You have to disinfect your hands with antibacterial gel.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK INTENCIONES DE MISAS March 20– March 26, 2021

Saturday/Sábado, March 20

4:00 P.M. † **For the eternal rest:** † Anna Scetterni
† Faustino Mora, † Roberta Bascon

6:00 P.M. † **For the eternal rest:** † Alberto Tinajero
† Antonio & Eduardo Gonzales
† Pedro Aguilar, † Benito Aguilar
† Josefina Corrales Rocha
† Manuel Villafuerte Campos

Sunday/Domingo, March 21

8:00 A.M. • **Blessings for:** The Jimenez Family
† **For the eternal rest:** † Roberta Bascon
† Maria Carmen Lopez Vasquez
† Pete Jimenez

10:00 A.M. • For all Parishioners and all who have entered into God's glory.

12:00 P.M. • **For the health of:** Brisa Chávez
† **For the eternal rest of:**
† Guadalupe Aguilera, † Alberto Tinajero
† María Ibarra, † Juvenal López
† Moisés Castro, † Rito Valladares
† Roberto & Bobby Calderón
† Santiago Martínez García, † Javier Mora
† Gustavo Zamudio, † Teresa Trujillo
† Roberto & Victoria García,
† Domingo Argueta, † Carlos Valladares
† Baltazar & Carmen Lopez
† Angela Velasquez, † Roberto Cadena
† Josefina Corrales Rocha
† Manuel Villafuerte Campos
† Almas del Purgatorio

4:00 P.M. † **For the eternal rest of:** † Aidé López
† Francisco Flores García, † Pedro Aguilar
† Agustin Flores Alvez
† Maria Del Carmen Garcia Medina

Monday/Lunes, March 22

9:00 A.M. † **For the eternal rest of:** † Alberto Tinajero

Tuesday/Martes, March 23

9:00 A.M. † **For the eternal rest of:** † Alberto Tinajero

Wednesday/Miércoles, March 24

9:00 A.M. † **For the eternal rest of:** † Faustino Mora

Thursday/Jueves, March 25

9:00 A.M. • For all Parishioners and all who have entered into God's glory.

Friday/Viernes, March 26

9:00 A.M. • For all Parishioners and all who have entered into God's glory.

Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma

MISION PARROQUIAL

Como Comunidad Católica, la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de la Soledad, en la Diócesis de Monterey, es un hogar para individuos y familias, y una fuente de fe, refugio y esperanza. Somos nutridos y guiados por la Palabra y la Eucaristía, haciendo el gran esfuerzo para seguir a Cristo, llevando el amor compasivo, la justicia y la paz de Jesús y Nuestra Santísima Madre, a nuestra comunidad agrícola y multicultural del Valle de Salinas. Nos comprometemos a la Buena Noticia del Evangelio y el servicio evangelizador del Reino de Dios para servir las necesidades de los marginados y enfermos, trabajadores y familias, niños, jóvenes y adultos.

Nuestra oficina Parroquial esta habierta al publico, si desea comunicarse con nosotros:

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**2021 PLATICAS PRE-BAUTISMALES EN ESPAÑOL A LAS 5:00 P.M.
BAUTIZOS, SABADOS A LAS 10:00 A.M.**

Fechas estan sujetas a cambios por la situacion actual del COVID-19.

PLATICA

BAUTISMO

Jue. 3/25/2021

Sab. 3/20/2021

Sab. 4/10/2021

Sab. 4/17/2021

Jue. 4/22/2021

Sab. 5/01/2021

Sab. 5/08/2021

Sab. 5/15/2021

Jue. 5/20/2021

Sab. 6/05/2021

Sab. 6/12/2021

Sab. 6/19/2021

Jue. 6/24/2021

**Weekend Collection /
Colecta de fin de semana:
Mar. 14, 2021 \$4,220.**

Please join us every Friday, starting Feb. 19, 2021 during Lent for the prayers of the Stations of the Cross inside the Church with a limited capacity of 75 people.

**English 5:00 p.m.
Spanish 6:00 p.m.**

The traditional, yet always new, Way of the Cross of Jesus, enables us to prayerfully reflect upon the passion of our Lord. The Cross guides us with love to live faithfully our baptism—dying to ourselves and rising through our Lenten journey to new life in the resurrection.

The Stations of the Cross are a 14-step Catholic devotion that commemorates Jesus Christ's last day on Earth as a man. The 14 devotions, or stations, focus on specific events of His last day, beginning with His condemnation. The stations are commonly used as a mini pilgrimage as the individual moves from station to station. At each station, the individual recalls and meditates on a specific event from Christ's last day. Specific prayers are recited, then the individual moves to the next station until all 14 are complete.

Weekly Confessions

Starting Wednesday, March 3, 2021

Our confessions are from

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

With Father Claudio and Father Jose.

Confesiones Semanales

Comensando el Miercoles, 3 de Marzo, 2021
nuestras confesiones seran de

4:30 p.m. a 6:00 p.m.

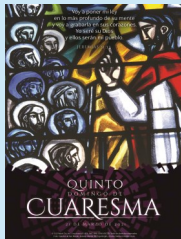
Con el Padre Claudio y Padre Jose.

Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma

21 de Marzo del 2021

EL NUEVO PACTO

La primera lectura de hoy es un paso muy importante, en la historia del pueblo judío y también para nosotros como discípulos de Jesús que ven en ella un anuncio de la dispensación cristiana. El profeta anuncia que Dios ha escogido perdonar al pueblo, y que como un signo del perdón divino se establecerá una nueva alianza. Contrastando la nueva alianza con la que Dios hizo con Moisés en el Monte Sinaí, Jeremías dice que el nuevo pacto será inscrito en el corazón del pueblo y no en tablas de piedra. Ya no será la tradición de la comunidad la única portadora de la alianza; a partir de ahora, Dios hablará directa y personalmente a cada individuo, perdonando el pecado y pidiendo un retorno a Él en fidelidad. Ya no bastará el mero cumplimiento de los dictados externos de la ley; a partir de ahora, Dios pide una obediencia que brota de lo más profundo de nuestro corazón. Precisamente ese tipo de obediencia se destaca en la segunda lectura de hoy, donde el autor de la Carta a los Hebreos describe a Jesús como el mediador del nuevo pacto, cuya obediencia ha hecho de él la fuente de salvación para todos los que, a su vez, le obedecen.—Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Esta semana recordamos a San Isidro (560-621) el Obispo de Sevilla que en el 2002 fue nombrado uno de los posibles santos patronos del Internet por el Consejo Pontificio de Comunicación Social. Este santo hispano nunca usó el ciberespacio, pero sí fue el primero en hacer lo que el Internet tiene de bueno, reunir información de todo tipo en un sólo lugar para poder ser consultado fácilmente (user friendly). Esta obra de San Isidro es de 20 libros y se llama Etymologiae, o “Orígenes”. Es la primera enciclopedia y trata de dar al lector una base de datos (database) de información sobre todo tipo de temas en forma de pequeños flashes. La Iglesia desde siglos ha propuesto a los santos patronos para todo tipo de persona, de obra y de pasatiempos. Estos son modelos y protectores del uso correcto de nuestras habilidades humanas y para evitar abusos. Lamentablemente el Internet se usa para divulgar todo tipo de basura y calumnias. Sin embargo, hay que reconocer que esta herramienta puede ser un instrumento valioso para proclamar la palabra de Dios y el amor al prójimo.—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S.

Están invitados todos los Viernes, comensando Feb. 19, 2021 durante la Cuaresma para las oraciones del las Estaciones de el Viacrusis sera dentro del templo con capacidad de 75 personas.

Inglés 5:00 p.m.

Español 6:00 p.m.

El Viacrusis nos ofrece una oración sagrada en solidaridad con la pasión de Nuestro Señor. Su Cruz nos guía con amor para vivir fielmente nuestro bautismo—muriendo a uno mismo y resucitando por medio de nuestra jornada cuaresmal a una nueva vida.

Las Estaciones de la Cruz son una devoción católica de 14 pasos que conmemora el último día de Jesucristo en la Tierra como hombre. Las 14 devociones, o estaciones, se enfocan en eventos específicos de Su último día, comenzando con Su condenación. Las estaciones se usan comúnmente como un mini peregrinaje cuando el individuo se mueve de una estación a otra. En cada estación, el individuo recuerda y medita sobre un evento específico del último día de Cristo. Se recitan oraciones específicas, luego el individuo pasa a la siguiente estación hasta completar las 14.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera Lectura — El Señor hará una nueva alianza con la casa de Israel. (Jeremías 31:31-34) o Ezequiel 37:12-14.

Salmo — Oh Dios, crea en mí un corazón puro (Salmo 51 (50)) o Salmo 130 (129).

Segunda Lectura — Cristo aprendió obediencia, y los que ahora le obedecen encuentran en él la salvación eterna (Hebreos 5:7-9) o Romanos 8:8-11.

Evangelio — Si el grano de trigo cae en tierra y muere, da mucho fruto (Juan 12:20-33) o Juan 11:1-45

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Jn 8:1-11

Martes: Nm 21:4-9; Sal 102 (101):2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Miércoles: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Jueves: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Sal 40 (39):7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lc 1:26-38

Viernes: Jer 20:10-13; Sal 18 (17):2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Sábado: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Domingo: Mc 11:1-10 o Jn 12:12-16 (procesión); Is 50:4-7; Sal 22 (21):8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Fil 2:6-11; Mc 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]