



**Ash Wednesday Schedule
February 14, 2024**

9:30am	Mass	St. Gertrude
12:10pm	Mass	St. Mary
3:30pm	Prayer Service	St. Mary
6:00 pm	Prayer Service	St. Gertrude
6:30pm	Prayer Service (English)	St. Mary
7:30pm	Mass (Spanish)	St. Mary



**Horario del Miércoles de Ceniza
14 de Febrero de 2024**

9:30 am	Misa	Sta. Gertrudis
12:10pm	Misa	Sta. María
3:30 pm	Servicio de oración	Sta. María
6:00 pm	Servicio de Oración	Sta. Gertrudis
6:30 pm	Servicio de oración (Inglés)	Sta. María
7:30pm	Misa (Español)	Sta. María



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person and on-line studies;
Workshops and Training for all Church Ministries.
(call for Information)

SATURDAY EVENING MASSES:

5:00 p.m., 7:30 p.m. (Español)

SUNDAY MASSES:

St. Mary: 8:15 AM, 11:30 AM (Español), 1:15 PM.
St. Gertrude: 9:30 AM (Español) & 11:00 AM (English)

WEEKDAY MASSES:

12:10 - Monday thru Friday 7:00 PM -
Mon. thru Thurs; 7:30 PM - Fri. (in Spanish)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM or by appoint-
ment.

EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED

SACRAMENT: First Sundays 2:30 - 3:30 PM
and Every Friday 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM.
St. Gertrude Second Sunday of the Month
2:45 PM-3:45 PM

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are scheduled for the
Third Saturday of each month in Spanish and the
Fourth Saturday of each month in English. Parents
should call for an appointment with a priest to
arrange for the baptism of child. Birth Certificate
should be presented at this time.

* For more detailed information of our parish
please consult our website*
*Para información más detallada de nuestra par-
roquia por favor consulte nuestro sitio web*

MASS INTENTIONS	
Saturday, January 27, 2024	
5:00 pm	- The Corrigan & Sullivan Families (Maureen Corrigan)
7:30 pm	- Aida Suarez de Soria (7 meses difunta) Ermilia de Jesus Hernandez (difunta) Luis Rivas (5 años difunto)
Sunday, January 28, 2024 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:15 am	- Elba Plescia (dec)
9:30 am	- Benditas Almas del Purgatorio Maria de la Paez (3 meses difunta)
11:00 am	- Hazeron Mohammed (birthday)
11:30 am	- Benditas Almas del Purgatorio Maria Vasquez (cumpleaños) Allison Pineda (cumpleaños) Illuminada Ceballos (cumpleaños)
1:15 pm	- Gary Gauntlett (dec)
Monday, January 29, 2024	
12:10 pm	- Rosalie McCallister (blessings)
7:00 pm	- Mauricio Mendoza (difunto) Walter Posada (cumpleaños)
Tuesday, January 30, 2024	
12:10 pm	- Michael Morten (dec) (Nancy & Tom)
7:00 pm	- Olga Ondina Antunez (1 mes difunta)
Wednesday, January 31, 2024- St. John Bosco	
12:10 pm	- Marija Vilkaitlene (dec)
7:00 pm	- Finnegan Family (Nancy & Tom)
Thursday, February 1, 2024	
12:10 pm	- People of the Parish
7:00 pm	- Lillian McDonough (dec) (Joan Bergen)
Friday, February 2, 2024- The Presentation of the Lord	
12:10 pm	- Sylvia Lendore (healing)
7:30 pm	- Thomas Ryan (dec) (Peggy)

MASS INTENTIONS	
Saturday, February 3, 2024	
5:00 pm	- Kaye Farrel (Patsy)
7:30 pm	- Virgen de la Suyapa
Sunday, February 4, 2024 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:15 am	- Holy Souls in Purgatory
9:30 am	- Benditas Almas del Purgatorio
11:00 am	- Donna J. Mohammed (dec)
11:30 am	- Benditas Almas del Purgatorio
1:15 pm	- Steve Powers (Maureen Corrigan)
Monday, February 5, 2024- St. Agatha	
12:10 pm	- Anthony Rubinich (dec) (Feerick)
7:00 pm	- Eileen & Gerard Marten (blessings) (Nancy & Tom)
Tuesday, February 6, 2024 - St. Paul Miki & companions	
12:10 pm	- Aurora Azcona (dec)
7:00 pm	- Familia Marten & McCarthy (difuntos) (Teresa & John)
Wednesday, February 7, 2024- St. John Bosco	
12:10 pm	- Emelina Estrada de Jimenez (dec)
7:00 pm	- Tarcila Amada Campo Verde (1 año difunta)
Thursday, February 8, 2024	
12:10 pm	- People of the Parish
7:00 pm	- Pro-Populo
Friday, February 9, 2024	
12:10 pm	- Sylvia Lendore (healing)
7:30 pm	- Sister Lois Keller (dec) (Sister Dorothy Flynn)
Bread & Wine	
Rosalie McCallister (blessings) 	

From the pastor's desk

My good friends,

This Friday is the feast of the presentation of the child. It's the (truly) official end of Christmas! The Vatican (and our Deacon Mike) finally take down their trees!!!!

A tradition in many countries is to bring the image of their baby Jesus to mass that day. We will bless all such images during the 7:30pm mass on Friday.

On Saturday we will bless throats after the 5pm mass in honor of St Blaise.

Some of the pictures from the many celebrations over the Christmas season. It's a lot of work to get our children all dressed up like that! I especially appreciate our Nigerian community who regularly and proudly display their honorable culture on Sunday mornings.

Thank you, Jesus, for a great Christmas 2023!!!

-Father Frank



Desde el escritorio del pastor

Mis buenos amigos,

Este viernes es la fiesta de la presentación del niño. ¡Es el fin (verdaderamente) oficial de la Navidad! ¡¡¡El Vaticano (y nuestro Diácono Mike) finalmente guardaran sus árboles!!!!

Una tradición en muchos países es llevar a misa ese día la imagen de su niño Jesús. Bendeciremos todas esas imágenes durante la misa del viernes a las 7:30 p.m.

El sábado bendecimos gargantas después de la misa de las 5:00pm en honor a San Blas.

Algunas de las imágenes de las numerosas celebraciones de la temporada navideña. ¡Es mucho trabajo vestir así a nuestros niños! Aprecio especialmente a nuestra comunidad nigeriana que muestra con regularidad y orgullo su honorable cultura los domingos por la mañana.

¡¡¡Gracias Jesús por una gran Navidad 2023!!!

-Padre Frank