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**Parish Nursing/Enfermera Parroquial**

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**Prayer Network/Cadena de Oración**

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**Secretary/Secretaria**

Tere Hernández..... 841-7490



**Scripture Readings**

March 22—March 29

<b>SUN.</b>	2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21
<b>MON.</b>	Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54
<b>TUES.</b>	Ez 47:1-9;; Jn 5:1-16
<b>WED.</b>	Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
<b>THURS.</b>	Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47
<b>FRI.</b>	Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
<b>SAT.</b>	Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

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From the Pastor,

This past week we hosted the Western Deanery Meeting as well as had our Lenten Penance Service. Both of these events include providing a meal. I want to thank all of those who took care of this for the parish. These people include Genie Austin-Calkins, Glenda Uranga, Mike and Carol DePaola and Suzy Majors. There are so many people who do so much for Saint Mary's and I thank all of you.

Tom Browning, the artist who painted *The Adoration of the Christ Child* over the altar, has published a picture book of the work doing the painting and the final result. It is a truly beautiful book filled with great pictures. Because it is a special order type of book it is expensive -- \$75 each. I have ordered a few of them and if anyone would like to purchase one please contact the parish office.

It is my understanding that two more of the angels are being finished by Mr. Armstrong. Hopefully they will be installed by Easter.

Peace, Father Tom Faucher, Pastor

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Quiero agradecer el interés de las personas de nuestra parroquia por conocer algo de la historia de México. Hasta ahora hemos tenido dos sesiones y la participación ha sido muy activa. Ha habido algunos descubrimientos sorprendentes. A manera de ejemplo, menciono que la presencia hispana es la más antigua en este país. Los españoles fueron los primeros europeos en pisar tierra y establecer poblados en lo que ahora es Estados Unidos. Aprecio y valoro la apertura de mente y la buena voluntad mostradas. Esto me alegra y me llena de esperanza en que poco a poco iremos conociendo mejor los orígenes e historias de los diferentes grupos étnicos que integran nuestra parroquia. Los obispos católicos de Estados Unidos nos invitan a ello: "Todos tenemos la obligación de apreciar nuestra propia historia y reflexionar sobre el origen étnico, racial y cultural que nos hace ser una nación de inmigrantes" (The Hispanic Presence. Challenge and commitment. A Pastoral Letter on Hispanic Ministry, December 12, 1983, #4).

Su amigo y servidor,  
Padre Jesús Camacho

I appreciate the interest that the people of our parish have demonstrated in knowing something about the History of Mexico. Up to now we have had two sessions and the participation has been very active. There have been some surprising discoveries. As a matter of example, I mention that the Hispanic Presence is the oldest in this country. The Spaniards were the first Europeans to step foot on this land and establish populated areas in what is now the United States. I appreciate and value the openness and good will. This brings me joy and gives me hope that little by little we will better know the origins and histories of the different ethnic groups that integrate our parish. The Catholic Bishops of the United States invite us to: "We all have the obligation to appreciate our own history and reflect on the ethnic, racial and cultural origin that make us one nation of immigrants" (The Hispanic Presence. Challenge and commitment. A pastoral Letter on Hispanic Ministry, December 12, 1983, #4)

Your Friend and Servant,  
Padre Jesús Camacho

### PLATICAS PREBAUTISMALES

Las platicas Prebautismales para el mes de mayo se llevarán a cabo el 20, 21 y 22 de mayo a las 8pm. Recuerden que necesitan pedir el bautismo formalmente con el Padre Jesús. Por favor llamen a la oficina parroquial durante la semana para hacer cita. El número de la oficina es 344-2597.

"Are you seeking fellowship or someone to go to Church with? Are you a single adult over 35 who is searching for a faith community? Are you seeking something nameless, a sense of belonging? Then **COME TO THE TREASURE VALLEY CATHOLIC SINGLES POTLUCK AND MEETING** on Tuesday, March 24, 7 p.m. at St. Mary's Boise. For more information, please contact [tvatholicssingles@yahoo.com](mailto:tvatholicssingles@yahoo.com) or call Michelle Hill at 208-713-7471."

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**THE FOOD BANK** needs the following items:

Green Beans; Peanut Butter; Syrup; Chicken Noodle Soups. If you can help, please bring the food to Mass or drop it off at the Food Bank,

2945 Chinden Blvd.—near the corner of Chinden and 30th St.— (M, W, F: 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.).

St. Mary's Parish wishes to recognize the men and women, sons and daughters, of our parish who are serving in the Armed Forces. **Please pray for these people in the armed services who are protecting us.**

Gy. Sgt. Jason Anton	Marine Corps
Staff Sgt. John G. Carmonne	Marine Corps
Tech. Sgt. Cameron C. Beck	Air Force Nat'l Guard
Staff Sgt. Carri J. Beck	Air Force Nat'l Guard
SRA1 Clifford Coleman	U.S. Air Force
Capt. James Corrigan	U.S. Air Force
Major Grant S. Fawcett	U.S. Army
Captain John R. Fawcett	U.S. Army
Major Marne Suttan Fawcett	U.S. Army
PFC Andrew E. Friton	U.S. Army
Staff Sgt. Amber Hansen	U. S. Army
Captain Tom Hitt	Air Force Nat'l Guard
Sgt. Benjamin Lee	U.S. Army
FC2 Christopher Mais	U.S. Navy
Lt. Col. William McQuade	U.S. Army
PV2 Ashley Peachey	U.S. Army
Lt. Col. Gregory W. Smith	U.S. Army
Spec. Adam Schumacher	Army Nat'l Guard
Spec. James Schumacher	Army Nat'l Guard
Corporal Jake Thacker	Marine Corps
Lt. Bernadette Tavelli	U.S. Air Force
Sgt. Shawn Michael White	U. S. Army

### MAGNIFICAT PARISH NEWSLETTER

The Magnificat will soon be available for E-mail delivery. Please contact [magnify@cablone.net](mailto:magnify@cablone.net) or [mbaca@stmarysboise.org](mailto:mbaca@stmarysboise.org) now if you have not registered your E-mail address with the parish.

On behalf of Fr. Jesus Camacho and the Hispanic Sector of our community, we would like to apologize for our rudeness in entering into the church before the 11 a.m. Mass was finished. We realize this caused much confusion, congestion and chaos, and even though we were trying to come in from out of the elements, we cannot justify what we did; and we will do our best to be very conscientious in the future so that this does not happen again.

## CALENDAR — CALENDARIO

Sun., Mar. 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 p.m., Kermesse (Gym)</li> <li>• 6:30 p.m., Confirmation Class (Narthex)</li> </ul>
Tues., Mar. 24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2:15 p.m., St. Mary's School Stations of the Cross (Church)</li> <li>• 5 p.m., Development &amp; Finance Committee (Rm. A)</li> <li>• 7 p.m., Estudio Biblico (Salon A)</li> </ul>
Wed., Mar. 25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9:30 a.m., Walking in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group (Tabernacle)</li> <li>• 8 p.m., Christian Meditation (Rm. A)</li> </ul>
Thurs., Mar. 26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7 p.m., RCIA (Rm. D)</li> <li>• 7 p.m., Knowing Mexican History (Church)</li> </ul>
Fri., Mar. 27	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Parish Office Closed</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 p.m., Centering Prayer (Cry Rm.)</li> <li>• 5:30 p.m., Stations of the Cross (Church)</li> <li>7 p.m., Alanon (Rm. A)</li> </ul>
Sat., Mar. 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 p.m., Kermesse (Gym)</li> </ul>
Sun., Mar. 29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 p.m., Kermesse (Gym)</li> <li>• 4 p.m., St. Anthony Region Potluck (Gym)</li> </ul>

### Lenten Reconciliation Schedule

(All at 7 pm)

Sacred Heart	Mar. 24
Our Lady of the Rosary	Mar. 26
St. Mark's	Apr. 1
St. John's	Apr. 2
Holy Apostles	Apr. 7

Fr. Camacho will be hearing confessions on **April 8th at 7 p.m.** and Fr. Miller on **March 25th at 7 p.m.** in the church.

**The church directories will be here on April 15!**

\*Contributions: Mar. 14 & 15: \$9,542.00  
Last Year: \$7,994.00

\*Building Fund not included.

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE ST. MARY'S SCHOOL!

We are pleased to announce that St. Mary's School has successfully completed the accreditation process. St. Mary's School volunteered to pilot the accreditation process for Catholic Schools in our state, hence, we are the first Catholic school in the Treasure Valley to receive accreditation. In addition, we have received dual accreditation through two separate entities: The Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA), and the Northwest Association of Accredited Schools (NAAS).

Accreditation status is the seal of approval from both agencies. It means that our school has set a standard of excellence in academics and assures that we are focused on our Catholic faith. However, setting a standard is not enough, we were required to write about our standards, and we had a team of trained professionals come in and verify our standards through observations, and interviews with parents, students, Governing Board members and PTO members. This process reinforces that we are meeting our vision: **Academic Excellence in a Catholic Community.**

Thanks to the St. Mary's community for participating in the process. We received numerous compliments about our school community. Dave Lachiondo, President of Bishop Kelly High School, said "Our school felt just like the Catholic School of his childhood, the warmth and strength of the school community stood out for him". Toni Bicandi, Principal of St. Joes, said "We do amazing things here at St. Mary's School." And Pat Livingston, Superintendent of L. A. Catholic Schools, after visiting the classroom said, "Who wouldn't want their child in such a loving, inviting school."



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