

SAINT PIUS V ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 14, 2024

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Veronica Once

SACRAMENTS:

Communion for Homebound
Anyone unable to attend mass because
of illness may receive Holy communion
at home regularly . Please call the
rectory.

**Funerals, Private Masses,
Anniversaries, Quinceañera & Sweet
Sixteenth Masses** Please make
arrangements with the priest or please
call at the rectory.

Marriage
Please make arrangements with priest,
six months before Marriage date is set.

Anointing of the Sick
Second Saturdays at 8 : 00 am

Reconciliation
By appointment during office hours;
please call before coming.

Baptisms
Saturdays at 1:30 pm
Initial contact by appointment with the
priest.
You will need a copy of the Birth
Certificate

Contact the secretary for an appointment
with the Father.
It is necessary to bring the Birth Certificate

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Saint Pius V Roman Catholic Church
Office Hours: Mon - Sat: 9:00am - 1:00pm

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Thursdays: 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Eucharist - Masses

Monday - Saturday
Thursdays
Sundays

8:00 am English
7:30 pm Spanish
8:30 am Portuguese
10:00 am English
11:30 am Spanish

Solemnities 8:00 am English & 7:30 pm Trilingual

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 14, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY JANUARY 14th

PORTUGUESE 8:30am

†Delmira DaSilva, esposo, país y hermanos a
pedido por Teresa y Carlos DaSilva

ENGLISH 10:00am

†Jennie y John DiBello req by Carlo
DiBello

*Thanksgiving for Jacques Lamothe's Birthday
req by Nicole Lamothe.

SPANISH 11:30am

†Blanca Remache a ped de su padres y
hermanos

†Luis Xavier Tenesaca a ped de sus hermanos y
Madre.

†Manuel Alfonso Ludisaca a ped de sus hijos.

†Luis Manuel Tenesaca a ped de sus Hijas
*En honor ala Virgen del Cisne a ped de las
familias Remache Tenesaca.

MONDAY JANUARY 15TH

8:00am:

TUESDAY JANUARY 16TH

8:00am:

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 17TH

8:00am:

THURSDAY JANUARY 18TH

8:00am:

7:30pm: †Por el eterno descanso en sus 3 años
de fallecida de Carmen Julia Espinoza a ped de
su Familia.

FRIDAY JANUARY 19TH

8:00am:

SATURDAY JANUARY 20TH

8:00am:

SUNDAY JANUARY 21ST

PORTUGUESE 8:30am

†Francisco Rodrigues, Felisbela Brito, Sogros,
Avos e Tios a ped de Rosa Rodrigues

*Pelas almas do purgatorio a ped Arminda
Valente

*Em honra do Nossa Senhora de Fatima a ped
de Anabela Fernandes

ENGLISH 10:00am

READINGS OF THE WEEK:

Sunday: *Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*
1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19; 1 Corinthians 6:13-15,
17-20; John 1:35-42

Monday: *weekday*
1 Samuel 15:25-23; Mark 2:18-22

Tuesday: *weekday*
1 Samuel 16:1-13; Mark 2:23-28

Wednesday: *San Antonio Abad*
1 Samuel 17:32-33, 40-51; Mark 3:1-6

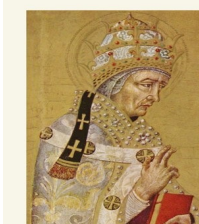
Thursday: *weekday*
1 Samuel 18:6-9, 19:1-7; Mark 3:7-12

Friday: *weekday*
1 Samuel 24:3-21; Mark 3:13-19

**Saturday: *Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr &
Saint Sebastian, Martyr***

2 Samuel 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Mark 3:20-21

Sunday: *Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20



Saint Fabian
Pope and Martyr
20th Supreme Pontiff
Martyred c.250
Memorial - 20 January

Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr January 20th

Fabian was a Roman layman who
came to the city from his farm one day
while the clergy and people were preparing
to elect a new Pope. Eusebius, a Church
historian, says that a dove flew and landed
on Fabian's head. This sign united the votes
of the clergy and the laity, and was elected
unanimously in the year 236 AD.

He led the Church for 14 years and died as a martyr dur-
ing the persecution of Decius in 250 AD. Saint Cyprian wrote
to his successor that Fabian was an "incomparable" man
whose glory in death coincided with the holiness and purity of
his life.

In the catacombs of Saint Callixtus you can still see the
stone that covered Fabian's tomb, broken into four pieces that
bear the Greek words "Fabián, bishop, martyr." Saint Fabian
shares with Saint Sebastian the celebration of his liturgical
feast.

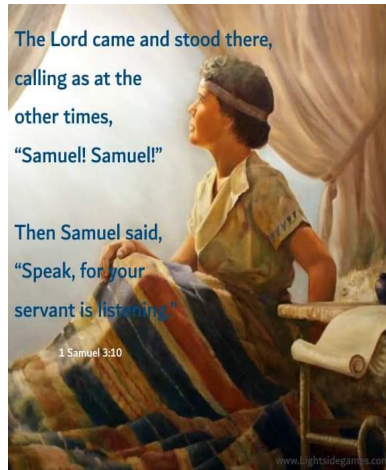
Reflection: We can only move with confidence into the future
and accept the change that growth demands if we have firm
roots in the past, in a living tradition. A few pieces of stone in
Rome remind us that we are bearers of more than 20 centuries
of a living tradition of faith and courage to live the life of
Christ and show it to the world. We have brothers and sisters
who "have gone before us with the sign of faith," as the First
Eucharistic Prayer says, to illuminate our path.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Thursday after the 8:00 am Mass (English)

First Friday of the month at 7:00 pm (Español)

SPEAK, LORD, FOR YOUR SERVANT IS LISTENING 1 SAMUEL 3: 3 -10, 19

Samuel was sleeping when he first heard someone calling him. He ran to his mentor, but Eli didn't call him. Then Samuel returned to bed, only to hear the voice two more times. When Samuel appeared at Eli's bedside for the third time, the priest realized that it was the Lord he had heard from. The God who loves to talk to his people was now calling Samuel. He then gave Samuel eternal advice: Answer: "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening."

This same God wants to speak to us! It is not difficult to listen to him, but like Samuel, we must learn to listen. The good news is that God loves us and wants us to listen to his voice. So let's take Eli's words seriously.

Speak, Lord. God wants you to know him. He is always talking, always trying to reveal himself to you. You may believe that he has a message for you, so he confidently expresses your desire to hear it. This means sitting before the Lord and setting your heart on Him alone. "Speak, Lord. I want to know more about you."

Your servant. Everything we have comes from God. He is our Master and we are his humble and grateful servants, eager to hear and obey his word. This means more than passively waiting for a message from heaven. It means offering yourself to the Lord with a heart willing and open to God's plans, even if they differ from yours. "I am your servant, Lord. I am ready to do your will."

Is listening. It is not easy to hear the voice of God when we are surrounded by noise. So, to listen to the Lord, we will need to find a quiet place, away from the noise that can drown out the voice of the Lord. We may also need to silence our anxious thoughts and doubts. But with God's help, we can let go of those thoughts and listen to His voice. "Calm my heart, Lord. I hear you"



OUR LADY OF ALTAGRACIA
Holy Mass
January 21, 2024 at 11:30am
 Followed by **Lunch** in the Auditorium
\$5.00 per person
 and
Raffles: 2 for \$5.00
3rd prize:
Keurig Single Serving coffee maker
2nd prize:
Hair Styling Set
1st prize:
An image of Our Lady of Altagracia



Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., who was a black church leader and son of the first civil rights activist and minister Martin Luther King, Sr., promoted the civil rights of people of color in the United States by use of nonviolent resistance and nonviolent civil disobedience against Jim Crow laws and other forms of discrimination in the United States. His speeches, some of the most emblematic of the 20th century, had a profound effect on the national conscience.

It took 15 years of persistence by civil rights activists for the federal government to approve the holiday and 17 years for it to be recognized by all 50 states.

People are encouraged to use the day to: reflect on the principles of racial equality and nonviolent social change espoused by Dr. King, read books together, watch a video together, volunteer together, share their "I Have a Dream" dreams, or participate in community events.

PARISH LIFE

Parish Councils and Committees
 Parish Pastoral Council
 Hispanic Committee
 Finance Committee

Committees for Special Feasts
 Our Lady of Fátima Committee
 Comité Altagraciano
 Comité Guadalupano
 El Salvador del Mundo

Apostolate Cursillistas:
 Jueves a las 7:30PM (Church Basement)

Grupo de Oración "Cristo la Roca" (RCC)
 Jueves a las 8:00PM (Church Basement)
 Servidores: Martes a las 8:00PM (Church Basement)

Grupo de Matrimonios
 Viernes a las 7:00PM (Church Basement)
 Servidores: Sábados a las 7:00PM (Church Basement)

CCD Meetings (Communion and Confirmation)
 Sunday at 9:30 am

RCIA:
 Sunday at 9:00 am

DEVOTIONS:

Our Lady of Miraculous
Medal Novena Mondays 8:00 am

Rosario de Mujeres - Inmaculada
Concepción Martes a las 7:00 pm

Rosario de Hombres - Medalla
Milagrosa Martes a las 8:00 pm

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

January 14, 2024

1. The Rectory of San Pio V will be closed on Monday, January 15th in commemoration of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.
2. There is a Pastoral Council meeting scheduled for Wednesday, January 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the basement of the church. Please make every effort to attend.
3. The Novena for the celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Altagracia will be held at 7:00 pm every evening from January 13 to 20 (except at 6:00 pm on Wednesday, January 17, due to The Pastoral Council Meeting). We are asking for donations and support for the feast day on January 21st. Please speak with Ana, Elida or Migdalia if you are able to volunteer. On January 21st we will celebrate Holy Mass at 11:30am followed by lunch in the auditorium for \$5.00pp, and there will be a prize raffle for three prizes, 2 for \$5.00. Everyone is invited.
4. Thank you for supporting "Doing small things with great love". We are delighted to announce that we were able to provide 750 meals this week thanks to your generosity. Please continues supports "Doing small things with great love."

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP**

During the Month of January the Sanctuary Lamp is offered as

-Intencao Especial a ped de Anabela Fernandes

If you want to make arrangements to have the Sanctuary Lamp lit please call the Rectory.

The Donation is \$25.00

YOUTH MINISTRY

Next Meeting
January 14th
Church Basement

DIOCESAN NEWS

1. Save the Date: April 20, 2024 there will be a Women's Conference at the Immaculate Conception Center. The theme will be "The Holy Women at the Empty Tomb". We will update as more details come forward about the event.
2. The National Eucharistic Congress will be held in Indianapolis next year from July 17-21, 2024. Tickets are limited, so, enroll as soon as possible. Enrollment forms and the program schedule can be found in the rectory office.

**FOOD PANTRY:**

Every first Wednesday at 10:00am

St. Peters' Chapel
 (The Rectory Basement)

LORD, BLESS OUR FOOD PANTRY AND ALL WHO WILL BE NOURISHED IN BODY AND SPIRIT.

SUNDAY COLLECTION:
1/7/24
\$1,973.00

THANK YOU TO ARREGLOS FLORALES FOR SPONSORING THIS BULLETIN

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network has released Pope Francis' monthly prayer intentions for 2024. Each month, the Holy Father asks Catholics around the world to pray for a specific intention.

Monthly Prayer Intentions**January: For the Gift of Diversity in the Church.**

Pope Francis calls for prayers to the Holy Spirit "to help us recognize the gift of different charisms with the Christian communities and to discover the richness of various ritual traditions with the Catholic Church."

Registration / Inscripción

Parish Registration is important in the event you may need testimonial letters for Sacraments and official institutions. Letters will be provided **ONLY TO PARISHIONERS WHO ARE REGISTERED** through our website or through our paper registration forms. Thank you.