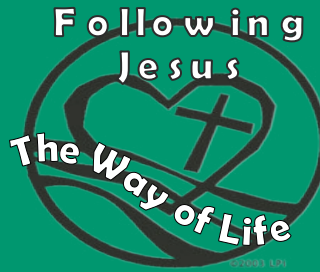




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**SATURDAY MASSES:**

Angel Fire 8:00 am

Eagle Nest 4:00 pm Angel Fire 5:30 pm (Sunday Obligation)

**SUNDAY MASSES:**

Springer 8:00 am Angel Fire 8:00 am Cimarron 10:00 am

**WEEKDAY MASSES:**

Springer: Monday—Friday 8:00 am 1st Saturday 8:00 am

Cimarron: Tuesday – 11:30 am

Angel Fire: Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat — 8:00 am; Tue & Thurs—noon

**ROSARY**

St. Joseph's: Sunday & Weekdays at 7:30 am

ICC: Sunday at 9:30 am; 11:00 am on Tuesday

Missions: 30 minutes before Mass

**CONFESSIONS:**

St. Joseph's: Sunday 7:30 am or by appt

ICC: Before Mass or by appt. Missions: Before Mass or by appt

**CCD:**

Springer: Sundays after Mass during schoolyear beginning on Sept. 8

ICC Missions: To Be Announced

Cimarron: Sundays after Mass at Parish Hall

**ADORATION:**

St. Joseph: Adoration with Divine Mercy-Fridays after Mass

Holy Angels: M, W, F: after mass; Tue/Thur: 1 hour before Mass

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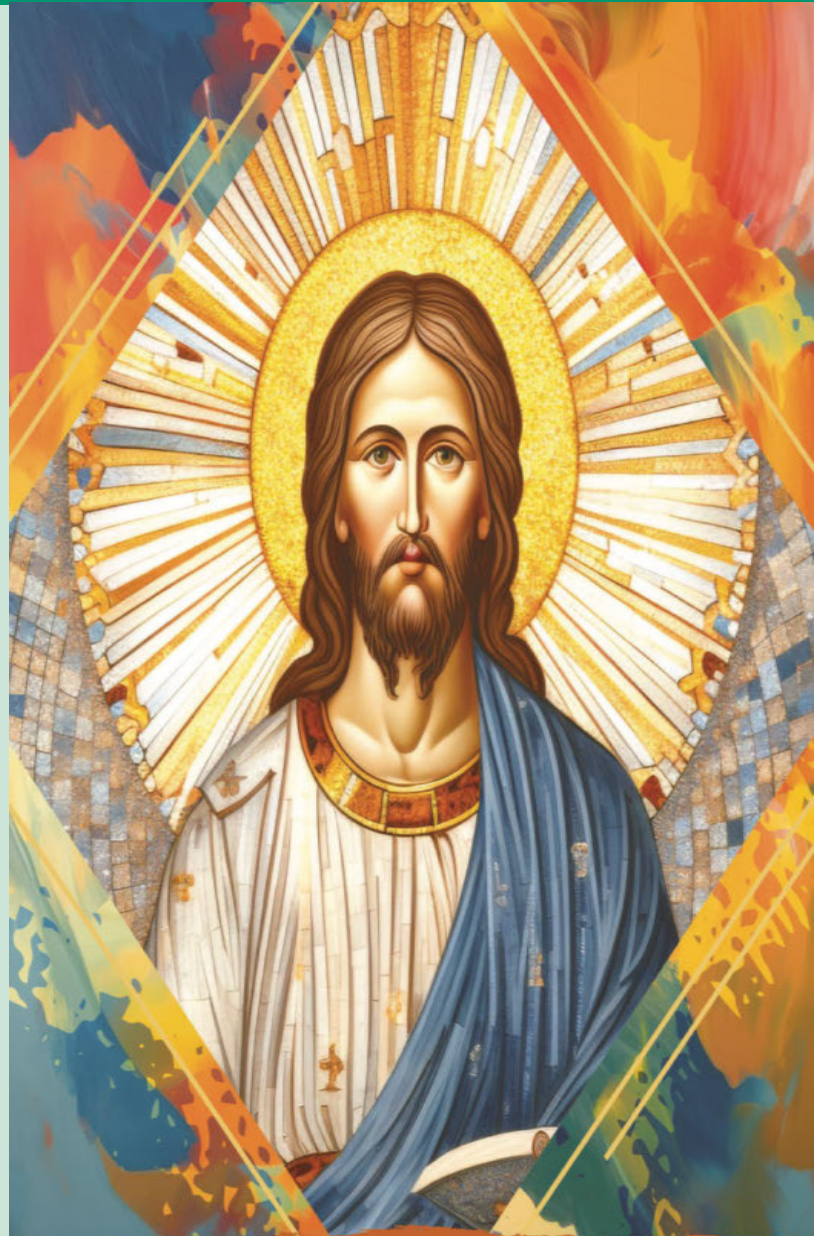
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7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Give, and gifts will be given to you.”

- Lk 6:38

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**Sacraments**

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** If you would like your child to be baptized, please call the Parish Office and have an appointment schedule with the Pastor. During this meeting, the Pastor will provide you with information on how to choose sponsors and name and schedule a date for the Baptism. Please endeavor to bring your child's Birth Certificate to the meeting. Baptism can occur on any weekend of the month.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** This sacrament takes place in the Spring of each year following two years of preparation.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:** This Sacrament takes place in the Spring of each year, and is open to all high school students. Contact the RE & Youth Coordinator for more information.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Please call the parish office six months in advance and schedule a meeting with the pastor. At that meeting, the wedding date can be fixed.

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** Please notify the parish office or rectory if someone is ill at home and wishes to receive the Sacrament of Anointing or Communion.

**FUNERALS:** Please contact the pastor to make arrangements.



**PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS:**

**Cimarron, to be announced**  
Tom Quinn, Louise Johnson, Sam Minor, Paul Atzberger, Genevieve Velasquez, Eliseo Espinosa {ex-officio}.

**K of C SANGRE DE CRISTO COUNCIL #10666**

The Knights meet the 1st Tuesday of each month in the Sr. Hildegarde Parish Hall at 7pm; Corporate Communion is held the 1st Sunday of each month. All brother Knights and their families are invited to attend.

**K of C Moreno Valley Council #17068**

Meetings are held on the last Monday of each month in the Holy Angels meeting room at 6:00 pm. Corporate Communion is the 2nd weekend of the month. Meeting 1/2 hour before mass for the rosary followed by mass and a pot-luck. Location and times will vary. Knights and their families are encouraged to attend.



**HOLY ANGELS ALTAR SOCIETY**

The Altar Society meets the First Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm in the Angel Room. Would you like to join, contact Meg Quinn.



**2023-24 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ICC Missions:**

**Holy Angels** — TBA  
**St. Mel's**—TBA

**ICC:** Sundays after Mass at Parish Hall

Contact the **Parish Office Secretary** for more information or to register.



**ICC OFFICE HOURS WITH FR. TRIEU on TUESDAYS**

Fr. Trieu will be in the office at ICC on Tuesdays from 10am to 12:30pm. Avail yourself of this opportunity to visit with him for confession, consultations etc. He is not just there for sake of being there but for sake of seeing and meeting with his parishioners. Make available to him through the staff in ICC names of sick people that needs attention and visit of the pastor.

**Mass Intentions**

**SAT, FEB 22, 2025 - HA 8:00 AM** Chair of St. Peter  
*Does not count for Sunday obligation*

**SAT, FEB 22, 2025 -ST. MEL'S-4:00 pm** Chair of St. Peter

**SAT, FEB 22, 2025 —HA—5:30 pm** Chair of St. Peter

**SUNDAY, FEB 23, 2025—HA—8:00 am** St. Polycarp

**SUNDAY, FEB 23, 2025 -ICC -10:00 am** St. Polycarp

♣ Estrella Encinias, Joe & Lupe Vigil by Josephine Vigil

♣ Betty LeDoux by Patricia LeDoux

**MON, FEB 24, 2025 — HA— 8:00 AM** St. John Theristus

**TUES, FEB 25, 2025-HA -8:00 AM** St. Tarasius

**TUES, FEB 25, 2025 -ICC -11:30 AM** St. Tarasius

**WED, FEB 26, 2025-ICC-10:00 AM** St. Isabel of France

**THUR, FEB 27, 2025-HA -8:00 AM** St. Leander of Seville

**FRI, FEB 28, 2025—HA—8:00 AM** St. Hilary, Pope

**SATURDAY—MAR 1, 2025—ST. MEL'S 4:00 PM**

**SATURDAY—MAR 1, 2025—HOLY ANGELS- 5:30 PM**

**SUNDAY—MAR 2, 2025—HOLY ANGELS- 8:00 AM**

**SUNDAY—MAR 2, 2025—ICC - 10:00 AM**

♣ Estrella Encinias, Joe & Lupe Vigil by Josephine Vigil

♣ Angie Martinez by Tim & Timothy Martinez

♣ Fred Martinez, Bernardino, Antonina & Mike Chavez by the Chavez Family

**PARISH SUPPORT Feb 2, 8 & 9, 2025**

Envelopes:	\$2,033.00
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Children's Envelopes	\$2.00
Poor & Needy	\$25.00
Designated Donations	\$130.00
Grand Total:	\$3,468.00



**COLLECTION COUNTERS**

Feb 23: Carol Gurule & Isabel Lloyd

March 2: Carlos Arguello & Margarita Esparza



**MONTH of MARCH 2025 CLEANING**

**ICC:** Gilbert & Pat Zamora

**St. Mel's:** Need Volunteers

**HOLY ANGELS:** Holy Angels Church Cleaning Team

**MAYORDOMOS:** ICC: Gloria Martinez

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

Lectors:	Date:	Minister:
St. Mel's:	03/01	Dale Fuller
Holy Angels:	03/01	
Holy Angels:	03/02	
ICC:	03/02	Knights of Columbus
Ushers:		
St. Mel's:	03/01	Paul Atzberger & Jim Baca
Holy Angels:	03/01	
Holy Angels:	03/02	
ICC:	03/02	Knights of Columbus
Altar Servers:		
St. Mel's	03/01	Adult volunteer
Holy Angels	03/01	Adult volunteer
Holy Angels	03/02	Adult Volunteer
ICC	03/02	Knights of Columbus



7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FR. FLOOD



**Readings Week** Week of February 23, 2025

Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38  
Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29  
Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mk 9:30-37  
Wednesday: Sir 4:11-19/Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175/Mk 9:38-40  
Thursday: Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Mk 9:41-50  
Friday: Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35/Mk 10:1-12  
Saturday: Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18/Mk 10:13-16  
Next Sunday: Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 /1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45





## GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

February 23, 2025  
7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

One of my favorite new singers/songwriters is Noah Kahan. I'm a little biased because, like me, he is originally from Vermont. In a fine song entitled "Stick Season," he sings of his hope to "cancel out the darkness I inherited from dad." This lyric articulates his painful recognition of a dark spiritual "inheritance" from his father, and his hope to be free of it. We all inherit some degree of evil from our earthly forebears. It's easy to feel doomed to repeat their darkneses.

But we're not so doomed, thank God. This week's Gospel proclaims this. Whatever good or bad we received from our parents, we have a more definitive and perfect inheritance in God. Jesus commands us, "Be merciful just as your Father is merciful" (Luke 6:36). We have a perfect Father in heaven and are destined to inherit and reflect that perfect and merciful love. We have an inheritance of light, not darkness, and thus a whole new possibility of magnanimous love. Like any inheritance, this is a free gift to us.

What are we destined to repeat? Not the darkness of our earthly parents. We are destined to be a reflection of God's life. Jesus liberates us from the inevitability of repeating whatever evils and imperfections are in our familial or cultural upbringings. It's time to claim that perfect inheritance.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

### HOLY ANGELS POTLUCK

On the First Saturday of each month, Holy Angels will have their monthly Potluck after the 5:30 pm Mass. Bring your favorite dish and come fellowship with other parishioners and Fr. Trieu.



### EMERGENCY NUMBERS WHILE FR. TRIEU IS AWAY

If you have an emergency where you need a priest, call the following: At the Missions, please call Father's Doug's cell phone at 505-463-9345. In Cimarron, call Fr. John Brasher at (575) 707-5205. If you are having trouble reaching him, call Judy LeDoux at the office so she can locate him for you.



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**PICK OF THE WEEK: MOVIE: Symbolon, The Faith of the Church. Faith formation series.**

### NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR HOMEBOUND COMMUNION

We could use a volunteer or two to help take communion to the homebound or serve as a backup. You just follow the prayers in the book we give you. It does not have to be on a Sunday. You could do this ministry any day of the week. Please call the office if you can help.



**COMMUNITY PRAYER LIST** Alice Baca, Betty LeDoux, Paul Donnistorpe, Joel Rivera, Steven Gurule, Alice Vigil, Leroy Chavez, Daniel Pavletich, Frances Griego, Chris Sandoval, Edith Raught, Andy & John Martinez, Laurie Sheridan, John Sanchez, Chavez Family Members, Leo R. Martinez, Larry Layden, Pat Zamora, Stephen Johnson, Orlando Sandoval, Amy Muchleisen, Yvonne Rael, George "Tooty" Madrid, Helen Rivera, Margaret VanAntwerp, Luis Torres, Tom Griego, Pauline Garcia Al Maestas and parishioners at the Nursing Home.

**MILITARY DEPLOYED:** Diego Ortiz, Isaac Sanchez, Brian Wang, Austin Rees, Nicholas Howe *Please call the Office to add or remove a name. Thank you!*

### ACA 2025—LET PEACE BEGIN WITH ME

#### ACA 2025—LET PEACE BEGIN WITH ME

Today kicks off our 2025 Campaign. Our goal is \$11,000.00. You should have received materials if you gave in the past 4 years. Pledge cards can be brought to the parish office, returned next Sunday in the collection or mailed direct. If you want to go on line to give monthly or quarterly, you can at <http://acaarchdiosf.org> PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH. We encourage 100% participation. If you can't give much, try at least a one time donation of \$20 or \$30. Through the work of the ministries, programs and services of our Archdiocese, your gifts greatly benefit those in need.



### ST MEL'S & ICC NEEDS CHURCH CLEANERS

St. Mel's needs cleaning volunteers for March and July. If you are willing to take those months, please call the Parish Office. ICC needs cleaners for the months of July, August & September. Please sign up with the Parish Office.



### ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

#### Wednesday, March 5th

St. Joseph's—Springer @ 8:00 am  
Holy Angels—Angel Fire @ 8:00 am  
St. Mel's—Eagle Nest @ 10:00 am  
ICC—Cimarron @ 5:30 pm



### IS ASH WEDNESDAY A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION?

Despite the often packed churches, you may be surprised to hear that the answer is no! Holy days of obligation commemorate a particular event (such as the birth of Christ at Christmas) or celebrate particular people (such as Mary's Immaculate Conception or the feast of All Saints). Ash Wednesday is a day of penance, fasting, and abstinence to begin the season of Lent. In a sense, it focuses on a concept rather than something particular and concrete. Of course, repentance ought to be reflected in particular, concrete ways! That's one of the reasons that attending Mass on Ash Wednesday is a very good idea. It marks the beginning of a solemn season of penance. Despite all its comparisons to the desert, Lent can be very fruitful for our spiritual growth! Beginning this season with the celebration of Mass and the reception of ashes is a sign of our commitment to God and to spiritual growth. © LPi

### NEED LECTORS AND USHERS

Minsters (Lectors & Ushers) needed at St. Mel's, Holy Angels and ICC. Please contact Father Trieu, the Parish Office or Megan Quinn for Holy Angels if you are interested a Ministry. We can really use your help.



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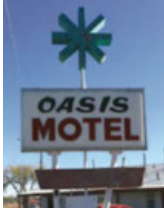
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