#### FEBRUARY **05 2023**

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Our Lady of the

Assumption

WITH MARY, SERVING CHRIST IN THE WORLD

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# YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD.

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# Parish Office

Monday– Friday ■ 9 AM - 5 PM

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### SUNDAY COLLECTION: WEEKLY GIFTS GOAL: \$13,500 REGULAR 01.29.23 \$10,556.24 Latin America Collection \$3,460.00

### CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP PRINCIPLES

† GIVE TO THE LORD A PORTION OF YOUR INCOME

- † MAKE YOUR GIFT A SACRIFICE
- † USE YOUR CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPE OR ONLINE GIVING
- † 5% TO PARISH & 5% TO CHARITY







Divine Mercy

Prayer Group Thursdays 4:30 PM • First Church

The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets to pray before the Blessed Sacrament weekly, and invites you to participate.



#### Let's Celebrate Marriages!

Our Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on February 25th at 10:00 AM at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish - 2602 S. Walnut Road, Turlock, CA 95380 Bishop Myron Cotta will preside at the mass and will be available for pictures at the reception following the mass. All Married couples are invited to participate and receive an anniversary blessing. Couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries of 5. 10, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50+ in 2023 are encouraged to register and to receive a certificate signed by Bishop. Register at https://stocktondiocese.org/ wedding-anniversary-mass-registration.

## We Care Shelter

### WE CARE is in great need of winter coats.

### Please donate directly to shelter or at the Parish Office.

Please reserve a Tuesday night for your family and group to serve dinner at We Care. Every Tuesday has been reserved for OLA, but other nights available as well. Please contact Christine Dores to reserve a date and learn more about We Care: 209.495.0586 <u>cdores12@aol.com</u>



**Valley Area Living Enabling Resources** V.A.L.E.R Office 209.634.0380 Monday - Thursday

2 PM - 6 PM

# THE ART OF DYING WELL

Strive to Live Well Resolve to Die Well



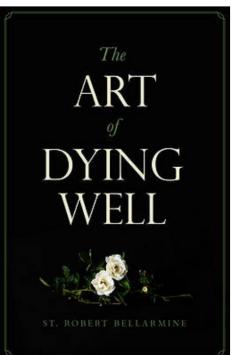
# ENGLISH LENTEN PARISH RETREAT

MARCH 25, 2023 9 AM - 4 PM NEW CHURCH

Please bring your lunch and call the Parish Office with your reservation (209) 634-2222.

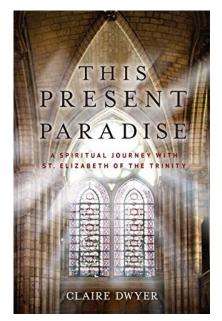


Associate Professor of Pastoral Studies/Spiritual Director at St. Patrick's Seminary and University



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# The Daughters of Mary A CATHOLIC WOMEN'S MINISTRY



In this tender yet powerful book, author Claire Dwyer takes you on a spiritual journey with this littleknown but fast-ascending saint. She shows you how to overcome aridity in prayer and discover ways to bring peace to familial relationships. You will learn how to identify and fulfill the specific mission God has for you and how to draw courage and meaning from the inevitable sufferings you will face.

Best of all, you will learn how to encounter and live in union with God, which opens up a sanctuary of peace within your soul.

#### **This Present Paradise**

A book on Elizabeth of the Trinity by Claire Dwyer

#### Contacts Isabel Crawford (209)535-8034

Jean Alt (209)756-8030

Office Location Outside Snack Bar, Our Lady of the Assumption Church

Days/Hours Thursdays 6:45 PM-8:15P M

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Meeting	Schedule

Date	Topic
January 12	Introduction/Rosary
January 19	Chapter 1-4
January 26	Chapter 5-8
February 2	Chapter 9-12
February 9	Chapter 13- 16
February 16 (no school)	No meeting
February 23	Chapter 17-20
March 2	Chapter 21-24
March 9	Chapter 25-28
March 16	Chapter 29-32
March 23	Chapter 33-36
March 30	Chapter 37-38
April 6 (Holy Thursday)	No meeting
April 13 (Easter week)	No meeting
April 20	End of study and celebration/ Intro to consecration preparation



#### How GriefShare works

It may be hard for you to feel optimistic about the future right now. If you've lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, you've probably found there are not many people who understand the deep hurt you feel.

This can be a confusing time when you feel isolated and have many questions about things you've never faced before.

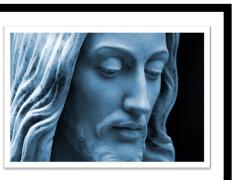
"Going to GriefShare feels like having warm arms wrapped around you when

you're shivering."

GriefShare groups meet weekly to help you face these challenges and move toward rebuilding your life. Each GriefShare session has three distinct elements:

> Please join us Tuesdays at 6 PM Classes begin Tuesday, January 24,2023





Video seminar with experts

Each week your GriefShare group will watch a video seminar featuring top experts on grief and recovery subjects. These videos are produced in an interesting television magazine format featuring expert interviews, real-life case studies, dramatic reenactments, and on-location video.

Support group discussion with focus After viewing the video, you and the other group members will spend time as a support group, discussing what was presented in that week's video seminar and what is going on in your lives.

Personal study and reflection During the week you will have the opportunity to use your workbook for further personal study of the grieving process and to help sort out

for further personal study of the grieving process and to help sort or your emotions through journaling. Your group will spend time discussing questions and comments from the workbook study.

Meeting	Date	Times
Session 1	Tuesday, January 24, 2023	6.00 pm – 8:00 pm
Session 2	Tuesday, January 31, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 3	Tuesday, Pebruary 07, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 4	Tuesday, Pebruary 14, 2023	6.00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 5	Tuesday, Pebruary 21, 2023	6.00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 6	Tuesday, February 28, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 7	Tuesday, March 07, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session B	Tuesday, March 14, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 9	Tuesday, March 21, 2023	6.00 pm – 8:00 pm
Session 10	Tuesday, March 28, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 11	Tuesday, April 04, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 12	Tuesday, April 11, 2023	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Session 13	Tuesday, April 18, 2023	6.00 pm - 8:00 pm



# **Divine Mercy Oratory**

### MISSING

We are asking parishioners that were on the list of this Oratory, help us to recover this Oratory. Please bring it to the parish office we kindly appreciate your help.

You may text or call John Mendes 209.480.5695

Thank you, God Bless

# <u>Mar Alto Fundraiser Dinner</u>



Saturday, February 11, 2023 Drive Thru 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. Dinner 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Dance - Live Band / DJ Eryk Sanchez Silent and Live Auction

Our Lady of The Assumption Church Hall 2604 S. Walnut Rd., Turlock Dinner Includes:

Pork Loin, Fire Roasted Corn, Rice Pilaf, Caesar Salad, Roll and Dessert Donation: \$30 per person Malinda Azevedo (209) 535-0646 • Cristina Rocha (209) 622-3309

Tickets Donated by Daniel Santos - Loan Officer (209) 622-8228

# Mass Schedule

<u>Monday, Tuesday, Thursday</u> <u>and Friday</u> 9 AM Portuguese

> <u>Wednesday</u> 6 PM English

Homeschooling Families

St. Valentine's Potluck Tea Party

Saturday 5:30 PM Mass English 7 PM Mass Portuguese Sunday

9:30 AM Mass English 11:15 AM Mass Portuguese 1:30 PM Mass Latin 6 PM Mass English



Tuesday, February 14, 2023 1 PM– 3 PM OLA Snack Bar Children will decorate a bag to collect their valentines and we will read the story of St. Valentine aloud. Please bring finger-foods to share. RSVP by Friday, February 10, 2023 to mariemeredith@reagan.com and include the names of your children so that we can send a list to all families.



### SACRED HEART THRIFT SHOP

1388 East Ave. Turlock, CA 9538 (209) 634-8780

#### **TALK ABOUT NOSTALGIA**

The Thrift Store has been booming with customers and donations. We have received a number of amazing finds for those who love nostalgia and vintage.



#### **ANTIQUES & VINTAGE**

The Store has some beautiful antiques. Come check them out before they are gone.



## NEXT PRICING PARTY:

January 27th, FRIDAY 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm. Dinner is provided. Please call to RSVP.



#### HOURS OF BUSINESS, LOCATION & TAX-ID NUMBER

- Address: 1388 East Ave. Turlock, CA 95380
- <u>Phone Number:</u> (209) 634-8780
- <u>Store Hours:</u> Tuesday-Saturday
  9:30 am- 4:00 pm
- <u>Donation Times:</u> Wednesday-Saturday 10:00 am-3:00 pm
- Tax ID-Number: 33-1035255 Now opening at 9:00 AM starting February 1st!

WEDDING DRESSES

# **LENTEN SCHEDULE**

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

- 9 AM Portuguese
- 4 PM Latin
- 6 PM English
- 7:30 PM Portuguese

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS ALL FRIDAYS DURING LENT

- 6 PM Portuguese
  - New Church followed by Mass
- 6 PM English First Church followed by Liturgy of the Word and Communion Service

#### LIFETEEN RETREAT FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24-SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26

St. Francis Retreat Center

**PORTUGUESE LENTEN RETREAT-FRIDAY-SUNDAY, MARCH 3-5** (see Portuguese Bulletin)

PORTUGUESE TRIDUUM- THURSDAY, MARCH 9, FRIDAY. MARCH 10, SATURDAY MARCH 11

7 PM

FEAST OF THE SORROWFUL JESUS- SUNDAY, MARCH 12 11:15 AM Mass

24 HOUR ADORATION EUCARISTIC REVIVAL-FRIDAY, MARCH 17 First Church

JOURNEY TO THE CROSS MUSIC MINISTRY LENTEN CONCERT– SATURDAY, MARCH 18

Following 5:30 PM Mass

ARMEE- MARCH 20

7 PM

ENGLISH LENTEN PARISH RETREAT- SATURDAY, MARCH 25 9 AM—4 PM New Church

College Missions- March 25-April 1

#### HOLY THURSDAY—APRIL 6

3 PM – 5 PM Confessions
 7 PM Celebration of the Lord's Supper

#### GOOD FRIDAY— APRIL 7

3 PM Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy Novena
 (continues daily)
 3 PM – 5 PM Confessions

**7 PM** Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

#### HOLY SATURDAY - APRIL 8

10 AM – 12 PM	Confessions
8 PM	Easter Vigil

#### EASTER SUNDAY— APRIL 9

	9:30 AM	Solemn Mass in English
	11:15 AM	Solemn Mass in Portuguese
	1:30 PM	Traditional Latin Mass
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# UPCOMING

### **INFORMATION MEETINGS**

#### WHEN:

Friday, Jan 13, 2023 Monday, Feb 13, 2023

#### WHERE:

OLA Snack Bar- 2602 S. Walnut Road Turlock, CA

#### TIME:

6:30-7:30 pm



### CONTACTS:

Sara & Frank Madruga #(209) 678-0607 Nancy & Frank Lourenco #(209) 614-7139 Please message us to RSVP for one of our meetings!

# CARD PARTY

Our Lady of the Assumption is holding the Annual Card Party on Sunday, March 19th at 1 PM in the Parish Hall. The Card

Party Committee is asking for donations of scorecard prizes and the ingredients needed to make folhoses (Gold Medal Flour, milk, butter, sugar, yeast and Mazola Oil.) Thank you for your generosity.

SUNDAY, MARCH 19 1 PM

CONTACT CLEMENTE LOPES 209-216-7415 ERMA ORNELAS 209-604-3029



# Confession

<u>Saturdays</u> 5 PM–5:30 PM

# Pray for the Sick

Heavenly Lord, we need Your divine intervention in our lives. We need You to empower our bodies with Your holy presence, and Your arms envelop our minds to soothe this pain. We shall not buckle under the strain and when it's a new day, our healed body will be a representation of Your power. Thank You, Your holiness for such attention to our lives, and In Christ's name, Amen.

Palmira Cardoso Iesuina Teixeira Teresa Xavier Marie Dixon Maria de Jesus Pascoal Lurdes Toledo Fatima Linhares Frank Linhares João Parreira Suzanna da Rosa Lucia Cardoso Joe Bettencourt Tyler Jorge Serafina Jordão Ilda Goulart Pereira Christina Soares da Silva Maggie Azevedo Barker Filomena Fontes Sadler Amy Águeda José Azevedo Olinda Oliveira Lee Joseph Neves Natalia Neves Bernadette Luis

Ioão Borba Angela Agueda Margarida Silva Andrew Godunjo Violante Silva Niveria Soares Jacob Bogacki Steve Chambers Maria Fernandina Carvalho Bertina Bettencourt Cecilia Pires Bobby Moules Elizabeth Baptista Silveira Arthur Silva Oliver Sanchez Madruga Celeste Drumonde João Vitorino Olivia Esteves Anne Abruzzini Diane Silva John Silva George Azevedo Noelia Bettencourt

Do you have a family member who cannot leave home and is in need of Holy Communion and prayer? Please call Beatriz Lourenco (209) 668-3801.

# Pray for the Recently Deceased

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

António Borba António V. Diniz Domingos Aguiar Jerry Lopes Antonio Castro Rogerio Borba Maria Santos Barbara Nelson Mary Fernandes Jerry Dover Maria Serafina Sousa Maria Costa Barcelos Maria Goulart Mary Couto Jose Brasil Eudóxia Sousa Christopher De Sousa Maria Luisa Sousa Dean Silva João Cardoso Antonio Rosa Luis Borba John Couto Samuel Freitas

Mass Intentions Monday • Segunda-Feira, February/Fevereiro 6: 9:00 AM - Português † Maria Serafina Sousa – da filha Helena Teixeira Tuesday • Terça-Feira, February/Fevereiro 7: 9:00 AM - Português † Manuel Leonardo – de Georgina Leonardo Wednesday • Quarta-Feira, February/Fevereiro 8: 6:00 PM - English † António Aquino - from Jorge, São e Catarina Azevedo Thursday • Quinta-Feira, February/Fevereiro 9: 9:00 AM - Português † Hilário Ourique e int. de Georgina Ourique Friday • Sexta-Feira, February/Fevereiro 10: 9:00 AM - Português † António Borba e Defuntos de Aurora Borba † Carlos e Maria Julia Flores – do filho António Flores † Carlos e Rosa Machado – dos filhos † Defuntos de Florindo e Lurdes Borba † Diane e David Sousa – dos pais † Duarte Alves Teixeira – do irmão Honório † Francisco Linhares – da esposa e filho † João e Rosa Cabral, Jaime Vieira e Francisco Cabral – de Rosa Cabral † João Estácio e Arminda de Sousa – da filha Arminda † José Avelino de Borba – da família † Pais e irmãos de João e Lucinda Aguiar † Rogério Borba – da esposa Bernardete Pelos Benfeitores de Nossa Senhora da Assunção vivos e falecidos Saturday • Sábado, February/Fevereiro 11: 5:30 PM - English † Luis Borba – from António & Mary Borba 7:00 PM - Português Int. de Corbin Manuel Cozitorto, aniv. natalício – da avó Sunday • Domingo, February/Fevereiro 12: 9:30 AM – English † António Borba – from family † Ellen Davidloo & Michelle Wincek † Frank Bettencourt, Jr. and Frank Bettencourt, Sr. - from Laura † John Couto - from wife Margarita † José & Luisa Parreira - from family † José & Teresa Alves - from family † Luiz e Olinda DeOliveira, Manuel e Amélia Oliveira & Clarence Oliveira – from Manuel & Goretty † Maria M. Santos - from daughter Lue Martin † Mike, Manuel & Jo Ann Alvernaz - from family For the children & grandchildren of José & Maria das Neves Brasil 11:15 AM - Português † Angelo Gomes – da esposa e filhos † António e Laura Goulart – da família † Defuntos de Tibério e Rosa Azevedo † João e Rosa Fernandes - de Leontina Pimentel † José & Isabel Ponceano – do filho John e família † José Jordão e defuntos de Serafina Jordão † José Maria e Maria Serafina Sousa – da família † Luis Carlos Berbereia – de Liliana Berbereia † Manuel e Maria Glória Dinis e Francisco Vaz Dinis – de Maria Dinis † Manuel e Maria Zulmira Machado, José e Artur Machado – da família † Maria Bernardete Brasil e Manuel Sousa – da família † Maria São João Vieira Lima – do marido e filho † Pais e sogros de Manuel e Maria Toledo † Pedro Reis - da esposa e família 6:00 PM - English † Cassy Mancebo - from mom, dad & family † Jonathan Sanchez & Balberto Sanchez, Sr. - from family † Luke Mancebo - from family † Rui & Ida Pacheco and Charlotte Lundberg - from family For Parish Community

