# Second Sunday of Lent ~ March 13, 2022

At Jesus' transfiguration the Father declares: "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." To listen to Jesus in prayer entails finding time and space for silence. Fasting from those activities and noises that so easily distract us can help us find that time and space. What a difference it makes when we are filled with the life-giving, transforming words of Jesus!

#### Saturday, March 12, 2022

5:30 p.m. Mass

Intention: Frank & Gesuina Deniz Requested by: David & Tina Deniz Intention:Manuel Cunha Requested by: Family Intention: Frank A. Vierra Requested by: Kevin & Laurette Locke

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**7:00am Mass** Intention:Fr. A. J. Heffernan ♥ Requested by:Parish Community

# 8:30am Mass (Portuguese)

Intention:Jose Avelino Correia ♥ Requested by:Luis Correia Family Intention:Joao & Senhorinha Abreu♥ Requested by: Maria Abreu Intention: Hermindo Gomes♥ Requested by: Manuel & Maria Gomes

#### 10:00am Mass

Intention: Jacinto DaRosa Requested by: Family Intention: Iracema Pires Requested by: S.P.R.S.I.

5:00pm Mass (St. Mary's) Intention: Mike Vierra ✤ Requested by: Family

**6:30pm** (St. Mary's~ Spanish) Intention: People of the Parish

#### <u>Tuesday, March 15, 2022</u> 8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Amancio & Rosa Rocha Requested by: David & Tina Deniz Intention: John A. Dias ♥ Requested by: Jason & Christina Castro

# Wednesday, March 16, 2022

8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: Sigrid E. & Hilding Freeberg ♥ Requested by: Christopher & Sandra Freeberg Intention: Joao Avila ♥ Requested by: Olivia Avila

# Thursday, March 17, 2022

8:00 a.m. Mass Intention: Teresa B. Costa ♥ Requested by: Ana Silveira Intention: Manuel & Adelino Enes ♥ Requested by: Manuel & Maria Avila

#### Friday, March 18, 2022 8:00 a.m. Mass Intention : Marcolina Lima ♥ Requested by: Carolina Sousa Family

Intention: Joe L. Moitoso<sup>†</sup> Requested by: Adriana Rivera Family 6 p.m. Stations of the Cross New Church Friday's Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5 p.m. in the New Church

# We are happy to announce we will be adding a daily Mass on Saturday's at 8 a.m. in the Mission Church. Please note this Mass does not fulfill the weekend obligation.

### Saturday, March 19, 2022

8:00a.m. Mass (Mission Church) Intention: Joao Silveira ♥ Requested by: Armelim & Lenor Silveira

### 11:00 a.m. C.P.I.D.E.S Mass

For all Living & Deceased Members 1:00 p.m. Wedding of: ClaudiaAlcazar & Pedro Alvarez

# 5:30 p.m. Mass Intention: Alberto Robledo ♥ Requested by: Monica Sabins Family

#### Sunday, March 20, 2022 Third Sunday of Lent

7:00am Mass Intention: Carolina Borba ♥ Requested by:St. Patrick's Y.L.I.

### 8:30am Mass (Portuguese)

Intention:Gaspar Borba ♥ Requested by:Manuela Silveira Intention:Jose L. & Maria F. Parreira♥ Requested by: Antonio Galante & Son

### 10:00am Mass

Intention: Hilary Brindeiro **P** Requested by: Finely Huff Family Intention of: Jared & Daniel Germann Requested by: Jeanne Tristant

**5:00pm Mass** (St. Mary's) Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the St. Mary's Memorial Book

**6:30pm Mass** (St. Mary's~ Spanish) Intention: People of the Parish

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:**, Manuel Andrade, Eliza Alves, Christopher Amarante, Olivia Avila, Jack Betschart, Isidro Bettencourt, Carl Boutte, Greg Boutte, Tina Carmo, Dan Coelho, Ann Depalma, Rosa Diniz, Joe Dutra, Randy Edwards, Elvira Freitas, Frank Anthony Freitas Jared Germann, Andrew Godino, Jennifer Gonzales, Debbie Hutchins, R. J. Jefferson, Doris Krikorian, Janice Louro, Joe Louro, Tere Mason, Patrick McSweeney, Loretta McFaddin, Luis Melo, Gloria Mendes, Edward Meneses, Malissa Mendes, Nelda Mendonca, Jorge Oliveira, Maria Pessoa, Dave Ramos, John Rocha, Maria Rosa, Florentino Santos, Joe Silva, Kathleen Silva, Violante Silva, Manuel Silva, Lucy Silveira, Sandra Smith, Carolina Sousa, Julia Sousa, Lilly Sousa, Piper Sousa, Mary Sozinho, Luciano Terra, Jeanne Tristant, & Maria Vieira *Please remember if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or even have a visit by the priest call the parish office at 667-8961*.

# **Religious Education...**

# The tradition of giving Lenten & Easter gifts during mass

**continues.** We are now accepting donations for those gifts in memory of loved ones. The gifts will be labeled accordingly. If you would like to be a sponsor, call Annie at 209-632-7163. These gifts will be given to every child that is in attendance during the weekend masses.

# Planning for our upcoming Vacation Bible School are under way!

Do your children attend this fun and interactive event? Are you able to help with this year's VBS? Many hands make for lighter work! Contact Annie if you're able to help in any way!

# We are looking for folks who would like to be on our Easter Egg Hunt committee!

Do you love watching the kiddos as they search for Easter Eggs? Our church is fortunate enough to provide this wonderful event to the Hilmar Community. It takes **EVERYONE** to make it a success. Since this is my first year with this event, I would really appreciate the help of the parish to make this a memorable time for everyone! Thank you for your support!

Please direct ALL related calls to Annie at 632-7163. Leave a detailed message if I am not available to answer. I will return your call. NEXT Weekend, our parish will take up the collection for International Needs. This collection helps to fund numerous Catholic organizations that improve the quality of life and protect human dignity. Give hope to Jesus in disguise. Please be as generous as you can.

We Congratulate the Our Lady of the Rosary 2022 Committee: President: Geroge & Dorothy Martins Vice President: AnnaMarie Silveira Secretary : Ines & Antonio Vieira Treasurer: Mary Xavier

We thank them in advance for their willingness to take part in this very special celebration honoring our Blessed Mother and wish them much success as they begin preparation for this year's Festa .

# Our Lenten journey has begun with the Stations of the Cross....

Join us every **Friday 6:00 p.m.** during the Lenten Season in the New Church. We will once again be having our traditional Lenten Soup Suppers in the Hall except on **March 25** (Fish Dinner).

Lenten Soup Suppers in the Hall after the stations of the Cross. We reach out to our parish organizations to help with these suppers. Please call Anna to sign up for a Friday of your choice. We thank our organizations & families in advance for their time, talent and treasure.

March18~ C.P.I.D.E.S. April 1~ Cabral, Machado & Pereira Families April 8 ~ S.P.R.S.I.

ALMS GIVING During this season of Lent please remember the less fortunate families of our community by bringing non-perishable food items every Sunday during Lent for our local pantry Hilmar Helping Hands. March 13<sup>th</sup> -Cereal March 20<sup>th</sup> - Pasta & Sauce March 17<sup>th</sup> -Boxed or Canned Meals April 3<sup>rd</sup>– Soup. Of course any and all items are gratefully accepted. Please place all items in barrels at church each Sunday. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

# <u>Tickets Selling Fast...</u> <u>Building Fund Fish Dinner</u> on Friday, March 25th, TICKETS

**Friday, March 25th.** TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE at the Parish Office.. Tickets are \$30.00 for adults. The delicious menu includes: deep fried marinated tuna (only available here), pan fried fish fillet, white and sweet potato, rice pudding, corn and white bread, salad and wine. Drive thru only from 4:00 – 7:00p.m. Please show your continued support by purchasing your tickets for this delicious meal available only once a year. <u>We SOLD OUT last year! Be</u> <u>sure to purchase yours soon</u>.

Holy Rosary Y.M.I. #44 announces its Annual Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> 3-6 p.m. drive through. Tickets \$20 and are available from any YMI member or the Parish Office.



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# CLEANING TEAMS NEEDED

for our new church. A team can consist of 7 or more members who would be responsible to clean the new church every 2 months. You can make this a bonding experience with family and friends. <u>Anyone who</u> would like this opportunity to serve in this special ministry is asked to call Carmel Caetano 668-0795. Thank you in advance for your time and talent in serving your parish.

**Our offering collection for March 5 & 6 = \$7,204.00** Last Year March 6 & 7 = \$7,190.00

> Thank You, Obrigado & Gracias!