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Parish Office Hours/

Horario de Oficina Parroquial

Tuesday-Friday/Martes-Viernes

8:30 AM-1:30 PM

Weekday Mass/

Misa de la Semana

Tuesday-Friday/Martes-Viernes

9:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass

Misa de la Vigilia del Sábado

4:00 PM English,

7:00 PM Español

Sunday Mass/Misa dominical

9:00 AM English,

12:00 PM Español

Weekend and Daily Masses are Live Streamed.

Las misas de fin de semana y las diarias son transmitidas en vivo.

Baptism Preparation

This is offered to parents and godparents and is required prior to scheduling a baptism. Please register for the class by calling the

Parish Office

(386) 789-9990 or emailing

info@stclarefl.org.

Marriage

Arrangements may be made at least six months prior to the anticipated celebration.

Confession

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment.

Anointing of the Sick

Please contact the parish office if you or your loved one is in need of this Sacrament immediately.

Address/Dirección: 2961 Day Rd. Deltona, FL 32738

Phone/Teléfono: (386) 789-9990

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Contact/Contactar: info@stclarefl.org

March 8, 2026



Third Sunday of Lent

“Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst.” -John 4:13-14

III Domingo de Cuaresma

“El que bebe de esta agua vuelve a tener sed. Pero el que beba del agua que yo le daré, nunca más tendrá sed.” -Juan 4:13-14

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 7

4:00 PM † Efrain Rios
7:00 PM For the People,
Thanksgiving Nyrra Norbert

Sunday, March 8

9:00 AM † Robin Hamel
12:00 PM † Ivan Torres, † Luis Hernandez and
Cecilio Santana, † Noemi Rivera,
Special Intention Carmen "Majere" Centeno

Tuesday, March 10

9:00 AM Special Intention Valentin Quin &
Adam Martinez

Wednesday, March 11

9:00 AM † Robin Hamel

Thursday, March 12

9:00 AM † Ana Gancibia and
† Brian & Kevin LaPointe

Friday, March 13

9:00 AM Special Intention Melinda Roman

**Faith Formation
Schedule**

Wednesday

6:30-8:00 pm

March 11, 25

High School Youth

Ministry

following 12 Noon Mass

Lunch is provided

March 8, 22

Parish Calendar

Sunday, March 8

9:00 AM Mass (English)
12:00 PM Mass (Spanish)
1:00 PM Youth Ministry
3:00 PM Confirmation
Catechesis

Tuesday, March 10

9:00 AM Mass

Wednesday, March 11

9:00 AM Mass
6:30 PM-8:00 PM Faith
Formation

Thursday, March 12

9:00 AM Mass
6:00 PM Via Crucis

Friday, March 6

9:00 AM Mass
9:30 AM Stations of the Cross
5:30 PM Lenten Meal and
Seven Last Words

Saturday, March 7

4:00 PM Mass (English)
7:00 PM Mass (Spanish)



**Sanctuary
Candle**
The Tabernacle
Candle is lit for:
**John and
Margie Steskla**

**Scripture Readings/Lecturas de las Escrituras
For the Week of March 8, 2026
Para la Semana 8 de marzo 2026**

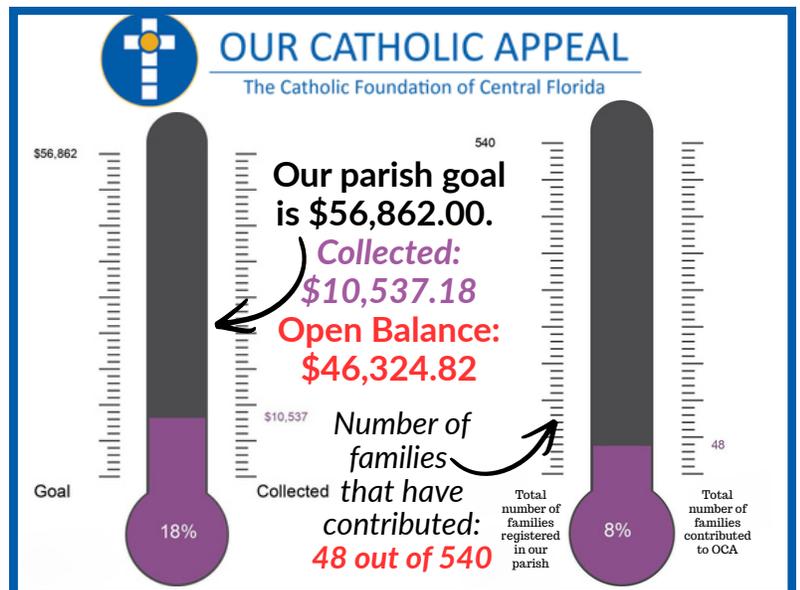
Sunday/ Domingo	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT/ TERCERO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rm 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 or Jn 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday/ Lunes	Saint Frances of Rome, Religious 2 Kings 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday/ Martes	Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday/ Miércoles	Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-21 and 23; Mt 23:1-12
Thursday/ Jueves	Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19
Friday/ Viernes	Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11:14-23
Saturday/ Sábado	Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14
Sunday/ Domingo	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT/ CUARTO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA 1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a, Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 or Jn 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

**FOOD PANTRY WISH LIST/
LISTA DE DESEOS PARA LA DESPENSA**

Thank you to all those who are able to donate to the **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry** at Our Lady of the Lakes. Your generosity is much appreciated by all those who are assisted by **SVDP**.

- Spaghetti Sauce and Spaghetti Noodles/ Salsa para espagueti y espagueti
- White Rice (1# bag)/ Arroz blanco (bolsa de 1 libra)
- Disposable Diapers (sizes 4, 5, & 6)/ Pañales desechables (tallas 4, 5 y 6)
- Toilet Paper/ Papel higiénico
- We are still accepting empty 12 count egg cartons./Seguimos aceptando cartonones de huevos vacíos de 12 unidades.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING
Thank you for your financial support! You can send your Offertory CHECK by mail to the parish address: 2961 Day Rd. Deltona, FL 32738
Or you can donate to Saint Clare through our website stclarefl.org; select "Giving" Or donate by giving through the Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement App by downloading the app on your phone Or Give by Text Number: 844-926-2147



Faith Formation News - Reminder to those families whose children are preparing for the **Sacrament of Confirmation** in Spring 2026 – there is a Sacramental Catechesis Gathering this Sunday, March 8 @ 3pm for the student and a parent – it is on your calendar postcards were distributed on Wednesday.

Noticias sobre la formación en la fe: recordatorio para aquellas familias cuyos hijos se están preparando para el **sacramento de la confirmación** en la primavera de 2026: este domingo, 8 de marzo, a las 15:00 h, habrá una reunión de catequesis sacramental para los alumnos y uno de sus padres. Anótenlo en su calendario. El miércoles se distribuyeron postales con la información.

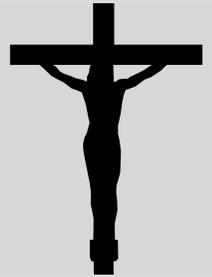
Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible/
Descubrir el misterio de la Biblia



For those who registered for our upcoming Study —**Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible**, classes will begin the week of March 9. Monday class will begin on March 9 (7-8:30 pm), Tuesday class on March 10 (7-8:30 pm) & Thursday class on March 12 (10-11:30 am).

Para aquellos que se hayan inscrito en nuestro próximo estudio - **Descubrir el misterio de la Biblia**, las clases comenzarán la semana del 9 de marzo. Las clases de los lunes comenzarán el 9 de marzo (de 7-8:30 pm), las de los martes el 10 de marzo (de 7-8:30 pm) y las de los jueves el 12 de marzo (de 10-11:30 am).

Seven Last Words of Christ



presented by the St. Clare High School Youth (English)

Friday, March 13

Join us as the youth present reflections on the Seven Last Words of Christ.

5:30-6:30pm Lenten Cheese Ravioli Meal for \$5 (*tickets are on sale the weekend before*)

6:30 Seven Last Words of Christ Presentation & Reflection

Stations of the Cross and Adoration

(February 20 – March 27)

Fridays during Lent 9:30-10:30 am

The time is different than what we had advertised before.

Via Crucis y Adoración

(20 de febrero – 27 de marzo)

Los jueves durante la Cuaresma, de 6:00 a 7:30 pm

Por favor, tenga en cuenta el cambio de horario.



Poland, Prague, Austria & Budapest Pilgrimage
Spiritual Director:

Fr. Hector Vazquez Saad

September 29 – October 15, 2026

206 Tours invites you to join us on a pilgrimage to St. John Paul II's beloved homeland, Poland. On this journey, we follow in the footsteps of three great Polish saints – St. John Paul, St. Maximilian Kolbe and St. Faustina, the Apostle of Divine Mercy – as we embrace the culture of the Polish people. We entrust our pilgrims and journeys to the maternal protection of Our Lady of Czestochowa.

Scan **HERE** for more information and/or to register





Lord's Day Family Ministry

Calling all young families – come and join us in faith & fellowship on March 15, at 10:00-11:30am, to celebrate the Lord's Day. This event is specifically designed for families with children five years old and younger – the entire family is invited to attend. There will be activities for the children and light refreshments. Join us to deepen your faith and strengthen our bond as a parish family.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Ministerio Familiar del Día del Señor

Invitamos a todas las familias jóvenes a unirse a nosotros en fe y compañerismo el 15 de marzo, de 10:00 a 11:30 am, para celebrar el Día del Señor. Este evento está diseñado específicamente para familias con niños de cinco años o menos, y toda la familia está invitada a asistir. Habrá actividades para los niños y refrigerios ligeros. Únanse a nosotros para profundizar su fe y fortalecer nuestro vínculo como familia parroquial. ¡Esperamos verlos allí!

St. Clare Men's Club

We have moved our meeting night to the 3rd Monday of the month @ 7pm. Come and join other men of the parish as we plan events for the newly formed St. Clare Men's Club.

Our next gathering is Monday, March 16 @ 7pm.



During the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays in Lent, the *Scrutinies* are celebrated for the **Elect** of God who will receive the sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. These rites (the *Scrutinies*) are meant to inspire in the **Elect** a desire for purification and redemption by Christ. The **Elect** are instructed gradually about the mystery of sin, from which the whole world and every person longs to be delivered and thus saved from its present and future consequences.

Secondly, their spirit is filled with Christ the Redeemer, who is the living water, the light of the world and the resurrection and the life. Please pray for the **Elect** (Jerahmyah, Jayden, Edmanoel, Hailey, Hayden) as they journey to full initiation into the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and First Communion at the Easter Vigil.

Durante el tercer, cuarto y quinto domingo de Cuaresma, se celebran los Escrutinios para los **ELEGIDOS** de Dios que recibirán los sacramentos de la Iniciación en la Vigilia Pascual. Estos ritos (los Escrutinios) tienen por objeto inspirar en los **ELEGIDOS** el deseo de purificación y redención por Cristo. Los **ELECTOS** son instruidos gradualmente sobre el misterio del pecado, del que el mundo entero y cada persona anhelan ser liberados y así salvados de sus consecuencias presentes y futuras. En segundo lugar, su espíritu se llena de Cristo Redentor, que es el agua viva, la luz del mundo y la resurrección y la vida. Por favor, rezad por los **ELECT** (Jerahmyah, Jayden, Edmanoel, Hailey, Hayden) en su camino hacia la plena iniciación en la Iglesia Católica a través de los Sacramentos del Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Primera Comunión en la Vigilia Pascual.