Parochial Administrator
Fr. Michael Ritter

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Fr. Joshua Sia

Deacons
F. Paul Sajben
Jesus Padilla Campos
William Bruening
Stephen Schwartz

Notre Dame Catholic School
Grades TK-8
Principal: Kelly Stewart
Phone: (530)342-2502
Website: ndschico.org

Notre Dame Preschool
Director: Shelly Brown
Office: (530) 487-7330
Website: ndschico.org/preschool

Parish Office  Hours: Monday thru Friday 11am - 4pm
Phone: (530) 343-8741  Fax: (530) 345-8602
Email: office@sjbchico.org
Website: www.sjbchico.org
Mass Schedule/Horario de Misas

Daily Masses/Misas Diarias
Monday–Thursday/Lunes a Jueves
7:30am English/Inglés
Fridays/Viernes–8:30am/English/Inglés

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Fridays
6:00pm English.

Wednesday 6:00pm Spanish
Lunes, Martes, Jueves y Viernes 6:00pm Inglés, Miércoles 6:00pm Español.

Saturday Vigil/Vigilia de sábado
5:00pm English/Ingles, 7pm Spanish/Español

Sunday/Domingo
8:00am, 10:00am, 5:00pm English/Inglés
12:00pm Spanish/Español

Penance/Confesiones
Saturdays/Sábados 3:30 – 4:30pm

Monday–Friday/Lunes-Viernes 5:30pm–5:55pm
Or anytime by appointment/O llame a la oficina para hacer una cita.

Anointing of the Sick, call the parish office
Para la unción de los enfermos llamar a la oficina parroquial (530)343-8741

Please keep in your prayers/ Mantengamoslos en nuestras oraciones:
For their health/Por la salud de:
Ian Redman, Marvila Olvera, Rosario Reyes, Maribel Carrillo, Michele Boles, Maria Socorro Castro, David Stoner, Special Intention, Esperanza Angel, Vivien Castillo, Ed Krajcirik, Jesus Arevalo, Armando Contreras, Pete Mastelotto, Enedina Arellano, Gene Martin, Richard Judkins, Victor Lams, Terri Walters, Juan Mota and Gary Hertzfeldt.

For the repose of their Souls/ Por el Descanso de sus almas:

If you or someone you know needs prayer please contact the parish office (530) 343-8741 or email at: office@sjbchico.org. The names will remain on the list for 3 weeks.

Si usted o alguien que conoce necesita oración por favor comuníquese a la oficina parroquial al (530)343-8741 O al correo electrónico office@sjbchico.org Los nombres permanecerán en la lista por tres semanas.
**Mass Intentions**

Intenciones de las Misas

Sat 18  5:00p  †Betty Newcomb by Lori Smith
        7:00p  Isabela Perez (living b'day) by Maria Correa
Sun 19  8:00a  Therese (living b'day) by Mary Krajcirik
        10:00a  †Clark Brown by Sutthoff Family
        12:00p  †Luciano Cervantes & Family (living)
                by Natalia Cervantes
        5:00p  †Andy Bertagna by Janet Bertaga
Mon 20  9:00a  Crete Family (living) by Crete Family
Tues 21  7:30a  †Chris Sauer & Family
        6:00p  Rosario Reyes (living) by Guadalupe Guerra
Wed 22  7:30a  Tristan de Lima (living) by Karen Monroe
        6:00p  †Luis Mendoza by Mendoza Family
Thurs 23  7:30p  †Lucy Rosas
        6:00p  †Adolfo Jauregui by Jauregui Family
Fri 24  8:30a  Notre Dame School Faculty & Staff
        6:00p  Alex Hooper (living b'day) by Carmen
Sat 25  5:00p  Chuck Crete (living b'day) by Matt & Keri Crete
        7:00p  Norberta & Maria Campanero by Jose Camapanero
               Mercedes Padilla (living b'day)

**Mass intentions - St James**

Sun 19  9:00am  †Ramon Walters by Rita Cassibba

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**Parish & School News**

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**SJB KNIGHT’S 41ST ANNUAL PARISH CRAB FEED**

February 1, 2020

St. John’s /Notre Dame School Gymnasium

Doors open at 5:30pm and dinner served at 6:30pm

We thank you in advance for your generosity. Your support by attending, donating a raffle item, a silent auction or live auction item. Come and enjoy crab and tri-tip, salad, and your friends......

The event always sells out so consider buying tickets early. You may want to sponsor a table? Bring your friends and family.

Ticket Price: $50 “Pre-Event Sold By “Mail Order Only“ (No Walk-ups. To Request ‘Order Packet’ Call: Chuck Crete – 530-518-7070)

100% of all donations help fund many programs and charities in our Parish and Community.

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**Notre Dame School**:

is accepting TK and Kindergarten applications for the 2020 school year. Assessments will be held soon and admission is on a first-come first-served basis. Stop by the front office and get an application from Mrs. B every day from 7:30pm-4pm or go to ndschico.org and check out our website where you will find all the information you need about the school. You can also contact Principal Kelly Stewart by calling (530)-342-2502 and scheduling a walking tour.

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Many thanks to our Knights of Columbus for their generous contribution of the beautiful Christmas trees, the Art & Environment Committee and the Volunteers that help enhance the Christmas season in our church.

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**Operating Income & Expense (updated weekly)**

**Ingresos y gastos operativos (actualizados semanalmente)**

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**Library Hours & News**

*Fridays 8am to 10pm - Sundays 9am to 12am*

We in the Parish Library hope you had a wonderful Christmas and thank you for all of the donations that you have given to us this past year so that others may have the chance to view and read these resources.

We recently received the following book that might prove of interest:

That great writer and film maker Bishop Robert Barron as produced a both titled *To Light A Fire on The Earth: Proclaiming the Gospel in a Secular age*. This is an easy and quick read which will guide you into coping with the secular culture we live in today. It is filled with useful suggestions as to how to respond to doubters.

Filled with photographs and drawings *Eucharistic Miracles* by Joan Carroll Cruzcan help bring home the sacrificial gift our Lord Jesus Christ gave to us.

Sister Margherita Marchione is known for her bold defense of *Pope Pius XII*. This is a very short book with photos and Q & A to many letters regarding this leader of the Church during a very difficult period. The library has many books about St. Padre Pio but a new title *Padre Pio in America* is complete with photographs “with an emphasis on his life as a seminarian, young priest, and his early decades at San Giovanni Rotondo.”

Drop by and say hello, grab a cup of coffee and enjoy the company of fellow parishioners. If you are new to the parish come by and introduce yourself.

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION IN THE PARISH LIBRARY**

On Sunday January 26 John O’Hara will give a talk about the recently canonized Saint John Henry Newman. His presentation will take place at **11:30am in the library**. All are welcome!

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**Society of St. Vincent de Paul:** Our St. Vincent de Paul conference is looking for office space—a home base to keep our food supplies, records, and materials that we distribute to those we serve as well as a place to take care of the business side of our Society. If you have or know of a space that would work for us please call Roxane Canfield at 530 891-0427.

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**MARRIAGE & FAMILY**

**Natural Family Planning (Creighton Model) Classes:**

Are you ready to do a great thing for yourself and your marriage? Classes are available right here in Chico. Contact Jenni Schaeffer (530) 893-5474.

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**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**

On Sunday, Feb. 2, at the **10am Mass**, we will celebrate the RCIA Rite of Welcoming Baptized but Previously Uncatechized Adults Who Are Preparing for Confirmation and/or Eucharist or Reception into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church. The shorter version of this is called the Rite of Welcoming.

This Rite moves those who have been attending Inquiry sessions into the Period of the Catechumenate where they will spend time learning the teachings of the Church. These brothers and sisters have been previously baptized, either in the Catholic Faith or as Protestants, and are preparing to receive the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation and/or be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church. They will be called Candidates. A few rows will be reserved for them up toward the front at this Mass. The first 2 rows will be available for lectors and/or those with physical disabilities.

Please warmly welcome these candidates into our community and pray for them, their sponsors and the RCIA Team as they continue their faith journey!

**How do I become Catholic? - The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way for adults to inquire about becoming Catholic. It is for those who have never been baptized or who have been baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, as well as adult Catholics who have never received First Communion and/or Confirmation. For more information please call the office at 343-8741, visit us online at www.sjbchico.org/RCIA, or email Lori Smith at loris@sjbchico.org. It’s never too late to join us!**

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**The 2020 Walk for Life West Coast**

**will be Saturday, January 25. We have 1 bus leaving from the parish at 5:45am and returning at 8:00pm.** This is an all-day event so pack food, wear comfortable shoes, and we recommend layers for clothing. We will stop for dinner on the way home. The recommended price is $35 per person. We also have family discounts. Please realize that this is a long day and each person should be able to walk approximately 3.5 miles. All ages are welcome, there is room for strollers on the bus and we love having whole families join us! For more information call Denise Marine at (530)520-4176.

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**Young Adults 19-35 - Spring Alpha Program**

**Starts Monday, January 20**

*Free Meal  *Watch a Video  *Group Discussion

Meet new friends your age around a discussion of the Christian Faith.

Monday Evenings 6:30pm-8:30pm

St John Catholic Church, Youth House 435 Chestnut St. call/text (903)-343-3567  #TryAlpha
De la Contadora:
Ya llega la temporada de impuestos. Ayúdenos a ahorrar en gastos de envío registrándose para que le envíe su Carta de Impuestos por CORREO ELECTRÓNICO en enero en hps://www.sjbchico.org/register. Dejó su efectivo o cheques en casa? ¡No se alarme, hay una manera más fácil de donar! Temenos un nuevo PORTAL DE DONACIONES EN LÍNEA. Visite hps://www.sjbchico.org/give * Nota: Si actualmente hace donaciones en nuestro antiguo sitio web de (donaciones en línea), cancele su cuenta antes de pasar al nuevo portal. También puede donar atravez de TEXTO PARA DAR a San Juan al (530)-404-5115. Configure su cuenta una vez y después envíe un mensaje de texto al 530-404-5115 del monto de su donación.

La oficina parroquial estará cerrada el Lunes 20 de Enero en conmemoración del día feriado de Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Solo habrá misa a las 9:00am ese día y NO habrá Confesiones o Misa por la tarde.

Caminata Por La Vida
2020: Será el Sábado 25 de Enero. Tenemos 1 autobús que saldrá de la parroquia a las 5:45am y regresara a las 8:00pm. Este es un evento de todo el día, así que empaque comida, use zapatos cómodos y recomendamos vestir ropa en capas. Nos detendremos a cenar el regreso a casa. El precio recomendado es de $ 35 por persona. También tenemos descuentos familiares. Tenga en cuenta que este es un día largo y que cada persona debe poder caminar aproximadamente 3.5 millas. ¡Todas las edades son bienvenidas, hay espacio para sus carreolas en el autobús y nos encanta tener familias enteras! Para más información llame a Denise Marine al (530) 520

Misa Pro Vida con el Obispo Soto
El 22 de Enero, el Obispo Jaime Soto celebrará la misa a las 12:10 pm en la Catedral 1017 11St, Sacramento Ca, 95814 en reparación por la decisión de 1973 Roe v. Wade que legalizó el aborto en los Estados Unidos. Únase a nuestro Obispo para pedirle a Dios que convierta los corazones de todos los estadounidenses, especialmente las madres embarazadas, los médicos y los jueces. y legisladores.

LLAMADOS A SER SANTOS
Las lecturas nos hablan sobre la relación de Dios con Israel y la relación de Juan Bautista con Jesús. La relación entre Dios e Israel es tan estrecha, tan íntima, que es por mediación de Israel que “la salvación [de Dios] llega hasta los últimos rincones de la tierra” (Isaías 49:6). Pero sabemos por Juan Bautista que para que Israel cumpla la voluntad de Dios, debe reconocer que Jesús es el Hijo de Dios. Durante estas semanas también llegamos a conocer a Jesús. Comenzamos a entender más profundamente nuestra relación con Jesús y lo que la misma significa para nosotros, que somos “su pueblo santo” (1 Corintios 1:2).

Muchas gracias a los Caballeros de Colón por su generosa contribución de los hermosos árboles de Navidad, al Comité de Arte y Medio Ambiente y a los Voluntarios que ayudan a hacer más hermosa la temporada de Adviento y Navidad en nuestra Iglesia.

Programa Alfa Para Jóvenes Adultos de Edades 19-35: Comienza el Lunes 20 de Enero. Discusión de grupo - comida gratis. Conoce nuevos amigos de tu edad alrededor de una charla centrada en la fe Cristiana. Todos los Lunes por la noche 6:30pm-8:30pm. Nos reunimos en la casa de los jóvenes de la parroquia. Comunícate con Lori Harris llamada / texto para más información (903)-343-3567 alphanorcal@gmail.com #TryAlpha
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