



PARISH COMMUNITY
Santa Clara, California

*Thirteenth Sunday of
Ordinary Time
June 28, 2026
Decimotercer Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario*



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From Monsignor Fran

Jesus said to his apostles: “Whoever does not take up one’s cross and follow after me is not worthy of me. Whoever finds one’s life will lose it, and whoever loses one’s life for my sake will find it. . .Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me. . . And whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple— amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.”

We know that each of bears a cross – or two – some form of suffering or deprivation, often unseen by others, but keenly felt by ourselves. Facing unavoidable distress, though not welcome, binds us to the Lord, for he did not escape His Cross. The expression that “what does not kill you can make you stronger,” though over-used, has a kernel of truth to it. Following Jesus cannot be just during the good times, but also as we endure the challenges of our lives. And we can better empathize with others who endure pain and suffering.

Independence Day Holidays

Independence Day is observed this year on Friday, July 3 (federal holiday) and Saturday, July 4. Masses both days will be at 9:00 am.

Looking Ahead. . .

Annual maintenance of the floors of the gym and the small hall is scheduled for Monday, July 6, until Thursday, July 9. Both halls will be inaccessible those days.

The Peace and Justice Committee

Our Peace & Justice group is collecting Travel-Size toiletries this summer to assemble hygiene kits for our unhoused neighbors. Last year we distributed nearly 200 kits and would like to do the same this year. Hygiene items such as toothbrushes and travel-size shampoo, toothpaste, and body wash are welcome items for those in need. Items can be placed in the red-and-blue bin at the entrance of the Church, from June 6-August 9. As you travel this summer, consider donating unused airline amenity kits or bath items from your hotel stays. They will go to a good cause. (For hygiene items, note that we are collecting travel size items that would fit in a ziploc bag; we are not collecting clothes at this time.)

Youth Ministry

Join the watch party! For all youth, come hang out with us as we watch the round of 32 of the world cup on June 29 at 6pm in the Church Basement. Bring a snack/food as some light refreshments will be provided. This event is in collaboration with St. Justin Youth Ministry. Teams TBD.

ANNOUNCING... FREE Family Movie Nights in the parish rectory garden. Showtime at 8:15pm. Bring a seat and your family and friends for movies on our large inflatable screen. Concessions will be available.

July 17 - Cars | July 24 - Shrek | July 31 - Wall-E | August 7 - Prince of Egypt



Save The Date! 250th SAINT CLARE ANNIVERSARY BBQ

Join us as we begin celebrating 250 years of faith, fellowship, and community. We look forward to sharing this special milestone with you and your family.



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Save The Date

250th SAINT CLARE ANNIVERSARY

Sunday, August 23, 2026

1:00 pm Kick off BBQ

Ticket sales begin mid-July

Hope to see you there!

Other Milestones Around Us



As we prepare to celebrate our country's 250th birthday on July 4 and prepare to begin celebrating our own Saint Clare Parish's 250th anniversary beginning this August, let us recognize another semiquincentennial which is an important day in San Francisco's history. According to Andrew Galvan, Curator at Old Mission Dolores (Mission San Francisco de Asís), "Since the time of the 1936 World's Fair held on Treasure Island, San Francisco, June 29th has been celebrated as 'San Francisco's Birthday'; what happened on June 29, 1776, was that the first Catholic Mass was offered at the site selected for Mission San Francisco de Asís."

The histories of Mission San Francisco de Asís (the 6th of California's 21 Spanish Missions) and the Mission Dolores Parish are closely tied to those of Mission Santa Clara de Asís (the 8th Mission) and the Saint Clare Parish community -- just as Saint Francis (San Francesco in Italian) and Saint Clare (Santa Chiara) are so closely associated with one another. Both children of Assisi, Italy, Francis and Clare were close friends who founded Franciscan orders in the early 13th century. Francis founded the Order of Friars Minor (O.F.M.) in 1209. Francis and Clare co-founded the Order of Saint Clare (today known as the Poor Clares) in 1212, on Palm Sunday.

Santa Clara University, the oldest university in California, too, is celebrating milestones. A few weeks ago, on June 13, SCU celebrated its 175th undergraduate commencement. Back on its March 19 Founders' Day, on the Feast of Saint Joseph (the patron of the Diocese of San José and the Santa Clara Jesuit Community), SCU celebrated the 175th anniversary of its founding, on March 19, 1851.



PARISH COMMUNITY

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday Evening Vigil

5:00 p.m. (English)
Livestreamed

Sunday

7:30 a.m. (English)
9:00 a.m. (Portuguese)
10:30 a.m. (English)
12:00 p.m. (Español)
Livestreamed

*Liturgy of the Word
for Children during*
10:30 a.m. Mass (English)

*Liturgia de la Palabra
para Niños durante*
Misa de
12:00 p.m. (Español)

Weekday Masses

Monday-Saturday
8:00 a.m.
Holidays - 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays
3:00 p.m.– 4:00 p.m.
(In the church)

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press 9

Diocesan Youth Retreat

Middle Schoolers! Our Middle School Diocesan Youth Retreat (MSDYR) registration is OPEN! This retreat (Aug 3-6) takes place at Redwood Christian Park Camp for teens from incoming 6th-8th graders. The registration is \$370 though scholarships can be provided.

Register at: <https://www.dsj.org/evangelization/youth/msdyr/>.

Contact Ryan Bao for questions!



Vocations Soccer Cup

A detailed poster for the Vocations Soccer Cup. At the top, three circular logos are displayed: "VOCACIONES COPA DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE", "VOCATIONS SOCCER CUP DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE", and "Cúp Bóng Đá DIOCESE OF SAN JOSE". Below these, the event date is given in three languages: "SUNDAY, JULY 26", "DOMINGO, 26 DE JULIO", and "CHỦA NHẬT, NGÀY 26 THÁNG 07". The venue is "SAINT FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL, 1885 MIRAMONTE AVE., MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94040" with "DOORS OPEN 3:00 PM". Two match-ups are featured: "LITTLE MARTYRS vs LITTLE SAINTS" (Game starts 4:30 PM) and "PRIESTS vs SEMINARIANS" (Game starts 6:30 PM). At the bottom, ticket information is provided: "ADMISSION TICKET BOLETO DE ENTRADA VÉ VÀO CỬA \$10 GENERAL" and "RAFFLE TICKET BOLETO DE RIFA VÉ XỔ SỐ \$10 EACH". The footer includes the Diocese of San Jose logo, a QR code, and the website "www.dsj.org/soccercup".

Boletim Paroquial Português
28 de Junho de 2026 – XIII Domingo do Tempo Comum (Ano A)
Reflexão por: João Pereira Arruda

A Liturgia deste Domingo apresenta-nos uma mensagem que, à primeira vista, pode parecer difícil de compreender. O próprio Jesus afirma: *Quem ama o pai ou a mãe mais do que a Mim não é digno de Mim.*

Com estas palavras, Jesus não pretende, de modo algum, diminuir o amor que temos pelos nossos pais, filhos ou irmãos. Pelo contrário, procura ensinar-nos que o amor humano só alcança a sua plenitude quando nasce do amor a Deus, nosso Pai. Tudo vem d'Ele e tudo para Ele se dirige. Quanto mais profundamente amarmos a Deus, mais intensamente amaremos os nossos familiares, amigos e todos aqueles com quem convivemos.

Neste Evangelho, Jesus fala-nos também da importância da hospitalidade e da recompensa reservada àqueles que acolhem os outros com generosidade. A Bíblia apresenta-nos muitos exemplos dessa virtude: Abraão, que recebeu os visitantes na sua tenda; a viúva de Sarepta, que partilhou o pouco que possuía com o profeta Elias; e a mulher que acolhia o profeta Eliseu em sua casa.

Jesus promete uma grande recompensa àqueles que acolhem os seus discípulos, os seus enviados e todos os que necessitam de ajuda e abrigo.

Não será esta uma mensagem muito atual para nós, que vivemos rodeados por tantas pessoas sem abrigo, refugiados, exilados e outros marginalizados pela sociedade? Muitas destas situações resultam de sistemas que favorecem uns poucos, enquanto deixam muitos para trás. Como cristãos, não podemos permanecer indiferentes perante as injustiças que ferem a dignidade humana e enfraquecem os laços de solidariedade e amor entre as pessoas.

Jesus recorda-nos que mesmo os gestos mais simples têm grande valor aos olhos de Deus. Dar um copo de água fresca a quem tem sede pode parecer pouco, mas é um gesto de amor que o Senhor vê e recompensa.

Na aclamação ao Evangelho de hoje ouvimos estas palavras: *Vós sois geração eleita, sacerdócio real, nação santa, povo adquirido por Deus, para anunciar os louvores d'Aquele que vos chamou das trevas para a Sua luz admirável.* Assim somos quando colocamos a vontade de Deus acima dos nossos interesses pessoais e procuramos servir o bem comum, especialmente dos mais necessitados.

Alteração do Grupo do Terço - Habitualmente, o nosso Grupo do Terço reúne-se na primeira sexta-feira de cada mês. Contudo, como a primeira sexta-feira de julho coincide com o fim de semana do feriado do Dia da Independência, a oração do Terço será adiada uma semana.

Convidamos todos a participarem na sexta-feira, dia 10 de julho, às 18h30, na Capela da Reitoria.

Feriado Nacional dos Estados Unidos – Dia da Independência - No próximo fim de semana celebra-se o 250.º aniversário da independência dos Estados Unidos. Por esse motivo, haverá alterações no horário das Missas feriais.

Na sexta-feira, dia 3 de julho, e no sábado, dia 4 de julho, as Missas serão celebradas às 9h00 da manhã. As Missas de domingo, dia 5 de julho, serão celebradas nos horários habituais.

Nesse mesmo fim de semana teremos também a alegria de acolher o novo pároco da nossa comunidade, o Rev. Padre Mendie Nguyen. Damos-lhe as nossas mais sinceras boas-vindas e asseguramos-lhe as nossas orações.

Com a sua chegada, poderão surgir algumas mudanças. Como comunidade paroquial, procuraremos colaborar com ele da mesma forma que sempre colaborámos com os sacerdotes que têm servido a nossa Paróquia de Santa Clara, orientando-nos espiritualmente e conduzindo a vida pastoral da nossa comunidade.

Um santo e alegre Domingo para todos!



PARISH COMMUNITY
Parish Organizations

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Parish Mission Statement

Tracing its roots to the founding of Mission Santa Clara in 1777, Saint Clare Parish is an ethnically diverse Catholic community of faith, united in worship, discipleship and service. In welcoming immigrants, newcomers and strangers, we strive to live the virtues of justice and love, so as to be the face of Christ in the world, becoming in him a sign of unity and an instrument of God's peace.

Stewardship Report

Collection:

June 20th and 21st

Goal: \$10,400.00

Actual: \$8,208.71

Thank you!

Daily Mass Readings



Sunday:

2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a / Romans 6:3-4, 8-11 / Matthew 10:37-42

Monday:

Amos 2:6-10, 13-16 / Matthew 8:18-22

Tuesday:

Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12 / Matthew 8:23-27

Wednesday:

Ephesians 2:19-22 / John 20:24-29

Thursday:

Amos 7:10-17 / Matthew 9:1-8

Friday:

Amos 8:4-6, 9-12 / Matthew 9:9-13

Saturday:

Amos 9:11-15 / Matthew 9:14-17

Next Sunday:

Zechariah 9:9-10 / Romans 8:9, 11-13 / Matthew 11:25-30

Mass Intentions

Jun 27 - July 4, 2026

Sat 5:00 pm Ken Lindenmuth † and Alan Lopez †

Sun 7:30 am Cherie Carter †

9:00 am Familia Fernandes - Health

John B. Silva †

Maria Leonilde Da Silveira †

Gilberto Raposo Da Silveira †

Carlos e Rosa Machado †

Antonio L. Machado †

Zita Silveira †

Bernardete Oliveira †

Jennie V. Almeida †

Francisco Pereira †

Jose Manuel Silva †

Deolinda A. Rodrigues †

Leonilda Falk †

10:30 am Saint Clare Parishioners

12:00 pm María Ester Ayala - Salud

Mon 8:00 am Madalena Sousa e Armelim Sousa †
Anniversary

Tues 8:00 am The Peters Family

Wed 8:00 am Santa Clara Carmelite Nuns

Thurs 8:00 am Erminia Fandino †

Fri 9:00 am The Brady Family

Sat 9:00 am The Gutierrez Family





Continuado de la semana pasada

All for Jesus

MIGUEL DULICK

Today's gospel passage is challenging. If anyone other than Jesus told you that if you love your own family "more than me," you are "not worthy of me," you would laugh in their face! Or, is this what scholars call a "semitism"—a culturally conditioned exaggeration used for effect? What about you are "not worthy of me" unless you "take up [your] cross and follow me," or "whoever finds his life will lose it"? Does Jesus mean these literally, or are these metaphors? And what is "a prophet's reward"?

A friend of mine tried an experiment. He took the Gospel of Matthew and read it through from start to finish as if he had never seen it before. He was astonished! Jesus was serious. He meant it—all of it. Try it yourself without looking for loopholes.

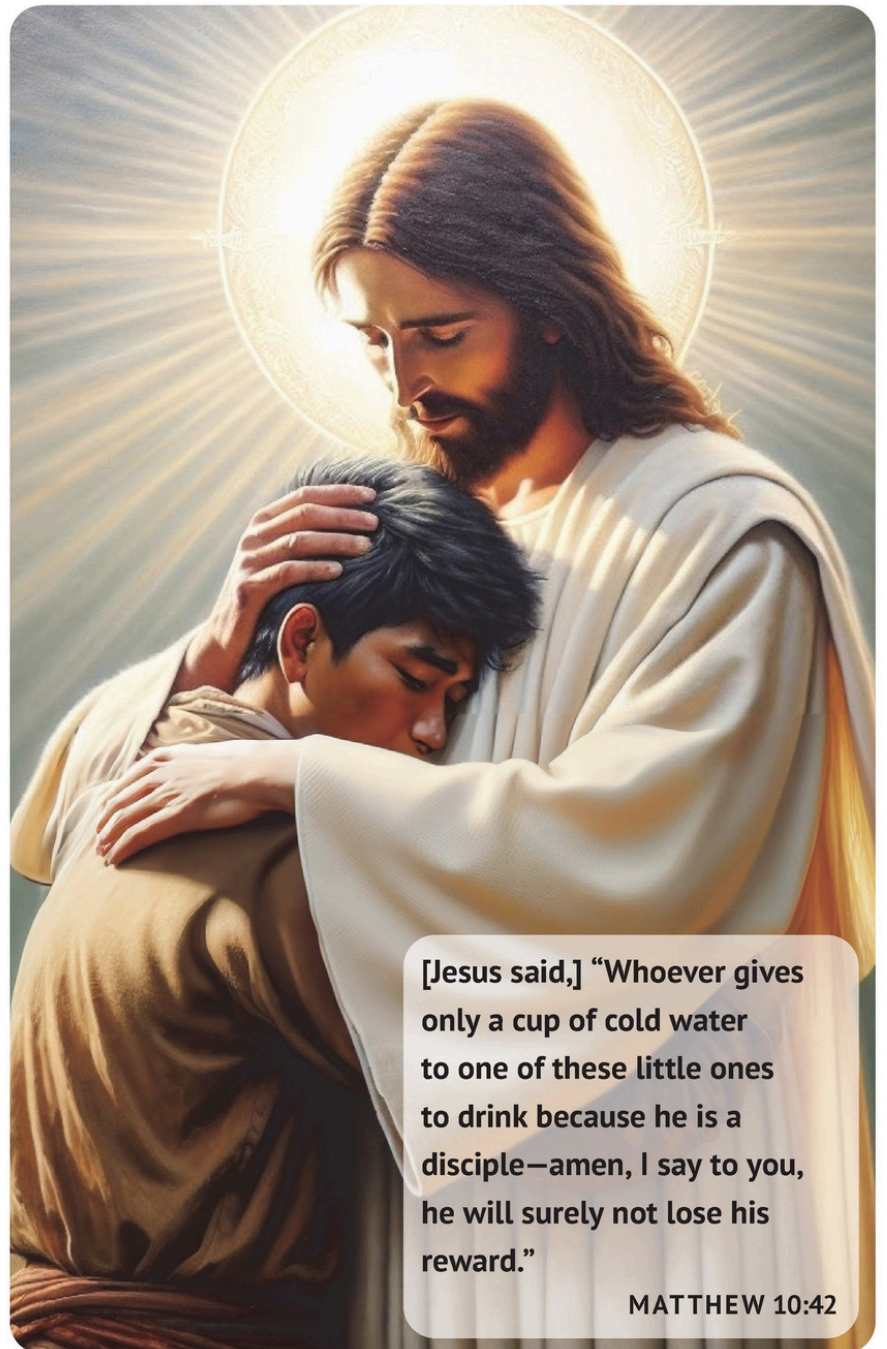
The key in the reading today is "for my sake." The standard, the rule, that absolute mark is "me," that is, Jesus himself, only Jesus, always Jesus. And Jesus sets that mark very high. Take up your cross? Jesus was abandoned on the cross. Jesus gave away his Mother from the cross. Jesus lost his life on the cross. But he found that life: resurrection! That is "a prophet's reward," is it not?

I have to love Jesus' promise, a special "reward" for just sharing "a cup of cold water" with a "little one."



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THE AUTHORS
OF OUR PARISH
COMMUNITY

It reminds me of Honduras, where I live. Here, a cup of cold water can make the difference between life and death. And that is no exaggeration! ●



[Jesus said,] "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because he is a disciple—amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward."

MATTHEW 10:42

Reflect

**Have I read a whole gospel
from start to finish?**

ST. JUSTIN
YOUTH MINISTRY

ST. CLARE
YOUTH MINISTRY



WORLD CUP WATCH PARTY

ROUND OF 32

MON, JUNE 29
KICK OFF **6:00PM**

ST. CLARE CHURCH
BASEMENT
941 LEXINGTON ST.

BRING A SNACK | LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS

IN RECTORY GARDEN
SHOWTIME AT 8:15PM



JULY 17

JULY 24



JULY 31

AUGUST 7



FREE ADMITTANCE
BRING A CHAIR, BLANKET, AND FRIEND!



WHAT IS GOD CALLING YOU TO DO WITH YOUR LIFE?



CAMPING DISCERNMENT RETREAT

July 7 - 9, 2026
High School Girls
(Ages 13-17)



Whether you're exploring the sisterhood or just want to grow in faith, this retreat is for you.



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KINDLY REGISTER BEFORE:
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Todo por Jesús

MIGUEL DULICK

El pasaje del Evangelio de hoy es desafiante. Si alguien que no fuera Jesús te dijera que si amas a tu propia familia «más que a mí», «no eres digno de mí», ¡te reírías en su cara! ¿O es esto lo que los eruditos llaman un «semitismo», una exageración condicionada culturalmente que se utiliza para causar efecto? ¿Qué hay de que «no eres digno de mí» a menos que «tomes tu cruz y me sigas», o «el que encuentre su vida, la perderá»? ¿Jesús lo dice literalmente, o son metáforas? ¿Y qué es «la recompensa del profeta»?

Un amigo mío hizo un experimento. Tomó el Evangelio de Mateo y lo leyó de principio a fin como si nunca lo hubiera visto antes. ¡Quedó asombrado! Jesús hablaba en serio. Lo decía en serio, todo. Pruébalos tú mismo sin buscar escapatorias.

La clave de la lectura de hoy es «por mí». La norma, la regla, la marca absoluta soy «yo», es decir, Jesús mismo, solo Jesús, siempre Jesús. Y Jesús pone esa marca muy alta. ¿Tomar tu cruz? Jesús fue abandonado en la cruz. Jesús entregó a su Madre desde la cruz. Jesús perdió la vida en la cruz. Pero encontró esa vida: ¡la resurrección! Esa es «la recompensa del profeta», ¿no es así?

Me encanta la promesa de Jesús, una «recompensa» especial por compartir «un vaso de agua fría» con «uno de estos pequeños». Me recuerda a Honduras, donde vivo. Aquí, un vaso de agua fría puede marcar la diferencia entre la vida y la muerte. ¡Y eso no es una exageración! ●

Para Reflexionar

¿He leído un evangelio completo de principio a fin?



[Jesús dijo:] «Quien dé de beber solo un vaso de agua fría a uno de estos pequeños porque es discípulo, amen, os digo que no perderá su recompensa».

MATEO 10, 42

De Monseñor Fran

Jesús dijo a sus apóstoles: “El que no toma su cruz y me sigue, no es digno de mí. El que encuentre su vida, la perderá; y el que pierda su vida por mí, la encontrará. . . Quien los recibe a ustedes, me recibe a mí; y quien me recibe a mí, recibe al que me envió. . . Y quien dé tan solo un vaso de agua fresca a uno de estos pequeños por ser discípulo mío, les aseguro que no quedará sin recompensa”.

Sabemos que cada uno de nosotros lleva una cruz —o dos—, alguna forma de sufrimiento o privación, muchas veces invisible para los demás, pero profundamente sentida por nosotros mismos. Afrontar una aflicción inevitable, aunque no sea bienvenida, nos une al Señor, porque Él no evitó su Cruz. La expresión “lo que no te mata te hace más fuerte”, aunque se use con demasiada frecuencia, contiene una parte de verdad. Seguir a Jesús no puede limitarse a los momentos buenos, sino también a cuando enfrentamos los desafíos de nuestra vida. Además, nuestras propias experiencias nos ayudan a comprender mejor a quienes sufren dolor y dificultades.

Días Festivos por el Día de la Independencia

Este año, el Día de la Independencia se observará el viernes 3 de julio (feriado federal) y el sábado 4 de julio. Las Misas de ambos días serán a las 9:00 a.m.

Mirando Hacia Adelante. . .

El mantenimiento anual de los pisos del gimnasio y del salón pequeño está programado desde el lunes 6 de julio hasta el jueves 9 de julio. Ambos salones permanecerán cerrados e inaccesibles durante esos días.

Comité de Paz y Justicia

Nuestro grupo de Paz y Justicia está recolectando artículos de higiene de tamaño de viaje durante este verano para preparar kits de higiene para nuestros vecinos sin hogar. El año pasado distribuimos cerca de 200 kits y nos gustaría hacer lo mismo este año. Se aceptan artículos como cepillos de dientes, champú de tamaño de viaje, pasta dental y jabón corporal. Los artículos pueden colocarse en el contenedor rojo y azul ubicado en la entrada de la iglesia, del 6 de junio al 9 de agosto. Mientras viaja este verano, considere donar kits de amenidades de aerolíneas que no haya utilizado o artículos de baño de sus estadías en hoteles. Serán destinados a una buena causa. (Para los artículos de higiene, recuerde que estamos recolectando artículos de tamaño de viaje que puedan caber en una bolsa tipo Ziploc; por el momento no estamos recolectando ropa).

Ministerio Juvenil

¡Únete a nuestra reunión para ver el partido! Todos los jóvenes están invitados a acompañarnos mientras vemos los dieciseisavos de final de la Copa Mundial el 29 de junio a las 6:00 p.m. en el sótano de la iglesia. Trae un refrigerio o algo para compartir, ya que también se ofrecerán algunos bocadillos ligeros. Este evento se realiza en colaboración con el Ministerio Juvenil de San Justino. Equipos por confirmar.

ANUNCIAMOS... Noches de Cine Familiares GRATUITAS en el jardín de la rectoría parroquial. Las películas comenzarán a las 8:15 p.m. Traiga una silla y venga con su familia y amigos para disfrutar de películas en nuestra gran pantalla inflable. Habrá venta de antojitos y bebidas.

17 de julio – Cars
24 de julio – Shrek
31 de julio – Wall-E
7 de agosto – El Príncipe de Egipto



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Únase a nosotros mientras comenzamos la celebración de 250 años de fe, fraternidad y comunidad.

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Reserva la fecha
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ANIVERSARIO DE SANTA CLARA



Domingo, 23 de agosto de 2026
1:00 p. m. Barbacoa
La venta de boletos comienza a mediados de julio.

¡Esperamos verlos allí!

Otros Hitos a Nuestro Alrededor



Mientras nos preparamos para celebrar el 250º aniversario de nuestro país el 4 de julio, y para comenzar a celebrar el 250º aniversario de nuestra propia Parroquia de Santa Clara a partir de este agosto, reconozcamos otro semiquincentenario que marca un día importante en la historia de San Francisco. Según Andrew Galvan, curador de la Antigua Misión Dolores (Misión San Francisco de Asís): "Desde la época de la Feria Mundial de 1936 celebrada en Treasure Island, San Francisco, el 29 de junio se ha celebrado como el 'Cumpleaños de San Francisco'; lo que sucedió el 29 de junio de 1776 fue que se celebró la primera Misa Católica en el sitio seleccionado para la Misión San Francisco de Asís".

Las historias de la Misión San Francisco de Asís (la 6ª de las 21 misiones españolas de California) y la parroquia de la Misión Dolores están estrechamente ligadas a las de la Misión Santa Clara de Asís (la 8ª misión) y a la comunidad de la parroquia de Santa Clara, así como San Francisco (San Francesco en italiano) y Santa Clara (Santa Chiara) están tan íntimamente asociados el uno con el otro. Ambos hijos de Asís, Italia, Francisco y Clara fueron amigos cercanos que fundaron órdenes franciscanas a principios del siglo XIII. Francisco fundó la Orden de los Frailes Menores (O.F.M.) en 1209. Francisco y Clara cofundaron la Orden de Santa Clara (conocida hoy como las Clarisas) en 1212, el Domingo de Ramos.

La Universidad de Santa Clara, la universidad más antigua de California, también celebra hitos importantes. Hace unas semanas, el 13 de junio, la SCU celebró su 175.ª ceremonia de graduación de pregrado. En su Día de los Fundadores, el 19 de marzo, durante la Fiesta de San José (patrono de la Diócesis de San José y de la Comunidad Jesuita de Santa Clara), la Universidad de Santa Clara celebró el 175.º aniversario de su fundación, ocurrida el 19 de marzo de 1851

Mission City Memorial Park



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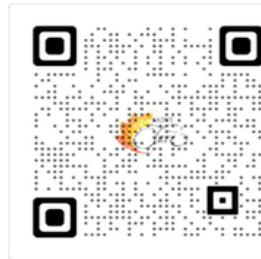
- 25 acres of aesthetically pleasing space
- Companion crypt burials
- Niche bank and in ground cremation options
- On site chapel rental



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