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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 26, 2025



International Food and Craft Festival 2025

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses **Saturday**: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM*, 11:30AM & 7:00PM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 8:00AM

Thurs: 6:00PM

Communion Service
Thurs: 8:00AM

Confessions

Thursday: 4:00PM—5:45PM **Saturday**: 3:30PM—4:30PM

Monthly Adoration

First Fridays: 8:30AM—11:00AM Third Thursdays: 4:00PM—5:45PM Fourth Sundays: 8:00PM—9:00PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 9:00AM—3:00PM

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*Mass will be live-streamed All Masses are in English

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power of Christ to the world through word and action.



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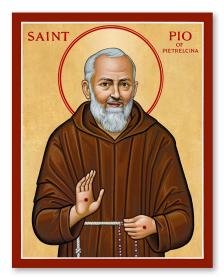
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CAMPUS MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY COLLEGE NIGHT

This Wednesday, October 29th we will start with dinner at 6pm hosted by Women's Guild. Afterwards, we will have an evening of creativity and remembrance as we make our Día de los Muertos altar. All college students are welcome to join us!





FRESNO STATE ON-CAMPUS GATHERINGS

All Fresno State students are welcome to join us for our on-campus gatherings this week. Bring lunch & bring a friend!

Monday, October 27th at 11:45am – Liturgy of the Hours - RSU 209

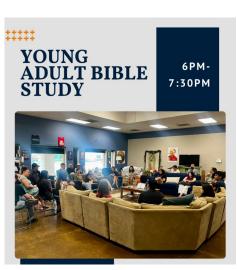
Wednesday, October 29th at 10am – RSU 210

Thursday, October 30th at 2pm – Saint Padre Pio - RSU 208

Young Adult MINISTRY

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Join our Bible Study gathering Monday, October 27th at 6:00pm in the Lounge. We will continue to look at the Gospel of John. Come and learn alongside other young adults about how scripture is alive in our daily lives.



CEAC, a Ministry of St Paul Catholic Newman Center In Collaboration with Alicia Meza Present a Photograph Exhibit

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ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION/ SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1/ CAFETERIA

The Italian Catholic Federation Branch 250 invites any interested parishioners to be our guest at our Thanksgiving pot luck lunch/meeting on Saturday, November 1. Social time will be at 11:30 and lunch at Noon. We will be initiating our new members after lunch. We will also hear about one of our member's trip to Italy. Please R.S.V.P. to Betty Massa (559-298-2315) by Tuesday, October 28th.

MEN'S SATURDAY SPIRITUALITY GROUP MEETING

Please join parish men on Saturday, Nov. 1st, 7:30-9:00 AM, in the Cafeteria for coffee, bagels/muffins, and to share our faith, spiritual wisdom, and to form friendship bonds with other men.

We will be reflecting on what the early Christians meant by "salvation." We will examine Scripture writings to discover "salvation" as the spiritual transformation that the earliest Christians experienced as a present gift, and not only as something hoped for in the future.





WOMEN'S GUILD



THANK YOU for all your help at the Dessert Booth! Whether you baked or worked a shift, you made me believer of "Ask, and you shall receive!"

Still to come in the upcoming months:

- 1. Campus Ministry Dinner on October 29
- Bring your donations for the MEMI Sisters to the November meeting, if you have not already brought them to church.
- Caroling at the Nazareth House will be December 13 at 12 Noon, followed by our Christmas gathering at the Spaghetti Factory. Come join us for a meal, even if you cannot join us for caroling.

The theme for the year is to support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. In this spirit, we are starting our series on Women Doctors of the Church. Sister Kathleen will give the first talk on Catherine of Siena at the November meeting.

Remember, we are the eyes and hands of God. Come help us do His work and make new friends!

If you have any questions, please call me: Lucina Myers, 2025-2026 Guild President, at 559/824-9160. See you at the next meeting!

NEXT GUILD MEETING: November 13, 2025

Please remember to wear your name tag to Mass!

FILIPINO MINISTRY

Great attendance, capable leadership, good weather and able volunteers combined to create a successful outcome from the Filipino Ministry Booth at the Newman Center's International Food Festival.

On behalf of the SPNC Filipino Ministry, special thanks to the following donors:

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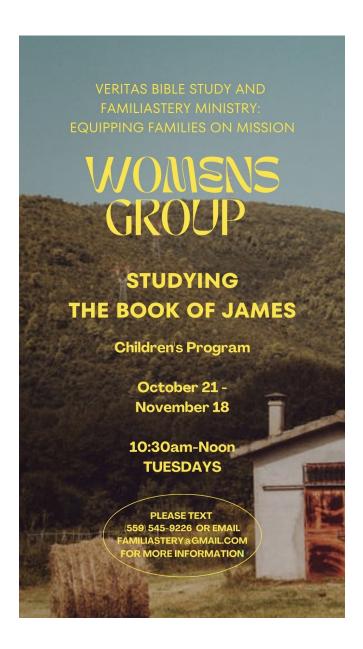


To our valued customers who enjoyed our Lumpias and Pancit, thank you!

To the SPNC Filipino Ministry core group members, Cora Abalos, Trigo Leyva, Vivienne and Stan Perkins, Diane and Chon Mora, Grata Cayme, Marina Dayan, we did it!



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From The Claretian Youth Group



HIKES WITH MARY

Save The Date - Saturday November 1, 2025

Time: 8am - noon

Location: Tesoro Viejo - Madera, CA



Come join us as we enjoy the vistas and wildlife from the rolling hills just north of Fresno. Our hike falls on the weekend of All Saints and All

Souls days. We will be praying the rosary and celebrating mass this month in honor of loved ones who have passed away. Details for the hike will be published on Flocknote. Please call Cathy Lozano if you have any questions: 559-288-2133.

Familiastery Ministry

Equipping Families on Mission

October 21 - November 18 12 - 2pm

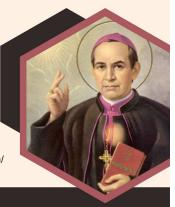
Faith filled enrichment days for toddlers through 8th grade!

We are excited to focus this Session on the founder of our beloved Claretian Missionary sons of the Immaculate Heart, Saint Anthony Mary Claret, whose feast day is October 24.

Schedule

- October 21: Weaving and Vocations
- October 28: The Charity of Christ and Souling
- **November 4:** The Catholic Press and Evangelization
- November 18: Mary as Guide ("Arrow of Love")

To sign up please visit: https://stpaulcatholicnewmanctr.flocknote.com/ signup/230483



FAMILIASTERY MINISTRY: EQUIPPING FAMILIES ON MISSION

Saint Paul Catholic Newman Center

Marian Storytime and Play Group for Toddlers and Preschoolers!



Parent-Child Enrichment

10/21: Our Lady o

10/28: Our Lady of Knock

11/4: Our Lady of Charity

11/18: Our Lady of China

All are welcome to join our village of families on Tuesdays from 12-2.

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CLARETIANS' HISTORY IN THE USA

1902 - A Mission for Immigrants

The first Claretians arrived in the United States to serve Mexican immigrants in Texas, Arizona, Illinois, and California—including San Gabriel Mission, where we still serve today. Our parishes became centers of support and hope for Spanish-speaking Catholics, especially during the tumult of the Mexican Civil War.

1924 - A Place of Welcome

At the request of Cardinal George Mundelein, the Claretians opened the first Mexican parish in Chicago to serve immigrants working in the steel mills. What began in a former army barracks was rebuilt, brick by brick, into Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in South Chicago. Its more than 100-year history stands as a testament to the power of faith.

1929 - Hope in Hardship

In the midst of the Great Depression, the Claretians established the National Shrine of St. Jude within Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Named for the patron saint of hope and impossible causes, the Shrine offers a deeper connection to God through devotion to St. Jude. Today, more than three million people participate in this community of prayer.

1951 - Around the World

Responding to the call to serve globally, Claretian missionaries from the U.S. launched new missions in Japan and Costa Rica. Additional missions followed: Guatemala (1966), Nigeria (1973), Cameroon (1986), the Philippines (1946), and Jamaica (2001).

1953 – Expanding North

After World War II, two Claretian priests established the first mission house in Quebec, serving the French-speaking Catholic community. Over time, their presence expanded to more parishes and dioceses, reaching First Nations peoples, immigrants, students, and the unhoused.

2014 - A Unified Province

The USA-Canada Province was created, uniting our efforts and amplifying our impact. Today, our province serves diverse communities—Spanish-, French-, and Vietnamese-speaking—and promotes Catholic social teaching through advocacy for those affected by forced migration.

2024 - Afire for Mission

Our Jubilee Year celebrated 175 years of the Claretian Missionaries. Today, we serve in 72 countries across six continents, proclaiming the truth that everyone is loved by God. This Jubilee refocused our energy, renewed our spirit, and reignited our missionary zeal to spread God's love wherever we go.

2025 - Legacy in Print

U.S. Catholic, our award-winning magazine, celebrated its 90th anniversary, having first been published as The Voice of St. Jude in 1935. Today, U.S. Catholic reaches more than one million readers, exploring the joys and challenges of living our Catholic faith in today's world.

PRECIOUS BLOOD

As flu season approaches, we will be suspending the distribution of the Precious Blood starting after this weekend, October 26, for the safety and health of our community. This is done each year in accordance with Diocesan guidelines to prevent the spread of influenza and other illnesses during the cold season.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

As we enter the month of November, we honor the Catholic tradition of praying for all the faithful departed. You are invited to add the names of your deceased family members and friends to our Book of Remembrance. It is located at the entrance of the church and will remain there throughout November. During this month of remembrance, all those inscribed in our book will be lifted up in our prayers

CHAPEL REMINDER

As a reminder, we ask that no food or drinks be brought into the chapel to help maintain the cleanliness and reverence of our worship space. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers for October have been given by the Mosby family in thanksgiving for the many blessings received through the intercession of our Blessed Mother.



FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

On Saturday November 1st there will be an 8:00am Mass to celebrate the Feast of All Saints. Although it is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year, everyone is encouraged to attend.

PRAYERS

Please pray for those who have requested special intentions and prayers:

Peggy Grant Denny Lathrop
Margaret Buckley Lucyna Dinces
Barbara Meisch Francisco M Garcia
Sandra Baronian Michael O'Hare
Catherine Caton Kathy Coit

◆ And we pray for those who have died recently.

Please contact the office or visit our website and fill out the form under the "<u>Prayer Requests</u>" tab to have a name included on this prayer list.

Names of the sick / for special intentions will be published in the bulletin for 1-4 weeks, and then removed unless otherwise requested.

Names of the deceased are published the week after death.

OCTOBER CONTRIBUTIONS 2024 2025 October 6 \$16.349.72 October 5 \$14.244.23 October 13 \$19,400.91 October 12 \$20,717.99 \$18,620.47 October 20 \$11,995.90 October 19 \$9.277.59 October 27 October 26 OCTOBER 2024 TOTAL OCTOBER 2025 \$57,024.12 \$53,582.69

MASS AND CONFESSION CANCELLATIONS

Due to conflicts with the Fresno State Football games, Confession and Mass will be cancelled on the following dates:

- Saturday October 25, 2025
- Saturday November 15, 2025
- Saturday November 22, 2025

We appreciate your understanding as we err on the side

BULLETIN INFORMATION

To submit announcements, articles, or flyers for the bulletin, website, or social media please fill out the form on our parish website: www.fresnonewmancenter.org/content-submission

Submissions are accepted no later than Monday 12:00pm the week of publication.



We have transitioned to using Flocknote to email the bulletin. If you would like the bulletin emailed to you every week, please join the Weekly Bulletin group on Flocknote! Thank you!

Weekly Schedule

OCTOBER 26, 2025 — NOVEMBER 2, 2025

OCTOBER 20, 2025 — NOVEMBER 2, 2025		
Claretian	, OCTOBER 26 30TH SUNDAY Youth Toiletry Drive	
7:30am	Mass for Charlie Kirk	Chapel
9:30am	CLOW	Community Room
9:30am	Mass for Oscar Alfredo Bretado	Chapel
	1st Year HS Confirmation	CNH
	Mass for Rosalba DeSantis	Chapel
	OCIA Catechumenate	Community Room
	2nd Year HS Confirmation	CNH
1:00pm	Group Baptism	Chapel
2:00pm	Igbo Mass Mass for Needs & Intentions of Pa	Chapel
7:00pm 8:00pm	Adoration	Chapel
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7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass Man's Marning Scripture Study	Chapel
8:30am	Men's Morning Scripture Study Liturgy of the Hours	Library Student Lounge
5:30pm 6:00pm	Young Adult Bible Study	Student Lounge
6:30pm	OCIA Inquiry	Community Room
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	Y, OCTOBER 28	Chanal
7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass Familiastery Women's Bible Study	Chapel
	Familiastery Enrichment	/ Classrooms Classrooms
6:00pm	Faith, Family & Friends	CNH/Classrooms
6:00pm	Claretian Youth	Student Lounge
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	SDAY, OCTOBER 29	Chanal
7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Nyla Zender Marian Movement of Priests	Chapel Community Room
	Book Study	Library
6:00pm	Wednesday Student Dinner	CNH
6:00pm	Prayer Life Workshop	Library
6:00pm	Marian Movement of Priests	Cafeteria
6:30pm	Bible Study	Classrooms 2&3
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30		
7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Communion Service	Chapel
4:00pm	Confessions	Chapel
6:00pm	Mass	Chapel
6:00pm	Book Study	Community Room
6:30pm	Tacos and Theology	Student Lounge
FRIDAY.	OCTOBER 31	
7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Rose & John Barretto	Chapel
5:30pm	Food Recovery	Cafeteria
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1		
	Charities Truck	
7:30am	Men's Scripture Study	Cafeteria
8:00am	All Saint's Day Mass	Chapel
	Italian Catholic Federation	Cafeteria
3:30pm	Confession	Chapel
5:00pm	Mass for Needs & Intentions of Pa	arishioners Chapel
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2 COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Catholic Charities Truck
7:30am Mass Chapel
9:30am CLOW Community Room
9:30am Mass for Marianne Angelillo Chapel
11:30am Mass for Dennis Jennings Chapel
7:00pm Mass for Charlie Kirk Chapel

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