

# Pilgrimage Invitation: Blessed Are Those Who Seek the Lord

Dear Parishioners,

In this Sunday's Gospel (Luke 6:17, 20-26), Jesus proclaims the Beatitudes, offering hope and blessings to the poor, the hungry, and those who suffer for righteousness. He reminds us that true fulfillment is found not in worldly riches but in a heart open to God's grace.

This message calls us to seek deeper communion with Christ and strengthen our faith.

In this spirit, I invite you to join a special pilgrimage to the three designated places of worship in the Archdiocese of Agana as **Pilgrim Churches for the Jubilee Year 2025: Pilgrims of Hope.** They are:

- 1. St. Joseph Church, Inarajan,
- 2. St. John Paul the Great Chapel, Astumbo, and
- 3. Dulce Nombre de Maria Cathedral-Basilica, Hagatna.

A pilgrimage is a beautiful opportunity to step away from daily routines, reflect on our spiritual journey, and encounter God's presence in a profound way.

This parish pilgrimage will begin at our parish church at 8:00 am on Saturday, March 29, 2025. We will begin with prayer and proceed to travel by bus to the three churches. We will return to our parish by approximately 2:15 pm the same day.

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#### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon., Wed., Fri., & Sat. 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

or by appointment

**Closed** Tues., Thurs., Sun., Holidays and

Holy Days of Obligation

## **Eucharist Regular Schedule**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. Mon. to Fri. 6:00 p.m.

#### **Holy Hour**

First Friday 6:30 p.m.

#### Confessions

Mon. to Fri. 5:30 p.m.

1st Friday 6:45 p.m. (during Holy Hour)

#### Baptism

Celebrated after Sunday masses except on certain holy days. Please contact the parish office about necessary preparation class and sponsorship requirements.

### Wedding

Please contact the parish office to schedule necessary marriage preparation and wedding.

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Our plan is to rent a comfortable bus that can seat approximately 45 people. There will be a small fee of \$5.00. Please sign up as soon as possible, because space is limited.

Let us journey together in faith, prayer, and community, embracing the blessings that come from seeking the Lord with humble and contrite hearts. May this journey inspire us to live out the Beatitudes and grow in our love for God and one another.

More information and sign up sheet will be shared in the bulletin next week.

Kind regards, Fr. Jeff



**Last Week's Collection** 

February 8: \$1,406.42

February 9: \$987.60



# **Family Faith Formation**

Next Sunday is our Youth and Family Mass Sunday.

Ms. Alma will be calling a meeting with parents whose children will be receiving First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation.

Please check the Family Faith Formation Chat for updates. Have a wonderful week.

## **PALMS NEEDED**

Brothers and Sisters, please drop any blessed palms you may have from last year's Palm Sunday. Please drop them off at our office this week and next week .We will burn them to make ashes for Ash Wednesday, March 5.

If you have coconut trees that have not been badly damaged by the rhino beetle, please keep us in mind. We will be needing palm leaves for Palm Sunday masses on April 12 (anticipated Sunday Mass) and April 13 Palm Sunday.

# February and March 2025 Parish Activities

| Sunday                                                                                                      | Monday                                                                                                  | Tuesday                                                                                 | Wednesday                                                                               | Thursday                                                                                                                                                           | Friday                                                                                                                                 | Saturday                                                                                                |
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| 16 8:15 am Rosaries for +James Mar- tinez & +Rossi Tolentino 9:00 am Mass Baptism of Zayani C. Cruz Quinata | 17 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass President's Day | 18 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass | 19 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass | 20 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass                                                                            | 21 12:00 pm Funeral Mass for +Anthony San Nicolas 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass | 4:15 pm Rosaries<br>for +James Mar-<br>tinez & +Rossi<br>Tolentino<br>5 pm Mass                         |
| 23<br>8:15 am Rosaries<br>for +James Mar-<br>tinez & +Rossi<br>Tolentino<br>9:00 am Mass                    | 24 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Mar- tinez & +Rossi To- lentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass             | 25 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass | 26 5:15 pm Rosaries for +James Martinez & +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass | 27 1:00 pm Funeral of +James Martinez 5:15 pm Rosary for +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass (Celebration of the 1st Anniversary of +Inez Susuico Lujan) | 28 5:15 pm Rosary for +Rossi Tolentino 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass                                                                    | March 1 12:00 pm Funeral Mass for +Frank S. Torres, Jr. 4:15 pm Rosary for +Rossi To- lentino 5 pm Mass |