Dear Members and Friends of St. Ferdinand’s Community,

We hope you are all starting this just-begun summer in good health and praying for the rains to green up the Arivaca hills, fill the lake and run water everywhere!

Here is an early update on our **July 2019 priest and visitor group schedule:**

Sunday, July 7th, 2019: Fr. Joseph Esson will preside. We are expecting a student group from St. Ignatius High School in San Francisco. This school has not missed a year coming to St. Ferdinand’s for many years!

Sunday, July 14th, 2019: Fr. Pete Neeley, SJ will celebrate Mass with us. He is bringing students from Loyola Academy in Chicago to join us for Mass, the luncheon and our *Living on the Border* seminar.

Sunday, July 21st, 2019: Fr. Pete will be here and will bring students from Walsh Jesuit HS in Ohio. I believe this is a first time visit for this school.

Sunday, July 28th, 2019: Fr. Joseph will be here to celebrate Mass. No group is currently scheduled for this date.

After Mass and the luncheon this Sunday, June 23rd there will be a meeting of all persons interested in helping plan our celebration of the wedding at St. Ferdinand’s of **Alyce and Juan Cuestas** the first week of August. There will also be a brief update on the window restoration contract (signed) and the draft project letter due to go out very soon.

Also, our new First Communion teacher **Barbara Munguia Sotelo** is accepting enrollments for her fall class and our incredible, long-serving **Irlene Warner** has already begun working with a local lady who is considering joining the church. Please see Barbara if you wish to enroll a child and talk with Irlene if you know of adults who wish to prepare for sacraments or who want to know more about the Catholic Church and St. Ferdinand’s.

May God’s Blessings come to you,

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