



March, 2023

Introducing Father Abraham Medina

Hello brothers and sisters,

With great joy telling you that Father Abraham Medina is already among us in the Parish as the new Parish Priest.

In a special act our Bishop Héctor David made the Enthronement and it was a very beautiful experience for everyone to have been able to live special moments in it. I share this email with Father Abraham and special moments captured in photos .

Our children and adolescents are happy with their new Priest Padre Abraham ~~*Liliam Handal*



Hogar Suyapa News



The imposition of ashes on Wednesday was a great blessing. They were imposed by two ministers of communion in the Hogar.

Before the act, the children received a talk about its meaning. We are also participating in the Fridays of Lent by doing the Stations of the Cross every Friday.

Brothers and Sisters— We pray for each one of you at this time when we are sent to conversion and forgiveness.

~~*Liliam Handal*

News from POP Sister Parish Ministry

Happy March Everyone!

Our general meeting was a huge success as we welcomed many new members to our group and were blessed with 5 new sponsors for our children. Our hearts smile knowing these kids have special people in Texas that are praying for them and can't wait to meet them.

We will be sponsoring the Stations of the Cross on March 17 and look forward to seeing you all there. On a sad note, we'd like to ask your prayers for Liliam's family as her nephew passed away last week. May God lift them up in his caring hands and welcome him home.

Liliam, Alicia and Padre Abraham will be visiting from **April 26- May 2**. They will be at all the masses on **April 29-30**, so we hope you get a chance to meet them.

As always, we look forward to any/all fundraising ideas you might have to help our ministry! We are so very grateful for all of you for answering the call to help the poor and needy. May God bless you always,
Dave & Linda Waggoner lindawaggoner@msn.com

The full newsletter and more pictures are online. Visit <https://www.popplano.org/sister-parish>

Sister Parish Mission Statement: To become part of the unfolding Kingdom of God by building a family relationship uniting Prince of Peace Catholic Community and Nuestra Señora de las Mercedes of El Progreso, Honduras, based upon our common Catholic faith, mutual love, interdependence and solidarity.



Karla Jazmín Morales, a success story!

Karla was one of the first children to benefit from this Great Project of Love: Centro de Nutricion - Hogar Suyapa!

Before turning two, Karla arrived at El Centro de Nutricion severely malnourished. El Centro brought her back to health and then transferred her to the Hogar. Her family could not care for her.

Growing up at the Hogar, Karla received the stability, guidance and resources all children need to blossom.

The unfaltering financial and emotional support of her Prince of Peace godparents, Allan and Marianne, made Karla grow feeling loved and valued. Together, they all helped Karla become the fine 20 year old young woman she is today.

Karla's hard work and determination earned her multiple scholarships. Today she is a sophomore at the University working on a double major in **Marketing and Business Administration**

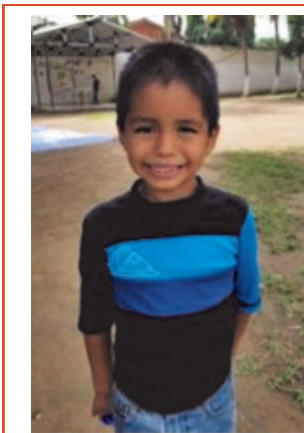


Mass with Father Abrahan Medina



St. Elizabeth's crew!

Special thanks go to the members of Prince of Peace, John Paul II, and Jesuits whose selfless donations make it possible for Milli, Hanna, Ruth, Moi, Sofia and Astrid to attend St. Elizabeth.



Moises Rodriguez, MOI

Moises, affectionately known as Moi, came to Hogar Suyapa when he was six days old. He was abandoned at the hospital. Moi is now seven years old. He has never received a visit from any family members. Hogar Suyapa is the only family he knows. His smiling face lights any room! Moi enjoys playing outdoors, but dancing is what he loves best.

Moi is in second grade. He attends St. Elizabeth, a private bilingual



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Sister Parish Steering Committee:

- David and Linda Waggoner 214-679-8261 and 214-679-8262
- Kri McGinnis 972-380-5505 x 172
- Julie Messner 972-742-9931
- John Stich 972-732-7704



Sister Parish Meetings:

Meetings are open to everyone. We invite you to join us the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.—St. Katharine's Hall. Come see how you can be part of this rewarding ministry!