

# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Archdiocese of Galveston Houston

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Rev. Joy James, OSH, Parochial Vicar

Oblates of the Sacred Heart



*Growing Together in Christ  
Creciendo Unidos en Cristo*



Welcome Home!

## Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil.....5:30 pm  
Sunday...7:30 am, 9:00 am,  
10:45 am, 12:30 pm (Español),  
5:30 pm.

## Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm.  
Or anytime by appointment -  
Chapel  
Baptism

Call the CCE Office week-  
days, 9:00 am-4:00 pm.  
(281) 499-4612

## Marriage

Contact the Parish Office at least  
six (6) months prior to the wedding  
date. (281-499-9688). Please at-  
tend the information session every  
1st Sunday of the month at 3:00  
pm in the Parish Office.

## Daily Masses

Monday.....8:45 am, 12:10 pm  
Tuesday..... 8:45 am, 7:00 pm  
Wednesday.....6:30 am, 8:45 am  
Thursday.....8:45 am,  
7:00 pm (Español)  
Friday.....6:30 am, 8:45 am  
Saturday.....8:45 am  
Rosary after 8:45 am Daily Mass

Anointing of the Sick  
Call (281) 499-9688

Healing Mass 4th Tuesday of  
each month - 7:00 pm

## Adoration

First Friday, 8:45 am Mass un-  
til 8:00 pm Benediction, Chapel

## Other Services

- \* Fr. Michael Biondi Library & Gift Shop open Wednesdays, 5:00-7:30 pm & Sundays after all Masses
- \* Quinceañeros contact the CCE Office, (281) 499-4612
- \* Non-Catholics who wish to join our faith community RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process to welcome you into our faith, contact the CCE Office, (281) 499-4612
- \* Religious Education contact the CCE Office, (281) 499-4612
- \* Society of St. Vincent de Paul (281) 499-6246

## Parish Office

Gail Hutchins, Administrator

## Religious Education

Yolanda Peña, DRE

## Hispanic Ministry

Georgina Romero

## Music Ministry

Dr. Andre LaCour

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Marilyn O'Laughlin

## Youth Ministry

## Finance Council

Terry Molik, Chairman

713-899-4024

## Pastoral Council

Nora Peralta, Chairwoman

(281) 844-6087

**Our Parish Vision Statement:** Our parish vision is to build upon, to nurture and to exhibit the virtues of faith, hope and charity to all in the spirit of unity through one faith, one family.

**Declaración de la Misión Parroquial:** La misión de nuestra parroquia es construir en nuestra tradición, alimentar y las virtudes de fe, esperanza y caridad con el espíritu de unidad basado en una fe, una familia.

## Sunday, January 10, 2016 The Baptism of the Lord

### MANIFESTING THE SPIRIT

The Christmas season close's this Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. This feast is a sister to last week's feast of the Epiphany. Each of them celebrates an "epiphany," or a manifestation of the Spirit of God in Jesus—first in his birth, and now at his baptism.

The divine Spirit is manifested in all of the scriptures for this feast. Psalm 104 highlights the Spirit of God creating and renewing the earth, while the reading from Isaiah describes God restoring Israel. In Luke's account of the baptism of the Lord the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus. And the letter to Titus reminds us that the Holy Spirit was "richly poured out" on us also, through the "bath of rebirth" (Titus 3:5, 6).

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### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Isaiah speaks of the Servant whom the Lord upholds; he shall bring forth justice to the nations (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7) or *Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11*.

**Psalm** — The Lord will bless his people with peace (Psalm 29) or *Psalm 104*.

**Second Reading** — Jesus was anointed by God with the Holy Spirit; he went out healing and doing good (Acts 10:34-38) or *Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7*.

**Gospel** — A voice comes from heaven proclaiming Jesus as the beloved Son, with whom God is well pleased (Luke 3:15-16, 21-22).

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### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord

Monday: First Week in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: St. Hilary

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

### LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: *El Bautismo del Señor*

Lunes: *Primera Semana del Tiempo Ordinario*

Miércoles: *San Hilario*

Sábado: *Santa María Virgen*

## Domingo 10 de enero, 2016 El Bautismo del Señor

### MANIFESTANDO AL ESPÍRITU

*El tiempo de Navidad finaliza este domingo con el Bautismo del Señor. Esta fiesta es hermana de la fiesta de la semana pasada, la Epifanía. Cada una ellas celebra una "epifanía", o manifestación del Espíritu de Dios en Jesús — primero en su nacimiento y ahora en su bautismo.*

*El Espíritu Divino se manifiesta en todas las lecturas bíblicas de la fiesta. El Salmo 104 destaca al Espíritu de Dios que crea y renueva la tierra, mientras que la lectura de Isaías describe a Dios restaurando a Israel. En el relato de Lucas del bautismo del Señor el Espíritu Santo desciende sobre Jesús. Y la carta a Tito nos recuerda que el Espíritu Santo también "derramó con abundancia" sobre nosotros, el "baño de regeneración" (Tito 3:5, 6).*

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### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Miren a mi siervo, en quien tengo mis complacencias (Isaías 42:1-4, 6-7) o *Isaías 40:1-5, 9-11*.

**Salmo** — Te alabamos, Señor (Salmo 29 [28]) o *Salmo 104 (103)*.

**Segunda lectura** — Dios ungió con el Espíritu Santo a Jesús de Nazaret (Hch 10:34-38) o *Tito 2:11-14; 3:4-7*.

**Evangelio** — Después del bautismo de Jesús, el cielo se abrió (Lucas 3:15-16, 21-22).

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## Taken from Pope Francis' Homily on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, 2014.

"Today's page from the Gospel emphasizes that, when Jesus had received baptism from John in the River Jordan, "the heavens were opened" to him (Mt 3:16). This fulfills the prophecies. In fact, there is an invocation which the liturgy has us repeat during the Season of Advent: "O that thou wouldst rend the heavens and come down" (Is 64:1). If the heavens remain closed, our horizon in this earthly life is dark and without hope. Instead, in celebrating Christmas, once again faith has given us the certainty that the heavens have been rent with the coming of Christ. And on the day of the baptism of Christ we continue to contemplate the heavens opened. The manifestation of the Son of God on earth marks the beginning of the great time of mercy, after sin had closed the heavens, raising itself as a barrier between the human being and his Creator. With the birth of Jesus the heavens open! God gives us in Christ the guarantee of an indestructible love. From the moment the Word became flesh it is therefore possible to see the open heavens. It was possible for the shepherds of Bethlehem, for the Magi of the East, for the Baptist, for Jesus' Apostles, and for St Stephen, the first martyr, who exclaimed: "Behold, I see the heavens opened!" (Acts 7:56). And it is possible for each one of us, if we allow ourselves to be suffused with God's love, which is given to us for the first time in Baptism by means of the Holy Spirit. Let us allow ourselves to be invaded by God's love! This is the great time of mercy! Do not forget it: this is the great time of Mercy!"

When Jesus received the baptism of repentance from John the Baptism, showing solidarity with the repentant people — He without sin and with no need for conversion — God the Father made his voice heard from heaven: "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased" (v. 17). Jesus receives approval from the heavenly Father, who sent him precisely that he might accept to share our condition, our poverty. Sharing is the true way to love. Jesus does not dissociate himself from us, he considers us brothers and sisters and he shares with us. And so he makes us sons and daughters, together with him, of God the Father. This is the revelation and source of true love. And this is the great time of mercy!

Does it not seem to you that in our own time extra fraternal sharing and love is needed? Does it not seem to you that we all need extra charity? Not the sort that is content with extemporaneous help which does not involve or stake anything, but that charity that shares, that takes on the hardship and suffering of a brother. What flavour life acquires when we allow ourselves to be inundated by God's love!

Let us ask the Holy Virgin to support us by her intercession in our commitment to follow Christ on the way of faith and charity, the path traced out by our Baptism."

## Mass Intentions January 11 - 17, 2016

### January 11th, Monday, Weekday; Mt 1:14-20

8:45 am Juliet Nwanguma (-) by Nwanguma Family  
Achamma Joseph (+) by Pitt Family  
12:10 pm Jettie Court (+) by Jean & Charles Court  
Dana Pharr (+) by Jean & Charles Court

### January 12th, Tuesday, Weekday; Mt 1:21-28

8:45 am Dave Filip (+) by Family  
Anton J. Kulhanek (+) by M/M Bernard Kallus  
7:00 pm Fred & Bertha Salazar (+) by Yolanda DeLa Haya  
Violete Gentiles (+) by Adelina Bentulan

### January 13th, Wednesday, St. Hilary, bishop & doctor of the Church; Mk 1:29-39

6:30 am Mathew Abraham (+) by Mathew Family  
Thomas Kuruvilla (+) by Helen Paul  
8:45am Jane Nlechi (+) by Maria Emenaha-Nsonwu  
Kevin Nwosu (+) by Holy Family Nigerian Women

### January 14th, Thursday, Weekday; Mk 1: 40-45

8:45 am Rodrigo Vega (+) by Familia  
Lula & Joe M. Triolo (+) by Family  
5:30 pm Sandy Martin Castillo (+)  
by Santiago & Georgina Romer & Family

### January 15th, 2016, Friday, Weekday; Mk 2:1-12

6:30 am Pete C. Guajardo (-) by Tony, Jr & Jay Guajardo  
Alice Pinckney (+) by Family  
8:45 am Wilmo Hinguillo (-) by Alexia Hinguillo  
Manuel Hinguillo (+) by Alexia Hinguillo

### January 16th, Saturday, Weekday; Mk 2:13-17

Vigil: Second Sunday of Ordinary Time  
8:45 am Michael HInguillo (-) by Alexia Hinguillo  
C. K. Jeevan (+) by Pitt Family  
5:30 pm Hilaria Flores-Canales (+) by Arturo Canales  
Debra Gaytan (+) by Arturo Canales

### January 17th, Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:30 am Tom Colley (+) by Wife, Terry Colley  
Jesse Merlos, Jr. (+) by Jesse & Emma Merlos  
9:00 am Rosa Sombo Villafuente (+) by Becky Pascual  
Mandy Blanco (-) by Joann Bowman  
10:45am Fr. Joy James, OSH (-) by Joann Bowman  
Fr. Roy Oggero, CSB (-) by Rose & John Janik  
12:30 pm For All Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased  
5:30 pm Sandra & Chijoke (-) by Iwunze Family  
Godfrey Aguner (+) by Caroline Aguner & Family

## CAMBIO EN LA MAREA

*Cuando todo va en contra tuya, al punto que parece que ya no puedes asirte ni por un minutos más, no te des por vencido entonces, porque en ese lugar y en ese tiempo es cuando la marea cambia.*

—Harriet Beecher Stowe

<b>ORGANIZATIONS</b>	
<b>MINISTRIES</b>	
<b>GROUPS</b>	The Body, though <i>one</i> , <i>has many parts</i>

**Holy Family needs EMHCs to the homebound.** Stating that we will be judged on our corporal and spiritual works of mercy to those in need, Pope Francis described the jubilee year (begins December 8, 2015) as a “good opportunity for increasing the collaboration between *pastors and the laity in the mission of affectionately and tenderly caring for the sick and dying.*”

**Excerpt from Pope Francis' new law on annulment proceedings...** *“The laws that now come into effect are intended precisely to show the Church's closeness to wounded families, desiring that the many who experience matrimonial failure are reached by Christ's healing work through ecclesiastical structures, in the hope that they may again discover themselves to be God's missionaries to their brethren, for the good of the institution of the family.”* If you need information on the annulment process please call the Parish Office, 281-499-9688.

**Mercy...** "We will entrust the life of the Church, all humanity, and the entire cosmos to the Lordship of Christ, asking him to pour out his mercy upon us like the morning dew, so that everyone may work together to build a brighter future. How much I desire that the year to come will be steeped in mercy, so that we can go out to every man and woman, bringing the goodness and tenderness of God! May the balm of mercy reach everyone, both believers and those far away, as a sign that the Kingdom of God is already present in our midst!"

—Pope Francis

### Pope Francis Intentions for January

#### **Universal: Interreligious Dialogue**

That sincere dialogue among men and women of different faiths may produce the fruits of peace and justice.

#### **Evangelization: Christian Unity**

That by means of dialogue and fraternal charity and with the grace of the Holy Spirit, Christians may overcome divisions.

**Memorial Mass for our beloved former Pastor, Fr Ken Decker, CSB (+)** will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 11:00 am in the Church, a reception will follow in the Centennial Room. All parishioners are invited. Fr Ken passed away December 1, 2015 after a courageous battle with cancer.

## Parishioners

*If you wish to make an announcement, such as birthdays, anniversaries, sick, etc., submit a written note no later than Monday pm to the office. Please, no advertisements.*

### Please pray for our U.S. Troops and civilian personnel overseas and here in the US:

Major Blanca Reyes, US Army; Senior Master Sargent Carlos R. Villarreal, US Air Force; Senior Master Sargent Walisa Villarreal, US Air Force; Airman First Class Lisa Villarreal, US Air Force; Commander Greg Blyden, US Navy; Staff Sargent Guillermo Darino, US Army; Sargent Steve Garcia, US Army; Staff Sargent David A. Perez, US Army; Staff Sargent Leonardo Andrade, US Marine; Tech Sgt. Devon Simmons, US Air Force; Master Sgt. Erica Williams Simmons, US Air Force.

**Please pray for the sick of our Parish especially:** Fr. Phi; Deacon Alfred Abrams; Johnnie Baiamonte; Sheila McCabe; Bertha Silva; Liana Mikulenka; Michael Oparaji, Sr.; Robert Miller; Ron Carter; Mary Lou Reumont; Betty Bath; Eddie Borrego; Ruben Velasquez; Veronica Lyon; Pete Guajardo; John Delome; Frances Castillo; Alice Boroski; Carl Anthony Cangelosi; Pat Trail; Enrico Fos; Israel R. Carranza; Charles Ferro; Deacon Jim Wright; Vince Mulle; Idalia Tenoria; Eva Guevara; Arthur Hauptman; Mary Nieto; Joseph LaCour; Sam Campbell; Julius Dumapit; Gilda Salazar Herrera; Joe Morales; Joey Salinas; Sandy Melchor; Lois Guillory; Isabelita Bernardo; Marcella Guzman; Marie Don LeVu; Perla Ferrer; Mamie Mercatante; Lela Cantu; Araceli Escoto; Abel Abila; Josie Gonzales; Tomasa Herrera; Inez Graham; Christine Klatt; Josie Franklin; Mary Carmen dela Cruz; Movita Cavalier; Thomas Edward Hargis, Sr; Esperanza Melendez; Charles Clark; Natalie Anim-Kwapong; Haleigh E. Boutte; Martha Kocich; Mary Buri; Marsha & Allen Bustchek; Velma Packard; Mike Boutte; Gus Longoria, Jr; Fr Roy Oggero, CSB; Mary Bermea; Victor Rodriguez; Charlene Salvacion O'Campo; Cirilo E. Toledo; Maciela Solis; Jose Bustos; Mary Perez; Jesus Bravo, Pedro Jalomo, Elpidio Jalomo, Vicky Peralta; Jed Foronda; Augustine Martinez; Judy Torres; Greg Johnson; Jerry Escamilla; Alex Herrera; Joseph Michael Alejandro; Kay Hunnicutt; Jeanne Witt; Alicia Barron; Joe Larry Morales; Alejandra Mandujano; Mattie Ford; Bill Bates, Jr; Reyes Aguilar; Kaylen McDaniel

**Adult Faith Formation...**The parish provides free of charge the **Symbolon** on-line catechetical video. Please go to: <https://symboloncatholic.org/index.php/register>, and enter parish registration code **e78368**, when prompted. Then select the topic you and your family would like to view. We hope you enjoy this opportunity to increase and/or refresh you and your family's knowledge of Church

**HEART OF WORSHIP AT ST. LAURENCE, FEBRUARY 6...**St. Laurence Catholic Church in Sugar Land invites you to attend HEART OF WORSHIP on Saturday, February 6, from 11:30 am to 9:00 pm. “*Serve the Lord with Gladness*” is the theme for this day filled with inspiring speakers, great music, Mass & Eucharistic Adoration. Featured speakers are Bishop Brendan Cahill, Sr. Miriam Heidland and Ennie Hickman. Register online at [www.stlaurence.org](http://www.stlaurence.org) and in person at the St. Laurence parish office. Open to everyone 6th grade and older, the cost to attend is \$20 per person, which includes dinner by Maggiano's. (Early bird special: the cost to attend is just \$15 if you register before January 15.) Each year, the event attracts hundreds of people from around the archdiocese and even other countries, so advance registration is recommended. For more info, go to [www.stlaurence.org](http://www.stlaurence.org) or call the St. Laurence parish office at 281-980-9812.

**Loving Embrace Support Group...**Meets 3rd Thursday, each month, 7:30-9:00 pm, monthly meeting rotation: Couples Dinner, Ladies Dinner, and Couples Discussion. *Loving Embrace* is a Catholic educational support group for couples who have endured or are presently enduring the pain and suffering of infertility. The group provides support for coping with infertility and explores resources, methods, and options that are morally faithful to the teachings of the Catholic Church.

For rotation information contact Shannon Lassen, 832-978-6716 or [fertilitysupporthoustont@gmail.com](mailto:fertilitysupporthoustont@gmail.com).

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter...**Today's gospel says, “He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.” Bring the Holy Spirit into your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are February 12-14 or April 29-May 1, 2016. Register early to reserve a spot. Contact Brian & Tina Little at 281-773-4014 for more information, or go online to [houstonme.org](http://houstonme.org).

## TURNING THE TIDE

When everything goes against you, till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that is just the place and time that the tide will turn.

—Harriet Beecher Stowe

## TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

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## A Prayer for the New Year

God, thank you for a new year. May everyone in our family be willing to begin anew with a clean slate. We know that you are always ready to forgive us. Help us to be willing to forgive ourselves and to forgive one another.

As we begin a new year, remind us of our truest values and our deepest desires. Help us to live in the goodness that comes from doing what you want us to do. Help us to put aside anxiety about the future and the past, so that we might live in peace with you now, one day at a time.



Teach me Wisdom,  
Knowledge and  
Discipline  
281 499-4612

**Volunteers for 2015-16 CCE Classes...** Anyone interested in helping with the CCE Programs as catechists or aides, please call the CCE Office to sign up. (281-499-4612).

Only requirement is taking the **VIRTUS** class on "Protecting God's Children".

(High School students need to take the "**Jeremiah Course**" to help in classrooms – call CCE Office for details, 281-499-4612)

## CCE Activities...

### Sunday, January 10th

- 9:00 am English RCIA - Mass & Class, Room #2  
10:00 am Spanish RICA - Room #3  
10:00 am English Family CCE & Groups I & II - Rooms #4 - 11, Meeting Room, Assembly Room & Centennial Room  
1:30 pm Spanish Family CCE & Groups I & II - Rooms #4 - 11, Meeting Room, Assembly Room, Centennial Room & Parish Hall  
2:00 pm English Group Baptisms

### Monday, January 11th

- 6:00 pm English Sacramental Preparation  
Meet in Parish Hall

### Wednesday, January 11th

- 6:00 pm Pre-K through 5th grade CCE - Rooms 4-10 & Assembly Room

### Sunday, January 17th

- 9:00 am English RCIA - Mass 7 Class - Room #2  
10:00 am Spanish RICA - Room #3  
10:00 am High School Confirmation I & II - Assembly & Centennial Rooms  
10:45 am English Children's Liturgy of the Word (during Mass) Room #1  
12:30 pm Spanish Children's Liturgy of the Word (during Mass) Assembly Room  
1:30 pm Spanish Baptism Preparation - Meeting Room A/B  
1:30 pm Spanish Sacramental Preparation - Assembly Room & Room #1  
2:30 pm Spanish Group Baptisms - Church

**English CCE 2nd Graders Sacramental Preparation** ...will be Monday, January 11th at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall. The student and at least one parent needs to attend.

### **Sacramental Prep Students English And Spanish...**

2<sup>nd</sup> grade students and those older students in Group II classes for sacramental prep (First Communion) must turn in "baptismal information" or county birth certificates and godparent info for those needing "baptism" as soon as possible. Please give information to the CCE Office.

### Welcome to the Newly Baptized:

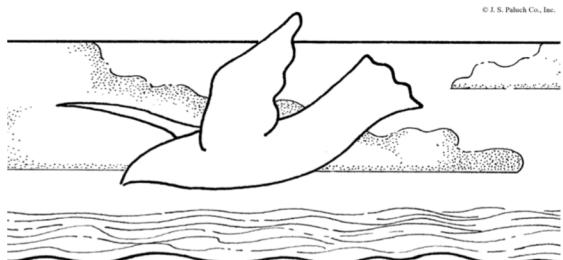
**ESTEFANIA ALVAREZ:** Parents: Maximiliano Alvarez-Montex & Maria L. Ortega, Godparents: Jorge A. Ortega & Rocio Ortega

**ALEXA MICHELLE CORDERO:** Parents: Macario & Esmerald Cordero, Godparents: Joaquin & Guillermina Martinez

**KIMBERLY DIAZ:** Parents: Ricardo Diaz & Filiberta Valencia, Godparents: Rutilo & Maria de los Angeles Diaz

**LEONARDO RAFAEL MELENDEZ:** Parents: Victor R. Melendez & Roxana Cordero Loera, Godparents: Angel & Esmeralda Cordero

**St. Laurence Catholic School is now hiring Before and After School Community (BASC) Program Staff.** We are looking for dependable, mature, and energetic college students (must be at least 18 years old) or adults who enjoy working with children. The position includes supervising children, preparing snacks, and completing paper work as needed. VIRTUS training is required. Hours are 6:30-7:45am and 2:00-6:30pm, Monday- Friday. Schedules will vary. Interested candidates for part-time job opportunities should send resumes to Lindsey Vainstein at [lvainstein@stlaurence.org](mailto:lvainstein@stlaurence.org).



**CCE Parents...** Please remember to pay or continue to pay on your CCE fees for the 2015-16 sessions. Please contact the CCE office for info on your CCE account. (Barbara, 281-499-4612, ext. 333).

## **Stewardship of Time and Talent**

### **January 16/17, 2016**

#### **Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion**

#### **Readers**

#### **Altar Servers**

#### **Ushers**

5:30 pm Sat	Elizabeth Gobencion Brenda Carlyon Alberto Gobencion Volunteer	Mandy Blanco Dave Gallagher Volunteer
7:30 am Sun	Monica Medina Jacqueline Harleaux Anthony Thaliachary Volunteer	Guillermo Garza Laurice Rochard Rani Thaliachary
9:00 am	Crescy Lobo Regina Flores Beverly Svoboda Volunteer	Ledia Amon-Leavings Barbara Janda Margie Villarreal
10:45 am	Inger Louis Pat Duplechain Catherine Inoma Caroline Okpara George Thomas Carmen Zamora Carmen Tristan Tomas Lazo Petra Enriquez Edgar Gonzales Gloria Almeida Elvia Condon Kathy Mroczkowski Edna Kemavor Gwen Reinke Volunteer	Marina Beltran Thresiamma George John Kunnakat Adelaida Reyes Arnulfo Zamora
12:30 pm		Rosie Rodriguez Jeanette Velasquez Mario Ponce Graciela Martinez Cecilia Flores Alba Martinez Mary Jo Barta Ugo Nweke Philomina Waturoucha
5:30 pm Sun	Joy Ugboajah Maria Ramsey Sheila Dubey Chinwe Osondu Raul Basurto Nikki Sadeghi	Frances Courville Angie Perez Barbara Hupe Walburga Bullock Irene Basurto Gloria Batiste Roberts
5:30 pm Sat	Albert Gomez Volunteer	Trinity Guzman
7:30 am Sun	G'inoa Collins Volunteer	Volunteer
9:00 am Sun	Homero Flores Kyle Olivier	Mya Frame
10:45 am Sun	Julieta Nwanguma Daryl Tenio	Darian Tenio
12:30 pm Sun	Pedro Calzada Sabrina Calzada	Juliana Ramos Tatiana Barron
5:30 pm Sun	Chismido Okpara Jheripye Reyes	Rizzy Reyes
Sat 5:30 pm	Henry Machala (Lead)	Carl Mouton
Sun 7:30 am	Michael Barone	Bob Mejia
Sun 9:00 am	John Ferro (Lead)	Joe Macias
Sun 10:45 am	Gilbert Colunga (Lead)	George Thomas
Sun 12:30 pm	Jose Ramirez	
Sun 5:30 pm	Wen Guerra	Jimmy Williams

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#### **... and Treasure**

#### **Financial Support For Church Operations**

#### **Total For December 2015**

Need Monthly/Operations	\$119,900
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#### **Income:**

Offertory	\$100,514
Faith Direct (EFT)	\$12,765
Other Donations	\$14,909
Fall Festival Income	\$250

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<b>Monthly Total</b>	<b>\$128,438</b>
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Over/(Shortage)	\$9,438
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**Cumulative Year to Date 12/15**  
**\$19,926**

#### **2nd Collections for:**

Building Fund	\$1,971
St Vincent DePaul	\$6,760
Sisters Collection	\$665
DSF	\$12,039
Oblates of the Sacred Heart	\$2,372

**Last month's Building Fund Pledge Payments/Donations \$51,492**

**Current Parish Mortgage Balance**  
**\$2,097,151**

**Have you signed up with Faith Direct yet? With *Faith Direct*, you can make your offertory contributions, as well as your Building Fund contributions, to Holy Family Parish using your credit/debit card or bank account. Please enroll in this program by picking up an enrollment form from the church office, or by visiting [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) to enroll securely online. Our parish code is TX364.**

**Growing Together in Christ Capital Campaign/Increased Sunday Offertory**  
... it's not too late to make a pledge.  
Pledge cards are in the pew racks and at the entrance to the church.

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