

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Archdiocese of Galveston Houston

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Oblates of the Sacred Heart



*Growing Together in Christ
Creciendo Unidos en Cristo*

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

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Welcome Home!

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.

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May 29, 2016 The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Pastor's Corner

Dear Sisters and Brothers of Holy Family,

"Do this in memory of me" (Luke 22, 19); Jesus told us at the last supper instituting Holy Eucharist, the sacrament of the body and blood of Jesus Christ. Today's celebration of the Body and Blood of the Lord originated in the Diocese of Liege in 1246 as the feast of *Corpus Christi*. In the reforms of Vatican II, *Corpus Christi* was joined with the feast of the Precious Blood (July 1) to become the *Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord*. We celebrate today Christ's gift to us of the Eucharist, the source and summit of our life together as the Church. The Council of Trent (1545 to 1563), declared that we must honor Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist publicly so that those who observed the faith of Catholics in the Most Holy Eucharist might be attracted to the Eucharistic Lord and believe in the Divinity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, present in this great Sacrament. "*The Catholic Church teaches that in the Eucharist, the Body and Blood of the God-man are really, truly, substantially, and abidingly present together with his soul and divinity by reason of the Transubstantiation of the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. This takes place in the unbloody sacrifice of the Mass.*"

Our belief in this Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist derives from the literal interpretation of the promise of Christ to give us his Body and Blood for our spiritual food and drink, as found in St. John's Gospel, Chapter 6, and also in the four independent accounts of the fulfillment of this promise at the Last Supper (Mt. 26; Mk. 14; Lk. 22; 1 Cor. 11). Eucharistic theologians explain the *Real Presence* by a process called *transubstantiation*: the entire *substance* of bread and wine is changed into the entire *substance* of the risen and glorified Body and Blood of Christ, retaining only the "*accidents*" (taste, color, shape) of bread and wine. Can there be a religion in which God is closer to man than our Catholic Christianity? Jesus does not believe that he is humiliating himself in coming to us and giving himself to us in his Flesh and Blood to be our spiritual Food.

As we celebrate this great feast of faith, let us worship what St. Thomas Aquinas did not hesitate to call, "*the greatest miracle that Christ ever worked on earth My Body My Blood*". Before the greatness of this mystery, let us exclaim with St. Augustine, "*O Sacrament of devotion! O Sign of unity! O Bond of charity!*" Let us also repeat St. Thomas Aquinas' prayer of devotion in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament: "*O Sacrament most holy! O Sacrament Divine! All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine!*" Fr. Sunny.

29 de Mayo, 2016 El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas de Holy Family,

"Hagan esto en memoria mía" (Lucas 22:19), Jesús nos lo dijo durante la Última Cena instituyendo así la Eucaristía, el sacramento del Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo Jesús. La celebración de hoy, el Cuerpo y Sangre del Señor se originó en la Diócesis de Liege en 1246 como la fiesta de "Corpus Christi". En las reformas del Concilio del Vaticano II, *Corpus Christi* se unificó con la fiesta de la Sangre Preciosa (Julio 1^o) para convertirse en la **Solemnidad del Cuerpo y Sangre del Señor**. Hoy celebramos el regalo de Cristo a nosotros, La Eucaristía, la casa y la cúspide de nuestra vida unidos como una Iglesia. En el Concilio de Trent (1545 a 1563), se declaró que debemos honrar públicamente a Nuestro Señor Jesucristo en la Santa Eucaristía para que aquellos que observan la fe de los Católicos en la Santa Eucaristía puedan ser atraídos a nuestro Señor y crean en la Divinidad de Nuestro Señor, presente en el gran Sacramento. "La Iglesia Católica enseña que en la Eucaristía, el Cuerpo y Sangre de Dios hecho hombre están realmente, sustancialmente e indestructible presente al igual que su Espíritu y Divinidad por medio de la Transubstanciación del pan y el vino en Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo. Esto sucede en sacrificio sin sangre de la Misa"

Nuestra creencia de la Presencia Real de Jesús en la Santa Eucaristía se deriva de la interpretación literal de la promesa de Jesús de darnos su Cuerpo y Sangre como comida y bebida espiritual, como encontramos en el Evangelio según San Juan en el capítulo 6 y también en los independientes sucesos del cumplimiento de Su promesa en la Última Cena (Mateo 26, Marcos 14, Lucas 22 y 1 Corintios 11) Teólogos Eucarísticos explican la presencia real por el proceso llamado Transubstanciación: La substancia del pan y el vino es cambiado en totalidad en la resucitación y glorificación del Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo, reteniendo solamente el color, sabor y forma del pan y vino. ¿Puede haber una religión en la cual Dios está tan cerca de la humanidad que en la Cristiandad Católica? Jesús no se humilla al venir a nosotros y entregarse a nosotros en su Cuerpo y Sangre para convertirse en nuestra Comida espiritual.

Al celebrar esta gran fiesta de fe, adoremos lo que to Tomás de Aquinas dijo sin vacilar al llamarlo **"El milagro más grandioso que Cristo hizo en la tierra... Mi Cuerpo... Mi Sangre"** Ante la grandiosidad de este misterio, exclamamos con San Agustín, "¡Oh Sacramento de devoción!, ¡Oh Signo de Unidad!, ¡Oh unción de Caridad! Repitamos la oración de devoción de San Tomás de Aquinas en presencia del Sagrado Sacramento: "¡Oh Santísimo Sacramento!, ¡Oh Divino Sacramento! ¡Preces and agradecimiento en cada momento!" Fr Sunny

Explore Retreat, June 7-9 (Starts Tuesday at 11:00 am) in St. Mary's Seminary. This retreat is for high school boys ages 15-18, who want to experience Christ and grow in relationship with Him. It is an opportunity to set time aside to explore seminary life and learn about the call to holiness and priesthood. The retreat will consist of music, games, faith sharing, fellowship, outdoor activities, creative prayer experiences and much more. Explore will be facilitated by seminarians studying for the priesthood for the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. In the application, we ask that the applicant be approved by the Pastor, DRE, youth minister or principal. Limit of four participants per parish (space limited). Cost is \$80 per participant. Deadline: June 3. Pre-registration, forms, and material at www.houstonvocations.com/explore-retreat

Retiro Vengan y Vean, Julio 8-10, (Comienza el viernes a las 5 p.m.) en Holy Name Retreat Center. El retiro Vengan y Vean es un retiro para jóvenes de discernimiento vocacional a la vida sacerdotal y religiosa. Es para hombres y mujeres solteros de 18 a 35 años de edad que tengan la inquietud y deseen aprender sobre la vida sacerdotal y religiosa. Habrá oración, reflexión en silencio, presentaciones, conversaciones en grupo y uno-a-uno con sacerdotes y religiosas de diferentes comunidades quienes estarán brindando su apoyo y experiencia durante el retiro. Holy Name Retreat Center (430 Bunker Hill Rd, Houston, TX 77024) Entrada Gratis (se aceptan donaciones). Fecha Límite: 4 de julio. Detalles, requisitos y forma de inscripción en www.houstonvocations.com/vengan-y-vean

Life Awareness Weekend, July 22-24 (Starts Friday at 5 p.m.-Sunday at 2:30 p.m.) in Holy Name Retreat Center. Come and join other single men and women of faith, ages 18-45, who are searching and discerning God's call in their lives. Life Awareness is a weekend retreat of prayer, silent reflection, presentations, group discussions, and sharing on one-on-one encounters and guidance from priests and religious sisters and brothers, as you learn more about priesthood and religious life. This retreat is designed to help young adults to learn and explore whatever vocation God might be calling them, to search deeply for the guidance, and to grow in courage to do the will of God. It will provide the time, environment, and opportunity to clarify one's calling without any pressure of commitment. Come join us! **Holy Name Retreat Center**, 430 Bunker Hill Rd Houston, Texas 77024. Information: Deacon Gary Hilbig 832-549-4140 gary.hilbig@allsaints.us.com or Henry Majoue 832-606-1372 Hjma-joue@gmail.com .Cost: Free (Donations accepted). Deadline: July 18. Short interview required. Pre-registration and forms at www.houstonvocations.com/life-awareness

All Parish Office will be closed Monday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day. The offices will reopen at their usual times on Tuesday, May 31st.

Mass Intentions May 30 - June 5, 2016

May 30th, Monday, Weekday; Mk 12:1-12

8:45 am Bernardo Pena, Jr (-) by Parents
Thanksgiving by Mekaat Family
12:10 pm Dave Filip (+) by Family
Betty Marek (+) by Husband, John Marek & Family

May 31st, Tuesday, The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Lk 1:39-56

8:45 am Patricia & Anthony Kao (+) by Patricia Kao
Jun Blas (-) by Susan Schreiter
7:00 pm Frenchu Narghese (+) by Anu Joseph
Dominador Pascual (+) by Eugene & Becky Pascual

June 1st, Wednesday, St. Justin Martyr; Mk 12:18-27

6:30 am Chuioke Louis (-) by Scholastica Iwunze
Feliciano Macalino (+) by Ruben & Connie Govea
8:45 am For All Souls in Purgatory by Tuyet Tran
Thomas George (+) by Joy Family

June 2nd, Thursday, Sts. Marcellinus & Peter, martyrs; Mk 12:28-34

8:45 am Tran Family (-) by Tuyet Tran
Thanksgiving by Gois Family
7:00 pm Joe A. Cerda (+) by Sisters, Rosie & Mary
Elvira Montenegro (+) by Familia Gonzalez

June 3rd, Friday, The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus; Lk 15:3-7

6:30 am Altar Society Members, Living & Deceased
All Souls in Purgatory by Rosa Gonzales & Family
8:45 am Rudy Ramirez, Sr (+)
by Wife, Children, Brothers & Sisters
Lula & Joe M. Triolo (+) by Family

June 4th, Saturday, The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Lk 2:41-51

Vigil: Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:45 am Jimmy Peralta (+) by Wife, Nora Peralta & Family
Margarita Carreon (-) by Claire Hutchins
5:30 pm Marta DeLeon (+) by Arturo Canales
Linda Morales (+) by Husband, Joe Morales & Family

June 5th, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am For All Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased
9:00 am David Talamantez (+) by Janie & Jeff Beckman
Ebeny Nwanguma & Family (-) by Juliet Nwanguma
10:45am Rudy Ramirez, Sr (+)
by Wife, Children, Brothers & Sisters
The Okonkwo Family by Franca Okonkwo
12:30 pm Miembros de Adoracion Nocturna,
Vivos y Difuntos
Antonia Bermeo (+) by Ladislao Bermeo
5:30 pm Kevin Hinguillo (+) by Alexia Hinguillo
Feliciano Macalino (+) by Pete & Mary R. Guajardo

Today, on the Feast of Corpus Christi, the total offering of every parish of the Archdiocese is dedicated to the support of those studying for the priesthood. For 2016/17 over a million dollars is needed from this collection to support our seminarians. In gratitude for the incomparable gift of the Holy Eucharist please do your part to help the Archdiocese provide priests for the sake of your future by praying daily for vocations and supporting this collection.

ORGANIZATIONS

MINISTRIES

GROUPS

The Body,
though *one*,
has many parts

FATHER'S DAY FLOWERS: Remember your father, grandfather, uncle or someone like a father to you on Father's Day, June 19 with a carnation on the Altar in his honor. White is for the deceased and red for the living, cost is \$2.00 per flower. Envelopes will be available in the Narthex. Please make your check payable to the Altar Society of Holy Family. Deadline to order flowers will be Monday, June 13.

If you have a special need and would like to have a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary in your home for two weeks, please contact Virginia Tan, 832-876-5232 or Jim Keenan, 713-705-1328 with the Legion of Mary.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament...will be Friday, June 3, after the 8:45 am Mass in the Chapel. Benediction will be at 7:45 pm. All are encouraged to spend time in His presence.

Zydeco Dance sponsored by BCMG! Mark your calendars for July 23, 8:00 pm until midnight! Tickets, \$10 presale, \$15 at the door. Plan on joining your fellow parishioners for an evening of fun - proceeds benefit the Building Fund.

The 5th Annual Mister and Miss Holy Family Pageant will take place on Saturday, September 17, 2016. Applications are available in the Parish Office or CCE Office. Applicants must be between the ages of 4-17. We encourage all parents and guardians of eligible applicants to fill out and submit an application. All applicants must submit a one page autobiography, along with completed application and fee of **\$15.00(non-refundable)**. The contestants that raise the most money for the Holy Family Building Fund will be crowned Mister and Miss Holy Family. Good luck to all contestants.

Welcome to our new Associate Parish Administrator, Bruce Peterson! Bruce has many years of church experience and comes to us from Seguin, TX. Bruce's primary duties will be facility management. We warmly welcome him to our "Holy Family".

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 Guillermina 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 Mikulenska; Michael Oparaji, Sr.; Robert Miller; Ron Carter; Mary Lou Reumont; 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; Joey Salinas; Sandy Melchor; Lois Guillory; Isabelita Bernardo; Marie Don LeVu; Perla Ferrer; Lela Cantu; Josie Gonzales; Tomasa Herrera; Inez Graham; Christine Klatt; Mary Carmen dela Cruz; Movita Cavalier; Thomas Edward Hargis, Sr; Esperanza Melendez; Natalie Anim-Kwapong; Haleigh E. Boutte; Martha Kocich; Mary Buri; Marsha & Allen Bustchek; Mike Boutte; Gus Longoria, Jr; Fr Roy Oggero, CSB; Victor Rodriguez; Maciela Solis; Jose Bustos; Mary Perez; Jesus Bravo; Pedro Jalomo; Elpidio Jalomo; Vicky Peralta; Augustine Martinez; Judy Torres; Greg Johnson; Alex Herrera; Jeanne Witt; Alicia Barron; Joe Larry Morales; Alejandra Mandujano; Mattie Ford; Reyes Aguilar; Joe Rychlik; Robert Wise; Shirley Gardiner; Jerry Ricci Ott; Anita Morales; Darcy Richardson; Marsha Lee; Jovita Ogwuru; Paul Pustejovsky; Felix Gois; Al Janda; Randy Thibodeaux; Olga Longoria; Normie Auzenne; Rose Ayroso; Sharon Koster; Anna Petrites; Tomasa Lazo; Mary Lemos; Miracle Vasquez; Homous Nabulsi; Loretta Wehmeir; Teresa Betancourt; Mamie Mercatante; Dr Mitchell Mercatante; Carmen Ramirez; Wallace James

DECEASED: Julio Olvera; Leeanna Rougeaux

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

El Grupo - Al-Anon fe y esperanza se reúne en el Salón #8 los Jueves de 6:00 a 8:00 pm y Sábados de 5:00 a 7:00 pm para compartir experiencias con los familiares y amigos de personas afectadas por el alcoholismo y drogadicción, Los interesados llamen a Alicia al 281-437-8539, en las sesiones se protegé plenamente el anonimato.

Do you wish you knew more about your faith? Are you intimidated when Christians from other denominations ask you questions or challenge you about Catholicism? The Archdiocesan program **Formation Toward Christian Ministry (FTCM)** offers a comprehensive and systematic introduction to Catholic theology for adults. Areas discussed include Scripture, Doctrine, Church History, Liturgical Theology, Moral Theology and Prayer. Feel free to sign up for an entire semester or a single topic. Right now the program is being offered at Holy Family in the Assembly beginning Thursday, August 18th. For more information call the CCE Office, 281-499-4612 or the Archdiocesan Office of Evangelization and Catechesis at 713-741-8730 or visit www.archgh.org/oec/ftcm.

The Catholic Archdiocese of Galveston – Houston will host the Thirty – Ninth Convention of the National Association of Pastoral Musicians July 11-16, 2016, at the George R. Brown Convention Center and the Hilton Americas in Houston, Texas. The theme, The Church Sings, embodies the diversity of languages, cultures and experiences beyond our borders to unite us in faith. Pre-registration, Early Bird and Advanced discounts are available online at www.npm.org. Regular/on-site rates will apply after **June 10**. The Hilton Americas-Houston is providing convention room rates until **June 20**. Attendees must make reservations directly with the hotel. Information is available online at www.npm.org.

Café Catholica 2016: Reawaken Mercy... Café Catholica is a dinner-lecture series for young adults, featuring dynamic speakers. The Cafe is held over three Mondays at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church (6800 Buffalo Speedway, Houston TX 77025). We begin each evening with Confessions at 5:15 pm, Mass at 6:15, dinner at 7:15 pm, speaker at 8:15 pm, table exhibits and socializing. Come for all or part of the evening! About 700 young adults attend each night. Donations are appreciated.

July 11 Deacon Preston Quintela: Compassion.

Community. Christ.

July 18 Daniel Cardinal DiNardo: Endless Mercy.

Lasting Joy.

July 25 Msgr. William L. Young: Walk Humbly.

Love Mercy.

Check us out online at www.CafeCatholica.com and join the Café Catholica group on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/CafeCatholica)!

Café Catholica is sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of Young Adult & Campus Ministry. For more information, call 713-741-8778.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Once the early Christians realized that Christ's coming in glory was delayed, there was a need to provide for the governance and everyday needs of the church. The various "orders" within the church carried forward the apostles' ministry, but also allowed for a measure of creativity. The sacrament we call "holy orders" evolved somewhat slowly. At first, it made sense for Christians to use the forms they knew, adapting them to new situations. Synagogues, for example, were administered by a board of "elders," translated into Greek as *presbyteros*. We know from the Acts of the Apostles that a system of presbyters was a normal feature of church life from earliest days. They stood in relationship to another order, that of "overseers," translated into Greek as *episkopos*, giving us the English "bishops." The bishop was the shepherd, the faithful tender of the flock, one who offered the Eucharist, forgave sins, and maintained the bond of charity. Just as the deacons were the chief advisers for the charitable life of the church, so were the presbyters meant to advise the bishop on the spiritual life of the faithful. They were trusted advisers at first, not pastors or priests as we understand those terms today.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Perú tiene más de 3000 fiestas cada año, normalmente en torno al santo patrón de algún pueblo. La celebración de Corpus Christi es celebrada en todo el país. Pero es más llamativa en Cusco. Durante el día se escucha el repique de María Angola, la campana más grande de todo Perú, que existe desde el siglo XVI.

La celebración incluye una procesión con quince santos y vírgenes del siglo XVII, que vienen desde sus santuarios hasta la barroca Catedral de Cusco para honrar el Cuerpo de Jesús. Estas imágenes son cargadas por la plaza de armas antes de llegar a la catedral donde se quedarán hasta el octavo día. Según los peruanos los santos y vírgenes pasan las siete noches platicando con el Señor de los temblores, bromeando y planificando el año que viene para sus parroquias. El último día los santos y vírgenes regresan a sus santuarios con otra procesión.

Estas dos procesiones nos recuerdan que por mucho que los latinoamericanos amemos y veneremos a los santos y vírgenes reconocemos que tanto ellos como nosotros están al servicio de Cristo Jesús.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glez, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

The Knights of Columbus Council 7728 is sponsoring the 5th Sunday Rosary program TODAY, Sunday May 29th at 2:30 pm in the Chapel. This Rosary is dedicated to Pro-life and the values of life in our Catholic faith. This rosary is dedicated to all life and the right to live. We hope to see all of the parishioners and their families including the Knights.

Thank you for supporting this worthy cause.

Continuing
Christian
Education

Teach me Wisdom,
Knowledge and
Discipline
281 499-4612



CCE Activities...

Sunday, May 29th

NO CCE Activities - Memorial Day Weekend

Monday, May 30th

Memorial Day - All Parish Offices Closed

Tuesday - Thursday, May 31st - June 2nd

9:00 am - 5:00 pm VBS Registration -
CCE & Rectory Offices

Sunday, June 5th

10:00 am Spanish RICA - Room #3
10:45 am Graduation Mass - Blessing, honoring all
graduating Seniors at Mass
12:30 pm Graduation Mass - Blessing, honoring all
graduating Seniors at Mass
2:00 pm Spanish Group Baptisms - Church

Graduating Seniors...All high school and college seniors are invited to the 10:45am or 12:30 pm Masses on Sunday, June 5th for a special "blessing" during Mass. Please wear your cap & gowns. A cake & punch reception for them and their families will be held in the Assembly Room directly after the Masses.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL...Will be held the week of June 6 - 9, 2016, Monday - Thursday, from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm each evening. Open to students those entering Kinder (age 5) and those completing the 5th grade. Registrations forms were given out on the last day of CCE for Sunday and Wednesday CCE classes. You may also register in the Rectory or CCE Offices during the week. Cost is \$15 per student, max \$45 for a family of 3 or more. ***Deadline is Thursday, June 2nd!***

VBS Volunteers...Middle School and High School students are asked to help in various areas during that week. Volunteers are asked to call the CCE Office (281-499-4612) to volunteer and for meeting work dates.

CCE Classes for 2015/16 have ended- Are your CCE Fees Paid?...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.

Archdiocesan Youth Conference 2016! It's here again! An amazing weekend of speakers, music, talks, fellowship and worship. This year's theme is "***Blessed***". It will be held on July 29th-31st at the George R Brown Convention Center and one of the hotels nearby. The conference is open to incoming 9th graders and outgoing seniors. The cost is \$200 but we are currently doing fundraisers for the conference. For more information or to pick up a registration packet, please stop the CCE office or call 281-499-4612.

Organizations or individuals interested in sponsoring a youth for this amazing conference are asked to call the CCE Office, 281-499-4612.

Are You Catholic and Going to College??? We invite you to find and visit the Catholic Center or Catholic Student Organization at your University/ College. Newman Centers exist all over the country. Find your Catholic Center at www.newmanconnection.com and join them for Mass, networking, and activities to get to know other Catholic students and grow in your faith. Through campus Newman Centers, the Office of Young Adult and Campus Ministry seeks to evangelize the academic community. Visit www.archgh.org/yacm for a list of Catholic Centers at our local universities.

All CCE Catechists - Spanish & English...Don't forget to ***RSVP*** for the "***Appreciation Dinner***" on June 10th. Call CCE Office at 281-499-4612, ext. 333. **Deadline is June 3rd.**

1st Communion Certificates...or 2nd graders or students in Group II Sacramental Prep classes who did not receive their sacramental certificates, please pick up in the CCE Office during the week or call to make arrangements for pick-up.

Welcome to the Newly Baptized: April Renee Pantoja: Parents, Lionel L. & Jady Pantoja; Godparents, Jose & Maria Santos. **David Kingsley Osas Idemudia:** Parents, Kingsley Osaghae Idemudia & Angel Marie Adlene Bostic; Godparent, Denise Herbert Bostic.

A prayer for persecuted Christians...Heavenly Father, we ask that you would make us ever mindful of our brothers and sisters around the world who need us to stand with them as they suffer in your name. Teach us what it means to overcome by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of our testimony; we pray that we would not love our lives so much as to shrink from death. O Lord, hear our prayer.

Stewardship of Time and Talent June 4/5, 2016

Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion

5:30 pm Sat	Rudy Cruz Jeanette Holloway Kathleen Mitchell Lucretia Pyle	Mary Helen Hoelscher Inger Louis Marilyn O'Laughlin
7:30 am Sun	Connie Govea Jessie Gibson Laurice Rochard Volunteer	June Anderson Jacqueline Harleaux Regina Salas
9:00 am	Sandy Laran Sophy Joy Caroline Okpara Magie Villarreal	Lucio Avellaneda Rafaela Laran James Thurmond
10:45 am	Carmen Zamora Wilton Broussard Hope Groves Mary Guerrero Adelaida Reyes Arnulfo Zamora	Marina Beltran Alfreda Broussard Robert Guerrero Karisue Nelson Doretta Rychlik
12:30 pm	Guadalupe Betancourt Edgar Gonzales Jeanette Velasquez Santiago Romero Laura Cantu Ana Cortez	Elvia Condon Rosie Rodriguez Mario Ponce Jesus Cantu Vicky Melendez Alba Martinez
5:30 pm	Kathy Mroczkowski Mary Jo Barta Dione Gaspar Ugo Nweke	Claudia Adame Anne Cuesta Jeff Gaspar

Readers

5:30 pm Sat	Elva Moore	Zen Badavi
7:30 am Sun	Angie Perez	Jeanette Dansereau
9:00 am Sun	Bill Long	Judy Ikwuagwu
10:45 am Sun	Nikki Sadeghi	Darrell Groves
12:30 pm Sun	Mingo Salas	Jesus Zepeda
5:30 pm Sun	Mary Gobencion	Judi Bourque

Altar Servers

5:30 pm Sat	Michael Stuckert Volunteer	Volunteer
7:30 am Sun	G'iona Collins Theresa Manakkil	Ann Marie Manakkil
9:00 am Sun	Homero Flores Devon Sanchez	Kyle Olivier
10:45 am Sun	Nirmal Joseph Gerrard Tyler	Julieta Nwanguma
12:30 pm Sun	NA	
5:30 pm	Brisa McCann Mary Ann Ogwuru	Isla McCann

Ushers

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

... and Treasure

Financial Support For Church Operations Total For April 2016

Need Monthly/Operations \$119,900

Income:

Offertory	\$79,324
Faith Direct (EFT)	\$16,685
Other Donations	\$8,447
Lent Project	\$3,681

Monthly Total \$108,138

Over/(Shortage) (\$11,763)

**Cumulative Year to Date 04/16
\$18,188**

2nd Collections for:

Building Fund	\$4,355
St Vincent DePaul	\$4,307
Catholic Home Mission	\$349

**Last month's Building Fund Pledge
Payments/Donations \$21,728**

Current Parish Mortgage Balance

\$2,036,886

Lenten Sacrifice (to date) \$35,460

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