

St. Matthew Catholic Church

2800 Pine Tree Rd.
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February 02, 2020

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"To Know, to Love and to Serve Christ Among His People, and to Seek the Lost"

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND:	Saturday - Vigil	5:00 PM, (Eng.) 7:00 PM (Esp.)
	Sunday	8:30 & 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM (Eng.)
	Domingo	1:00 PM (Esp.)
DAILY:	Monday - Friday	7:00 AM
	Tuesday	7:00 PM (Español)
	Wednesday	6:00 PM
	Friday	12:05 PM
HOLY DAY:	7:00 AM, 12:05 & 6:00PM (Eng.)	7:30 PM (Esp.)
ADORATION:	First Fridays	7:30 AM - 11:45 AM
	Wednesdays	7:30 AM - 5:45 PM (Sept.- May)
CONFESSION:	Saturday	4:00 - 4:45 PM
	Tuesday	5:00 - 7:00 PM, Thursday 5:00 - 6:00 PM
	Any other time by Appointment	

Mobile App: (Install from "App store" or "Play store")
"Saint Matthew Longview"

Our website: www.stmattlgv.com

Nationwide Mass times:

www.FindaParish.com
www.Masstimes.org or 1-800-Masstimes

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 12 NOON; & 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS: ON SATURDAYS

BAPTISM: 9:00 AM (ENGLISH)

10:00 AM (ESPAÑOL)

PRESENTACION: 11:00 AM

WEDDING & QUINCEAÑERA: 12 NOON & 2:00 PM

for more information,
please contact the church office during office hours.

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY - February 01

5:00 pm † Octave & Joyce Peloquin (Donna Admire)
 Jesse & Jaxon Goodman (Virgie Cameron)
 7:00 pm People of the Parish

SUNDAY - February 02

8:30 am Linda Weisinger (Linda Thomas)
 Carleen Stewart - Healing (Sonny & Sandy Miers)
 10:30 am † Deceased Family and Friends (John & Patty Ross)
 1:00 pm Carmen Gonzalez - Birthday (Parents)
 Emmanuel Ruiz - 3rd Birthday (Ruiz Family)
 6:00 pm † Forest & Dorothy McMeen
 (Tim & Teresa McMeen)
 Niki Starr (Nick & Sandy Miller)

MONDAY - February 03

7:00 am † Cynthia Benda (Linda Thomas)

TUESDAY - February 04

7:00 am † Tom Hayes (Charles & Lanell Archer)
 7:00 pm † Maria Nuno (Torres Family)

WEDNESDAY - February 05

7:00 am Charlie & Fay Eckel (Linda Weisinger)
 6:00 pm † Johnny Reindl Family (Rita Reindl)

THURSDAY - February 06

7:00 am † Tiburcio & Constanca Peña (Bert & Vickie Noriel)

FRIDAY - February 07

7:00 am † Jim McCracken (JoAnn McCracken)
 12:05 pm † For All Souls

SATURDAY - February 08

5:00 pm † Patrick Beck (Elaine Chambliss)
 † Robert Cameron (Virgie Cameron)
 7:00 pm † Pedro Perez & Alicia Medrano (Medrano Family)

SUNDAY - February 09

8:30 am † Joyce Reiner (Frank Kozlowski)
 Steve Kennedy - Healing (Sonny & Sandy Miers)
 10:30 am † Jim Deeds (John, Roberta & Kathryn Kallina)
 1:00 pm † Eulalio Ruiz, Sr. (Ruiz Family)
 † Juana Sanchez (Natalia & Olga)
 6:00 pm People of the Parish



Being Present is a Presentation

Dear brothers and sisters,
 Today is the fortieth day after Christmas. The Presentation of Jesus in the temple served two purposes: the first is the redemption of the first-born and the second is the purification of Mary.

Today we hear the story of Simeon and Anna. Both Simeon and Anna went to the Temple every day, because both of them believed that one day, they would see the Messiah there. They went every day! The Gospel says, in a nice way, that they were both older. So this is something that Simeon and Anna had done for a long time. And of course, as we just heard, they are both rewarded for their Faith and their perseverance, by the fact that they do get to see Jesus on the day that He is presented to God in the Temple. God fulfills His promises to Simeon and Anna. Simeon even says, "Lord, now I can go in peace, my eyes have seen the salvation."

God has also made promises to us, and we have made promises to Him. God wants us in communion with Him all the time. What if Simeon and Anna decided NOT to go to the Temple that day when Mary and Joseph brought the child Jesus to the Temple? They would have missed out! Are we missing out on a lot of great things, all because we're NOT there for God?

Sometimes we really do need to show up. Sometimes our presence can make all the difference in the world. Sometimes our prayer life and our relationship with God CAN'T wait, and CAN'T be put on the back burner. Sometimes God wants us right now! We've got to make God more and more a part of our daily lives. What do we have to do to make that happen? Not letting God into your life every day can cost you. We can miss out on so much! Don't let that happen.

Let God fulfill His promises to you every day!

With blessings!

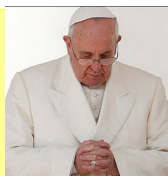
Msgr. Xavier

Observances & Readings

Monday 03	St. Blaise; St. Ansgar 2 Sm 15:13-30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday 04	2 Sm 18:9-30 - 19:3; Ps 86:1-6; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday 05	St. Agatha 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday 06	St. Paul Miki and Companions 1 Kgs 2:1-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13
Friday 07	First Friday Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50-51; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday 08	St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita; Blessed Virgin Mary 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday 09	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-9; 1Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

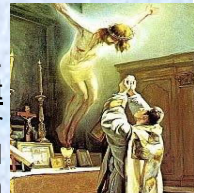
Pope's Intentions (February)

Universal – Victims: Human Trafficking
 For a generous welcome to the victims of human trafficking, enforced prostitution, and violence.



Offering a Holy Mass: choose a date

It is the highest form of prayer we can offer. Everyone prays for your intention. It is the best gift to your family, friends (living or dead), for their birthdays and anniversaries. A powerful and useful gift. Consider and call the church office to reserve your days with a stipend of your choice. Thanks!



YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS Worship through Giving

Jan. 26: Offering: \$ 8,934.33
Church in Latin America \$ 1,840.00

2nd Collection:

This weekend: Building Fund

Next Weekend: Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your stewardship.

Please pray for our priests in this Diocese:

Feb. 03: Rev. Joseph Lourdasamy
 Feb. 04: Rev. Lawrence Love
 Feb. 05: Rev. Nolan Lowry
 Feb. 06: Rev. Jay Lucas
 Feb. 07: Rev. Jose Marin
 Feb. 08: Rev. Mani Mathai
 Feb. 09: Rev. Rajan Mathias





New to St. Matthew's? WELCOME

Please feel free to let one of the members of the Hospitality Team or the pastor, Msgr. Xavier, know about your interests and your needs. We have Social Sunday with free breakfast on the 2nd Sunday of every month, with a special welcome for New Members.



Blessing of Throats

February 1st & 2nd, after all the weekend Masses, we will be blessing your Throats in honor of St. Blasé.

All Ministry Heads!

You are cordially invited to attend an Appreciation Dinner with your spouse on **Monday, February 10, 2020, at 6:30 p.m.** in the St. John Paul Center.

Please make plans to attend and **R.S.V.P. to the church office by February 3rd.** Call 903-295-3890 or email churchoffice@stmattlgv.com



World Marriage Day is Feb. 8th

at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Tyler. All couples celebrating wedding anniversaries ending in 0 or 5 (5, 10, 15, 20, etc.) and couples celebrating more than 50 years of marriage in 2020

are cordially invited to attend the World Marriage Day Anniversary Mass and Reception with Bishop Strickland. Please be sure to register at www.stphilipinstitute.org/events. More info is in the wall pockets in the foyer.



Daughters of Mother Seton Valentine Luncheon

Wednesday, February 12th.

It will be held in the Parish Hall from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm. Come ready for some tasty food, fun games with prizes and a chance to visit with other single ladies.

Friends or neighbors, Catholic or non-Catholic are always welcome. So we may plan for food, please RSVP to JoAnn McCracken at 903-736-8344 or the church office at 903-295-3890.

SAVE THE DATE:
Sat., February 22nd
6:30 pm - 10:30 pm
All are welcome!



Our new Pictorial Directory is here!

Those who had their picture taken will receive a copy of our parish directory. You may pick it up in the office during the week.



This Week:

- Feb. 03: Fund Raising Comm.;** 6:00 pm, Conf. Room
- ACTS Women Faith Sharing;** 7 pm, Room 37
- Feb. 05: ACTS Men Faith Sharing;** 6 am, Parish Hall
- Adoration;** 7:30 am - 5:45 pm, Chapel
- St. Vincent de Paul Society;** 5 pm, Room 12
- Feb. 06: ACTS Core;** 6:00 pm, Conference Room
- Feb. 07: First Friday Adoration;** 7:30 -11:45 am, Chapel

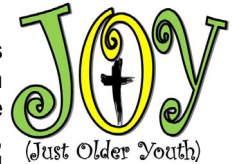
Tax Letters (Donation Letters) for 2019 are available in the church office and may be picked up during business hours, or they may be mailed to your home or emailed to you, if you wish.

SCHEDULING of FACILITY USAGE for 2020

Please check with the church office to plan your meetings. Room assignments are also available on the parish website under "**Regularly Scheduled Events**" and the "**Annual Events Calendar.**" Thanks for your service and for all you do for the Lord in our parish.

JOY Ministry

We invite all of those 55+ to join us for dinner, games & fellowship on Thursday, Feb.13, at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Invite all your friends, Catholic or non-Catholic. Lots of food and fun. Don't miss it.



Palms Needed for Ash Wednesday

Please bring your old palms by February 17th and place them in the box in the foyer. They will be burned to make ashes for Ash Wednesday.

Ash Wednesday is on February 26.

Right to Life of East Texas Celebrate Life Banquet

Saturday, February 29, 2020, at 6:30 p.m.

Infinity Event Center, Holiday Inn North, 300 Tuttle Circle (behind Hobby Lobby) Longview, Texas 75605
Featuring *Christian Homes and Family Services* speaking about Adoption.

Reservations are Required! Reservation forms are available on the bulletin board in the church foyer.



Women's ACTS Retreat March 12-15, 2020

Applications are in the wall pockets in the foyer. Take this opportunity to relax and nurture your relationship with God and fellow parishioners. For additional information, please contact Suzie Pierce, Retreat Director, at 281-793-4230 or Co-Director Missy Harrison at 281-684-8948.

RCIA (Christian Initiation)

Classes are held every Sunday at 4:30 pm in Room 37. For more info and registration, please contact Deacon John D'Antoni at 903-261-9790 or the church office at 903-295-3890.





FAMILY Faith Formation

Evangelize, Catechize and Form Disciples

FAITH FORMATION - SAVE THE DATE

- Feb. 02: Faith Formation Class
- Feb. 05: Faith Formation Class
- Feb. 09: Faith Formation Class
- Feb. 12: Faith Formation Class
- Feb. 15: Sacrament Prep Class (1st Communicants only)



Sacrament Prep Class: February 15th

**For ALL PARENTS & SPONSORS WITH CHILDREN
WHO ARE ENROLLED FOR SACRAMENTS
at St. John Paul Center.**

**YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS IT!
All are expected!**

All should have submitted their baptism certificate.
Please discuss with Freeda for more info.



The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes & World Day of the Sick - Feb. 11th

One hundred and sixty years ago, the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared on eighteen occasions to Bernadette Soubirous, a very poor, 14-year-old girl, in a cave situated just outside the Village of Lourdes. The first of the apparitions took place on February 11th, the day we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes.

On this same day twenty six years ago, Pope John Paul II declared February 11th the World Day of the Sick. The Holy Father, Pope Francis, has written a message that all members should read on the theme of this year's two-part celebration, the image of the "Mater Ecclesia".

In his message, the Holy Father points out that, just like "Mary's maternal vocation for all humanity," the Church, with its long standing tradition of service to the sick, keeps its own "maternal vocation to the needy and to the sick. [That tradition] has found concrete expression throughout the two thousand years of her history in an impressive series of initiatives on behalf of the sick [...and] continues to the present day throughout the world".

Answers for last week's questions (01/26/20)

- Two (Acts 1:10)
- White apparel (1:10)
- They call them "Men of Galilee" (Acts 1:11)
- Jerusalem (1:12)
- Sabbath day's journey (1:12)

Questions for this week (From Acts of the Apostles)

- Where did the disciples go when they returned to Jerusalem from Mount Olivet?
- List eleven disciples who went to Jerusalem after the ascension?
- When returning to Jerusalem and going to the upper room, in what did they continued with one accord?
- Who was also with the disciples in the upper room in Jerusalem?
- How many disciples were in Jerusalem after the ascension?

The LAST DAY

January 31, 2020 was the last day to submit a copy of the Baptism certificate of the children who are preparing for Confirmation and First Holy Communion this year.

February 29, 2020.

is the last date to submit the completed paperwork for the Sacraments. Contact the Faith Formation Office to finalize the details. Thanks.



**Check out the information about
our new Ethics & Integrity / Safe
Environment Program on the Youth
page (page 5) in this bulletin.**

ACCEPTENCE CERTIFICATE

Dear Catechists,

Thank you for serving and sharing your faith with our children and adults. I request you to attend the Safe Environment class for the Acceptance Certificate for Service (ACS.) It is required of all Church personnel - Clergy, religious, seminarians, paid employees and volunteers - engaged in ministry with minors and vulnerable adults. Please get this certificate!

The St. Philip Institute

is hosting several events for the diocese:

- World Marriage Day at the Cathedral Center (Tyler) February 8th - contact parish office for registration or register online
- The Adaptive Teacher at The Cathedral Center (Tyler) on February 29th (9am- 3pm)
- Three to get married at The Cathedral Center (Tyler) on March 6-7

To register for these and any other events, please visit www.stphilipinstitute.org/events.

Altar Servers Schedule: 02/08-09/2020

Saturday:

- 5:00 pm: Gabriela Garcia, Yamilee Montoya
- 7:00 pm: Vianney Aguilar, Aaron Aguilar
Diego Ramirez, Daniel Ramirez
Arelly Gonzalez

Sunday:

- 8:30 am: Maylea Malloy, Stephanie Viramontes
Guadalupe Franco, Laityn Chism, Mary Scott
- 10:30 am: Madelyn Boykin, Olivia Anguiano
Isabella Anguiano
- 1:00 pm: Karen Quezada, Jesus Quezada
Stephany Hernandez, Courtney Ramirez
Martin Ramirez
- 6:00 pm: Edgar Rico, Azucena Perez, Mariano Perez

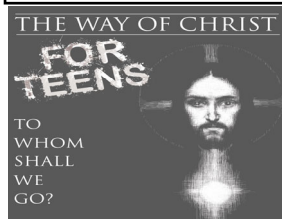




Sundays:
 4:30 - 5:45 PM: Choir Practice
 6:00 - Youth Mass
 7:15 - Food & Fellowship
 7:30 - 8:30 PM: Youth Ministry
 Contact: Cyndi Starr: 903-720-3873

Sundays: (Spanish)
 2:30 PM: Food & Fellowship
 3:30 PM: Cristo Joven events
 5:00 PM: Closing & Parents pick-up
 Contact: Daniela Rodriguez or the church office: 903-295-3890

Middle School:
 Wednesdays: 6:30 pm
 Sundays: 11:45 am & 4:30 pm
 Contact: Becky Anguiano
 903-746-9146



Our Youth Ministry Needs You!

Teens: Bring your friends for Youth Ministry after the 6:00 p.m. Mass on Sundays.

ALL ARE WELCOME

Adults: If you have a heart for our teens and care about their growth in the Faith, we need your help!

Whatever your skills, whatever your schedule, you can contribute in a very real way to help our teens. Even if you don't know how you can help, please call the youth office and we can decide together! For more information, contact the church office (903) 295-3890.

Middle School (6-8 Grades)

Students: St. Francis was the son of a rich man, who abandoned his wealth to wander around begging, preaching to others, and praising God. Through his example, a great religious order began. We must allow God to be above all material things, and to be content with having only what we need to serve Him. Reflect on the gifts you received for Christmas. Be grateful for what you have and don't focus on what you don't have. Think about those who didn't receive anything. Parents and students, research why the Pope chose the name Francis.



Diocese of Tyler: Ethics & Integrity / Safe Environment Program

General: An Acceptance Certificate for Service (ACS) is required of all Church personnel - Clergy, religious, seminarians, paid employees and volunteers engaged in ministry with minors and vulnerable adults.

The ACS is granted after completing the required background check and Safe Environment training; commitment to the Code of Ethics and Integrity for Conduct of Church Personnel / Volunteers is also required.

Background Check: Church personnel / volunteers must register with their parish administrator by filling out a registration form in the church office. Once they are entered into the database, they will receive e-mails about the background check and the Code of Conduct. The cost of the background check is \$16. **You must complete the Background Check and acknowledge the Code of Conduct before you may attend the training.**

Training: You must register for the training in the church office. Before service begins and every three years thereafter, church personnel / volunteers will take the training, in which they will view Praesidium's CASE video and participate in facilitated discussion. During years 2 and 3, all will complete ongoing education online.

Our **Parish Administrator** is Beth Kennedy. You may contact her at 903-295-3890 or churchoffice@stmattlvg.com for more information.



FACIL DE COMUNICAR. COMO? Padres: Por favor instale nuestra App en su teléfono inteligente

Para Instalar - Vaya a 'App store' o 'Play store' y busque "St Matthew Longview". Tiene todo que lo necesario para su crecimiento espiritual personal, desde nuestra parroquia hasta el Vaticano. No quiere perdersela especialmente nuestras comunicaciones de la parroquia.

We Welcome New Choir Members

How can you get your middle & high schoolers busy? Your children from 8th grade through adult can sing and play contemporary Christian liturgical music during Sunday evening Mass. New choir members are welcomed to join them and sing for the Lord. **Joining is Easy - just Come to practice on Sundays at 4:30 pm in the church.**

For more info, please contact Beth Kennedy in the church office.



Scholarships

Our Lady's Guild will award two scholarships in 2020 to parishioners from St. Anthony, St. Mary's, St. Matthew or Our Lady of Grace. Anyone attending college or technical school in the fall is eligible, including adults going back to college. Applications are available in the wall pockets in the foyer. For more info, contact Linda Thomas at 903-759-5704 or 903-235-6277. Submission deadline is April 3, 2020.

St. Matthew has a Facebook page.

"Like" us and get to know more of what is going on in our parish family.



"Guerreros de San Miguel Arcángel" ESTAS INVITADO JOVEN ADULTO!!

(18-30 años de edad)

Quienes: No as sido previamente casado y no tienes hijos. Podrías ser miembro de nuestro grupo juvenil!!

Quando: Todos los **domingos** de **7:00 pm - 8:30 pm**
"Por eso pónganse la armadura de Dios, para que en el día malo puedan resistir y mantenerse en la fila valiéndose de todas sus armas." Efesios 6:13



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Observancias Y Lecturas

Lunes, 03	San Blas; San Óscar 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Sal 3:2-7; Mc 5:1-20
Martes, 04	2 Sm 18:9-30 - 19:3; Sal 86:1-6; Mc 5:21-43
Miércoles, 05	Santa Agueda 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Sal 32:1-2, 5-7; Mc 6:1-6
Jueves, 06	San Pablo Miki y compañeros 1 Re 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Cr 29:10-12; Mc 6:7-13
Viernes, 07	Primer viernes Eclo 47:2-11; Sal 18:31- 51; Mc 6:14-29
Sábado, 08	San Jerónimo Emiliano; Santa Josefina Bakhita; Bienaventurada María Virgen 1 Re 3:4-13; Sal 119:9-14; Mc 6:30-34
Domingo, 09	Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Día Mundial del Matrimonio Is 58:7-10; Sal 112:4-9; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

EL ÚLTIMO DÍA

para traer el certificado de bautismo y todas las formas para el Sacramento de la confirmación es el **Febrero 2, 2020.**

Si su hijo fue bautizado en St Matthew, póngase en contacto con la oficina de formación de fe antes del 31 de enero para finalizar. Gracias.



¡Nuestro nuevo Directorio Pictórico está aquí!

Aquellos a quienes se les tomó una foto recibirán una copia de nuestro directorio parroquial. Usted puede recogerlo en la oficina durante la semana.



El Día Mundial de los Matrimonios

es el 8 de febrero a las 2 p.m. en la Catedral de la Inmaculada Concepción. Todas las parejas que celebran aniversario de boda que terminan en 0 o 5 y las parejas que celebran más de 50 años de matrimonio en el año 2020 están cordialmente invitadas a asistir a la Misa de Aniversario del Día Mundial de los Matrimonios y la Recepción con el Obispo Strickland. Asegúrese de registrarse en la página www.stphilipinstitute.org/events o llame a la oficina del Instituto San Felipe si tiene alguna pregunta.

PROGRAMACIÓN DEL USO DE LA FACILIDAD para 2020

Por favor, consulte con la oficina de la iglesia para planificar sus reuniones. Las asignaciones de salones también están disponibles en el sitio web de la parroquia en "Eventos programados regularmente" y en el "Calendario de Eventos Anuales." Gracias por vuestro servicio y por todo lo que hacen por el Señor en nuestra parroquia.

Esta parroquia es de ustedes. Muchísimas gracias por participar en la actividad de:

<u>Limpieza</u>	<u>Comida</u>	<u>Ujieres durante la Misa</u>	<u>Sábado</u>	<u>Rosario</u>	<u>Domingo</u>
Feb. 02: Servidoras	Grupo de Oración	Niños	Niños		Niños
Feb. 09: Cursillos	Servidoras	Ramon Hernández	Evangélicación		Reyna González
Feb. 16: Grupo de oración	Cursillos	Jóvenes	Servidoras		Genoveva Ponce
Feb. 23: Servidoras	Nueva Evangelización	Ramon Hernández	Grupo de Oración		Ana Montoya

Esta Semana

Feb. 03: Servidoras de Gipe; 10:00 am, Salón Parró.
Cursillos; 7:00 pm, Capilla
Grupo Compartiendo la Fe; 7:00 pm, Salón #14
Crecimiento Clases; 7:00 pm, Salón #13, 15
Feb. 05: Adoración; 7:30 am – 5:45 pm, Capilla
Feb. 06: Quinceañera Clases; 6:00 pm, Salón # 14
Feb. 07: Primer Viernes Adoración; 7:30–11:45 am, Capilla

Se necesitan Palmas para miércoles de ceniza

Por favor traer las palmas vieja antes del 17 de febrero y colocar en la caja en el Pasillo de la entrada. Se quemarán para hacer cenizas para el miércoles de ceniza. **Miércoles de Ceniza es Febrero 26**

Cartas de Impuestos: Cartas de impuesto del año 2019 están disponibles en la oficina de la iglesia y pueden ser recogidas en horarios de oficina .

RENUEVA LA FUERZA DE TU MATRIMONIO

Retiro de parejas

El 14, 15 & 16 de Febrero

En el centro San Juan Pablo

Viernes– Cena Romántica 6:00 pm

Sábado de 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Domingo de 8:00 am – 12:30 pm

Sera un Fin de Semana de Sorpresas y Bendiciones !



¡Todos los jefes del ministerio! Apartar la fecha

Le invitamos cordialmente a asistir a una Cena de Apreciación con su cónyuge el lunes 10 de febrero 2020, a las 6:30 p.m. en el Centro San Juan Pablo. Por favor, haga planes para asistir y **R.S.V.P. a la oficina de la iglesia antes del 3 de febrero.** 903-295-3890 o churchoffice@stmatthlgv.com.



BECAS

Our Lady's Guild otorgará 2 becas en el año 2020 a los feligreses de St Anthony, St. Mary, St Matthew o nuestra Señora de Gracia. Cualquier persona que asistea a la Universidad o escuela técnica en el otoño es elegible, incluyendo a adultos que regresan a la Universidad. Aplicaciones están disponibles en los bolsillos de pared en el vestíbulo. Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Linda Thomas al 903-759-5704 o 903-235-6277. Fecha límite es 03 de abril de 2020.



Nuestras más sinceras condolencias a Alonso Rivera por la pérdida de su hijo, Bryan Rivera, y Aurora Domínguez y sus hijos en la pérdida de Raúl Domínguez.

Que Dios le conceda descanso eterno y consuelo a su familia. ¡Estamos con ustedes en oración!

Wedding Anniversaries

02/06: Sam & Cathy Morlen
 02/07: Roberto & Silvia Garcia
 02/08: Joel & Cindy Perritt
 Maximiliano Maldonado &
 Alma Carrillo



Baptism Preparation Classes: February 2020

In English: February 20 at 6:30 pm
In Spanish: February 15 at 4:00 pm
Pre-registration is must!



Come to the church office to register.

YOU ARE A BLESSING FROM GOD. BE A BLESSING TO YOUR CHILDREN BY BAPTIZING THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

CONGRATULATIONS!

May the Lord continue to bless you!

Weekly Activities

ACTS Men: Wednesday, 6 am, Parish Hall
ACTS Women: Monday, 7 pm, Rm 31
Adult Bible Study: Tuesday, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall
Choir Practices: **Adults:** Wed. 6:30 pm; **Vigil:** Sat. 4:00 pm
Hispanic: Fri. 7 pm; **Youth:** Sun. 4:30 pm
English Class (ESL): Tue. & Thu. 9 am - 12 pm, PH
RCIA: Sun. 4:00 pm, Faith Formation Center Rm 37
St. Vincent de Paul: Wed. 5 pm, Rm 11
Youth Group: Sun. 7:00 - 8:30 pm, Parish Hall

Cada Semana

Lunes: Cursillistas: 7 - 8 pm; Salón; Coro de Oración: Capilla
Clase Crecimiento: 7 - 8:30 pm; salón 13, 15;
Martes: Clases ESL: 9 am - 12 pm; Misa y Grupo de Oración: 7 pm;
Miércoles: Hogar de Fe: 6:30 pm; Salón Parroquial
Jueves: Clases ESL: 9 am - 12 pm; Salón Parroquial
Clase Quinceañera: 6 pm; Salón Parroquial, 1er y 3er
Viernes: RCIA: 7:00 - 8:30 pm; Salón 14
Practica para Boda/Quinceañera: 5 y 6 pm; Iglesia.
Sábado: Pre-Bautismo: 4:00 pm; 3^{er} Sábado del Mes: Salón Parroq.
Domingo: Hogar de Fe: 12 pm, Salón 13 & 14; 4:30 pm, Salón 14
Grupo Juvenil: 2:30 pm; Centro San Juan Pablo
Guerreros de San Miguel: 7pm, Centro San Juan Pablo

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