

# St. Matthew Catholic Church

2800 Pine Tree Rd.  
Longview, Texas 75604-1647

May 02, 2021

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## BEARING Fruit

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

### MASS SCHEDULE

<b>WEEKEND:</b>	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.)
<b>DAILY:</b>	Monday - Friday	7:00 AM
	Tuesday	7:00 PM (Español)
	Friday	12:05 PM
<b>HOLY DAY:</b>	7:00 AM, 12:05 & 6:00 PM (Eng.); 7:30 PM (Esp.)	
<b>ADORATION:</b>	First Fridays	7:30 AM - 11:45 AM
	Wednesdays	7:30 AM - 5:00 PM (Sept.- May)
<b>CONFESSION:</b>	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](http://www.stmattlgv.com)

**Nationwide Mass times:**  
[www.FindaParish.com](http://www.FindaParish.com)  
[www.Masstimes.org](http://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 - May 01

5:00 pm Alex Dorantes (Chely Nieto)  
7:00 pm † Jesus Tornes (Eduardo Serrano & Diana Tornes)

### SUNDAY - May 02

8:30 am People of the Parish  
10:30 am † Sharon Wildt (Emily Myers)  
† Modesta, Alvino & Teresa Tovar  
1:00 pm † Juan Delgado, Teresa & Rafael Lopez  
(Delgado Family)  
6:00 pm Catherine Kennedy (Steve & Beth Kennedy)

### MONDAY - May 03

7:00 am † Elena Ordoñez (Bert & Vickie Noriel)

### TUESDAY - May 04

7:00 am † Maria & John the Baptist (Bien Quach)  
7:00 pm All Sick (Yolanda Roel)

### WEDNESDAY - May 05

7:00 am Lee Ann Coons & Family (Mike & Ellen Swan)

### THURSDAY - May 06

7:00 am All Souls in Purgatory (Maria Canchola)

### FRIDAY - May 07

7:00 am Christopher Miller - Birthday (Nick & Sandy Miller)  
12:05 pm † Robert Anderson (Steve & Beth Kennedy)

### SATURDAY - May 08

5:00 pm † Octave & Joyce Peloquin (Donna & Katie Admire)  
Maria Ana Garcia (Steve & Beth Kennedy)  
7:00 pm † Holy Souls in Purgatory (Guadalupe Urias)

### SUNDAY - May 09

8:30 am Fr. Peter - Ordination Anniversary (Jerry & Sue Lang)  
10:30 am For Our Mothers  
1:00 pm † Alicia Medrano (Medrano Family)  
6:00 pm People of the Parish

### Offering a Holy Mass: choose a date

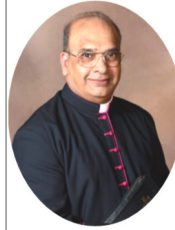
It is the highest form of prayer we can offer. Everyone prays for your intention. It is the best gift to your family and friends (living or dead) for their birthdays and anniversaries. A powerful and useful gift. Consider and call the church office to reserve your days.

## Observances & Readings

Monday 03	<b>Ss. Philip and James</b> 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14
Tuesday 04	Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-21; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday 05	Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday 06	Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Friday 07	<b>First Friday</b> Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday 08	Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday 09	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day</b> Acts 10:25-48; Ps 98:1-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10 Jn 15:9-17

### Pray for Pope's Intentions (May)

**Universal intention - The world of finance:** Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.



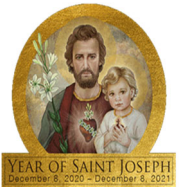
### Necessity of Mutuality

Dear brothers and sisters,

A native from a remote mountain village had the opportunity to visit a large modern city for the first time. He was amazed at the electric lights which he saw everywhere. So he bought a sack full of electric lights bulbs and sockets with switches so he could turn them off and on. Arriving home he hung the light bulbs in front of his home and on his and his neighbor's trees. Everyone watched him with curiosity and asked him what he was doing, but he just smiled and said, "Just wait until dark--you'll see." When night came he turned on the switches, but nothing happened. No one had told him about electricity. He did not know the light bulbs were useless unless connected to the source of their power.

Jesus said, "Apart from me you can do nothing." There are many people who do not know that the way they are living their lives is useless. They obtained the education, the job, the family, and bought the home. But when the sun sets and night comes, they face problems in life, and when they reach for the switch, nothing happens. They are not connected with the source, which makes all these things light up!

As a matter of fact, all that we need to do is to connect ourselves with God, as St. Joseph was, and did His will. All he did was to be connected with God. The branch of the vine does not worry or toil or seek to find water, but rests in union with the vine; and at the right time, in the right way, the right fruit is found on it. Just so, we are to be mutually connected with one another to be a fruitful family; with Christ to be a fruitful Christian. Not much hard work is needed other than being connected mutually. He provides the source to bear much fruit. It is His responsibility and He promises an abundant and fruitful life! It is the necessity of mutuality! Blessings!  
*Msgr. Xavier*



### Prayer Chain:

If you have a prayer request or you would like to join the prayer chain, please call the church office or email JoAnn McCracken at [j.mccracken46@gmail.com](mailto:j.mccracken46@gmail.com).

## YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS *Worship through Giving*

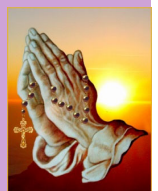
<b>April 25:</b>	Offering	\$ 9,685.00
	Online Giving	\$ 1,560.00
	Catholic Home Missions	\$ 1,877.00

### 2nd Collection:

**This weekend:** Building & Maintenance Fund  
**Next Weekend:** Society of St. Vincent de Paul  
*Thank you for your stewardship*

### Pray For Our Priests in Our Diocese:

May 03: Rev. Joseph Valentine  
May 04: Rev. Gavin Vaverek  
May 05: Rev. Jose Luis Vidarte  
May 06: Rev. Denzil Vithanage  
May 07: Rev. Denis Walsh  
May 08: Rev. Morgan White  
May 09: Rev. Msgr. James Young





St Matthew Catholic Church has been selected for the 2021 Best of Longview Award Places of Worship category by the Longview Award Program.

Congratulations! And sincere thanks to all of our parish families who make this parish what it is. You deserve this "AWARD." This is the 6th year we receive this award. Praise the Lord.

[Press Release \(award-recognition-2021.com\)](http://award-recognition-2021.com)



**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

On Wednesdays after the 7:00 a.m. Mass until 5:00 p.m., and on First Fridays after the 7:00 a.m. Mass until 11:45 a.m.

Spend at least 30 minutes before the Lord for your family's sake.

**Catholic Daughters**

**Mother's Day Gift Basket**

Raffle ticket sales for the Mother's Day Basket are May 1/2 after the Masses, with the basket being awarded on May 9. It is a day spa basket, lotions, a dinner, bottle of wine, and many other items.



**MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

To honor the mothers of our parish on Mother's Day, May 9th, we will have some special events planned. Come with your family and enjoy the events and honor our mothers.

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS IT!

We wish all the Mothers and Grandmothers a Happy Mothers' Day! May the Lord and our Blessed Mother watch over you for all the sacrifices you offer for your children and grandchildren.

**Our Lady's Guild - May Luncheon**

Thursday, May 20, at St. Anthony's Shopka Center, 406 N. Sixth St.

All ladies of the parish are invited to attend and friends are welcomed. The praying of the Rosary begins at 10:00 a.m., followed by the program and lunch. Lunches will be provided by Panera and the cost is \$12.50. Reservations are needed if you would like to have a lunch. For reservations, please contact Lisa Williams by May 17 at 903-738-0241. Free baby-sitting will be provided.



**Catechists Appreciation Dinner**

We thank our catechists and aides for doing such a good job of teaching our children this year. All catechists, aides and their spouses are invited to join us for an Appreciation Dinner on Wednesday, May 26, at 6:30 PM.

You are dedicated and Amazing Catechists!

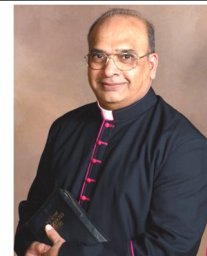


**THIS WEEK**

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

**Congratulations to Monsignor Xavier on the 40th anniversary of his Priestly Ordination (May 10th) Let us join him to thank the Lord.**

*Please join us for Mass at 7:00 a.m. on May 10 to pray for Msgr. Xavier and to thank God for his priesthood.*



We will have a Pot-luck Dinner on Monday evening, May 10, at 6:30 p.m. to celebrate Msgr. Xavier's Ordination Anniversary. All who would like to join, please bring a dish to share. Drinks will be provided.

For those who don't feel comfortable gathering for a meal, please join us to pray for Msgr. at one of the weekend Masses May 8/9.



**May 08:** Sacrament of Confirmation, 10 am & 1 pm  
The lists of the names of our candidates is posted on the bulletin board. Please check ahead of time.

**May 29th & 30th:** First Holy Communion weekend  
You may choose the Mass time for your child to receive the First Eucharist.

**June 01: Enrollment for Next School year**

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:** "Remain in me, as I remain in you. Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own unless it remains on the vine, so neither can you unless you remain in me." Learn how your marriage can bear fruit on the next Worldwide Marriage Weekend. For dates for "virtual" Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends visit our website at: <http://www.dfwme.org/> For more information e-mail [apply@dfwme.org](mailto:apply@dfwme.org) or call 469-444-0904. Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a [emmdfw@gmail.com](mailto:emmdfw@gmail.com) o visite <http://www.emmseccion21.org/>

**PRIESTS FOR TOMORROW: Teachers of Truth**

This is a Diocesan-wide Capital Campaign for our seminarians' education that we began in 2018, and which benefits "The Seminarian Endowment Fund," meant to ensure enough priests. If you made a pledge to the campaign, we encourage you to honor that pledge. If you need information about your pledge, please contact the diocese at 903-534-1077. If you would like to make a pledge, please take a pledge envelope from the wall pockets in the foyer.





# FAMILY Faith Formation

## Evangelize, Catechize and Form Disciples



### CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Due to COVID-19 & social distancing  
We have the classes **IN-PERSON**,  
only for preparing for the Sacraments.

[grades 2nd thru 5th]

Those registered to receive the Sacraments must attend  
at their respective scheduled time.

Sun.: 11:45 am & 4:30 pm; Wed.: 6:30 pm

All parents need to drive through at the back of the  
church [in front of the Faith Formation building], and stay  
in the car until your children have their temperature taken  
& drop them before you leave. [If they have a fever,  
please do not bring them to the class or to the Mass.]

**Note:** Children need to wear their masks.

### Dress Code

#### First Holy Communion & Confirmation

**Girls:** Dresses are NOT to be shorter than the knee or  
longer than the ankle. NO FORMALS. For those receiving  
First Holy Communion, the dress code is white; for the  
Confirmands, any color is  
permitted. Dress shoes or  
dress sandals (no tennis  
shoes). No dresses with  
spaghetti straps or without  
sleeves will be permitted.  
Without proper dress you  
may not be permitted to participate in the sacraments.

**Dress Code...**  
**Yes or No?**

**Boys - First Holy Communion:** Dress shirt must be  
white, long or short sleeve. Dress pants may be white,  
navy blue or black. Ties requested - white, navy blue or  
black;

**Boys - Confirmation:** Dress shirt of any solid color. Dark  
dress pants - navy blue or black; Dark shoes and  
socks - dress shoes preferred (no tennis shoes please);

Suit coats or jackets are optional (not a requirement).

### Answer for last week's questions (04/25/2021):

1. The apostles laid their hands on them (Acts 8:17)
2. Money (Acts 8:18-19)
3. Peter (Acts 7:58)
4. His heart (Acts 8:21)
5. Poisoned, iniquity (Acts 8:23)

### Questions for this week:

1. What did Simon ask Peter to do for him after being told to repent and seek forgiveness?
2. When Peter and John returned to Jerusalem, in what villages did they preach the gospel?
3. Where did the angel tell Philip to go after preaching in Samaria?
4. How is the place Philip was told to go after Samaria described?
5. From what country was the man Philip met as he traveled from Samaria?

# SAVE THE DATES!

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May 29th & 30th: First Holy Communion weekend

June 01: Enrollment for Next School year

### RCIA (Christian Initiation)

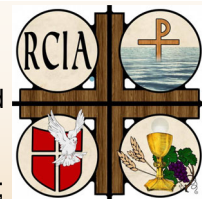
#### A Hearty Welcome

Congratulations to all our Newly Baptized  
brothers and sisters:

#### Baptized:

Justin Barbosa; Leon Barbosa;  
Sherlyn Barbosa; Brianna Hernandez;  
Zaira Hernandez; Elian Hernandez; Jassan Lambarrio;  
Osiel Lambarria; Jade Mireles; Amanda Perez;  
Danielle Valencia; Jacklyn Valencia; Christopher  
Webb; Kevin Mireles; Jennifer Barbosa; Gabriel  
Esquivel III; Katylene Mireles (child)

**Full Communion:** Ruff Phelps.



Our children have received the confirmation; but  
they have not completed the classes of formation  
yet. The last day of classes will be

**May 23rd & 26th.**

Please bring your children as usual for the classes  
on Sundays and Wednesdays.

**We will give the certificates for Sacraments  
on the last day of the class.**

Please contact Deacon John D'Antoni at 903-261-9790 or  
the church office at 903-295-3890.

### ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE: May 8/9, 2021

#### Saturday:

- 5:00 pm Carolina Hernandez, Sabrina Torres  
Grace Pengiparambil  
7:00 pm Eric Ramirez, Elias Tovar  
Eugenio Orona

#### Sunday:

- 8:30 am Stephanie Viramontes, Emmanuel  
Viramontes, Guadalupe Franco  
10:30 am Madelynn Boykin, Katelynn Boykin  
Mary Scott, Makayla Alexander  
1:00 pm Sophia Garcia, Ana Sophia Gomez  
Jorge Luis Morales, Barbara Morales  
6:00 pm Jihanna Alvarez, Azucena Perez  
Lincy Sanchez, Laisha Sanchez



# YOUTH MINISTRY



## Scholarships

**Knights of Columbus, Council #2771** is accepting applications for a Scholarship to be awarded to a 2021 Catholic graduating high school senior who is a member of the Catholic Community. Applications are in the wall pockets in the foyer. **Deadline to apply is May 22, 2021.** For more info, contact Jim Hooks at [j.hooks76@icloud.com](mailto:j.hooks76@icloud.com).



**Knights of Columbus, Council #11093,** is accepting applications for a Scholarship to be awarded to a 2021 Catholic graduating high school senior who is a member of the Catholic Community. Applications are available in the wall pockets. **Deadline to apply is May 7, 2021.** For more info, contact Bob Ward at [bobward1956@yahoo.com](mailto:bobward1956@yahoo.com).

**SAVE THE DATE: High School and College students**  
**Graduation Mass: May 23rd at 1 PM & 6 PM Masses.**

## High School Youth

Thanks to all who came bowling with us last Sunday. We had a great time and enjoyed the fellowship together. Our next social outing will be on May 30 at the REO Skate Rink.



## YDisciple

**PROGRAMS DON'T MAKE DISCIPLES,  
 DISCIPLES DO.**

**Virtue of the Week: Zeal - The strength to pursue an objective with tremendous energy and enthusiasm.**

This Sunday we will meet in the St. John Paul Center at 3:00 p.m. All high school youth and their friends are invited to attend. We hope to see you there.

## FIVE WAYS FOR YOUNG ADULTS TO GET INVOLVED IN THE PARISH

- 1. Pray regularly with your parish.** Go to Mass every week and participate in the celebration of the Eucharist. Join in opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation regularly.
- 2. Find your niche.** Most parishes offer a variety of ministries, committees and councils that do good work in the community and for the parish. There is almost always some ministry that will truly speak to your heart and fit with the type of person God has made you to be.
- 3. Volunteer your expertise.** Sometimes, the work you do outside the church is needed within the church. Volunteer to lead a project repairing something, planting, weeding a flower bed or maybe even teaching as a catechist or coaching the youth sports teams.
- 4. Make friends.** Many young adults feel alone until they look around at Mass and find people in the pews like them. Stick around for the after Mass, say hello and invite them to your place for brunch, or just start with exchanging phone numbers. And if that doesn't work, then sit closer to them at next week's Mass and catch them before they fly out the door.
- 5. If it isn't happening, make it happen.** Churches do not need to encompass all that is going on in the life of the parish. If you don't see something you would love to see happen, start doing it! Start a small group at your home, begin a sports club with fellow young adults at a local park, develop a running club or begin doing regular ministry for the homebound at your parish. Start doing it, and invite others to join you.

## "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*



## Observancias Y Lecturas

Lunes, 26	<b>San Felipa y Santiago</b> 1 Cor 15:1-8; Sal 19 :2-5; Jn 14:6-14
Martes, 27	Hch 14:19-28; Sal 145:10-21; Jn 14:27-31a
Miércoles, 28	Hch 15:1-6; Sal 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Jueves, 29	<b>Día Nacional de Oración</b> Hch 15:7-21; Sal 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Viernes, 30	<b>Primer viernes</b> Hch 15:22-31; Sal 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Sábado, 01	Hch 16:1-10; Sal 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Domingo, 02	<b>Sexto Domingo de Pascua; Día de las Madres</b> Hch 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Sal 98:1-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17



St Matthew Catholic Church  
Ah sido seleccionada para el **El Premio 2021 mejor lugar de Longview** en la categoría mejor lugar de Adoración por el Programa de Premios de Longview.

Felicitaciones! Y gracias sinceras a todas nuestras familias parroquiales que hacen de esta parroquia lo que es. Se merece este "PREMIO".

Este es el 6th año que recibimos este premio.  
Alabado sea el Señor.

[Press Release \(award-recognition-2021.com\)](http://www.pressrelease.com/award-recognition-2021.com)



### CELEBRACION DEL DIA DE LAS MADRES

para honrar a las madres de nuestra parroquia en el día de la Madre, 9th de mayo. tendremos algunos eventos especiales planeados. Venga con su familia y disfrute de los eventos y honre a nuestras Madres. ¡NO QUIERES PERDERTELO!

### Catholic Daughters

#### Rifa de Canasta día de la Madre

La venta de boletos de rifa para la Canasta del Día de las Madres es el 1/2 de mayo después de las Misas, y la canasta se entregará el 9 de mayo. Es una canasta de spa de día, lociones, una cena, botella de vino, y muchos otros artículos.



### Felicitaciones a Monseñor Xavier

En el 40th aniversario  
De su Ordenación Sacerdotal (Mayo 10th)  
Unámonos a El para dar gracia.



Por favor, únase a nosotros para la misa a las 7:00 a.m. el 10 de mayo para orar por monseñor Xavier y para dar gracias a Dios por su sacerdocio. Tendremos una cena de pot-luck el lunes por la noche, 10 de mayo, a las 6:30 p.m. para celebrar el Aniversario de la Ordenación de monseñor Xavier. Todos los que deseen unirse, por favor traigan un plato para compartir. Se proporcionarán bebidas. Para aquellos que no se sientan cómodos reuniéndose para una comida, por favor únase a nosotros para orar por monseñor en una de las misas del fin de semana 8/9 de mayo.

### ESTA SEMANA:

**May. 03: Servidoras de Gipe;** 10:00 am, Salón Parró.  
**Cursillos;** 7:00 pm, Iglesia  
**May. 04: Misa;** 7 pm. [Español]  
**May. 05: Adoración;** 7:30 am - 5:00 pm, Iglesia  
**May. 06: Quinceañera Clases;** 6:00 pm, Salón 14  
**May. 07: Adoración;** 7:30-11:45 am, Iglesia

### RICA (Christian Initiation)



Cuando, nuestros hijos han recibido la confirmación, aún no hemos terminado las clases de formación. Completaremos las clases .... **el 23 y 26 de mayo.** Traiga a sus hijos como de costumbre para las clases los domingos y miércoles. Entregaremos los certificados de confirmation y Primera Communion el último día de clase. Por favor contactar Francisco Trinidad o oficina de iglesia para mas información. 903-720-7709 o la oficina de la iglesia 903-295-3890.

## APARTA LA FECHA

**Mayo 08:** Sacramento de Confirmación; 10 am & 1 pm  
10 AM misa en Ingles; 1 PM misa en español

**Mayo 29th & 30th:** Primera Comunión

Puede elegir a cualquiera de las misas para que su Hijo/a reciba la primera comunión.

**Junio 01:** Comienza inscripción para el próximo año

### Reglas para de vestir: Comunión y Confirmación

#### Chicas:

Vestidos no deben de ser más corto que a la rodilla o más largo que el tobillo. Para 1st Comunión el vestido necesita ser blanco. Para Confirmación, cualquier color es permitido. Zapatos o sandalias de vestir (zapatos de tenis no están permitidos) Vestidos de correa o sin mangas no están permitidos. Si Ustedes no cumplen con estas reglas, no se les permitirá participar en los sacramentos.

**Chicos: [1st Comunión]:** Camisa de vestir blanco - puede ser manga corta o larga. Pedimos corbatas - blancas, azules, o negras; Pantalones de vestir preferible blanco o de color oscuro - azul o negro;

**Chicos: [Confirmación]:** Camisa de cualquier color; Corbatas - blancas, azules, o negras; Pantalones de color oscuro - azul o negro. Zapatos oscuros con calcetas - zapatos de vestir preferidos (no queremos zapatos de tenis) Chamarras de vestir son opcionales (no son requisito) de cualquier color.



**Misa de Graduacion para todos 'High school y College'**  
Mayo 23 1 PM & 6 PM

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

#### Limpieza

**May 02:** Cursillos  
**May 09:** Grupo de Oracion  
**May 16:** Servidoras  
**May 23:** Guerreros

#### Comida

No Venta Fortunato Reyes  
No Venta Fortunato Reyes  
Cursillos Fortunato Reyes  
Oracion Fortunato Reyes

#### Ujieres durante la Misa

**7 pm**  
**1 pm**  
Ramon Hernández  
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#### Rosario

**Sábado**  
Grupo de Oración  
Cursillos  
Guerreros  
Evangelización

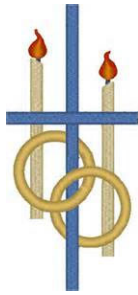
**Domingo**  
Genoveva Ponce  
Reyna Gonzalez  
Nohemi Vite  
Genoveva Ponce

## Wedding Anniversaries

05/06: Alberto & Delia Ramirez

05/07: Lee & Laura Davis

**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
May the Lord continue to  
bless you!



## Welcome to our new Catholics (Baptized)

Noe Solis  
Jose Luis Solis

**WELCOME!**  
**YOU ARE A GIFT FROM GOD.**



### 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:** RICA; 7:00 - 8:30 pm; Salón 14  
Practica para Boda/Quinceañera; 5 y 6 pm; Iglesia.  
**Sábado:** Pre-Bautismo; 4:00 pm; 3<sup>er</sup> Sábado del Mes; Salón Parroq.  
**Domingo:** Hogar de Fe; 12 pm, Salón 13 & 14; 4:30 pm, Salon 14  
Grupo Juvenil; 2:30 pm; Centro San Juan Pablo  
Guerreros de San Miguel; 7pm, Centro San Juan Pablo

### 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  
**Youth:** Sun. 4:30 pm; **Hispanic:** Fri. 7 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. 3:00 - 4:30 pm, SJP Center

### Faith Formation:

Youth Ministries:	Crecimiento:	Antonio Juarez	387-6062	Grupo de Oracion:	Alonso Rivera	452-4349	
Jim & Michelle Hooks	295-3890	Cursillo:	Arturo Rodriguez	261-4609	Quincenara:	Isabel Serrano	238-1550
RCIA: Dcn. John D'Antoni	738-7463		Rafaela Cerda	746-9229	Guerreros de San M.:	Maria Guido	930-9581
RICA: Francisco Trinidad	720-7709	Hogar de Fe:	Sandra Gonzalez	297-7286	Mision de Amor:	Sanjuana Olvera	261-2306
		New Evangelization (Nueva Evangelizacion):	.....		Sanjuana & Arnulfo Olvera	261-2306	

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Columbarium: Dcn. Joe Bianca 757-3348

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Altar Servers: Jerry Lang 452-4546  
Monaguillos: Elisa Solorzano 220-8077  
Altar Society: Rita Reindl 297-2044  
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Jasmin Hardin 399-2366  
Greeters: Church Office 295-3890  
Lectors: Jerry Lang 452-4546  
Miguel Zavaleta 452-7852  
Music: Beth Kennedy 295-3890  
Max Garcia (Español) 746-1209  
Diego Najera (Español) 759-1724  
Celso & Silvia Mora 214-727-7157  
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Ramon & Irma Hernandez 431-5481

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Matrimonio: Dcn. Joel Gonzalez 841-3839  
Shut-in Ministry: Carolyn Anguiano 210-724-4933  
Wedding Coord: Juliet Bianca 331-9008  
[Español]: Maria Gonzalez 841-3839

### Other Ministries:

ACTS Jerry Stock 746-1131  
Maintenance: Tom Mittler 759-1678  
Our Lady's Guild: Helen Braun 240-1509  
Pro-life: Tom Mittler 759-1678  
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### **TO THOSE WHO ARE NOT ABLE TO ATTEND MASS WITH US**

**Visit, Send a Card, or Offer a Prayer. If they would like to receive Communion, or if you are interested in joining the ministry that takes communion to the homebound, please call the Church Office. Or Please let the Sick & Shut-in Ministry know. We will take Holy Communion to the home. Please call Carolyn Anguiano at 210-724-4933.**

Wendy Antee, Luke Armstrong, Betsy Atkinson, Gena Attebery, Mary Bednarek, Sandra Behr, Margaret Borchard, Billy Bob Brazell, Scott Brazell, Jose Brocolo, Jose Camacho, Derek Cameron, Virgie Cameron, Christopher Cerio, Fr. Ambrose Chinnappa, John D'Antoni, Sr., Deacon John D'Antoni, Misty Davidson, Tammy Dubose, Brenda Dzierzanowski, Andres Flores, Liliana Flores, David Fowler, John Garcia, Maria Ana Garcia, Santos & Eleanor Gonzalez, Ramona Gonzalez, Mark Hoffmann, Nita Hopkins, Thomas Imm, Katrina Johnson, Norma Julve, Howard Kennedy, Steve Kennedy, Deena Kilroy, Sue Lang, Amy Mann, Marie Marino, Sandra Martinez, Ken McCormick, Lisa Melton, Janney Mercado, JoAnn Miller, Sandra Miller, Jan Mittler, Cathy Morlen, Ron Navara, Michele Paul, Louise Pertuit, Maria Ramirez, Nadia Ramos, Bonnie Ratcliff, Mary Ratcliff, Maria Robles, Bob Rodgers, Mayra Rodriguez, Maria Roy, Augustina Sanchez, Blanca Sanchez, Eleno Sanchez, Juana Sanchez, Procuero Sanchez, Ricardo Sanchez, Victra Sanchez, Gwyneth Schultiz, Melody Smith, Dana Sorrell, Barbara & Joe Steinbach, Mike Sullivan, Ruth Swan, Alena Swanson, Helen Tatum, Lenette Tidwell, Jan Turlzynski, Christopher Vazquez, Connie Wolfe & Norma Zapata.

**Please let the office know if prayers are no longer needed.**

**Please pray for our family members in the Armed Forces: Family assistance hotline: 800-833-6622**

**ARMY:** Sgt. Colton Sparks, 1st Lt. Danielle M. Verderber, Joshua Ewald **NAVY:** Juan Pacheco, Liliana Corona  
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