

St. Matthew Catholic Church

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February 13, 2022

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World Marriage Day 2022

Día Mundial
del Matrimonio

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

MASS SCHEDULE

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| 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) |
| | Friday | 12:05 PM |
| HOLY DAY: | 7:00 AM, 12:05 & 6:00 PM (Eng.); 7:30 PM (Esp.) | |
| ADORATION: | First Fridays | 7:30 AM - 11:45 AM |
| | Wednesdays | 7:30 AM - 5:00 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 OR 2:00 PM

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

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY - February 12

- 5:00 pm † Mary Elise Lane (Terry Steele)
 Msgr. Xavier (Steve & Beth Kennedy)
 7:00 pm † Guadalupe Alvarez Orozco (Hijos & Nietos)
 Jesse Soto - 15th Birthday (Soto Guadarrama Family)

SUNDAY - February 13

- 8:30 am People of the Parish
 10:30 am Marilyn Bianca (Rita Reindl)
 1:00 pm † Eulalio Ruiz Flores (Ruiz Orona Family)
 6:00 pm Jan Mittler - Healing (Jerry & Sue Lang)

MONDAY - February 14

- 7:00 am † Maximiliano Perez Jr. (Medrano Family)

TUESDAY - February 15

- 7:00 am † Deceased Family & Friends (Ewald Family)
 7:00 pm Josue & Tobi Jovel, Raymundo Rosillo
 (Connie Rosillo)

WEDNESDAY - February 16

- 7:00 am † Teodora Juarez (Juarez Family)
 † Herb Witt (Sandra Miller)

THURSDAY - February 17

- 7:00 am † Quentin Miller (John & JoAnn Miller)

FRIDAY - February 18

- 7:00 am † Jane Greene (Sonny & Sandy Miers)
 12:05 pm † Peggy O'Dean (Steve & Beth Kennedy)

SATURDAY - February 19

- 5:00 pm † Octave & Joyce Peloquin (Donna & Katie Admire)
 Mike McKenzie - Birthday (Sandy Miller)
 7:00 pm † Alicia Medrano & Pedro Perez (Medrano Family)
 † Petra Ruiz (Connie Rosillo)

SUNDAY - February 20

- 8:30 am Andrea Miller - Healing (Sonny & Sandy Miers)
 10:30 am † Reg Roy (Betty Roy)
 † Maria del Socorro Muniz (Gonzalez Family)
 1:00 pm People of the Parish
 6:00 pm Tom Mittler (Jan Mittler)

Observances & Readings

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| Monday 14 | Ss. Cyril and Methodius; Valentine's Day Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-76; Mk 8:11-13 |
| Tuesday 15 | Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a; 14-19; Mk 8:14-21 |
| Wednesday 16 | Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26 |
| Thursday 17 | The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-7; Mk 8:27-33 |
| Friday 18 | Jas 2:14-26; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 8:34 - 9:1 |
| Saturday 19 | Blessed Virgin Mary Jas 3:1-10; Ps 12:2-8; Mk 9:2-13 |
| Sunday 20 | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Sm 26:2-23; Ps 103:1-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38 |

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Trusting Brings Blessing



Dear brothers and sisters,

I wish and pray for all married couples on "The World Marriage Day." May you continue to trust one another and be blessed by God. "How does this work - trusting brings blessing or blessing breeds trust? Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord; whose hope is the Lord..." [Jer. 17:7]

For the Israelites, blessing is not just gifts from God but life with God. For example, blessing includes all areas of Abraham's family, finances, work and heart. That is, he was not just to receive blessing; he was to be a blessing. [Gen. 12:2]

There's an old story about a man who falls off a cliff. He's going to die, but he throws out a hand and miraculously catches a branch: "Is anyone up there?" "Yes." "Who are you?" "I am God, and I am going to save you." "Wonderful. What should I do?" "Let go of the branch." (Pause) "Is anybody else up there?"

We want God to bless us the way we want; but He wants us to trust Him the way He needs - to be planted close to the running waters so that we never run out of the source of energy or blessings to grow.

Someone said, "When God solves your problems, you have trust in His abilities; When God doesn't solve your problems He has trust in your abilities." Therefore, let us continue to trust Him as He trusts us. Failing to trust Him brings NOT blessings but woes. [Jer. 17:5 &6; Ps.1:1-6; Luke 6:20-26]

In a married life, it is revealed and lived very well. The more we trust, the more we are bonded. Therefore, don't start your day with the broken pieces of yesterday. Every morning we wake up is the First day of the rest of our life/married life. God waits to bless us; trusting and waiting for His timing brings Him honor and to us the needed blessings. My prayers and blessings!

Msgr. Xavier

Pray for the Priests of Our Diocese

- Feb. 14: Rev. Gavin Vaverek
 Feb. 15: Rev. Jose Luis Vidarte
 Feb. 16: Rev. Denzil Vithanage
 Feb. 17: Rev. Denis Walsh
 Feb. 18: Rev. Msgr. James Young
 Feb. 19: Rev. Kevin Young
 Feb. 20: Rev. Cristian Zelaya



Intention of Pope Francis [February]



For religious sisters and consecrated women: We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS Worship through Giving

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| 02/06: Sunday Offering: | \$ 11,457.00 |
| Online Giving: | \$ 220.00 |
| Building & Maintenance | \$ 3,823.50 |

2nd Collection:

This weekend: St. Vincent de Paul

Next Weekend: Youth Fund

Thank you for your stewardship



Christian Community Healthcare Events!

This week's class will be on Tuesday, February 15, at 6:30 p.m. in the St. John Paul Center. The topic will be

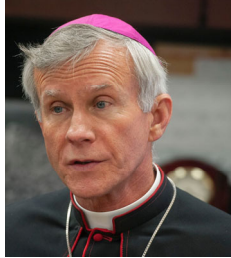
Fertility Alternatives - What is AID/AIH/IVF?, presented by Dr. Cami Jo Tice-Harouff, DNP.

Classes are open to all; invite your friends to benefit from this program offered free by professional speakers and trainers. A light dinner will be served for all.

Please call the church office or email to cchmat@strmatlcv.com by noon on Monday. Transportation and Childcare are also available. Please contact us to make arrangements.

2022 Bishop's Annual Appeal.

The Appeal is an opportunity for you to support directly the Diocese of Tyler's mission to teach the faith to each family in East Texas. Your generosity strengthens our seminarians, our retired clergy, and all teaching initiatives and materials by the St. Philip Institute. Please prayerfully consider saying 'yes' to supporting this year's Bishop's Appeal. Your participation will ensure the teaching mission of the Church is fulfilled. Envelopes are on the tables in the foyer, or visit www.dioceseoftyler/baa to donate online!



Our Lady's Guild

Our General Meeting will be on Thursday, February 17, at 9:30 a.m. at the St. John Paul Family Center. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend. The program will be on Essential Oils by Julie Kuhlman. Free baby-sitting is available by reservation only. To make a reservation for baby-sitting, please contact Margaret Long at 903-452-3474. For more information please contact Helen Braun at 903-240-1509.



Pre-Matrimonial Retreat (Spanish)

February 26th from 8 AM to 4 PM

Pre-Registration is needed to attend the retreat. Come to the church office to register. \$50 per couple includes breakfast and lunch. For more information, contact Deacon Joel Gonzalez. [903-841-3839].

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

During January we provided the following assistance:

- 14 families with Rent for \$2,895;
- 7 families with Utilities for \$844;
- 1 family with other assistance for \$75;
- 76 families with food boxes.

Cost of food: \$431

Thank you for your generosity. God's blessings!



Women's ACTS Retreat **March 17-20, 2022**

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: Sabine Nassar, Retreat Director, at 903-806-2022.

THIS WEEK

- Feb. 16: ACTS Men Faith Sharing;** 6 am, Parish Hall
Adoration; 7:30 am - 5 pm; Chapel
St. Vincent de Paul Society; 5 pm, Parish Hall
Youth Group; 6:30 pm, St. John Paul Center
- Feb. 17: Pastoral Council;** 6:30 pm, Conference Room
Baptismal Preparation; 6:30 pm Room 22
- Feb. 20: Youth Ministry;** 3:00 pm, SJP Center

PARENTS CLASS

SAT. 19th, FEBRUARY: 8:30 am. in St. John Paul Center
All parents who have children preparing for Sacraments **MUST** attend this class. Failing to attend may cause the name of the child to be removed from the list this year. Please be present. **THANKS.**



Tax Letters for 2021 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.

Offering Envelopes



Offertory Envelopes for 2022 will be available for you to pick up during the week from the Church Office. Envelopes are not mailed to your home. We encourage you to use the envelopes For more info, please call the church office. Thanks for your understanding. God bless!

Palms for Ash Wednesday

Please bring your old Palms to burn and prepare for Ash Wednesday.

Place them in the box that is in the church foyer as soon as possible or by the end of February.

Ash Wednesday is: March 2nd.



Ministry Fair: March 5 & 6 Masses in SJP Center

Ministry Heads, plan to set up a table with info about your ministry to inform the parishioners and recruit new members.

All weekend Masses on March 5 & 6 will be held in the St. John Paul Center so that our parishioners may browse the Ministries after the Mass.

Right to Life of East Texas Celebrate Life Banquet

Saturday, March 26, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

Infinity Event Center, Holiday Inn North

300 Tuttle Circle in Longview (behind Hobby Lobby)

The special Guest Speaker will be Fr. Frank A. Pavone, National Director of Priests for Life and Missionaries of the Gospel of Life; and the President of the National Pro-life Religious Council. We will be honoring our Pro-Life Person of the Year, Texas State Senator Bryan Hughes and our Pro-Life Organization of the Year, The Knights of Columbus of the Diocese of Tyler. We will also award scholarships to four High School Seniors. Reservations are required by March 18. Reservation forms are available on the bulletin board in the church foyer.



FAMILY Faith Formation

Evangelize, Catechize and Form Disciples

Faith Formation Calendar

Feb. 13: Faith Formation Classes

Feb. 16: Faith Formation Classes

Feb. 19: Parent's Class - for the parents of all students who will be receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation or First Holy Communion this year. 8:30 a.m. in the St. John Paul Center.

Feb. 20: Faith Formation Classes

RCIA: on Sundays at 4:30 pm in Rm. 37

RICA: on Fridays at 7 pm in the Parish Hall.



Middle & High schoolers

Wednesdays: 6:30 pm
in St. John Paul Family Center.

Sundays: in Faith Formation Center
11:45 am - 12:45 pm & 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Classes for All Parents:

Wednesdays: in the Parish Hall; 6:30 pm

Sundays: in the Parish Hall; 11:45 am - 12:45 pm
in the Parish Hall; 4:30 - 5:30 pm.

Protecting your child from abuse

Please take a flyer from the wall pockets in the foyer. The flyer has important information regarding:

- Not Just Strangers; Building Protective Bonds
- Know the Signs - Pre-Warning; What to do?
- Good Touch, Bad Touch;

Suspected abuse in Texas can be reported to:

TDFP Services: (800) 4-A-Child, (800) 422-4452;

Or to the church office [903-295-3890]

Answer for last week questions (02/06/22)

1. Stone him (Acts 14:19)
2. He rose up (Acts 14:20)
3. The next day (Acts 14:20)
4. Lystra, Iconium, and Antioch (Acts 14:21)
5. Elders (Acts 14:23)

Questions for this week

1. What is the first book in the Bible?
2. What is the last book in the Bible?
3. What four books tell about Jesus life on Earth?
4. Which book did Jesus directly write?
5. What is the longest book in the Bible?

**Parents, please bring
all your young people,
middle and high schoolers
for the Mass and the Faith Formation.**

Prayer Chain:

If you have a prayer request or you would like to join the prayer chain, please contact the church office at 903-295-3890; or churchoffice@stmattlgv.com; or contact JoAnn McCracken at j.mccracken46@gmail.com

The Difference between Meditation & Contemplation

They are distinct ways of praying to God.

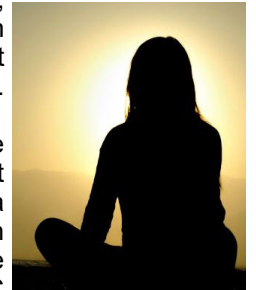


Meditation: The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* summarizes meditation as "a prayerful quest engaging thought, imagination, emotion, and desire. It's goal is to make our own in faith the subject considered, by confronting it with the reality of our own life" (CCC 2723)

In meditation the "mind seeks to understand the why and how of the Christian life, in order to adhere and respond to what the Lord is asking" (CCC 2705). This helps us to discover our personal role in God's plan.

Contemplation, on the other hand, is (in the words of St. Teresa of Avila) "nothing else than a close sharing between friends; it means taking time frequently to be alone with him who we know loves us." The Catechism reiterates this theme when it summarizes this type of prayer. Contemplative prayer is the simple expression of the mystery of prayer. It is a gaze of faith fixed on Jesus, an attentiveness to the Word of God, a silent love. It achieves real union with the prayer of Christ to the extent that it makes us share in his mystery. (CCC 2724)

Contemplation might best be summarized by the phrase, "I look at him and he looks at me," a description of prayer that "a certain peasant of Ars ... used to say while praying before the tabernacle" (CCC 2715). While both types of prayer foster a relationship with God, contemplation is where that love is expressed and realized; and we contemplate "Someone," a person, God himself. Perhaps it could be put simply, meditation helps us to *know* God and contemplation helps us to *love* him.



ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE: February 19/20, 2022

Saturday:

- 5:00 pm Sabrina Torres, Leland Mires, Dante Sapp
7:00 pm Martin Ramirez, Eric Ramirez
Elias Tovar, Raquelin Villegas

Sunday:

- 8:30 am Stephanie Viramontes,
Moses Hough, Heaven Torres
10:30 am Jacob Garcia, Julian Garcia
Myles Scott, Michael Scott
1:00 pm Daniela Bautista, Samantha Orona
Daniel Ortiz, Gabriela Bautista
6:00 pm Azucena Perez, Lincy Sanchez, Laisha Sanchez



YOUTH MINISTRY

Wednesday Youth Ministry

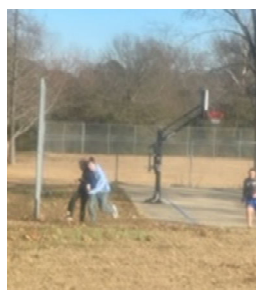
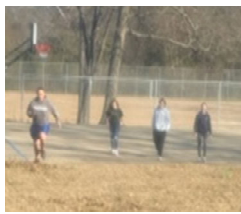
The class was small but the learnings were grand. The teens were shown a bible app that they can use on their phone. It is filled with daily prayers, daily reflections, and guided teachings. We also learned more about each other through fun games!

The main lesson was following Bishop Strickland's 9 Days for Life. We discussed how unique we are, what the church teaches, and what we can do. We prayed Day One of the 9 Days for Life Novena. The students were focused on prayer for each and every life. Thank you for sending your kids!

Sunday Youth Ministry

Virtue of the week: Love for your neighbor

The virtue of love for your neighbor, or charity, is a divinely infused virtue, that gives us the strength to love God above all things for His own sake, and our neighbor as ourselves for the love of God.



An Invitation to PARENTS:

Please join our youth ministry leaders to hand on your faith to our young people. Your presence will support them and encourage our youth to get fired up to form a better life and build the Kingdom of God. Everything happens just within an hour! Thanks!



Calendar - Youth Ministries

Sundays:

- 3:00 PM In St. John Paul Center
- 4:30 PM Choir practice [Church]
- 4:30 PM **RCIA** [for sacraments - High schoolers]

Wednesdays:

- 6:30 PM in St. John Paul Center [6th -12th grade]
- & 6:30 PM Faith Formation class

Fridays:

- (Spanish) 7:00 PM **RICA** [for sacraments - High schoolers]

We Welcome New Choir Members

Those from **8th grade through adult** can sing and play contemporary Christian liturgical music during the Sunday evening Mass. New choir members are welcome to join them and sing for the Lord. **Joining is Easy - just Come to practice on Sundays at 4:45 pm in the church.** For more info, please contact Beth Kennedy in the office.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Lady's Guild Will award one Scholarship in 2022 to a parishioner from St. Anthony, St. Mary, St. Matthew or Our Lady of Grace parish. Anyone attending college or technical school in the fall is eligible, including adults going back to school. Applications are available in the wall pockets in the foyer or from the church office. For more information, please contact Linda Thomas at 903-759-5704 or 903-235-6277. The submission deadline is **April 8, 2022.**



Right to Life of East Texas is offering four \$1,000 scholarships to graduating seniors who plan to further their careers (college, trade school, military, other.) Applications are available in the wall pockets in the foyer. The deadline for submission is **March 1, 2022.** For more information please call 903-576-1407 or email Swells1116@aol.com

Teach our Children: The Meaning of Joy

Joy is the expression of inner happiness and contentment. Joyous people look for the good in every situation. Choose to be positive and content and you will be a source of joy to others.

"The Lord has done great things for us and we are filled with joy." Psalms 126:3

Joy comes from God: Remind your children that the purpose of life is to please God and tell others about Him. When they understand what has been done for them through Jesus, they can be joyful no matter the circumstance.

Healthy Habits: Well rested, well fed, and active children are more joyful. Help your children establish healthy bedtime routines so they get plenty of sleep. Make them eat their vegetables, and teach them to take care of themselves.

Joy is a Habit of the Heart: Joy is a choice. Make it easier for your children to choose it by teaching them to control their emotions. This Values for Children series is a good place to start.

Just Smile: As always, set the example for your children. It is easy to get caught in the drudgery of menial tasks. Remember to smile. Leave notes for yourself around the house if need be. Also, singing is a great way to bring joy to your home. If you struggle with this, play some songs to help you bring the joy of music to your home.

"Guerreros de San Miguel Arcángel" **ESTÁS 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!! **Cuando:** 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

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| Lunes, 14 | Ss. Cirilo y Metodio; Día de san Valentín Sant 1:1-11; Sal 119 :67-76; Mc 8:11-13 |
| Martes, 15 | Sant 1:12-18; Sal 94:12-19; Mc 8:14-21 |
| Miércoles, 16 | Sant 1:19-27; Sal 15:2-4ab, 5; Mc 8:22-26 |
| Jueves, 17 | Los siete Santos fundadores de la orden de los Siervos de María Sant 2:1-9; Sal 34:2-7; Mc 8:27-33 |
| Viernes, 18 | Sant 2:14-26; Sal 112:1-6; Mc 8:34 - 9:1 |
| Sábado, 19 | Santa María Virgen Sant 3:1-10; Sal 12:2-8; Mc 9:2-13 |
| Domingo, 20 | 7th Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 1 Sm 26:2-23; Sal 103:1-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lc 6:27-38 |

Se necesitan Palmas para miércoles de ceniza

Por favor traer las palmas vieja antes del 25 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 será Marzo 02**

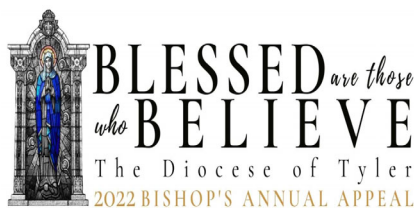


Eventos de atención médica de la comunidad cristiana!

Nuestra próxima clase será el martes 15 de febrero a las 6:30 p.m. en el Centro San Juan Pablo. El tema Que es

AID/AIH/IVF alternativas de fertilidad.

Busque más detalles en los volantes en los bolsillos de la pared del vestíbulo de la iglesia o en nuestro sitio web. Las clases están abiertas a todos; invita a tus amigos a beneficiarse de este programa ofrecido gratuitamente por oradores y capacitadores profesionales. Se servirá una cena ligera para todos. Debe hacer una reserva si piensa asistir. Para obtener más información: llame a la oficina de la iglesia o envíe un correo electrónico a cchmat@stmattlgv.com.



Bishop Appeal 2022

Gracias por su discernimiento hecho en oración para apoyar la Promesa Anual al Obispo **2022:**

Bienaventurados los que creen.

Con la participación de nuestras comunidades en el este de Texas, alcanzaremos la necesidad mínima de \$2,300,000 para nuestros ministerios en la Diócesis de Tyler. Que Dios nos guíe a seguir el ejemplo de la Santísima Virgen María de **conocer, amar y servir** a Jesucristo.

ESTA SEMANA:

Feb. 14: Servidoras de Glpe; 7:00 pm, Salón #13

Cursillos; 7:00 pm, Salón Parroquial

Crecimiento; 7 pm, Salon #13

Feb. 15: Misa; 7 pm [Español]

Feb. 16: Adoración; 7:30 am - 5 pm, Capilla

Feb. 17: Nueva Evangelización; 7:00 pm. Salón Parroquial

CLASES PARA PADRES

SAB. 19th, FEBRERO: 8:30 am. En el centro San Juan Pablo Todos los padres que tienen hijos que se preparan para los sacramentos DEBEN asistir a esta clase. No asistir puede hacer que el nombre del niño sea eliminado de la lista este año. Por favor, esté presente. GRACIAS.

Cartas de Impuestos: Cartas de impuesto del año 2021 están disponibles en la oficina de la iglesia y pueden ser recogidas en horarios de oficina.



CLASES PRE-MATRIMONIALES

El **sábado 26** de Febrero de 8:00 am - 4:00 pm en el Salón Parroquial. Registración anticipada.

Donación de \$50.00 por pareja, incluye desayuno y comida. Para mas información llame a Diacono Joel González (903) 841-3839



MATRIMONIO A LA MANERA DE DIOS

Retiro de parejas

El 11, 12 & 13 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 !

BECAS

Our Lady's Guild: Otorgará una beca en 2022 a un feligrés de la parroquia de San Antonio, Santa María, San Mateo o Nuestra Señora de Gracia. Cualquier persona que asista a la universidad o escuela técnica en el otoño es elegible, incluidos los adultos que regresan a la escuela. Las aplicaciones están disponibles en los bolsillos de la pared en el vestíbulo o en la oficina de la iglesia. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Linda Thomas al 903-759-5704. La fecha límite de presentación es el 8 de abril de 2022.



Derecho a la Vida del Este de Texas está ofreciendo cuatro becas de \$ 1,000 a los estudiantes de último año que se gradúan y que planean avanzar en sus carreras (universidad, escuela de comercio, ejército, otros). Las aplicaciones están disponibles en los bolsillos de la pared en el vestíbulo. La fecha límite para la aplicar es el **1 de marzo de 2022**. Para obtener más información, llame al 903-576-1407 o envíe un correo electrónico a swells1116@aol.com

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

Limpieza

Comida

Ujieres durante la Misa

Rosario

Domingo

Feb. 13: Cursillos
Feb. 20: Oración
Feb. 27: Guerreros
Mar. 06: Servidoras

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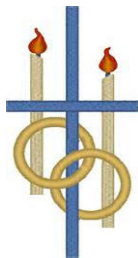
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Reyna Gonzalez
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Wedding Anniversaries

02/14: Genaro Cortes & Isabel Serrano
 Pedro Rangel & Maria Rodriguez
 Juan Barron & Maria Medrano
 02/17: Salvador Angel & Nancy Martinez
 02/18: Rodolfo Lopez & Maria Quezada
 02/19: David Barboza & Helida Mora



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

Welcome to our new

Catholics (Baptized)

Caitlyn Rivera
 Liam Mauricio Cordova



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^{er} Sábado del Mes; Salón Parroq.
Domingo: Hogar de Fe: 12 pm, Salón 13 & 14; 4:30 pm, Salon 14
Grupo Juvenil: 3:00 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
RICA: 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

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| 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 |
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 Wedding Coord: Juliet Bianca 331-9008
 [Español]: Maria Gonzalez 841-3839

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 Ramon & Irma Hernandez 431-5481

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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.

Bianca Aguirre, John Alaniz, Wendy Antee, Gena Attebery, Tommy Beck, Mary Bednarek, Margaret Borchard, Billy Bob Brazell, Derek Cameron, Virgie Cameron, Christopher Cerio, Deacon John D'Antoni, Misty Davidson, Tami Dobbs, Tammy Dubose, Brenda Dzierzanowski, Brett Edington, Andres Flores, Liliana Flores, David Fowler, Maria Ana Garcia, Santos & Eleanor Gonzalez, Ramona Gonzalez, Linda Harvey, Ricky Hawkins, Nita Hopkins, Norah Howard, Norma Julve, Deena Kilroy, Sue Lang, Amy Mann, Sandra Martinez, James Marples, Ken McCormick, Lisa Melton, Janney Mercado, JoAnn Miller, Sandra Miller, Jan Mittler, Cathy Morlen, Ron Navara, Michele Paul, Robert Perez, Louise Pertuit, LJ Raffray, Wendy Raffray, Maria Ramirez, Nadia Ramos, Bonnie Ratcliff, Mary Ratcliff, Maria Robles, Bob Rodgers, Mayra Rodriguez, Maria Roy, Augustina Sanchez, Blanca Sanchez, Eleno Sanchez, Juana Sanchez, Procuo Sanchez, Ricardo Sanchez, Victra Sanchez, Laura Scarlett, Gwyneth Schultz, Melody Smith, Dana Sorrell, Barbara & Joe Steinbach, Mike Sullivan, Ruth Swan, Helen Tatum, Lenette Tidwell, Patricia Trinidad, Jan Turlzynski, Christopher Vazquez, Jason Williams & 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

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