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Wednesday: Closed from 12-1
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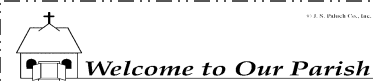
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Saturday / Sabado
5:30 p.m. – English
7:00 p.m. – Español

Sunday / Domingo
7:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. - English
11:30 a.m. – Español

Monday – Friday
Lunes - Viernes
8:00 a.m. - English

Tuesday / Martes
5:30 p.m. - English

Wednesday / Miércoles
7:00 p.m. - Español

Thursday / Jueves
5:30 p.m. - English

Friday / Viernes
7:00 p.m. – Español

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Third Sunday of Lent
March 12, 2023

Listen to God’s voice today;
be not hardhearted

-(Psalm 95).

THIRD SUNDAY OF Lent

MARCH 12, 2023

“Whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”
John 4:14

Office Hours
Horario de la Oficina

Monday – Thursday
Lunes – Jueves
1:00-5:30 p.m.



5:30 p.m. – English
7:00 p.m. – Spanish Mass followed by the Stations of The Cross.

Tercer Domingo de Cuaresma
12 de marzo de 2023

Escucha la voz de Dios hoy; no seas duro de corazón.
- Salmo 95 [94]

Exposition of the Holy Sacrament

First Friday of Every Month
9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

Primer Viernes de Cada Mes
9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.

Confessions / Confesiones

Saturdays 4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. or by appointment. (before mass)

Baptisms / Bautizos

Parents and sponsors are required to take 2 Pre-baptismal classes. Please call the office to schedule & fill out forms before attending classes.

Pre-Baptismal Classes / Clases Pre-Bautismales

3rd and 4th Tuesday of the Month - Spanish
Laurencio Velasquez (903) 434-2904
Jesus Verduzco (903) 285-1746

Marriage Formation / Formación De Matrimonio

Couples should contact the pastor 9-12 months before marriage formation.

Anointing of the Sick / Unción De Los Enfermos

By appointment or emergency.

Quinceañeras

Parents/Quinceañeras will receive 4 classes from Cristina Narvaez. Please contact the office first to schedule & fill out forms.

Faith Formation Coordinator

Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Instruction in the Catholic Faith:
Instrucción en la Fe Católica:

For English:

Lauren Herman (505-239-8526)

For Spanish (RICA):

Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099

Bible Study (Spanish)

¡Miembros Nuevos son Bienvenidos!

Cada 1º y 2º Martes del Mes – 6:00 p.m.
Emma Mendez (903) 285-2562

Bible Study (English)

New Members Welcome!

Monday’s 5:30 P.M.
David Rice (817) 713-5905

Choir (Spanish)

Monday’s @ 7:00 P.M.
Corazón González (903) 305-0159

Jóvenes Y Adultos Para Cristo

Grupo De Evangelización

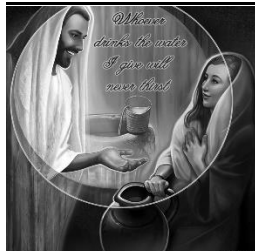
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GOD EVER PURSUES US



We hear today of God’s unrelenting pursuit of us. Our readings tell stories of God’s intense desire to share the divine life with us. From Exodus, we see how God shows endless persistence and compassion, even to those who grumble against God, or seem to have forgotten God. From the Gospel of John, we hear of how Jesus,

in his extended conversation with the Samaritan woman, gives her dignity, names uncomfortable truths, and gradually leads her into a new path of faith. We can have confidence that as we bring our own confusions, fears, and failings to God, we may receive God’s mercy and forgiveness. God always persists and continually finds new ways to invite people into unity with God. As Paul describes in Romans, in the cross we see how God will go to any length to demonstrate the depth and breadth of divine love.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — When the people grumbled to Moses for water in the desert, the LORD heard and brought forth water from the rock for all to drink (Exodus 17:3-7).

Psalm — Listen to God’s voice today; be not hardhearted (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Romans 5:1-2, 5-8).

Gospel — Ask, and you will be given living water so that you will never thirst again (John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

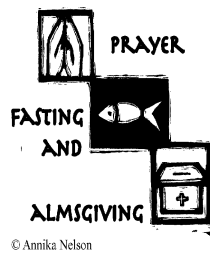
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41[1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]

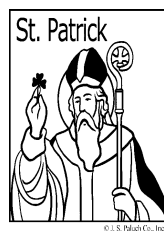


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Announcements	
March 4th-5th Offerings: First Collection - 2186.00 Second Collection – \$ 182.00 (Ladies Guild Fund)	Second Collection for Today:
Mass Intentions	
Please turn in your mass intentions to the parish office so that we can add them to our calendar and avoid any confusion. Thank You.	
Free Immigration Consultation appointments for:	
DACA renewals, Green Card renewals and Naturalization/Citizenship petitions.	
Call Catholic Charities 903 258-9492 and mention this code: DOTFree	
Lenten Retreat for Family Renewal <i>Sponsored by Grace of Heaven Retreat Center</i>	
Come join us for this Lenten Retreat that will be lead by Rev. Fr. John Vettikanal. Evening mass will be at 6pm followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Fr. John will share some reflections during this time. All are welcome!	
Time: 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Date: Thursday, March 23, 20023 Location: Sacred Heart Catholic Church	
Register for the 2023 Diocesan Eucharistic Congress!	
Join us June 9-10, 2023 for the second annual Eucharistic Congress at Bishop T. K. Gorman High School in Tyler. This year's congress will focus on the sacrament of baptism. Keynote speakers are Bishop Daniel E. Flores, bishop of the Diocese of Brownsville, and Dr. John Bergsma, professor at Fransican University of Steubenville.	
For more information and to register for this event visit www.stphilipinstitute.org/eucharistic-congress-2023	

St. Patrick’s Day – March 17th

Prayer of Saint Patrick



Christ be with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, Christ in me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ on my right, Christ on my left, Christ where I lie down, Christ where I sit, Christ where I arise, Christ in the heart of everyone who thinks of me, Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me, Christ in every eye that sees me,

Christ in every ear that hears me.
Salvation is of the Lord.
Salvation is of the Christ.
May your salvation, O Lord, be ever with us.

DIOS NOS BUSCA SIEMPRE

Hoy oímos hablar de la implacable búsqueda de Dios hacia nosotros. Nuestras lecturas cuentan historias del intenso deseo de Dios de compartir la vida divina con nosotros. En el Éxodo, vemos cómo Dios muestra una persistencia y una compasión infinitas, incluso con los que refunfuñan contra Dios o parecen haberse olvidado de él. En el Evangelio de Juan oímos cómo Jesús, en su prolongada conversación con la mujer samaritana, la dignifica, nombra verdades incómodas y la conduce gradualmente a un nuevo camino de fe. Podemos confiar en que, al llevar nuestras propias confusiones, miedos y fracasos a Dios, podemos recibir su misericordia y su perdón. Dios siempre persiste y encuentra continuamente nuevas formas de invitar a las personas a la unidad con Dios. Como describe Pablo en Romanos, en la cruz vemos cómo Dios se desvive por demostrar la profundidad y la amplitud del amor divino.

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LECTURAS DE HOY



Primera lectura — Agua salió de la roca para apagar la sed del pueblo (Éxodo 17:3-7).

Salmo — Escucha la voz de Dios hoy; no seas duro de corazón (Salmo 95 [94]).

Segunda lectura — El amor de Dios se ha derramado en nuestro corazón por el don del Espíritu Santo (Romanos 5:1-2, 5-8).

Evangelio — El agua que yo les daré se convierte en el manantial de vida eterna (Juan 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b- 26, 39, 40-42]).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Martes: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Sal 25 (24):4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Miércoles: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Sal 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Jueves: Jer 7:23-28; Sal 95 (94):1-2, 6-9; Lc 11:14-23

Viernes: Hos 14:2-10; Sal 81 (80):6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mc 12:28-34

Sábado: Os 6:1-6; Sal 51 (50):3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lc 18:9-14

Domingo: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Ef 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41[1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]

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Como Reportar Abuso



Victim Assistance Coordinator
Coordinador de Asistencia a las Víctimas
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vac@dioceseoftyler.org

Anuncios

Ofrendas de Marzo 4-5:

Primera Colección - \$ 2186.00

Segunda Colección – \$ 182.00 (Fondo de Gremio de Damas)

Segunda Colecta Para Hoy:

Intenciones de la Misa



Por favor, entregue sus intenciones de misa a la oficina parroquial para que podamos agregarlas a nuestro calendario y evitar cualquier confusión. Gracias.

Citas de consulta de inmigración gratuitas para:

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Retiro de Cuaresma para la renovación familiar

Patrocinado por Grace of Heaven Retreat Center

Únase a nosotros para este retiro de Cuaresma que será dirigido por el Reverendo Padre John Vettikanal. La misa vespertina será a las 6 p.m. seguida de la Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento. El Padre John compartirá algunas reflexiones durante este tiempo. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

Tiempo: 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Fecha: Jueves, 23 de marzo de 2023

Local: La Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón

Retiro de Iniciacion Cristiana

La Comunidad Jóvenes y Adultos Para Cristo de la Iglesia El Sagrado Corazon

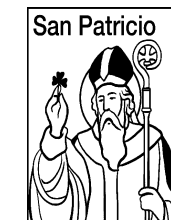
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Lugar: Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 406 S. Hwy 37, Mt. Vernon, Tx

Fecha: 21, 22, 23 de abril de 2023

Dia Festivo de San Patricio – 17 de marzo

Oración de San Patricio



Cristo conmigo, Cristo delante de mí, Cristo detrás de mí, Cristo dentro de mí, Cristo debajo de mí, Cristo sobre mí, Cristo a mi derecha, Cristo a mi izquierda, Cristo cuando me acuesto, Cristo cuando me siento, Cristo cuando me levanto, Cristo en el corazón de todo hombre que piensa en mí,

Cristo en la boca de todo hombre que hable de mí, Cristo en los ojos de todos los que me ven, Cristo en los oídos de todos los que me escuchan.

La salvación es del Señor.

La salvación es del Cristo.

Que tu salvación, oh Señor, esté siempre con nosotros.