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Mass Schedule

Saturday / Sabado
 5:30 p.m. – English
 7:00 p.m. – Español
Sunday / Domingo
 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. - English
 11:30 a.m. – Español

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

Wednesday / Miércoles
 8:00 a.m. - English
 7:00 p.m. - Español

Thursday / Jueves
 6 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. – Eucharistic Adoration
 7:00 p.m. – Mass

Friday / Viernes
 8:00 a.m. - English
 7:00 p.m. – Español

Online Donations To Sacred Heart , please visit the following:
www.givecentral.org/location/870
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Office Hours
 Horario de la Oficina

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

Religious Education for Children

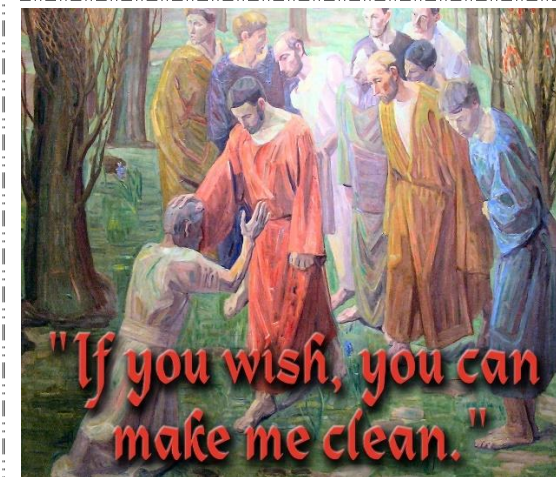
Faith Formation Classes:
 Wednesdays 6:30p.m. – 8:00p.m.
 Classes start in September.

Sacramental Prep Classes:
 Sundays 10:30a.m. – 11:20a.m.
 Classes start in October.

Faith Formation Coordinator
 Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 11, 2024

“I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation.”
 - Psalm 32



Quinto Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario
11 de febrero de 2024

“Tu eres mi refugio; me rodeas de cantos de liberación.”
 -Salmo 32

Exposition of the Holy Sacrament

First Friday of Every Month
 8:30 a.m. – English Mass
 Exposition of the Holy Sacrament
 9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.
 7:00 p.m. – Mass in Spanish

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

Primer Viernes de Cada Mes
 8:30 a.m. – Misa en Ingles
 Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento
 9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.
 7:00 p.m. – Misa en Español

Confessions / Confesiones

Saturdays 4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. or by appointment.

Baptism Formation / Formacion de Bautizo

Please call the office to schedule & fill out forms before attending classes.

Spanish Classes are the 3rd and 4th Monday of the Month with:
 Laurencio Velásquez (903) 434-2904
 Jesus Verduzco (903) 285- 1746

Marriage Formation / Formación De Matrimonio

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

Anointing of the Sick / Unción De Los Enfermos

By appointment or emergency.

Quinceañeras

Please contact the office to schedule & fill out forms. A Saturday class will be required.

Bible Study (Spanish)

¡Miembros Nuevos son Bienvenidos!

Cada 1º y 2º Lunes 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 (English)

Stephanie Hyman – Music Director

Choir (Spanish)

Monday’s @ 7:00 P.M
 Corazón González – Directora de Música

Jóvenes Y Adultos Para Cristo

Grupo De Evangelización

Sundays 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
 Fridays 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
 Juan and Betty Guerrero (469) 438-1061

Texas Rosary Rallies

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Bookkeeper – Marisol Hernandez

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults(RCIA)

Instruction in the Catholic Faith for Adults:

English: Greg Leitheiser (972) 444-0776

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA)

Instrucción en la Fe Católica Para Adultos:

Spanish: Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099

Classes start in October.

The Power of Faith and Healing

In the narrative of the leper's healing in the Gospel for the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B, we observe the power of faith in action. The leper's humble request, "If you wish, you can make me clean," is a poignant expression of unwavering belief in Jesus' capacity to heal not just the body, but the very essence of a person's life.

This plea embodies a deep-seated trust, acknowledging Jesus' authority over illness and societal exclusion. Jesus' affirmative response, "I do will it. Be made clean," serves as a powerful declaration of his willingness to restore and purify. This act of healing transcends the physical realm, reinstating the leper's place within the social and religious fabric of the community, thus highlighting the holistic nature of divine healing.

This encounter between Jesus and the leper underscores the dynamic nature of faith as an active, living force that challenges us to place our trust in God's will, even amidst life's uncertainties and trials. It serves as a poignant reminder that our faith, when genuinely embraced, becomes a wellspring of strength and transformation, capable of guiding us toward a path of healing, restoration, and ultimately, wholeness. As we navigate the complexities of our own lives, this story invites us to lean into our faith, trusting in God's timing and providence, and to embrace the potential for healing and renewal in our own journey.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading —The leper will dwell apart, making an abode outside the camp. (Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46)

Psalm - "I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation." (Psalm 32)

Second Reading – Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ. (1 Cor 10:31-11:1)

Gospel – The leprosy left him, and he was made clean. (Mk 1: 40-45)

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Offerings February 3-4

First Collection: \$ 2, 285.00

Second Collection: \$ 536.00

(Diocese of Tyler – Catholic Schools)

Second Collection – Ash Wednesday, February 14th

Aid to Church – Central /Eastern Europe

Thank you for your support of our parish, here at Sacred Heart. Your generosity and ongoing support powers our ministries and our place of worship.

Segunda Colecta – Miércoles de Ceniza, 14 de febrero

Ayuda a la Iglesia – Europa Central y del Este

Gracias por su apoyo a nuestra parroquia, aquí en el Sagrado Corazón. Su generosidad y apoyo continuo impulsan nuestros ministerios y nuestro lugar de adoración.

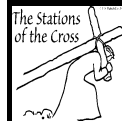


Ash Wednesday – February 14th

Mass Schedule

8:00a.m. & 5:30p.m. – English

7:00 p.m. – Spanish



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will start the Friday after Ash Wednesday. **They will be every Friday up until Holy Week.**

5:30 p.m. – English

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



2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal: The Lord calls you by name.

Thanks to the generosity of everyone in our parish community, we were able to surpass our 2023 goal by 223%.

This year's goal for Sacred Heart will remain the same as last year: \$16, 000.

Scan the QR code to give online >>>>>>>>

Or go to www.dioceseoftyler.org/baa2024/



Family Life Center- Missing Items

It has come to our attention, that someone has taken the large metal trays that belong in the Food Warmer in the FLC. We are asking that they be brought back as soon as possible. We also have large missing pots, that have been gone for a while. Please keep in mind that items in the Center and other Church buildings have been donated to Sacred Heart or purchased by the church. Per Fr. Matias, these items are not to be removed from the buildings but for use here for church gatherings.

Annual Lenten Retreat – March 2, 2024

The Legion of Mary

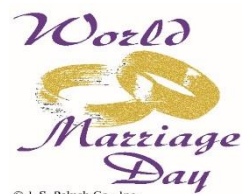
The Legion of Mary at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Mineola is sponsoring a Lenten Retreat on Saturday, March 2nd from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

We are blessed to have Mother Mariam, of the Daughters of Mary, Mother of Israel's Hope to be our guest speaker once again this year.

- 8:30 a.m. Holy Mass.
- 9:30 a.m. Registration, and a light breakfast.
- 10:00 a.m. Talk #1 'Walking with Our Savior through Lent'.
- 10:45 a.m. Break, Confession and personal Prayer time.
- 11:30 a.m. Talk #2 'Walking with our Blessed Mother through Lent'.
- 12:30 p.m. Q & A.

St. Peter the Apostle, 203 Meadowbrook Dr. Mineola TX 75773.
For more information contact Patty Mone 903-638-8089 / 815-546-4906.

Sunday, February 11th



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**Dia Mundial del Matrimonio
Domingo, 11 de febrero**

El Poder De La Fe y La Curación

En la narración de la curación del leproso en el Evangelio del VI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Año B, observamos el poder de la fe en acción. La humilde petición del leproso: "Si quieres, puedes limpiarme", es una expresión conmovedora de una creencia inquebrantable en la capacidad de Jesús para sanar no sólo el cuerpo, sino la esencia misma de la vida de una persona.

Esta petición encarna una confianza profundamente arraigada, que reconoce la autoridad de Jesús sobre la enfermedad y la exclusión social. La respuesta afirmativa de Jesús: "Yo quiero. Quedad limpios", sirve como una poderosa declaración de su voluntad de restaurar y purificar. Este acto de curación trasciende el ámbito físico, restableciendo el lugar del leproso dentro del tejido social y religioso de la comunidad, destacando así la naturaleza holística de la curación divina.

Este encuentro entre Jesús y el leproso subraya la naturaleza dinámica de la fe como una fuerza activa y viva que nos desafía a depositar nuestra confianza en la voluntad de Dios, incluso en medio de las incertidumbres y pruebas de la vida. Sirve como un conmovedor recordatorio de que nuestra fe, cuando se abraza genuinamente, se convierte en una fuente de fortaleza y transformación, capaz de guiarnos hacia un camino de curación, restauración y, en última instancia, plenitud. Mientras navegamos por las complejidades de nuestras propias vidas, esta historia nos invita a apoyarnos en nuestra fe, confiando en el tiempo y la providencia de Dios, y a abrazar el potencial de sanación y renovación en nuestro propio viaje.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — El leproso habitará apartado, haciendo morada fuera del campamento. (Levítico 13:1-2, 44-46)

Salmo — "Tu eres mi refugio; me rodeas de cantos de liberación." (Salmo 32)

Segunda lectura – Sed imitadores de mí, como yo lo soy de Cristo. (1 Cor 10:31-11:1)

Evangelio — La lepra lo abandonó y quedó limpio. (Mc 1, 40-45)

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Mass Intentions

Intenciones de la Misa



Mary Ann Pitts – 9:30 a.m. Mass

For Mass Intention requests, please fill out the Mass Intention Offering Envelope and turn it in to the Parish Office or Fr. Matias. The envelopes are found on the shelf by the front door and by the donation box.

Para solicitudes de intención de misa, complete el sobre de ofrenda de intención de misa y entréguelo a la oficina parroquial o al Padre Matías. Los sobres se encuentran en el estante junto a la puerta principal y junto a la caja de donaciones.



God, who raised Jesus from the dead, will give new life to our own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in us.

Grant Them Eternal Rest

Mary Ann Pitts

December 25, 1941 – January 31, 2024

Our condolences to the Pitts family on the loss of their beloved mom and wife. May their grief turn to joy knowing that their mom is now in the presence of the Lord. Let us keep her family in our prayers.



Miércoles de Ceniza - 14 de febrero

Horario de Misa

8:00 a.m. & 5:30p.m. – Inglés

7:00 p.m. – Español



EL VIA CRUCIS

El Via Crucis comenzara el Viernes despues del Mielcoles de Ceniza. **Seran cada Viernes hasta la Semana Santa.**

5:30 p.m. – Ingles

7:00 p.m. – Misa en Español seguida por El Via Crucis



Promesa Anual Al Obispo 2024: El Señor te llama por tu nombre.

Gracias a la generosidad de todos en nuestra comunidad parroquial, pudimos superar nuestra meta para 2023 en un 223%.

La meta de este año para el Sagrado Corazón seguirá siendo la misma que el año pasado: \$16, 000.00

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Centro de Vida Familiar: Artículos Que Faltan

Nos ha llamado la atención que alguien se ha llevado las charolas metálicas grandes que pertenecen al calentador de alimentos. Pedimos que los regresen lo antes posible. También nos faltan ollas grandes, que hace tiempo que no están. Tenga en cuenta que los artículos en el Centro y otros edificios de la Iglesia han sido donados a la iglesia o comprados por la iglesia. Según el Padre Matías, estos artículos no deben retirarse de los edificios sino usarse aquí para las reuniones de la iglesia.

**Food Bank Distribution Date:
Wednesday, February 21, 2024**

**Distribution Time: 4p.m. – 5:30p.m.
Volunteers should arrive at 2p.m.**



**Fecha de Distribución del Banco de Alimentos:
Miercoles, 21 de febrero de 2024**

**Hora de distribución: 4 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Los voluntarios deberán llegar a las 2 p.m.**