# HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON



February 7, 2021

## 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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#### HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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#### LIVE STREAM MASSES

Facebook: Holy Family Catholic Parish These videos are public and can also be accessed through our Website at: holyfamilygb.com

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Wednesdays 5-5:30PM at St. Patrick's Church Or by appointment, call 409.762.9646.

#### ADORATION

Wednesdays only at St. Patrick 10:30 AM - 5:30 PM

#### MASS SCHEDULE (OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)

**SUNDAY VIGIL (SATURDAY)** 5 PM St. Patrick Church\* 6 PM Our Lady by the Sea Church 7 PM Mary Star of the Sea Church

#### SUNDAY

7:30 AM Sacred Heart Church
9 AM Holy Rosary Church
10 AM St. Patrick Church (Youth Mass)\*
11 AM Sacred Heart Church
12 PM St. Patrick Church (español)\*
12:30 PM St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

#### MONDAY - FRIDAY

10 AM St. Patrick \* WEDNESDAY 6 PM St. Patrick (español)\* \*Denotes Mass is also available online.

(St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica will be closed during the week for construction.)

Welcome to Holy Family Parish. We are 6 Catholic churches united in the service and worship of God in the Galveston-Bolivar area.

## Church Addresses of Holy Family Parish





Holy Rosary (HR) 1420 31st Street, Galveston, TX 77550

Mary Star of the Sea (MSOS) 16626 San Luis Pass Road, Galveston, TX 77554



Our Lady by the Sea (OLBS) 2400 State Hwy 87, Port Bolivar, TX 77650

Sacred Heart Church (SH) 1302 Broadway, Galveston, TX 77550



St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica (SMC) 2011 Church Street, Galveston, TX 77550



St. Patrick Church (SP) 3424 Avenue K, Galveston, TX 77550

You can find Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel (OLG), the Parish Office and your Parish Life Center all located at the St. Patrick's premises. New Parishioners can register online or at the office: 1010 35th St. Galveston, TX 77550. Thank you for joining us!

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## Message from the Pastor

#### Dearly Beloved in Christ:

Last weekend we introduced this year's **DSF Campaign**. By now, all registered parishioners should have received a letter from the Cardinal's Office, together with a pledge card. For those who might need one, pledge cards are available at the back of each church or can be picked up from the parish office.

Today is the first **Commitment Weekend** for this year's DSF campaign, when parishioners can start returning their pledges. We recognize that due to the economic hardship that was occasioned by the ongoing pandemic, the ability of many of us to give financially may be impacted negatively. While our financial ability may be slightly limited, there is no limit to our capacity for generosity: may we all give in accordance to our true ability in gratitude to God for His blessings.

This year, the **Diocesan Services Fund** (**DSF**) is highlighting the following ministries: Office of Vocations; Office of Adolescent Catechesis and Evangelization; and the Catholic Schools Office. Each of these offices is dedicated to helping children and the youth to discover their vocation in life as they mature in their Catholic faith. As a priest of the archdiocese, I have fond memories of working in the Office of Vocations as a summer intern while in the seminary and I will always be grateful for the guidance that I received through this Office. Through our support of the annual **DSF Campaign** we are able to proclaim Gospel values today as well as invest in the future of our faith by providing guidance for the young.

Our children and young ones who are currently in Catholic schools and faith formation programs are our future. They are counting on us to help provide them with a solid foundation in the faith. During this year's **Catholic Schools Week** (Jan. 31 – February 5), let us remember to encourage and support Catholic education through our prayers, treasures and talents. Galveston has a rich Catholic educational legacy. It is my hope that we can keep this legacy alive for generations to come. See our Holy Family Catholic School's bulletin page for more information about upcoming events and opportunities to support our students.

Finally, this weekend the Church celebrates **World Day for Consecrated Life**. This celebration, instituted by Pope St. John Paul II in 1997, is connected with the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord Jesus Christ (February 2). Let us remember to pray for all men and women who have dedicated themselves to the service of God and His people in the Church. Let us also pray for and encourage vocations to the priesthood and the Religious/Consecrated Life.

We are one Holy Family Parish, united in the joy of the Holy Spirit and in charity, as missionary disciples, amen!

Your Servant-Leader in Christ,

Fr. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma

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## Mensaje del Pastor

Queridos amados en Cristo:

El fin de semana pasado presentamos la **campaña DSF** de este año. A estas alturas, todos los feligreses registrados deberían haber recibido una carta de la Oficina del Cardenal, junto con una tarjeta de compromiso. Para aquellos que puedan necesitar una, las tarjetas de compromiso están disponibles en la parte trasera de cada iglesia o se pueden recoger en la oficina parroquial.

Hoy es el primer fin de **semana de compromiso** de la campaña DSF de este año, cuando los feligreses pueden comenzar a devolver sus promesas. Reconocemos que debido a las dificultades económicas ocasionadas por la pandemia en curso, la capacidad de muchos de nosotros para dar financieramente puede verse afectada negativamente. Si bien nuestra capacidad financiera puede ser un poco limitada, no hay límite para nuestra capacidad de generosidad: que todos demos de acuerdo con nuestra verdadera capacidad en agradecimiento a Dios por sus bendiciones.

Este año, el **Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos (DSF)** destaca los siguientes ministerios: Oficina de Vocaciones; Oficina de Catequesis y Evangelización del Adolescente; y la Oficina de Escuelas Católicas. Cada una de estas oficinas está dedicada a ayudar a los niños y jóvenes a descubrir su vocación en la vida a medida que maduran en su fe católica. Como sacerdote de la arquidiócesis, tengo buenos recuerdos de haber trabajado en la Oficina de Vocaciones como pasante de verano mientras estaba en el seminario y siempre estaré agradecido por la guía que recibí a través de esta Oficina. A través de nuestro apoyo a la **campaña anual de DSF**, podemos proclamar los valores del Evangelio hoy, así como invertir en el futuro de nuestra fe al brindar orientación a los jóvenes.

Nuestros niños y jóvenes que actualmente están en escuelas católicas y programas de formación en la fe son nuestro futuro. Cuentan con nosotros para ayudarles a tener una base sólida en la fe. Durante la Semana de las **Escuelas Católicas de este año (del 31 de enero al 5 de febrero),** recordemos alentar y apoyar la educación católica a través de nuestras oraciones, tesoros y talentos. Galveston tiene un rico legado educativo católico. Espero que podamos mantener vivo este legado para las generaciones venideras. Vea la página del boletín de nuestra Holy Family Catholic School para obtener más información sobre los próximos eventos y oportunidades para apoyar a nuestros estudiantes.

Finalmente, este fin de semana la Iglesia celebra el **Día Mundial de la Vida Consagrada**. Esta celebración, instituida por el Papa San Juan Pablo II en 1997, está relacionada con la Fiesta de la Presentación de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo (2 de febrero). Recordemos orar por todos los hombres y mujeres que se han dedicado al servicio de Dios y de su pueblo en la Iglesia. Oremos y animemos también por las vocaciones al sacerdocio y la Vida Religiosa / Consagrada.

Somos una parroquia de la Sagrada Familia, unidos en la alegría del Espíritu Santo y en la caridad, como discípulos misioneros, jamén!

Tu Siervo-Líder en Cristo,

P. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma shepherdhfp@gmail.com

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#### Office Announcements:

#### Interested in Volunteering?

We would love for you to get involved! Holy Family has an active community with numerous organizations and ways to help. Ask the Parish Office for a stewardship directory to learn more about each group and where you would love to contribute!

Every volunteer must complete the diocesan safe environment training (CMG which has replaced the old Virtus program). You can get started at with your CMG training in the comfort of your own home at: <u>galvestonhouston.cmgconnect.org/</u>, or stop by the office if you need a computer.

NEED AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN? Email <u>theofficehfp@gmail.com</u> 2 Wednesdays prior to distribution. Please include the word "Bulletin" along with desired posting dates in the header of your email. Thank you!

#### Preparing for sacraments?

**INFANT BAPTISMS:** We look forward to welcoming your little one into the faith of the Church. Come meet with a priest who will guide you through the process. For Spanish Baptisms, contact Fr. Jorge for an appointment, or Fr. Stephen for English Baptism interviews. Walk-ins welcome. MARRIAGE: Our office manager, Vera Gavlik, is experienced in helping you get started with your wedding plans at Holy Family Parish. She can help answer any questions. Please see our website at holyfamilygb.com to begin the process by filling out the marriage intake form which can be found under the Sacraments/Marriage tab at the top of the front page. 409-762-9646 Ext. 114 **ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:** Contact the Parish Office or call our emergency line: 409-354-6598 FOR OTHER INQUIRIES: Please contact the Religious Education Department 409-762-9646 Ext. 202

Thank you for your generous tithes which help maintain our beautiful churches and facilities where we draw closer to God. If you are unable to attend Mass, you are welcome to donate online or mail your contribution to: 1010 35th St, Galveston, TX 77550 May God bless your generosity.

Parish Contributions	Combined Churches
January 31, 2021 Online Contributions	\$ 17,691.77 \$   4,559.13
(1/25-1/29/21) Bishop's Fund for Latin America TOTAL	<u>\$ 1,039.00</u> <b>\$ 23,289.90</b>

For those who are able, it is easy to sign up for online giving. Go to holyfamilygb.com and click the link on the front page.

#### Or text "give" to 409.515.7625.

Online Giving is available 24/7 at **holyfamilygb.com**, on MyParish App and on the Online Giving website at: https://tinyurl.com/n3jrnmq . Thank you for your continued support of Holy Family Parish.

Fund	Goal	Pledge	Paid	Partici- pants
DSF	\$83,000.00	ТВА	ТВА	ТВА
IGNITE	\$1,180,291	\$643,128.00	\$545,184.48	234

#### UPCOMING COLLECTIONS: Please turn in your envelope(s)!

February 7, 2021 - DSF (no envelopes) February 17, 2021 - Ash Wed February 21,2021 - Black & Indian Mission

#### 2020 Contribution Statements are available by request:

Please email secretaryhfp@gmail.com for your statement or call 409-762-9646 ext. 114.

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Support Holy Family Parish every time you shop! When you shop at AmazonSmile, Amazon will donate a portion of the proceeds to Our Holy Family Parish. Visit https://smile.amazon.com/ch/35-2367961

## Notices

## Mass Intentions

- Sunday Masses have resumed at their regular times in all the churches, except the 11:30 Spanish Mass at St. Patrick's which has been moved to 12 PM.
- <u>The Masses at St. Patrick will continue to live</u> stream for those who are unable to attend in person.
- Churches can accommodate worshipers at up to 50% Capacity.
- Please be sure to wear a mask, sanitize your hands, and help clean/disinfect the churches.
- Daily Masses have been moved to 10AM at St. Patrick's Church and Wednesday night at 6PM in Spanish. You can now attend in person or online through our facebook page.
- Confessions are available on Wednesdays at St. Patrick's from 5-5:30 or by appointment.
- Las misas dominicales se han reanudado en sus horarios regulares en todas las iglesias, excepto la misa en español a las 11:30 en San Patricio, que se ha trasladado a las 12 p.m.
- La misas de San Patricio continuará en línea para aquellos que no pueden asistir en persona.
- Las iglesias pueden acomodar a los fieles al 50% de su capacidad.
- Asegúrese a cubrir la boca, desinfecte sus manos y ayude a limpiar/desinfectar las iglesias.
- Las misas diarias han sido trasladadosa las 10

   a.m. en la iglesia de San Patricio y el
   miércoles a las 6 p.m. en español. Ahora
   puede asistir en persona o en línea por
   nuestra página de Facebook.
- Las confesiones se reanudio los miércoles desde 5-5: 30 en San Patricio o con cita previa.

\*Online Masses can be found through our facebook page: Holy Family Catholic Parish.

## SATURDAY, 2/6/2021 Vigil

5PM SP	† Peggy Dallas		
6PM OLBS	<b>†</b> Chance Sievers		
7PM MSOS	† Debbie Wilkowski		
SUNDAY, 2/7/2021 Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time			
7:30AM SH	For the People		
9AM HR	† Dominick Smith		
10AM SP*	† Niki Brouillard		
11AM SH	* Mary and Salvatore Castorina		
12PM SP* (ESP) † Ricardo Alaniz, Sr.			
12:30PM SMC + Fred and Carrie Wimhurst			
Jb 7:1-4, 6-7 ; Ps 14	47:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 ; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23 ; Mk 1:29-39		

#### MONDAY 2/8/2021

**10AM SP/ONLINE** 

Rosemary (for family & friends)

#### **TUESDAY 2/9/2021**

**10AM SP/ONLINE** 

**†** Living and Deceased Members of the Muldoon Family

#### WEDNESDAY 2/10/2021

Memorial of Saint Scholastica, Virgin

10AM SP/ONLINE † Niki Brouillard

6PM SP (ESP)/en línea † Esther Cano

#### THURSDAY 2/11/2021

10AM SP/ONLINE

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#### FRIDAY 2/12/2021

**10AM SP/ONLINE** 

#### Margie Alessi (Improved Health)

Readings can be found at www.usccb.org. Just click on the Daily Readings tab.

## School News





## FEBRUARY 27, 2021 at 10:00 AM

Holy Family Catholic School (HFCS) is excited to announce our first ever oncampus color run! The color run is scheduled for Saturday, February 27<sup>th</sup>. The school and parish community are encouraged to register for the event or sponsor a runner at <u>steps4students.org.</u>

The Steps for Students website has options to sign up or to make a donation. Make sure to select Holy Family as your team, so all of the money raised comes back to our school. The proceeds from Steps for Students will assist the school in replacing the playground. The outdoor elements of our island have rusted out the upper elementary school playground, leaving it unusable. Our fundraising goal is \$20,000. Fr. Jude placed in the top 10 fundraisers for the entire Archdiocese last year, putting Holy Family on the leaderboard. Let's see if we can do it again! Thank you for your continued support of our local parish school.



## RCIA



## WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY'S RCIA PAGE <u>RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS</u> <u>Come Learn About the Catholic Faith.</u> <u>Catholic? Come learn more about your faith,</u> <u>and/or Complete Your Sacraments.</u>

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THE OUR FATHER (CONT., part 4) "ANDFORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES" (bad things we didor good things we should have done, but we didn'tdo). God is faithful and fair and He will forgive us oursins." (1 John 1:9, NIV). Uh-Oh; That first part won'twork though UNLESS "WE FORGIVE THOSE WHOTRESPASS AGAINST US." This is a very important



part, because we are promising God that we will forgive others the same way that He forgives us. After all, we can't expect God to forgive us if we will not forgive others!! So, in RCIA, we learn that: We're also saying that we want and need God's

#### forgiveness.

No matter how deeply we feel someone has hurt us, you can choose—today—because of the grace God has shown us, to offer mercy to another. You don't have to feel like it. You don't have to drag up any warm feelings for those people. But you can refuse to try to get back at them. You can wipe the slate clean. You can forgive that sin. You can pray, "Forgive us today as we are forgiving others today." And as you do that, day by day, YOU will be forgiven...and you will experience the healing and wholeness that comes from releasing others' sins against you. And, day by day, you will <u>be released of sin's hold on you.</u>



Here we ask God to keep us away from doing bad things. We are also asking Him to keep us away from evil. We need Him to help us to do good things, instead of ignoring them. Such as: "Donating to the Church"; "being an active member of our Parish"; caring for the poor and the lonely"; or "helping our Parish School."



## Faith Formation

Feb 7	Faith Formation K-5th		At Home				
	Middle School (6th-8th) Youth Group	11-00am-12:00pm	In Person				
	High School (9th-12th) Youth Group	1:00pm-2:30pm	In Person				
Feb 14	Faith Formation K-5th		At Home				
	Middle School (6th-8th) Youth Group		At Home				
	High School (9th-12th) Youth Group		At Home				
UPCOMING EVENTS-ADULT CONFIRMATION							
Feb 11	Class — The Church and Discipleship	6:00 pm-7:30 pm	In Person				
UPCOMING EVENTS- RCIA-C							
Feb 10	RCIA-C Year 1	6:15pm - 7:30PM	In Person				
Feb 17	RCIA-C Year 2 English & Spanish	6:15pm - 7:30pm	In Person				
UPCOMING EVENTS— SACRAMENTAL PREP							
Feb 11	First Holy Communion Prep Spanish	6:00pm - 7:30pm	In Person				
March 3	First Holy Communion Prep English	6:00pm - 7:30pm	In Person				



## YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

With the Apostolic Letter "Patris Corde" meaning a Father's heart. Pope Francis describes Saint Joseph as a beloved father, a tender and loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father, a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, a father in the shadows. This began on the solemnity of Immaculate Conception 2020 and extending to

the same feast in 2021.

The man Saint Joseph goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence, who nonetheless played "an incomparable role in the history of salvation". He expressed this fatherhood by making an offering of himself in love "a love placed at the service of the Messiah who was growing to maturity in his home.

St Joseph in accepting the father, accepted Mary unconditionally. St. joseph's spiritual path is not the one that explains, but accepts. He is courageously and firmly proactive because with "Holy spirit's gift of fortitude and full of hope, he is able to accept life as it is, with all its contradictions, frustrations and disappointments. St. Joseph trusted so much in the Divine providence even as they faced so many hardships.

So we need the spiritual fatherhood of St. Joseph to help us protect marriage and family that is why he is known as the head of the Holy Family. We also need him to help us and the Church Satan's deception. He is known as Terror of demons.

Lastly, the whole world need to be re-evangelized including all baptized Christian. As the first missionary, we need him to bring Jesus to us and to the nations. Please join us in the upcoming weeks as we look at the many important roles of Joseph in "The Litany of St. Joseph" on page 14 of this bulletin.

Ash Wednesday: Lent Begins

## ASH WEDNESDAY LITURGIES FEBRUARY 17<sup>th</sup>:



7:00 am Holy Rosary (Mass with Ashes) 10:00 am Saint Patrick Church (Mass with Ashes) English 10:00 am UTMB (Liturgy of the Word with Ashes) 12:10 pm Sacred Heart (Mass with Ashes) 6:00 pm Saint Patrick (Mass with Ashes) Español 6:30 pm Our Lady By the Sea (Word Service with Ashes) 7:00 pm Saint Mary's Cathedral Basilica (Mass with Ashes) Cardinal DiNardo presiding

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

#### Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday until Easter Triduum beginning 2/19/2021 through 3/26/2021:

\*\*\*On February 26th only the Stations of the Cross will be held at Sacred Heart Church instead of Saint Patrick Church\*\*\*

5:30 pm English Stations of the Cross - Saint Patrick 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross - Our Lady by the Sea



## The Bible in a Year Podcast

Hosted by Fr. Mike Schmitz and featuring Jeff Cavins, guides Catholics through the Bible in 365 daily episodes, providing commentary, reflection, and prayer along the way. Unlike any other Bible podcast, Ascension's Bible in a Year Podcast follows a reading plan inspired by The Great Adventure Bible Timeline, a ground-breaking

approach to understanding salvation history developed by renowned Catholic Bible scholar Jeff Cavins. With this podcast, you won't just read the Bible in a year ... you'll finally understand how all the pieces of the Bible fit together to tell an amazing story that continues in your life today!



## Listen and...

- 1) Read the ENTIRE Bible;
- 2) Feel more confident about your understanding of Scripture;
- 3) Experience the transformative power of God's Word in your daily life;
- 4) Start seeing the world through the lens of Scripture.

The Bible in a Year (with Fr. Mike Schmitz) is produced by Ascension, the leader in Catholic faith formation. Visit ascensionpress.com/bibleinayear for the complete Bible in a Year (with Fr. Mike Schmitz) reading plan. The Bible contains adult themes that may not be suitable for children - parental discretion is advised.

# Mark Your Calendars!

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

FESTIVAL

2601 Ave N, Galveston, Texas Saturday, March 27th, 2021 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

## FREE ADMISSION

Family Fun! BBQ to Go ! Silent Auction! Kiddie Korner! Rummage Sale!

# Luck of the Irish! Win A **2020** Honda

Fit Ticket Sales Coming Soon!

WE ARE COMMITTED TO A SAFE FESTIVAL MASKS REQUIRED & WILL FOLLOW SAFETY PROTOCOLS

# Sponsorship Tiers

GOLD: Street view advertising, name in flyer and booth sponsorship, 32Auction.com, Facebook, and sign in front of church recognizing Gold Sponsors (\$400).

SILVER: Name in flyer and 32Auction.com (\$250).

BRONZE: Name in flyer (\$100).

# DONATIONS NEEDED:

Cake Booth wants cakes only. 9 x 13 oblong pans and dome (layer or bundt) cake plates will be handed out the two weekends before the festival at every church location in the back. Drop Off times are as follows - Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup> & Friday 26<sup>th</sup> from 3 – 7pm at Holy Family Catholic School, 2601 Ave N, circle driveway at the Cake Drop Off table. Contact Martie Terry for more information at 713-504-4202 or martiejterry@comcast.net

#### SILENT AUCTION

Accepting NEW Items & Services including: Housewares, Décor, Gift Cards, Spiritual, Travel, Jewelry, Outdoors, etc. Donations can be dropped off at the church office or in the boxes at the back of each church. Please contact Annette Denton for more information at ACDenton64@gmail.com

#### RUMMAGE SALE

Accepting any items (NO CLOTHING OR SHOES) in good condition to include: Furniture, Housewares, Décor, Artwork, Children's Toys (NO STUFFED ANIMALS), ETC. Drop off Times will be as follows – Sunday March 21<sup>st</sup> from 1-4pm, Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup> & Friday 26<sup>th</sup> from 3 – 7pm at Holy Family Catholic School, 2601 Ave N, circle driveway in front of the garage on left side.

#### WEARING OF THE GREEN CONTEST

Ready to have some fun!?! Dress in your best green and win a gift basket valued at \$150! Judging will be done by Father Jude, Father Stephen, and Father Jorge.

#### **VOLUNTEER/SPONSOR STATEMENT**

If you would like to volunteer and join the St. Patrick's Committee or become one of our Gold, Silver, or Bronze Sponsors of the Festival, contact Deborah Powell at <u>dpowellppa@gmail.com</u>

## Prayer Page



## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

# SACRAMENT

## **Every Wednesday**

St. Patrick's Church 10:30 AM- 5:30 PM

Come and Worship

Meditation for: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 7<sup>th</sup>

That – just as Jesus rose early to pray – we, too, may find time in our day to be with God and to receive strength and nourishment from Him.

"Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed...He told them, 'Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come.'"

- Mark 1:35, 38

In today's Gospel reading we see a perfect example of stewardship. Jesus gives His time to do all that God wishes - healing the sick and preaching. But before He begins, Jesus makes time to be alone with God in prayer. It is through prayer, spending time with God, that we find the strength to do what He wishes us to do. Be sure to find time every day to be with God.



## **PRAYER LIST**

## Dear Holy Family Parish,

Please join us in praying for Linda Bradford; Elizabeth, Richard and Sophia Rose; Alejandro Osorio Villada.

And we pray for the improved health of Larry Lambert, Mickey Gaido, Paulie Gaido, Nick Gaido, Mrs. Peaches (Hetta) Kempner, and Mary Van Sickels.

"If one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it: if one part is honored, all the parts share it's joy. Now you are Christ's body and individually parts of it." 1 Cor. 12:26-27 \*Our Holy Family Parish will pray for your intentions. Please go to <u>holyfamilygb.com</u> and search for prayer list under the Home tab and send us your or your loved one's name. The names will be listed in the bulletin for 2 weeks. For those without computer access, you may call the parish office at: 409.762.9646.

## ATTENTION ALL LADIES!!! Our Altar Society 2021 February meeting

is on TUESDAY February 9<sup>th</sup> & is open to all ladies in the parish. We meet in the Parish Life Center at St. Patrick's at a new time of 11 AM. Please join us for fellowship, parish news, door prizes & donation drawings for gifts! Each member is encouraged to invite someone not a member & introduce them to the charitable projects we do for our parish.

Please plan to attend. If you are not a member & can join us, please RSVP by email or telephone so we can have the hall set up for distancing properly. We hope to see you there & thank you for your support & interest. Martie Terry 713-504-4202 or <u>martiejterry@comcast.net</u>.



Knights of Columbus #787 will be continuing the Altar Society's sale of delicious tamales and salsa after many of our Sunday Masses, beginning January 9-10. If you miss us, you may stop by the office at the **KC Hall on 1912 Winnie**, M-F 10:00-1:00 to place your order. The tamales will arrive in time to enjoy during the Super Bowl, February 7.

## Galveston Catholic Young Adults

Look for upcoming Tuesday events with Galveston Catholic Young Adults through our facebook page.



Knights of Columbus Monsignor Kirwin Council 787 Super Bowl Raffle Drawing At Halftime

Sunday February 7, 2021 Knights of Columbus Hall 1912 Winnie Galveston Island, TX (Winners need not be present.)

Prizes: 1st Place: \$5,000 2nd Place: \$ 1,000 3rd Place: \$500 4th Place: \$250 Only 300 tickets will be sold.

You do not have to be a member to sell these tickets. Donation: \$50

- Each ticket includes a square which pays \$100 per quarter. (No overtime)
- Due to current restrictions on social gatherings, the hall will not be open to the public.
- Higher raffle amounts are awarded this year due to the unavailability of food and drink accommodations as done in previous years.
- Halftime Raffle will be viewable as a Facebook Life stream only event.

Seller of the 1st Place Winning Raffle Ticket will receive \$200

For additional information or ticket purchases, the office hours for KC Hall are 10AM-1PM, Tuesday-Saturday. 409.762.2112.

Happy Birthday Fr. Jude!

## A New Group is Forming at Holy Family

Hooks and Needle Bible Study- This is a group to foster friendship while talking about Sunday readings, other study materials, and working on any type of crochet, knitting or other type of handiwork. Everyone is encouraged to come. If you are interested in joining please contact the Parish Office.



7 y 14 de febrero: Después de las misas en español, Los Apóstoles de la Palabra estarán vendiendo misales para el año 2021.

Sign up for Flocknotes for easy access to our Holiday Mass Schedules and important parish announcements!

Flocknote is a communication tool that helps keep you updated on holiday Mass times, weather cancellations, ministry updates and more. Important notices are sent straight to your phone.

## To sign up for Flocknote: Text: FULLOFGRACE to 84576 Or sign up online at HFParish.flocknote.com

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## LITANY OF ST JOSEPH

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy, Christ, hear us, God the father of heaven, God the son Redeemer of the world, God the Holy Spirit, Holy Trinity one, God, Holy Mary, Saint Joseph, Nobel offspring of David, Light of Patriarchs, Spouse of the Mother of God, Chaste Guardian of the Virgin, Foster- Father of the Son of God. Zealous defender of Christ. Head of the Holy Family, Joseph most Just, Joseph most Chaste, Joseph most Prudent, Joseph most Courageous, Joseph most Obedient, Joseph most Faithful, **Mirror of Patience**, Lover of Poverty. Model of Workers, Glory of Domestic Life, **Guardian of Virgins**, **Pillar of Families**, Comfort of the Afflicted, Hope of the Sick, Patron of the Dying, Terror of Demons, Protector of the Holy Church,

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,

V: He has made him Lord of his household R: And prince over all his possessions.

#### LET US PRAY

O God, who in your loving providence, chose Blessed Joseph to be spouse of your most Holy Mother, grant us the favor of having him for our intercessor in Heaven whom on earth we venerate as our protector. You, who live and reign forever and ever. AMEN.

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Christ, have Mercy. Lord, have Mercy. Christ, graciously hear us. Have mercy on us. Have mercy on us. Have mercy on us. Have mercy on us. Pray for us.

Lord, have Mercy.

Spare us, O Lord. Graciously hear us, O Lord. Have Mercy on us.

# Response



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