

HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON

Pastoral Report 2023

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Dearly Beloved in Christ:

You will find the annual **Pastoral & Financial** report in this week's bulletin. This report covers the fiscal year, July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023. This year's report, as with previous reports, is a glaring testimony of your generosity with your **Time, Talent, and Treasure** in support of our Holy Family Parish. Truly, "I give thanks to my God at every remembrance of you, praying always with joy in my every prayer for all of you, because of **your partnership for the gospel from the first day until now**" (**Philippians 1:3-6**; emphases added).

In the Gospel, we were told that Jesus and his twelve disciples were accompanied by some women "who provided for them out of their resources" (see: **Luke 8:1-3**). Just as with Jesus, Saint Paul, the other apostles/disciples, and the saints throughout history, we, the (ordained) ministers of the church, have always depended on the cooperation and generous partnership of others for the proclamation of the gospel.

You are my partners and co-workers for the gospel! Thank you for your prayers; the gift of your time through volunteering; your participation in the various groups and ministries in the parish; and for your generous financial contributions to the parish. May the Lord continue to bless you richly as you serve as collaborators and partners for the gospel. Amen!

We urge you to remain steadfast in your partnership with us, especially as we work toward the completion of our new **Parish Life Center**. Construction work continues in earnest and we hope to have **Phase 1** of this project completed by March 2024. Construction also means that there are bills to pay. When we launched our Capital Campaign two years ago, we set a goal to raise \$5.5 Million for the first phase of our capital project. And the total cost for Phase 1 has increased by \$2 Million dollars due to inflation and the rising cost of construction. So far, we have raised over 3.8 million dollars in pledges and have received a little over 3 million dollars in donations and pledges redeemed. Since last year's report, pledges have increased by \$600,000; donations and pledges redeemed by \$1,000,000; and the number of donors have increased by 228! This is great news as it means that more parishioners are supporting the project; thank you! Let us keep up the good work, remaining steadfast in our partnership for the Gospel.

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,
Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma
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Balance Sheet

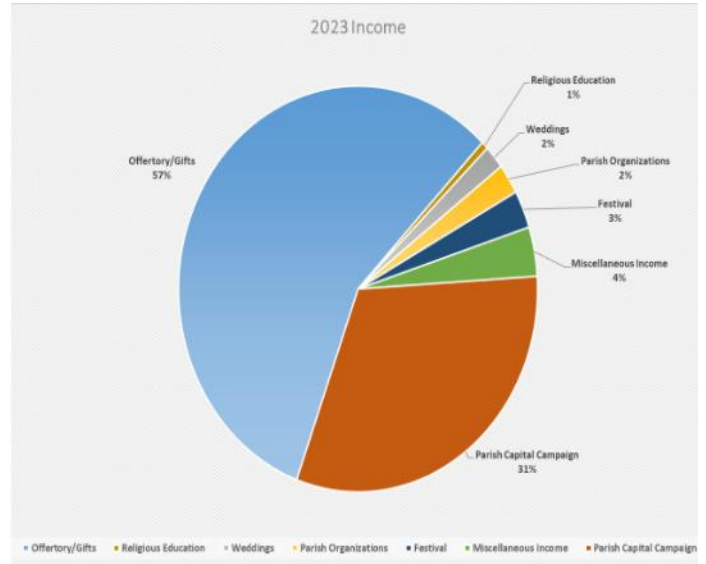
Presented in summary for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023

Assets		Liabilities and Net Assets	
	<u>Current Assets</u>		<u>Current Liabilities</u>
Cash- Parish Operating Account	\$521,573	Accounts Payable	\$48,871
Cash- Parish Savings Account	\$3,837,616		
Maintenance & Repair Savings	\$84,971		
Organizations Savings Account	0		
Accounts Receivable	0		
Master Plan	\$2,427,652		
Total Current Assets	\$6,871,812	Total Current Liabilities	\$48,871
	<u>Long Term Assets</u>		<u>Net Assets</u>
Buildings	\$9,682,587	Net Assets Restricted	\$175,430
Land	\$0	Net Assets Unrestricted	\$16,450,951
Other Assets	\$120,853		
Total Long Term Assets	\$9,803,440	Total Net Assets	\$16,626,381
TOTAL ASSETS	\$16,675,252	TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	\$16,675,252

SHARING OUR GIFTS

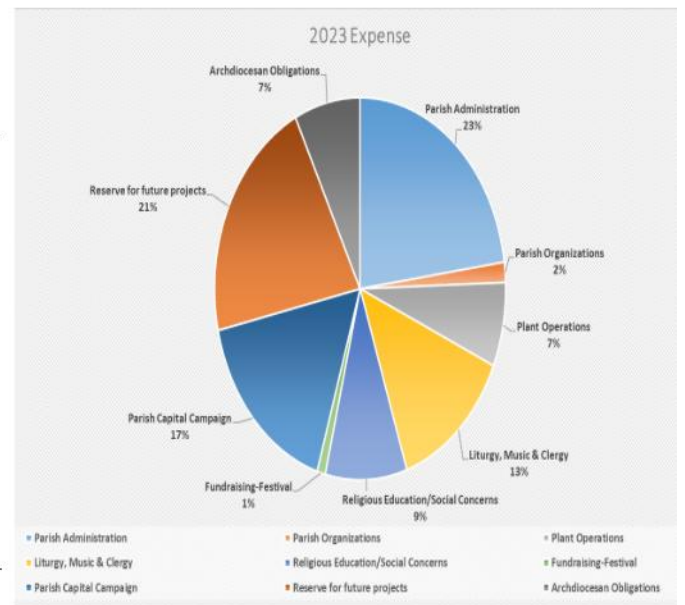
Gifts Offered

<u>Source of Funds</u>	<u>FY 2022 Actuals</u>	<u>FY 2023 Actuals</u>
Offertory/Gifts	\$1,564,741	\$1,720,643
Maintenance Fund	\$13,834	Incl. in Offerings
Religious Education	\$13,449	\$18,972
Weddings	\$77,320	\$57,286
Parish Organizations	\$39,485	\$72,996
Festival	\$109,816	\$90,996
Miscellaneous Income	\$76,959	\$119,508
Parish Capital Campaign	\$1,955,605	\$959,036
Total	\$3,851,209	\$3,039,437



Gifts Disbursed

<u>Use of Funds</u>	<u>FY 2022 Actuals</u>	<u>FY 2023 Actuals</u>
Parish Administration	\$498,482	\$691,958
Parish Organizations	\$24,283	\$51,964
Plant Operations	\$157,741	\$215,989
Liturgy, Music & Clergy	\$311,547	\$401,642
Religious Ed./Social Concerns/HFCS Subsidy	\$274,063	\$275,656
Fundraising-Festival	\$38,415	\$28,042
Parish Capital Campaign	\$75,780	\$508,159
Reserve for future projects	\$2,215,110	\$643,223
Archdiocesan Obligations	\$255,788	\$222,804
Total	\$3,851,209	\$3,039,437



Presented in summary for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 (Fiscal Year runs from July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023)

Note: If you have any questions or would like additional information regarding the financial information please contact the parish office.

IN ADDITION...

St Patrick's:

- Constructed new confessionals and altar
- Refurbished Choir Loft lighting
- Repaired audio system in the PLC
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep (including AC/HVAC repairs)

Sacred Heart:

- Began major AC overhaul
- Replaced lighting over the front steps
- Repaired audio system
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep

St. Mary's:

- Began major AC repairs
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep

Holy Rosary:

- Started statue refurbishment
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep

Mary Star of the Sea:

- Repaired/Replaced street sign lighting and statue lighting
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep
- Renovated the Sanctuary (new carpet/moved the Tabernacle to the Sanctuary)

Our Lady by the Sea:

- Repainted parking spaces
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep

Holy Family Catholic School:

- Refurbished new lobby ceiling
- Refurbished gym ceiling and lighting
- Multiple minor repairs/upkeep

New Parish Offices:

- Began construction

Across Our Parish

Registered Households	2088
Parishioners	4649
New Families Registered	36
Parish Group/Ministries	48
Baptisms	80
Marriages	39
Quinceañeras	0
Funerals	73
Masses Celebrated	1102
Hours of Scheduled Adoration	1706
ACTS Retreats to Date	2
ACTS Retreatants To Date	170
Students at Holy Family Catholic School	54

Faith Formation

Youth First Communion	37
RCIC for Children	3
RCIA for Adults	11
Teen Confirmations	26
Students in Elementary CCE	126
Catechists	22
VBS Volunteers	15
VBS Participants	24
Edge Students	22
Lifeteen Students	67
Edge Core Team	2
Lifeteen Core Team	8
Teen Retreats	1
Teens Attending Retreats	20

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Reporte Pastoral Anual 2023

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Amadísimos en Cristo:

Encontrará el informe **pastoral y financiero** anual en el boletín de esta semana. Este informe cubre el año fiscal, del 1 de julio de 2022 al 30 de junio de 2023. El informe de este año, al igual que los informes anteriores, es un testimonio evidente de su generosidad con su **tiempo, talento y tesoro** en apoyo de nuestra Parroquia de la Sagrada Familia. En verdad, "Doy gracias a mi Dios cada vez que me acuerdo de vosotros, orando siempre con gozo en todas mis oraciones por todos vosotros, por **vuestra colaboración en el evangelio desde el primer día hasta ahora**" (**Filipenses 1:3-6**; énfasis añadido).

En el Evangelio se nos cuenta que Jesús y sus doce discípulos iban acompañados de unas mujeres "que les sustentaban con sus recursos" (ver: **Lucas 8,1-3**). Así como sucedió con Jesús, San Pablo, los otros apóstoles/discípulos y los santos a lo largo de la historia, nosotros, los ministros (ordenados) de la iglesia, siempre hemos dependido de la cooperación y la asociación generosa de otros para la proclamación del evangelio.

¡Ustedes son mis socios y colaboradores para el evangelio! Gracias por sus oraciones; el regalo de tu tiempo a través del voluntariado; su participación en los diversos grupos y ministerios de la parroquia; y por sus generosas contribuciones financieras a la parroquia. Que el Señor continúe bendiciéndolos abundantemente mientras sirven como colaboradores y socios del evangelio. ¡Amén!

Le instamos a permanecer firme en su asociación con nosotros, especialmente mientras trabajamos para completar nuestro nuevo **Centro de Vida Parroquial**. El trabajo de construcción continúa en serio y esperamos completar la **Fase 1** de este proyecto para marzo de 2024. La construcción también significa que hay facturas que pagar. Cuando lanzamos nuestra Campaña de Capital hace dos años, nos fijamos el objetivo de recaudar \$5,5 millones para la primera fase de nuestro proyecto de capital. Y el costo total de la Fase 1 ha aumentado en \$2 millones de dólares debido a la inflación y el creciente costo de la construcción. Hasta ahora, hemos recaudado más de 3,8 millones de dólares en promesas y hemos recibido poco más de 3 millones de dólares en donaciones y promesas canjeadas. Desde el informe del año pasado, las promesas han aumentado en 600.000 dólares; donaciones y promesas canjeadas por \$1.000.000; ¡Y el número de donantes ha aumentado en 228! Esta es una gran noticia ya que significa que más feligreses están apoyando el proyecto; ¡gracias! Sigamos con el buen trabajo, manteniéndonos firmes en nuestra colaboración por el Evangelio.

Somos una **Parroquia de la Sagrada Familia, unida en el gozo del Espíritu Santo y en la caridad, como discípulos misioneros, ¡amén!**

Tu siervo-líder en Cristo,
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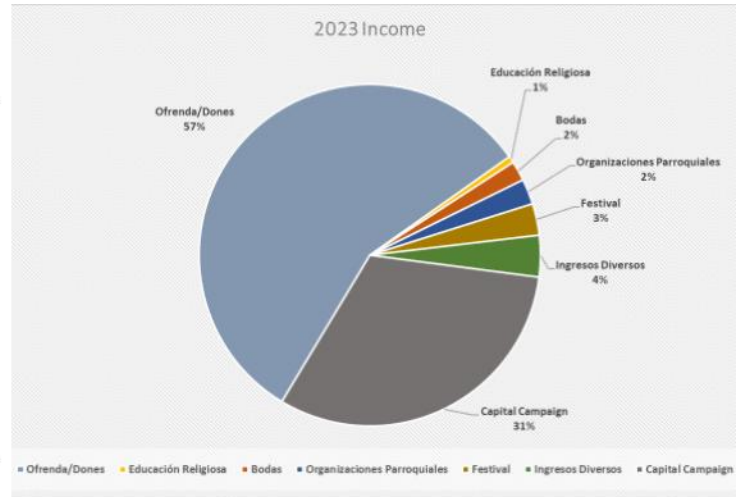
Presentado en resumen para el año fiscal terminado el 30 de junio 2023

Activos		Pasivo y Activo Neto	
	<u>Activos Circulantes</u>		<u>Pasivo Corriente</u>
Efectivo- Cuenta Operativa Parroquial	\$521,573	Cuentas por Pagar	\$48,871
Efectivo- Cuenta de Ahorros Parroquial	\$3,837,616		
Ahorros de Mantenimiento & Reparaciones	\$84,971		
Cuenta de Ahorros de Organizaciones	0		
Cuentas por cobrar	0		
Plan Maestro	\$2,427,652		
		Total Pasivo Corriente	\$48,871
Total Activo Corriente	\$6,871,812		
			<u>Activos Netos</u>
	<u>Activos a Largo Plazo</u>	Activo Neto Restringido	\$175,430
Edificios	\$9,682,587	Activo Neto Sin Restricción	\$16,450,951
Terrenos	\$ 0		
Otros Activos	\$120,853		
		Total Activo Neto	\$16,626,381
Total Activo Fijo	\$9,803,440		
TOTAL ACTIVO	\$16,675,252	TOTAL PASIVO & ACTIVO NETO	\$16,675,252

COMPARTIENDO NUESTROS DONES

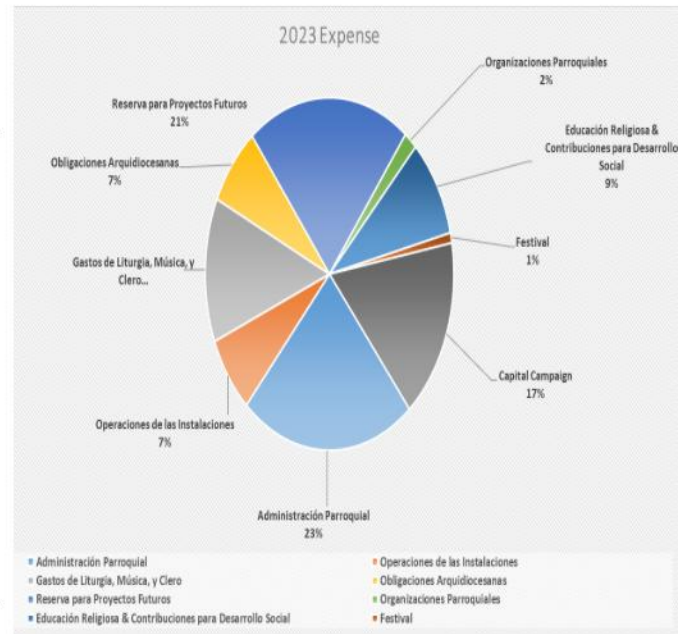
Dones Ofrecidos

<u>Fuente de Fondos</u>	<u>AF 2022 Actuales</u>	<u>AF 2023 Actuales</u>
Ofrenda/Dones	\$1,564,741	\$1,720,643
Fondo para Mantenimiento	\$13,834	incluido en Ofrendas
Educación Religiosa	\$13,449	\$18,972
Bodas	\$77,320	\$57,286
Organizaciones Parroquiales	\$39,485	\$72,996
Festival	\$109,816	\$90,996
Ingresos Diversos	\$76,959	\$119,508
Campaña Capital Parroquial	\$1,955,605	\$959,036
Total	\$3,851,209	\$3,039,437



Dones Desembolsados

<u>Uso de Fondos</u>	<u>AF 2022 Actuales</u>	<u>AF 2023 Actuales</u>
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Organizaciones Parroquiales	\$24,283	\$51,964
Operaciones de las Instalaciones	\$157,741	\$215,989
Gastos de Liturgia, Música, y Clero	\$311,547	\$401,642
Educación Religiosa & Contribuciones para Desarrollo Social/ Subsidio Para HFCS	\$274,063	\$275,656
Recaudación de fondos para el festival	\$38,415	\$28,042
Campaña Capital Parroquial	\$75,780	\$508,159
Reserva para Proyectos Futuros	\$2,215,110	\$643,223
Obligaciones Arquidiocesanas	\$255,788	\$222,804
Total	\$3,851,209	\$3,039,437



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Note: Si tiene algunas preguntas o quiere información adicional respecto a la información financiera, por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial.

ADEMÁS...

San Patricio:

- Construcción de nuevos confesionarios y altar.
- Iluminación del Coro Loft reformada.
- Sistema de audio reparado en el PLC.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores (incluidas reparaciones de aire acondicionado/climatización)

Sagrado Corazón:

- Comenzó una importante revisión del aire acondicionado.
- Se reemplazó la iluminación sobre los escalones de entrada.
- Sistema de audio reparado.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores

Santa María:

- Comenzó reparaciones importantes de aire acondicionado.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores

Santo Rosario:

- Se inició la restauración de la estatua.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores

María Estrella del Mar:

- Reparación/reemplazo de iluminación de letreros de calles e iluminación de estatuas.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores
- Renovó el Santuario (alfombra nueva/ trasladó el Tabernáculo al Santuario)

Nuestra Señora del Mar:

- Plazas de aparcamiento repintadas.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores

Escuela Católica Sagrada Familia:

- Nuevo techo del vestíbulo reformado.
- Techo e iluminación del gimnasio renovados.
- Múltiples reparaciones/mantenimiento menores

Nuevas Oficinas Parroquiales:

- Comenzó la construcción

En Nuestra Parroquia

Casas Registradas	2088
Feligreses	4649
Familias Nuevas Registradas	36
Ministerios/Grupos de la Parroquia	48
Bautizos	80
Matrimonios	39
Quinceañeras	0
Funerales	73
Misas Celebradas	1102
Horas de Adoración Planeadas	1706
Retiros de ACTS Hasta la Fecha	2
Participantes en Retiros de ACTS Hasta la Fecha	170
Estudiantes en la Escuela de la Sagrada Familia	54

Formación de Fe

Primera Comunión/Reconciliación de Niños	37
RCIC para Niños	3
RCIA para Adultos	11
Confirmaciones de Jóvenes	26
Estudiantes de CCE en Primaria	126
Catequistas	22
Voluntarios para VBS	15
Participantes en VBS	24
Estudiantes de Edge	22
Estudiantes de Lifeteen	67
Catequistas de Edge	2
Catequistas de Lifeteen	8
Retiros para Jóvenes	1
Jóvenes Asistiendo Retiros	20



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 (SMCB)

2011 Church Street, Galveston, TX 77550

St. Patrick Church (SP)

3424 Avenue K, Galveston, TX 77550



September 10, 2023
23rd Week of Ordinary Time

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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MASS SCHEDULE

(OPEN TO THE PUBLIC at 100% Capacity)

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

7 AM Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel

12:10 PM St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

WEDNESDAY ONLY

6 PM Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel (español)

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH ONLY

8:00 AM at St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

(7:30 AM Rosary Recitation)

ADORATION

7:30 AM Tue. - 5:30 PM Wed. at the OLG Chapel

CONFESSIONS

St. Patrick: Sat. 3:30-4:30 PM/Wed. 4:30-5:30 PM

Our Lady by the Sea: Sat. 5:30 PM

Mary Star of the Sea: Sat. 6:30 PM

Holy Rosary: Sun. 8:30 AM

Sacred Heart: Sun. at 10:30 AM

Or by appointment, call 409.762.9646.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Last Fridays of each month after the 12:10 Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral-Basilica

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Custodian, Jesus Macias

PRAYER LIST

Dear Holy Family,

Please join us in praying for, Irenaeus Jordan and Kirk Ford for healing and good health.



Financial Updates

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
Weekend of Sept 3rd	\$26,745.00
Online Contributions (Aug 28 - Sept. 1, 2023)	<u>\$ 4,514.13</u>
TOTAL	\$31,259.13
Catholic University Collection	\$ 1,313.00



Thank you for your continued support of Holy Family Parish. To access our Online Giving, you can visit our website at holyfamilygb.com, The Online Giving website <https://tinyurl.com/n3jrnmq> text "give" to 409.515.7625, or you can use your phone to scan this QR code

Fund	Goal	Pledge	Paid	Partici- pants
DSF	\$92,000		\$79,964.44	256
Capital Campaign	\$5,500,000	\$3,879,774	\$3,021,824	683



To sign up for Flocknote and get parish announcements:

Text: FULLOFGRACE to 84576

Or sign up online at HFParish.flocknote.com

Text STOP to 84576 to stop text notifications at any time. Text HELP for help. There is no charge for this service, but your carrier message and data rates may apply. View privacy policy & conditions at flocknote.com/txt.

Mass Intentions

The readings can be found at www.usccb.org.

Click on the Daily Readings Tab.

Saturday September 9th - Vigil Mass

- 5:00pm (SP) Barbara Adams and Family
6:00pm (OLBS) † Fr. John Ulm
7:00pm (MSOS) † Rev. John F. Onorato, CSB

Sunday September 10th

- 7:30 am (SH) For the People
9:00am (HR) † Bennett Gonzales
10:00am (SP) † Maria Josefina Torres DeLuca
11:00am (SH) † Greg Grimninger
12:00pm(SP)Esp † Alejandrino Jamillo Espinoza
12:30 pm (SMCB) † Marco A. Garza

Monday September 11th

- 7:00am (OLG) † Marvella Gerard (Birthday)
12:10pm (SMCB) † Pompeo & Josephine Urbani

Tuesday September 12th

- 7:00am (OLG) † Jilmar Salvatierra
12:10pm (SMCB) † Otie Zapp

Wednesday September 13th

Memorial of Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

- 7:00am (OLG) † A. L. Gounah Jr.
12:10pm (SMCB) † Carol Marple
6:00pm (SP)Esp † Mirrosalva Flores

Thursday September 14th

Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

- 7:00am (OLG) † Rev. Walter W. Scott, CSB
12:10pm (SMCB) † Fred & Carrie Wimhurst Jr.

Friday September 15th

Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows

- 7:00am (OLG) † Rev. John C. DeForke
12:10pm (SMCB) † Dario Saturino Dafonte



Holy Family Catholic School

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Sports are Back at Holy Family School!

Holy Family Catholic School will once again have an athletics program with the start of our volleyball team! The first practice was this week and the first game will be Friday, September 8, when we play St. Augustine Catholic School here at home. The game will start at 4:30 and admission is free. Make plans now to support our Lady Bucs on the volleyball court!

Video Production Lab is Shaping Up!

More equipment for our new video production lab arrived on campus this week. Mrs. Candace Weber, the school's technology teacher is busily preparing the lab for student use. We will be streaming events with the equipment and creating videos to go on the Holy Family Catholic School's YouTube channel. This lab is one of the many things that sets Holy Family Catholic School apart from other schools. Come take a tour and see what we have to offer!



Father Jude Celebrates First Mass of the School Year



Father Jude celebrated the first Mass of the school year with the students at Holy Family Catholic School on August 18.

Like Chess?

We are still looking for someone to be the second sponsor for our chess club. Our fifth grade teacher, Mr. Joseph Kelleher, will also sponsor the chess team. The chess club will meet one day each week after school. Contact the principal, Jeanna Porter if you would like to take part in this ministry to our students.



UPCOMING EVENTS

09/10/2023	Spanish Faith Formation (Kinder-5th)	10:00 – 11:30am	Holy Family Catholic School
09/10/2023	Faith Formation Spanish Parent Orientation	10:00 – 11:00am	Holy Family Catholic School
09/10/2023	English Faith Formation(Kinder-5th)	11:30am – 12:30pm	Holy Family Catholic School
09/10/2023	Faith Formation English Patent Orientation	11:30am – 12:30pm	Holy Family Catholic School
09/10/2023	High School Faith Formation	1:30 – 3:30pm	St. Patrick Youth Room & Life Center
09/10/2023	Middle School Faith Formation	4:00 – 5:00pm	St. Patrick Youth Room & Life Center
09/13/2023	First Reconciliation Parent/Child English Session #1	6:00 – 7:30pm	St. Patrick Life Center
09/13/2023	LifeTeen Confirmation 3	6:00 – 7:30pm	St. Patrick Youth Room
09/14/2023	RCIA Orientation English/Spanish (1st & 2nd years)	6:00 – 7:30pm	St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Elementary Faith Formation/ Elemental Formacion de Fe Kinder -5th Grade

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2601 Ursuline Avenue. Galveston, Texas 77550
September 10, 2023, Spanish: 10:00am-11:00pm, English: 11:30am-12:30pm
Sr. Betty Kalu, HH CJ - Director of Faith Formation
Faith Formation Staff will be on hand to answer all your questions.
We look forward to seeing you there!

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10 de septiembre de 2023 E español: 10:00 a. m. - 11:00 p. m., inglés: 11:30 a. m-12:30pm
Hna. Betty Kalu, HH CJ - Directora de Formación en la Fe
Estará disponible para responder a todas sus preguntas.
¡Esperamos verlos allí!



RCIA AND ADULT CONTINUING FAITH FORMATION

Registration for RCIA and for Adult Confirmation Classes are currently ongoing.

RCIA is meant for adults who are either baptized in a different Christian denomination or are yet to be baptized but are interested in becoming Catholics. Adult Confirmation classes are for baptized Catholics who have made their First Holy Communion but are yet to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact the parish office (409-762-9646) for more information and registration details.

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CAN DO BIG THINGS, BUT THERE
ARE VERY FEW PEOPLE WHO
WILL DO THE SMALL THINGS."**

— Mother Teresa



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Damas Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria & Kitchen

Sunday, September 10th from 8:30am – 12:00pm

Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church

Sunday, September 10th from 9:00 – 10:00am

Bible Study @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Sunday, September 10th from 2:00 – 3:00pm

Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church

Monday, September 11th from 5:30 – 7:00pm

Betania XVII @ St. Patrick Chapel

Monday, September 11th from 6:30 – 8:30pm

Women's ACTS Meetings @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #4

Monday, September 11th from 7:30 – 9:00pm

Altar Society Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center, Cafeteria, Kitchen

Tuesday, September 12th from 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Holy Rosary (Weekly Rosary) @ Holy Rosary

Tuesday, September 12th from 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Galveston Catholic Young Adult (18 - 45 yrs) Event

Tuesday, September 12th from 7:30 - 8:30 PM

(See Facebook Page or email

GalvestonGCYA@gmail.com for details)

Bible Study @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Wednesday, September 13th from 10:00 – 11:00am

Grupo de Oracion Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #6

Wednesday, September 13th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Women's Spanish ACTS Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #9

Wednesday, September 13th from 7:00 – 8:00pm

Men's Club Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria & Kitchen

Wednesday, September 13th from 7:00 – 8:00pm

Bible Study @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Wednesday, September 13th from 7:00 – 8:00pm

Seaside Seniors Lunch @ St. Patrick Parish Life Center, Cafeteria & Kitchen

Thursday, September 14th from 11:30am – 2:00pm

Guadalupanas - Weekly Rosary @ St. Patrick Chapel

Thursday, September 14th from 6:00- 7:00pm

Spanish Baptism Class @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Thursday, September 14th from 7:00 – 8:30pm

Legion of Mary (Spanish) @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #6

Thursday, September 14th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Grupo de Oracion de Sagrada Familia prayer meeting @St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria

Friday, September 15th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

English Baptisms @St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

Saturday, September 16th from 10:00 – 11:00am

Aposteles Meeting @St. Patrick Life Center Room# 6

Saturday, September 16th from 5:30 – 7:30pm

The Gift Shop is open at the Parish Life Center



Monday 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

Wednesday 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm



HFP Damas of OLG

The HFP-Damas of OLG will hold their regular monthly meeting on Sunday, September 10, 2023, at 9:30 a.m. in the St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria. All members are invited to attend.



Men's Club

Holy Family Men's Club will Meet On Wednesday September 13, 2023 at 7 :00 PM in the St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria.

Food will be served . All Catholic men are invited to attend .

For more information Call

Chris Uriegas 409 -370 -6310 or

John Becker 409-392- 8178



Seaside Seniors



Our Seaside Seniors 55+ Group meets on the second Thursday of each month. Our next luncheon will be on September 14th In St. Patrick Life Center starting at 11:30AM

ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME!!

At 11:30 We will have a presentation from the Rosenberg Library About their programs and "At Home Book Delivery"


Come for a great hot meal. (Coffee, tea and water). Cost is \$6.00

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