HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON



March 10, 2024

Fourth Sunday of Lent

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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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

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 (6:00 PM Rosary Recitation) 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 St. Patrick Church (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

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 (SMCB) 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!

<u>CLERGY</u>

Very Rev. Jude Ezuma, Pastor/Rector shepherdhfp@gmail.com Fr. Jacob Ramirez, Parochial Vicar frjacob.hfp@gmail.com Fr. Stephen Payne, Parochial Vicar frstephenhfp@gmail.com **Deacon John Pistone** jspistone@comcast.net Deacon Sam Dell' Olio ddeecan1@gmail.com **Deacon Douglas Matthews** mattsrus@aol.com Deacon Robert "Buzz" Standridge buzz52@gmail.com **Deacon Kimble Nobles** dcnkimble@gmail.com Deacon Jeff Willard jwillard@archgh.org

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Finance Council

Rev. Jude Ezuma *Pastor* Matthew Furlong *Chairman* Deacon Sam Dell'Olio *Member* Rosetta Bonnin *Member*

Capital Campaign

SAVE THE DATE....Join us for the Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening of the new Parish Life Center/Administrative Offices @ 25th and Ursuline.

May 18th at 10:00AM.

Daniel Cardinal DiNardo will be our honored guest at the festivities!

We are only 1 1/2 years away from completing Phase 1 of our four year campaign. It will be great to succeed in this campaign for our newly refurbished building. We are just \$1 million away from reaching our original \$5.5 million goal.

It is not too late to join us on the march to reach our goal!

JOIN US by completing a pledge card/making a donation:

- * Use the QR code on this page
- * Request a package from the office staff
- * Place a donation in the SPECIAL Capital Campaign envelope included in your offertory envelopes.

With gratitude and prayerful best wishes,

Grace Mansfield, Chair (409/771-0345)

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma













One Faith, One Family <u>Campaign Update</u>

Our Parish Goal:	\$5,500,000
Pledge Total:	\$4,087,148
Pledge Payments Received:	\$3,482,127

Total Number of Donors:

Thanks you for your continued support,

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may God bless your generosity!

It is never too late to pledge or donate. Visit holyfamilygb.com/capitalcampaign to learn more and participate.

Una Fe, Una Familia <u>Actualización de campaña</u>

Nuestra Meta Parroquial:	\$5,500,000
Total en Promesas:	\$4,087,148
Total en Pagos Recibido:	\$3,482,127

de Familias Participando:

¡Gracias por su apoyo,

que Dios bendiga su generosidad! <u>Nunca es muy tarde para comprometerse o donar.</u> Visite holyfamilygb.com/campana para más información.

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Message from the Pastor

Dearly Beloved in Christ:

In our **Conversations with the Saints** Lenten series this week, Origen, the third century priest, theologian and ascetic, reminds us that Christ is our true High Priest, who offers the one true and eternal sacrifice, through which we are redeemed.

"Once a year the high priest, leaving the people outside, entered that place where no one except the high priest might enter. In it was the mercy-seat, and above the mercy-seat the cherubim, as well as the ark of the covenant and the altar of incense.

Let me turn to my true high priest, the Lord Jesus Christ. In our human nature he spent the whole year in the company of the people, the year that he spoke of when he said: *He sent me to bring good news to the poor, to announce the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of forgiveness.* Notice how once in that year, on the day of atonement, he enters into the holy of holies. Having fulfilled God's plan, he passes through the heavens and enters into the presence of the Father to make him turn in mercy to the human race and to pray for all who believe in him.

John the apostle, knowing of the atonement that Christ makes to the Father for all men, says this: Little children, I say these things so that you may not sin. But if we have sinned we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ, the just one. He is the atonement for our sins. In the same way Paul refers to this atonement when he says of Christ: God appointed him to be the atonement for our sins in his blood, through faith. We have then a day of atonement that remains until the world comes to an end.

God's word tells us: The high priest shall put incense on the fire in the sight of the Lord. The smoke of the incense shall cover the mercy-seat above the tokens of the covenant, so that he may not die. He shall take some of the blood of the bullcalf and sprinkle it with his finger over the mercyseat toward the east.

God taught the people of the old covenant how to celebrate the ritual offered to him in atonement for the sins of men. But you have come to Christ, the true high priest. Through his blood he has made God turn to you in mercy and has reconciled you with the Father. You must not think simply of ordinary blood but you must learn to recognize instead the blood of the Word. Listen to him as he tells you: *This is my blood, which will be shed for you for the forgiveness of sins....*"

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 shepherdhfp@gmail.com

Mensaje del Pastor

Queridísimos amados en Cristo:

En nuestra serie, **Conversaciones con los Santos de Cuaresma** de esta semana, Orígenes, el sacerdote, teólogo y asceta del siglo III, nos recuerda que Cristo es nuestro verdadero Sumo Sacerdote, quien ofrece el único sacrificio verdadero y eterno, a través del cual somos redimidos.

"Una vez al año, el sumo sacerdote, alejándose del pueblo, entra en el lugar donde se hallan el propiciatorio, los querubines, el arca de la alianza y el altar del incienso, en aquel lugar donde nadie puede penetrar, sino sólo el sumo sacerdote.

Si pensamos ahora en nuestro verdadero sumo sacerdote, el Señor Jesucristo, y consideramos cómo, mientras vivió en carne mortal, estuvo durante todo el año con el pueblo, aquel año del que él mismo dice: Me ha enviado para anunciar el Evangelio a los pobres, para anunciar el año de gracia del Señor, fácilmente advertiremos que, en este año, penetró una sola vez, el día de la propiciación, en el santuario, es decir, en los cielos, después de haber realizado su misión, y que subió hasta el trono del Padre, para hacerle propicio al género humano y para interceder por cuantos creen en él.

Aludiendo a esta propiciación con la que vuelve a reconciliar a los hombres con el Padre, dice el apóstol Juan: Hijos míos, os escribo esto para que no pequéis. Pero, si alguno peca, tenemos a uno que abogue ante el Padre: a Jesucristo, el Justo. Él es víctima de propiciación por nuestros pecados. Y, de manera semejante, Pablo vuelve a pensar en esta propiciación cuando dice de Cristo: A quien Dios constituyó sacrificio de propiciación mediante la fe en su sangre. De modo que el día de propiciación permanece entre nosotros hasta que el mundo llegue a su fin.

Dice el precepto divino: Pondrá incienso sobre las brasas, ante el Señor; el humo del incienso ocultará la cubierta que hay sobre el documento de la alianza; y así no morirá. Después tomará sangre del novillo y salpicará con el dedo la cubierta, hacia oriente.

Así se nos explica cómo se llevaba a cabo entre los antiguos el rito de propiciación a Dios en favor de los hombres; pero tú, que has alcanzado a Cristo, el verdadero sumo sacerdote, que con su sangre hizo que Dios te fuera propicio, y te reconcilió con el Padre, no te detengas en la sangre física; piensa más bien en la sangre del Verbo, y óyele a él mismo decirte: Ésta es mi sangre, derramada por vosotros para el perdón de los pecados. ..."

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

Tu siervo-líder en Cristo,

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma shepherdhfp@gmail.com

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Office Announcements:

<u>NEED AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN?</u> Email <u>theofficehfp@gmail.com</u> *Ten (10) days* 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. Jacob 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. 213)

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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.

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 Mar 3 Online Contributions (Feb 26- Mar 3, 2024) TOTAL	\$21,660.00 <u>\$ 6,447.13</u> \$28,107.13



Thank you for your continued support of Holy Family Parish. To access our **secure** Online Giving, please visit the parish website at www.holyfamilygb.com,

and click on the "Donations" tab for the Online Giving option. Also, you

can text the word, "give" to 409-515-7625 or scan this QR code to make a contribution. All forms of giving are **secured**. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

Fund	Goal	Pledge	Paid	Partici- pants
DSF	\$95,000		\$29,632.00	112
Capital Campaign	\$5,500,000	\$4,087,148	\$3,482,127	750

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS: <u>Please remember to bring your envelope(s)!</u> March 10, 2024 - Catholic Relief Services Collection 2022 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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This week, we invite the Faithful to prayerfully consider giving to DSF and bring Christ to those in our own parish communities, in our neighborhoods, in our towns, and throughout the Archdiocese. Through your generosity, you will live out our Faith in an authentic and inspiring way. www.archgh.org/dsf

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Prayer List

Mass Intentions

Dear Holy Family,

Please join us in praying for Judy Wolf, Diaz Murray, Wendy Torres, Frank D. Hernandez, Jr., Irenaeus Jordan, Betty Jo Dyda, Steve Marsh, Maria Cazares, the Emily Galvan Family, Teresa Vargas,



Eric Hubbel, Mary & Louis Hubbel, Melissa McCann, Randy Simpson, Kitty Urbani, Ann Williamson Frank, Frances Kovasovic, Frederick (Hank) Henry, and Kathy Vanecek for improved health. Also for The repose of the soul of Doris Scofelia.



Easter Season Flower Fund



IN HONOR OF or IN MEMORY OF when filling out the names.

A donation of \$5 per name is requested for each name remembered. **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**. Please limit one name, one couples' name, or one family name per line. Be sure to include your **name & phone number** in case additional information is needed. Place your completed envelopes in the collection location by **Weekend of March 9 & 10 DEADLINE** Thank you for your support of our Parish & honoring your loved ones & our Lord JESUS CHRIST in this Holy Easter Season.

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The readings can be found at www.usccb.org. Click on the Daily Readings Tab.

Saturday March 9th - Vigil Mass

5:00pm (SP)	† Jane Terry
6:00pm (OLBS)	† Rev. Joel Gromowski, CP
7:00pm (MSOS)	Dan Boeckman

Sunday March 10th

7:30 am (SH)	† Christine Apffel
9:00am (HR)	† Justin Etienne
10:00am (SP)	For The People
11:00am (SH)	† John D'Ambra
12:00pm(SP)Esp	† Orlando Jose Borrell
12:30 pm (SMCB)	† Jeff Nesmith
Monday March 11tl	<u>n</u>
7:00am (OLG)	† Rev. Hubert J. Kealy
12:10pm (SMCB)	† Stella Castro
Tuesday March 12tl	h

<u>Tuesday March 12th</u>

- 7:00am (OLG) + Antonio Greco
- 12:10pm (SMCB) + Justin Etienne

Wednesday March 13th

7:00am (OLG)	† Msgr. John L. Fos	
12:10pm (SMCB)	† Jeff Nesmith	
6:00pm (SP)Esp	† Rev. Alois J. Pavelka	
Thursday March 14th		

7:00am (OLG)	† Rev. Jerome Burnet, OMI
12:10pm (SMCB)	† Fr. Francis Frankovich, CC

Friday March 15th

7:00am (OLG)	† Rev. Claude C. Clair
12:10pm (SMCB)	+ Richard Schmerber

School Page



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL GALVESTON

- Family atmosphere where parents partner with the school
- PreK 3 to Eighth Grade
- Small classes with rigorous instruction
- On-Staff interventionist for reading & math
- 1:1 Laptop Ratio & Video Lab
- PE and Art Classes Daily
- Athletic Program for Grades 4-8
- Generous Financial Aid Program

2601 Ursuline Street Galveston, TX 77550



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(409) 765 - 6607

Faith Formation

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 03/10/2024 NO Spanish Faith Formation (K 5th)
- 03/10/2024 NO English Faith Formation (K 5th)
- 03/10/2024 NO High School Faith Formation
- 03/10/2024 NO Middle School Faith Formation
- 03/13/2024 First Eucharist #3 (Spanish) Parents 6:00 7:30pm St. Patrick Life Center & Children 03/13/2024 RCIA-C Year 2 English 6:00 – 7:30pm St. Patrick Life Center Small

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INCREASING DISASTERS, INCREASING RESILIENCE

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Located in Southeast Asia between the Pacific and Indian Oceans, Indonesia has beautiful beaches, diverse cultures and the world's fourth largest population. Many of the country's more than 17,000 islands are in the Ring of Fire, where volcanic eruptions and earthquakes are common. Climate-related disasters such as cyclones are also becoming more frequent and destructive. Find out how—with the support of Catholic **Relief Services and generous** communities like yours—Evita and her disaster preparedness group are working to keep their community safe. Visit crsricebowl.org to read this week's Story of Hope.

RCIA AND ADULT CONTINUING FAITH FORMATION

Conference Room



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.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church Sunday, March 10th from 9:00 – 10:00am Bible Study (Corinthians and Romans) @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2 Sunday, March 10th from 2:00 – 3:00pm Bible Study (Corinthians and Romans) @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2 Monday, March 11^{th} from 10:00 - 11:00amMen's Spanish ACTS Meetings @ St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria Monday, March 11th from 7:00 – 9:00pm Bible Study (Gospel of Matthew) @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2 Monday, March 11th from 7:00 – 8:00pm Holy Rosary (Weekly Rosary) @ Holy Rosary Tuesday, March 12th from 4:30 - 5:30 PM **RCIA Adults @ St. Patrick Rectory** Tuesday, March 12th from 6:30 – 8:30pm Galveston Catholic Young Adult (18 - 45 yrs) Event @ St. Patrick Upper Room Tuesday, March 12th from 7:00 – 9:00pm (See Facebook Page or email Spanish Baptism Class @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2 Tuesday, March 12th from 7:00 – 8:30pm Men's Club Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria Wednesday, March 13^h from 7:00 – 8:00pm Seaside Seniors Lunch @ St. Patrick Life Center, Cafeteria Thursday, March 14th from 11:30am – 2:00pm Guadalupanas - Weekly Rosary @ St. Patrick Chapel Thursday, March 14th from 6:00- 7:00pm 6 week Prayer Boot Camp @ St. Patrick Life Center Thursday, March 14th from 6:30- 8:00pm Legion of Mary (Spanish) @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #6 Thursday, March 14th from 7:00 – 9:00pm Men's Spanish ACTS Director Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #4 Thursday, March 14th from 7:00 – 9:00pm St. Patrick's Day Festival @Holy Family Catholic School Friday, March 15^{th} from 4:00 - 9:00 pm Grupo de Oracion de Sagrada Familia prayer meeting @St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria Friday, March 15^{th} from 7:00 – 9:00pm St. Patrick's Day Festival @Holy Family Catholic School Saturday, March 16th from 10:00am – 6:00pm Aposteles Meeting @St. Patrick Life Center Room# 6 Saturday, March 16th from 5:30 – 7:30pm

The Gift Shop is open at the Parish Life Center



Normal Business HoursSundays8:30am-NoonMondays9:30 am- NoonWednesdays9:30 am -Noon5:30 pm - 7:30 pm



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Thank you for your faithful service to Holy Family Parish! May God grant you abundant blessings in the coming year.

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Our Seaside Seniors 55+ Group meets on the second Thursday of each month. Seaside Senior Luncheon Will be March 14th In St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria starting at 11:30AM

ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME!!

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

If possible, bring a dessert or door prize to share. Anyone wishing more information can call Judy Dolfi. 409 789-6879. Thanks to all our wonderful volunteers!!

National Eucharistic Revival

- 40 Day Perpetual Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration:
 - Pre-Lent: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 Tuesday, March 19 (Feast of St. Joseph, the Worker)
 - **Venue:** in the Chapel (of Our Lady of Guadalupe) \Diamond
 - *Please endeavor to come and spend some time with Jesus \Diamond who is truly present in the Holy Eucharist. He waits for you and would love to bless and comfort you!



- Presentations and Discussions on the Holy Eucharist:
 - Weekly bulletin inserts about approved Eucharistic miracles
- **Prayer and Worship:**
 - \diamond Eucharistic-centered hymns during Mass
 - Pray the National Eucharistic Prayer regularly (see the bulletin Page 11)

Eucharistic Miracle of Lanciano Turin, Italy 750

In the year 750 in the Abruzzi village of Lanciano, above the place where a Church dedicated to Sr. Francis of Assisi now dedicated to Sr. Francis of Assisi now stands, a Eucharistic miracle took place whose precious Relics areSTILL preserved to day, and which are open for visitation. The chronicles tell how in the year 750, a priest was celebrating Holy Mass. Exactly at the moment of the Consecration, the priest was tormented by strong doubts as to whether the Body and Blood of Jesus were truly present in the consecrated Host. He had just finished the Consecration when he noticed that the Host had been transformed into Flesh and the wine into Blood. The priest, filled with regret for transformed into Flesh and the wine into Blood. The priest, filled with regret for having doubted, began to weep and seek pardon from God. In the chronicles, the testimony of numerous members of the faithful who witnessed the Miracle is also recorded. In 1970, exactly 12 centuries later, the superior of the Franciscan Fathers arranged for the Host turned Flesh and the wine turned into Blood to be analyzed. Here are the scientific conclusions: conclusions:

Conclusions:
 The "miraculous Flesh" is truly flesh, made up of striated muscle tissue of the myocardium(part of the heart).
 The "miraculous Blood is truly blood: the chromatography (color) analysis proves this with absolute and irrefutable certainty.
 The immunological study shows that both belong to the same blood group AB, the same group as that of the man of the Shroud (of Turin)
 The proteins contained in the Blood

4. The proteins contained in the Blood have the normal distribution, in the identical percentage as that of the serum-protein pattern of normal fresh blood.

5. There were no traces of the salts or other preservative substances used in antiquity to mummify corpses. **"For My flesh is food indeed and my blood is drink indeed."** John 6:55





40 Day Perpetual **Eucharistic Exposition** and Adoration

When:

	day, February 6th to
(Feas	day, March 19 t of St. Joseph the
Work	(er)

Venue: **Our Lady of Guadalupe** Chapel

Benefits: Free admission into the presence of Christ who is truly present in the **Blessed Sacrament and** to find rest, peace and blessings as you spend quality time with God

How to Sign-Up: Simply scan the QR code below to sign up, or call the parish office.

Even if you are unable to sign-up, please come! Jesus waits lovingly f or you to come and visit.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS (EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT)

10:00 AM - St. Mary Cathedral 5:30 PM - St. Patrick (English) 6:00 PM - Our Lady by the Sea 7:00 PM - St. Patrick (Spanish)

FRIDAY FISH FRY

March 15th Fish Fry will be hosted by: The Knights of Columbus #9978 Venue: Holy Family Catholic School Each plate is \$ 15.00 Serving time: 4:00pm - 7:00pm





**PLEASE NOTE: LAST DAY OF PERPETUAL ADORATION IS MARCH 19, 2024 (NO ADORATION ON MARCH 19TH OR MARCH 20TH)

THERE WILL BE NO CONFESSIONS OR 6PM SPANISH MASS ON MARCH 20, 2024

March 23rd 5:00 PM Vigil Mass for Palm Sunday

will be moved from St. Patrick Church to

St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

Mass to be celebrated by Daniel Cardinal DiNardo



Easter Triduum Schedule

<u>Holy Thursday, March 28th</u> 6:00pm - St. Patrick (Español) 6:00pm - St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica



Holy Saturday(Bi-lingual Easter Vigil) - March 30th 8:00 pm - St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica Easter Sunday - March 31st 7:30 am - Sacred Heart 8:00 am - Mary Star of the Sea 9:00 am - Holy Rosary 10:00 am - St. Patrick 11:00 am - Our Lady by the Sea (Bolivar) 11:00 am - Sacred Heart 12:00 pm - St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica - Daniel Cardinal DiNardo 12:00 pm - St. Patrick (Español)

Good Friday- March 29th

10:00 am St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica - Stations of the Cross 11:00 am-1:00 pm St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica -Confessions 3:00 pm - St. Mary's Cathedral 3:00 pm - St. Patrick (Español) 6:00 pm - Sacred Heart - Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm - Our Lady by the Sea-Stations of the Cross

Easter Monday, April 1st

10:00am Mass - St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica



Parish Pastoral Council – Consejo Pastoral Parroquial Essential Esenciales



How will the pastoral council succeed?

This consultative body will succeed by assisting the pastor and the community in the development of a mission-focused parish, rather than a programmatic of finance-driven one. This does attempt to put at the heart of the parish a consciousness of and zeal of the mission of Jesus Christ. The following table illustrates the movement:

From	То
Parish Council	Pastoral Council
Group of Leaders	Leadership Body
Coordinating Ministries	Articulating the Mission
Crisis Management	Pastoral Planning
Doing Activities	Empowerment & Oversight
Business and Politics	Prayer and Discernment
Competition	Collaboration

¿Qué hara que su consejo pastoral tenga éxito?

Este cuerpo de consulta tendrá éxito al asistir al párroco y a la comunidad en el desarrollo de una parroquia enfocada en su misión, más que en crear una basada en actividades, programas y finanzas. Esto implica poner conciencia y pasión por la misión de Jesucristo en el corazón de la parroquia. La siguiente tabla ilustra esta situación:

De	Насіа
Consejo parroquial	Consejo pastoral
Grupo de líderes	Cuerpo que lidera con ejemplo
Coordinar apostolados	Articular la misión
Resolver crisis	Planeación pastoral
Hacer cosas	Empoderar y acompañar
Negocios y política	Oración y discernimiento
Competencia	Colaboración





6-Week Prayer Boot Camp/ Workshop

Would you like to learn how to pray or increase your "prayer vocabulary?" Join Dr. Allan Weilert for a 6-week Prayer Workshop on the Thursdays of Lent, beginning February 15 at 6:30-8:00 pm in the Parish Life Center. Practice new ways of praying with the Scriptures, with Jesus, the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Saints, and much more. Make this your most prayerful Lent ever!

THE PARISH WILL BUY THE TICKETS FOR ANY OF OUR PARISH YOUTH THAT WISH TO ATTEND THE GAME!!



FORMED



Great news for all who wish to dive deeper into their faith and learn from home, on the go, or wherever you have a connection to the internet! Holy Family parishioners now have access to the Catholic online platform, FORMED. This platform offers something for everyone in the pew, from children to the wise and learned. For example, you can do a scripture study, or learn about the sacraments, or watch a movie about a saint or a topic of our faith. Please sign up and make use of this great resource to learn more and supplement your faith life! FORMED is a great platform which provides amazing resources about our Catholic Faith, and it is at NO COST to you!

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SIGNING UP: Go to: www.formed.org

Click "Sign Up" and next, search for Holy Family Parish with our zip code, 77550. Once you pick our parish you can sign up with a valid email address and you'll have access on any device you choose to use. OR:

You can scan this QR CODE with your smartphone, and then follow the steps to create your account. Remember, this is



FREE. We hope you will sign up for this TRULY YOURS IN CHRIST great resource for the Catholic Faith on FR. JUDE E. EZUMA Demand.



Pilgrimage to Holy Land 11 Day Tour to Israel

Tiberias 🔷 Mt. Beatitudes 🔷 Nazareth 🗢 Bethlehem Jerusalem 🗢 Mount of Olives 🗢 Dead Sea

> April 28 – May 8, 2025 \$3,790.00 Per Person From Houston

Price Includes: Roundtrip Air Transportation From Houston, First Class Hotels, Double Occupancy, 2 Meols A Day - Buffet Breakfast And Dinner, Daily Sightseeing, Airport Taxes, And Fuel Surcharges -Which Are Subject To Change. Tips To Guides And Drivers Are Included.

> Spiritual Director: Fr. Jacob Ramirez, Parochial Vicar Holy Family Parish – Galveston, TX



March 15th & 16th Holy Family Catholic School 2601 Ursuline

<u>Friday, March 15th</u> Fish Fry 4-7pm • Bingo 6-9pm

> <u>Saturday, March 16th</u> Festival 10-6pm

<u>Volunteers Needed</u> Come be a part of the Festival Committee, meet new friends, have lots of fun! Call Phyllis Nesmith (713) 557-6047 Raffle Tickets Now on Sale! DON'T MISS OUT!

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Look For Us After Mass Or Stop By The Holy Family Parish Office

CALLING ALL BAKERS FOR THE SWEET SHOP AND CAKE BOOTH!

The Cake Booth needs cakes or sweets for our spin and win game! Cakes and sweets of any size, shape, flavor or value! We also need extra-special cakes for our Specialty Cake Auction! The Sweet Shop needs cookies, brownies, candies, fudge, trail mix, breads, loaves, anything tasty or sweet to sell during the festival!

Cake plates/containers to be handed out during the two weekends before the festival.



DROP OFF IS FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 10 A.M.-5 P.M.

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL, 26TH AND N

Questions? Please contact Martie Terry (713-504-4202) or martiejterry@comcast.net

Or Susie Bazin (713-304-4494) or georgebazin@gmail.com

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!



DO YOU HAVE A GREEN THUMB?

DO YOU HAVE MORE PLANTS THAN YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH?

WELL YOU ARE IN LUCK!!

SVdP WILL ONCE AGAIN HOST THE PLANT BOOTH AT THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY FESTIVAL. WE NEED PLANTS OF ALL SIZES AND TYPES.

DONATION DROPOFF WILL BE FRIDAY, MARCH 15TH, FROM 3 TO 5 PM. YOU CAN DROP OFF YOUR PLANTS AT HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL.





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