

# HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON



*August 11, 2024*

*Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## **HOLY FAMILY PARISH**

**(Administrative Office for all 6 six churches)**

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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!

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## A RISING TIDE LIFTS ALL BOATS

President John F. Kennedy popularized the saying “A Rising Tide Lifts All Boats” in the 1960s as a way to spur economic investment in our country.

As we consider the Holy Family Parish Capital Campaign, might the “rising tide” philosophy apply? As we all give what we can, will we all benefit? The answer is a resounding yes! We will all have access to much nicer facilities for education. We’ll also have greater support for our more than 50 ministries. Holy Family will be significantly better equipped to host the dozens of meetings and gatherings we have each week to support our faith, our community outreach and our constituents. In fact, we will finally have a real Parish Home for Holy Family.

Our campaign, “One Faith, One Family; Una Fe, Una Familia” is about all of us working to build a better, stronger Catholic Parish to serve the people of Galveston and Port Bolivar—for all of us! Will you join the rising tide that is growing and advancing all areas of work and ministry at Holy Family Parish?

There are three simple ways to give: Scan the QR code below; use the Capital Campaign envelope included in your monthly set of offertory envelopes; or call the Parish Office at 409/762-9646. We will be so grateful to hear from you.

Blessings to you and yours,

Grace Mansfield, Chair (409/771-0345)

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma

### WORK IN PROGRESS!!



#### One Faith, One Family Campaign Update

Our Parish Goal:	\$5,500,000
Pledge Total:	\$4,605,887
Pledge Payments Received:	\$3,872,691
Total Number of Donors:	787

*Thanks you for your continued support,  
may God bless your generosity!*

It is never too late to pledge or donate. Visit [holyfamilygb.com/capital-campaign](http://holyfamilygb.com/capital-campaign) to learn more and participate.

#### Una Fe, Una Familia Actualización de campaña

Nuestra Meta Parroquial:	\$5,500,000
Total en Promesas:	\$4,605,887
Total en Pagos Recibido:	\$3,872,691
# de Familias Participando:	787

*¡Gracias por su apoyo,  
que Dios bendiga su generosidad!*

Nunca es muy tarde para comprometerse o donar.  
Visite [holyfamilygb.com/campana](http://holyfamilygb.com/campana) para más información.



## Message from the Pastor

Dearly Beloved in Christ:

As we continue our reflections on the gift of the Holy Eucharist this week, this saying comes to my mind: *the best things in life are free, because they come from God!* The gift of life itself comes from God for “in him we live and move and have our being” (Acts 17:28). The very life of God has come down from heaven so that we too can have everlasting life. Jesus is the one who brings this gift of everlasting life to us.

In our Gospel today, Christ says to us: “I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world.” Those who were listening to Jesus found it difficult to accept what he was saying. They looked at Jesus and saw someone too familiar. “Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph? Do we not know his father and mother? Then how can he say, ‘I have come down from heaven?’”

Today, many look at the Holy Eucharist and in response, they utter similar objections like the Jews did in today’s Gospel. They think to themselves: *How can the Holy Eucharist be the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ? But it looks and tastes like ordinary bread and wine!* Again in response, Christ calls us to faith. Nothing will be impossible for God. God, the source of life has given us the gift of everlasting life in Christ whom we are privileged to receive in the Holy Eucharist.

Those who were able to encounter the divinity of Christ in the Gospel were those who opened up to him in faith and with trust. We are invited to do the same if we are to experience him truly in the Holy Eucharist. Of course, it is by the power of God that the consecrated bread and wine is transformed into the Body and Blood of Christ. In other words, the miracle of Transubstantiation is not dependent on our faith but on the power of God. However, faith is required on our part if we are to receive this gift truly and fully.

The Holy Eucharist is our food for the journey of life. Elijah, in today’s First Reading, was fed by the angel and was strengthened by the meal and “walked for forty days and forty nights to the mountain of God, Horeb.” In the Eucharist, Christ feeds us with his Body and Blood. Reflect on that!

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](mailto:shepherdhfp@gmail.com)

## Mensaje del Pastor

Queridísimos amados en Cristo:

Mientras continuamos con nuestras reflexiones sobre el don de la Sagrada Eucaristía esta semana, me viene a la mente esta frase: *¡las mejores cosas de la vida son gratis, porque vienen de Dios!* El don de la vida misma viene de Dios porque «en él vivimos, nos movemos y existimos» (Hechos 17,28). La vida misma de Dios ha bajado del cielo para que también nosotros podamos tener vida eterna. Jesús es quien nos trae este don de la vida eternal.

En nuestro Evangelio de hoy, Cristo nos dice: «Yo soy el pan vivo bajado del cielo; el que coma de este pan vivirá para siempre; y el pan que yo daré es mi carne para la vida del mundo». A los que escuchaban a Jesús les resultaba difícil aceptar lo que estaba diciendo. Miraban a Jesús y veían a alguien demasiado familiar. «¿No es éste Jesús, el hijo de José? ¿No conocemos a su padre y a su madre? ¿Cómo puede decir entonces: “He bajado del cielo”?»

Hoy, muchos miran la Sagrada Eucaristía y, en respuesta, expresan objeciones similares a las que hicieron los judíos en el Evangelio de hoy. Piensan para sí mismos: *¿Cómo puede la Sagrada Eucaristía ser el Cuerpo y la Sangre, el Alma y la Divinidad de Jesucristo? ¡Pero parece y sabe como pan y vino comunes!* Nuevamente, en respuesta, Cristo nos llama a la fe. Nada será imposible para Dios. Dios, la fuente de vida, nos ha dado el don de la vida eterna en Cristo, a quien tenemos el privilegio de recibir en la Sagrada Eucaristía.

Aquellos que pudieron encontrar la divinidad de Cristo en el Evangelio fueron aquellos que se abrieron a él con fe y confianza. Estamos invitados a hacer lo mismo si queremos experimentarlo verdaderamente en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Por supuesto, es por el poder de Dios que el pan y el vino consagrados se transforman en el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo. En otras palabras, el milagro de la Transubstanciación no depende de nuestra fe, sino del poder de Dios. Sin embargo, se requiere fe de nuestra parte si queremos recibir este don de manera verdadera y plena.

La Sagrada Eucaristía es nuestro alimento para el camino de la vida. Elías, en la primera lectura de hoy, fue alimentado por el ángel y fortalecido por la comida y “caminó durante cuarenta días y cuarenta noches hasta el monte de Dios, Horeb”. En la Eucaristía, Cristo nos alimenta con su Cuerpo y su Sangre. ¡Reflexionemos sobre esto!

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,  
Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma  
[shepherdhfp@gmail.com](mailto:shepherdhfp@gmail.com)

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### Office Announcements:

#### **NEED AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN?**

Email [theofficehfp@gmail.com](mailto:theofficehfp@gmail.com) **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](http://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)



**To sign up for Flocknote and get parish announcements:**

**Text: FULLOFGRACE to 84576**

**Or sign up online at [HFParish.flocknote.com](http://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](http://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 August 4	<b>\$18,402.50</b>
Online Contributions (July 29 - Aug 2, 2024)	<b><u>\$ 6,660.13</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$25,062.63</b>



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](http://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		\$79,545 .00	235
Capital Campaign	\$5,500,000	\$4,605,887	\$3,872,691	787

#### **UPCOMING COLLECTIONS:**

**Please remember to bring your envelope(s)!**  
**September 1, 2024 - Catholic University of America/  
University of St. Thomas Collection**

**2023 Contribution Statements are available by request:**  
Please email [secretaryhfp@gmail.com](mailto:secretaryhfp@gmail.com) for your statement or call 409-762-9646 ext. 114.

*We are the Lord's*

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](http://www.archgh.org/dsf)

**SCAN HERE TO MAKE A GIFT**



## Prayer List

### Dear Holy Family,

Please join us in praying for Brenda Hansen , Jorge and Norma Gutierrez, Grace Mansfield, Paul De La Garza, Patrick Senkel, Melissa McCann, Bill Sargent, Deacon Doug Matthews, Victoria Broussard, Kathy Allen, Rose Karam, Rosa Reyes, Marie Payne, Joseph Hypolite, Rose Etienne, Deacon John Pistone, George Helffrich III, Jerome Helffrich, Joeline Passow, Jean Tauer, Dr. James Murray, Kirk Ford, Judy Wolf, Diaz Murray, Betty Jo Dyda, and Maria Cazares for improved health.



## Mass Intentions

The readings can be found at [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org).

Click on the Daily Readings Tab.

### Saturday August 10th - Vigil Mass

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|---------------|---|
| 5:00pm (SP)   | † Roman Richard Rainosek<br>(1st year Anniversary of Death) |
| 6:00pm (OLBS) | † Elizabeth Ziegler   |
| 7:00pm (MSOS) | † Barbara Ryder   |

### Sunday August 11th

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|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 7:30 am (SH)    | † Erlinda Valencia          |
| 9:00am (HR)     | † Edward Hightower          |
| 10:00am (SP)    | For The People              |
| 11:00am (SH)    | † Clara Hoot                |
| 12:00pm(SP)Esp  | † Rev Earnest P. Magee, CSB |
| 12:30 pm (SMCB) | † Joan Vogel                |

### Monday August 12th

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|----------------|----------------|
| 7:00am (OLG)   | † Mike Gately  |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Thomas Banda |

### Tuesday August 13th

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|----------------|------------------------|
| 7:00am (OLG)   | † Rev. J.M. Paquin, CM |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Mary Jo Urbani       |

### Wednesday August 14th

### Memorial of Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

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|----------------|--------------------------|
| 7:00am (OLG)   | Justin and Britany       |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Mary Louise Godinich   |
| 6:00pm (SP)Esp | † Msgr. David W. Kennedy |

### Thursday August 15th

### Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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| 10:00am (SMCB) | For The People |
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### Friday August 16th

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|----------------|--|
| 7:00am (OLG)   | Jacob Goss (Improved Health)                 |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † John D'Ambra<br>(8th Anniversary of Death) |



### COME AND ADORE JESUS IN THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Please come and spend one hour or more with our master and redeemer Jesus Christ, and tell him how your day went. You will be renewed in mind and body, I promise you.

Tuesdays: 7:30 AM to

Wednesdays 5:30 PM

At Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel



### HOMEBOUND MINISTRY!

If you are homebound and want a homebound minister to visit you and bring you Holy Communion, please call

the Parish Office at (409) 762-6946.

Si usted está enfermo en casa y desea que uno de los ministros le traiga la Santa Comunion, favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial a (409) 762-6946.





# HOLY FAMILY

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## CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### GALVESTON

### COME JOIN OUR TEAM!

Holy Family Catholic School is looking for someone to fill the positions below. You can apply for all of the positions, just one of them, or any combination of the positions depending on your interests.

- PE teacher
- Volleyball coach
- Basketball coach
- Track coach
- After Care Teacher

Contact Jeanna Porter at 409-765-6607 or [jporter@hfcsgalv.org](mailto:jporter@hfcsgalv.org).



### SHOW YOUR SPIRIT!

You can show your support of Holy Family School by purchasing a spirit shirt. Go to the school website and click on the "I Need to Pay" tab. Select "Spirit Shirts" and place your order today!

# Thinking of Becoming a Catechist?

You have been a Catechist all along as you have tirelessly raised your children by helping them to grow in faith, especially telling them about Jesus. As you already know, your Catechetical responsibility flowed from the waters of baptism where you are commissioned to share in Jesus' ministry. This is an essential part of being Christian. To be baptized is to stand as one of Jesus' disciples, ready to do his work.

Being a Catechist is a vocation. As with other formal ministries, Catechists receive a special call from the Holy Spirit to teach on behalf of the church. That call may come in the form of a strong desire to help others or as a result from the good example of another parishioner. It is a spirit call to teach the faith. This role will require a more intense commitment to prayer and the Sacramental life of the Church. The Sacrifices will be small compared to the benefits you will be gaining. It will give you immense satisfaction in helping others grow closer to God while Deepening your own faith in the process.

Without God, there is only the darkness of destruction and death. As catechists, one becomes an essential voice by which God's way becomes known.

If the future generations are to learn of God's way, the way of Jesus, his story must be told well today. And if the story of Jesus is to be told well today, then we who have responsibility for telling it must be generously willing to do so for the children of Holy Family Parish. The story should be told with a sense of gratitude - gratitude to God for the gift of our faith, and gratitude to all those who nurtured that faith in our children. We hand on joyfully what we, ourselves have received.

Help us spread the good news of Jesus Christ today, harden not your hearts and hide the spirit call. In doing your part, we reaffirm our baptismal call, strengthen our faith community, and ultimately serve the welfare of the human family.

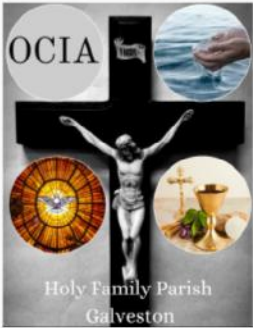
Yes, it is God's wonderful work in which we are richly privileged to share. Help us help our children encounter Jesus Christ in ways that change their lives for the better and become active disciples of Jesus and to work to bring about God's reign in the world. The seed of faith must be planted and they must be planted into good soil, where the Holy Spirit will nurture and help them to grow. Our children are waiting. *Come and share your teaching heart—not a teacher by training, but by calling.*



**CATECHIST  
WANTED!**







## ***OCIA and Adult Confirmation***

***(RCIA has now been changed to OCIA  
Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)***

OCIA 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.



Without the Eucharist, the Church  
simply does not exist.

— Pope Benedict XVI —

## Around the Parish

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### Faith Formation Registration @ St. Patrick Life Center

Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 – 2:00pm

#### Damas Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Cafeteria & Kitchen

Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am – 12:00pm

#### Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church

Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 – 10:00am

#### Carmelite Formation Phase II @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 8:30pm

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

Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

#### Holy Rosary (Weekly Rosary) @ Holy Rosary

Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 - 5:30 PM

#### Galveston Catholic Young Adult (18 - 45 yrs) Event @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #2

Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

(See Facebook Page or email)

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

Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 8:30pm

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

Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

#### Men's Club Meeting @ St. Patrick Rectory

Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 8:00pm

#### OFFICE CLOSED - Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>

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

Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

#### English Baptisms @ St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 – 11:00am

#### Aposteles Meeting @ St. Patrick Life Center Room #6

Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 – 7:30pm

The Gift Shop is VERY SORRY, we can no longer receive donation items EXCEPT for the following;  
catholic bibles and catholic statues .



In anticipation of moving to our beautiful new location, we are looking for VOLUNTEERS!

Until we close this location (TBD) we will continue with our limited hours;

Sun. 8:30 - Noon & Wed. 9:30 - Noon

As always, THANK YOU for all the love and support!!

The Office and Chapel will be closed on Thursday August 15<sup>th</sup> in observance of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*(Mass will be held at 10:00 am at St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica)*



OLLI at UTMB The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at UTMB invites you to their OPEN HOUSE taking place August 12-14, 2024.



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**Questions?**

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(including but not limited to)

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- lentils
- canned chili
- peanut butter / jelly
- tuna
- canned fruit / vegetables
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- baby food in jars
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