

HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON



May 11, 2025
Fourth Sunday of Easter

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

(Administrative Office for all 6 churches)

1525 25th St. Galveston, TX 77550

(25th St. & Ursuline)

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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Principal: Jeanna Porter jporter@hfcsgalv.org

CONFESSIONS

St. Patrick: Sat. 3:30-4:30 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

Ursuline Chapel: Wed. 4:30-5:30 PM

Or by appointment, call 409-762-9646

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

MASS SCHEDULE

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 Ursuline Chapel (1525 25th St.)

12:10 PM St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

WEDNESDAY ONLY

6 PM Ursuline Chapel (español) (1525 25th St.)

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH ONLY

8:00 AM at St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica
(7:30 AM Rosary Recitation)

PERPETUAL ADORATION*

OLG Chapel (1525 25th St.)

*Contact Parish Office for access code.

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



Ursuline Chapel & OLG Chapel of Perpetual Adoration
1525 25th Street
Galveston, TX 77550

(Note: The entrances to both Chapels are located on 25th Street)

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Jim Griffith -
Co-Chair
Zahrah Ektefaei -
Recorder
John Kirwin
Matt Chiara
Paula Fairbanks

Mark Cochran
Angelica Reyna
Tommy Woodard
Deacon Sam Dell'Olio
Deacon Jeff Willard
Deacon Robert 'Buzz'
Standridge
Susie Caradec
Moyleam Wong

Finance Council

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

Capital Campaign

IT IS REALLY TRUE!

In November 2024, we announced that a very generous parishioner offered to MATCH up to \$400,000. in new pledges from November 2024 through November 30, 2025 (the final date of Phase I of the Capital Campaign to raise \$5.5 million).

During this time, we have received over \$272,000 in new pledges. We only need \$128,000 in new pledges to be awarded the full match of \$400,000. Here is the major news...when we receive the \$128,000 in new pledges, we will have achieved our goal of \$5.5 million in pledges. Additionally, these new pledges of \$128,000 will bring us within \$300,000 of collecting the full \$5.5 million, which would mean that we were able to raise 100% of our Campaign goal!!! This is crucial as it would ensure that we are able to complete Phase 1 of our Capital Campaign project debt-free.

Our 850 generous parishioners have blazed this trail to such a successful campaign. It's not too late to join us as we count down to this parish victory. May God continue to watch over our parish as we celebrate the Easter Season.

Blessings,
Grace Mansfield, Chair (409/771-0345)

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma

Holy Family Parish

One Faith One Family - Phase I

Angels Among Us! Recognition Program

Angels Among Us

Seraphim - \$1,000,000 and above

- Name entered on Phase I Donor Plaque
- 15 tickets to the Donor Reception
- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin

Cherubim - \$100,000 and above

- Name entered on the Phase I Donor Plaque
- 10 tickets to the Donor Reception
- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin

Thrones - \$50,000 and above

- Name entered on the Phase I Donor Plaque
- 8 tickets to the Donor Reception
- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin

Dominions - \$25,000 and above

- Name entered on the Phase I Donor Plaque
- 4 tickets to the Donor Reception
- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin

Virtues - \$10,000 and above

- Name entered on the Phase I Donor Plaque
- 2 tickets to the Donor Reception
- Name Printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin

Donor plaques begin at virtues level and above.



Powers - \$5,000 and above

- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin
- Celebration Reception

Principalities - \$2,500 and above

- Name printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin
- Celebration Reception

Archangels - \$1,000 and Above

- Name Printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin
- Celebration Reception

Guardian Angels - Below \$1,000

- Name Printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin
- Celebration Reception

One Faith, One Family Campaign Update

Our Parish Goal:	\$5,500,000
Pledge Total:	\$5,264,349
Pledge Payments Received:	\$4,778,115
Total Number of Donors:	852
Total "ANGEL CHALLENGE" Pledged	\$ 308,282

*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 to learn more and participate.

Una Fe, Una Familia Actualización de campaña

Nuestra Meta Parroquial:	\$5,500,000
Total en Promesas:	\$5,264,349
Total en Pagos Recibido:	\$4,778,115
# de Familias Participando:	852
Total "DESAFÍO DEL ÁNGEL" Prometida	\$ 308,282

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

Nunca es muy tarde para comprometerse o donar.
Visite holyfamilygb.com/campana para más información.

Message from the Pastor

Dearly Beloved in Christ:

This weekend we celebrate the gift of motherhood. Let us give thanks for mothers everywhere, especially those who feel underappreciated and have to endure very difficult circumstances for the wellbeing of their children and families. We pray that God who is the Ultimate Giver of life will bless, protect and strengthen them in all their endeavors, filling them with his joy and peace. Amen!

In our Gospel reading today, we hear the comforting words of Jesus who addresses us with words that echo the love of a mother: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." These words of Christ evoke the image of a mother lovingly caressing her child, while she speaks words of love to it. Research indicates that by the third trimester – that is, even before birth – infants, while still in their mother's womb, are able to distinguish their mother's voice from others. How amazing is that! No wonder the sound of our mother's voice, especially when they call our names lovingly, has a special ring to it.

Christ, addressing us as his sheep, is a term of endearment. We belong to him no less than he belongs to us. And just like the voice of earthly mothers provide guidance, encouragement and succorance to their children, so too does the voice of Christ lead all who listen to him to eternal life. We are Christ's sheep, members of his flock, if we listen to his voice. In return, he gives us everlasting life: "I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish."

The love of a mother is powerful. And the bond she shares with her children is forever. Jesus alludes to this reality also while speaking of his relationship with us as members of his flock. "No one can take them out of my hand", he says to us. If we listen to his voice, as we should, and are obedient to him, he grants us a secured place in the Divine Family where "no one can take [us] out of the Father's hand!" As we celebrate our mothers today, let us give thanks to God who gives us everlasting life. May we be obedient to our earthly parents as they lead us to Christ, who is our Chief Shepherd and our Guide to life everlasting. Amen!

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

Queridos amados en Cristo:

Este fin de semana celebramos el don de la maternidad. Demos gracias por las madres de todo el mundo, especialmente por aquellas que se sienten infravaloradas y tienen que soportar circunstancias muy difíciles por el bienestar de sus hijos y familias. Oramos para que Dios, el Dador Supremo de la vida, las bendiga, las proteja y las fortalezca en todos sus esfuerzos, llenándolas de su alegría y paz. ¡Amén!

En el Evangelio de hoy, escuchamos las reconfortantes palabras de Jesús, que nos dirigen con palabras que reflejan el amor de una madre: «Mis ovejas oyen mi voz; yo las conozco y me siguen». Estas palabras de Cristo evocan la imagen de una madre que acaricia con amor a su hijo, mientras le dirige palabras de amor. Las investigaciones indican que para el tercer trimestre, es decir, incluso antes del nacimiento, los bebés, aún en el vientre materno, son capaces de distinguir la voz de su madre de las demás. ¡Qué asombroso! No es de extrañar que el sonido de la voz de nuestra madre, especialmente cuando nos llama con cariño, tenga un eco especial.

Cristo, al dirigirse a nosotros como sus ovejas, es un gesto de cariño. Le pertenecemos tanto como él a nosotros. Y así como la voz de las madres terrenales guía, anima y socorre a sus hijos, también la voz de Cristo conduce a la vida eterna a todos los que lo escuchan. Somos ovejas de Cristo, miembros de su rebaño, si escuchamos su voz. A cambio, él nos da la vida eterna: "Yo les doy la vida eterna y no perecerán jamás".

El amor de una madre es poderoso. Y el vínculo que comparte con sus hijos es para siempre. Jesús alude también a esta realidad al hablar de su relación con nosotros como miembros de su rebaño. «Nadie puede arrebatarnos de mi mano», nos dice. Si escuchamos su voz, como debemos, y le obedecemos, nos concede un lugar seguro en la Familia Divina donde «nadie puede arrebatarnos de la mano del Padre!». Al celebrar hoy a nuestras madres, demos gracias a Dios que nos da la vida eterna. Que seamos obedientes a nuestros padres terrenales mientras nos conducen a Cristo, quien es nuestro Pastor Principal y nuestro Guía hacia la vida eterna. ¡Amén!

Somos: una sola Parroquia de la Sagrada Familia, unidos en la alegría del Espíritu Santo y en la caridad, como discípulos misioneros. ¡Amén!

Su líder-siervo en Cristo,

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma
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Office Announcements:

NEED AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN?

Email 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 Pastoral Assistant, Racheal Schraufnagel, 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. 5
secretaryhfp@gmail.com

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. 8)



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:

**1525 25th St, Galveston, TX 77550
May God bless your generosity.**

Parish Contributions	Combined Churches
Weekend May 4	\$20,965.00
Online Contributions (April 28 - May 2, 2025)	<u>\$ 9,070.13</u>
TOTAL	\$30,035.13



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	Parti- cants
DSF	\$100,000		\$62,455.00	167
Capital Campaign	\$5,500,000	\$5,264,349	\$4,778,115	852

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS:

Please remember to bring your envelope(s)!

June 1, 2025 - Catholic Communications Collection

2024 Contribution Statements are available by request:
Please email secretaryhfp@gmail.com for your statement or call 409-762-9646 ext. 5.



Cry Out with JOY TO THE LORD!

This weekend, as we **Cry Out with Joy to the Lord!** together at Commitment Weekend, we lift our voices in joyful praise and share God's blessings with those in need through the Diocesan Services Fund (DSF). By supporting DSF, you help sustain 64 ministries that shelter the homeless, feed the hungry, foster vocations, and more. Please consider making your gift this weekend in your parish, or online at archgh.org/dsf, and join our mission to be Christ's hands and heart in our community.

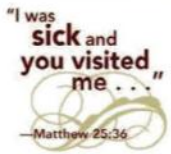
SCAN HERE TO MAKE A GIFT



Prayer List

Dear Holy Family,

Please join us in praying for Isabel Maples, Michael Naschke Jr., Glen Griebel, Mackenzie Cooke-Schilling, Ester Martinez, Irene Henry, Bryon Looker, Rose Etienne, Sandra Jones, Marie Oliver, Viola Cleo Bradshaw, Robert Hogan, Brenda Irvine, Mary Jane Cernosek, Bruce Banks, Tom and Kendra Dunning, Meridith Tinney, Delon Kibbe, Frank Loesch, Gertrude Schwab, Terri Porter, Dawn Shepherd, Sharon Fullen Mollenkopf, Edna Patane Grillo, Danny Weber Jr., and Julia Lazare for improved health. For the repose of the soul of Mark Kostecky, Pete Urbani, Patrick Madden, Bob Welter, Grzegorz Juzoń, and Riki Bell.



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) 762-9646.

Si usted está enfermo en casa y desea que uno de los ministros le traiga la Santa Comunión, favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial a (409) 762-9646.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Please consider signing up for one of these listed hours, they are open and are in need of adorers!

Open Hours

Monday: 1pm

Saturday: 2pm, 7pm, 8pm, 10pm

Sunday: 12am, 5am, 8pm 11pm

Sign up Here



<https://adorationpro.org/holyfamilygb>

Mass Intentions

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

Click on the Daily Readings Tab.

Saturday May 10th - Vigil Mass

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| 5:00pm (SP) | † Jane Terry |
| 6:00pm (OLBS) | † Victorio Balisnomo |
| 7:00pm (MSOS) | † Vera P. Richard |

Sunday May 11th

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| 7:30 am (SH) | † Clara Doyle & Palmarosa Manetti |
| 9:00am (HR) | † Doris Skelton |
| 10:00am (SP) | For the People |
| 11:00am (SH) | † Msgr. Dan Scheel |
| 12:00pm(SP)Esp | † Mirosalba Flores & Maria Thelma Flores |
| 12:30pm (SMCB) | † Niki Brouillard |

Monday May 12th

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| 7:00am (UCHPL) | † Luigi De La Vega |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Fred J. Weinberg |

Tuesday May 13th

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| 7:00am (UCHPL) | † Rev. Donnell Kirchner, CSSR |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | Thanksgiving for prayer answered |

Wednesday May 14th

Feast of Saint Matthias, Apostle

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| 7:00am (UCHPL) | † Tom Barland |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Gary John Young Jr. |
| 6:00pm (UCHPL)Esp | † Catalina Herrera & Juan Francisco Rafeal |

Thursday May 15th

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| 7:00am (UCHPL) | † Rev. Edward A. Sheffield |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Rosie Ramirez |

Friday May 16th

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|----------------|------------------------------|
| 7:00am (UCHPL) | † Rev. James O'Connell, CSSR |
| 12:10pm (SMCB) | † Jeff Nesmith |

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL



BE PART OF OUR STORY.....

- Our story began with the Ursuline Academy in 1847 as the first Catholic School in Texas.
- Our story centers around the students, families and teachers that are and have been part of Holy Family Catholic School.
- Our story is about furthering our mission of forming future saints and scholars.
- Our story continues to grow and evolve as we embrace cutting edge technology and best practices.
- Our story has a place for you.....



Since
1847



Holy Family Catholic School is seeking a few energetic, faith-filled, professionals to join our team and to help us fulfill our mission. Open positions are listed below. Interested? Contact Jeanna Porter at (409) 765-6607 or jporter@hfcsgalv.org and learn more. You'll be glad you did!

Starting innmediately:

- Administrative Assistant

Starting in the fall:

- Pre-Kindergarten Teacher
- Math/Science Teacher for 4th and 5th grade
- Part-time Middle School Math Teacher (mornings Monday - Friday)
- Receptionist



Jeanna Porter, Principal

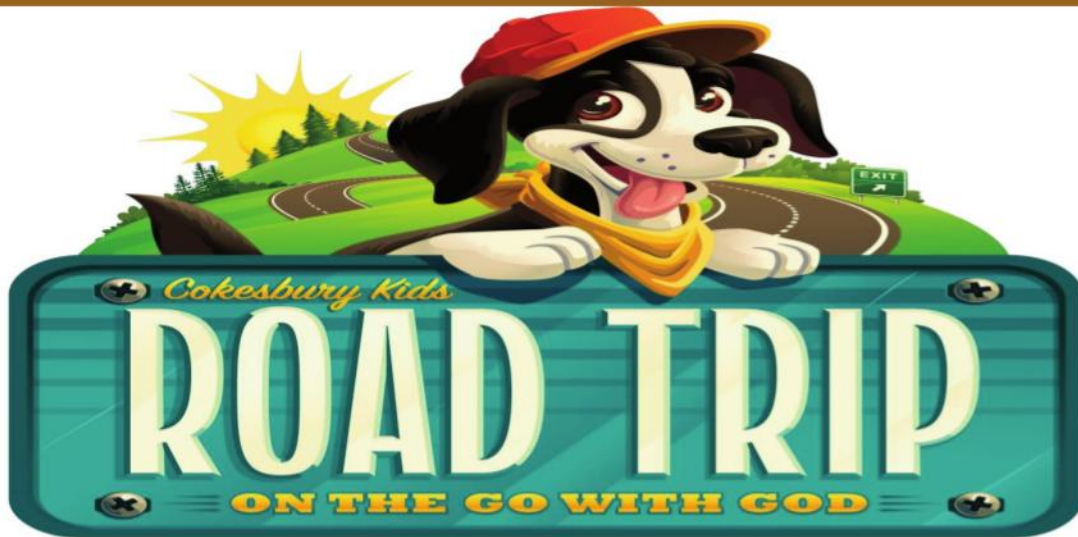
2601 Ursuline Street
Galveston, TX 77550

(409) 765-6607
hfcsgalv.org

Faith Formation

UPCOMING EVENTS

05/13/2025	OCIA-C Year #1 Spanish (last day of class)	5:00 – 6:30pm	Life Center Room# 139/140
05/14/2025	OCIA-C Year #2 English (last day of class)	6:00 – 7:30pm	Life Center Room# 139/140



Join Holy Family Parish for VBS
as we road trip with God at
Holy Family Catholic School
2601 Ursuline St., Galveston, TX 77550
June 9th – 13th

from
9:15 AM – 12:15 PM

\$60 per student (1st through 6th Grade – Student(s) must have finished kindergarten)

ARCHDIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE



JULY 25-27, 2025
HILTON AMERICAS- HOUSTON



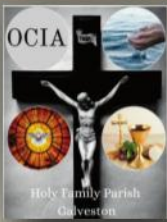
AYC 2025 Registration is now Open!

Register here:

<https://forms.gle/JEECygYJrck5iv1RA>

- Cost for the event is \$325 per teen.
- Teens stay in a hotel room (max 4 teens per room) – This is separated by boys and girls.
- This conference is for current 8th grader to current 12th graders.
- Registration deadline is May 31st.
- Must pay \$160 deposit by May 31st. Remaining balance (\$165) due June 15th.

Contact Jenny Gay for more details.
(youthministerhfp@gmail.com)



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.

BEHOLD OUR NEW MEMBERS!



Around the Parish

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church

Sunday, May 11th from 9:00 – 10:00am

Pastoral Council Subcommittee Meeting @ Life Center Room C101

Monday, May 12th from 10:00am – 12:00pm

Men's ACTS @ Life Center Room 139/140 & Chapel

Monday, May 12th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Altar Society Meeting @ Diamond Beach Condominiums 3rd Floor

Tuesday, May 13th from 12:00 – 2:00pm

Holy Rosary (Weekly Rosary) @ Holy Rosary

Tuesday, May 13th from 4:30 – 5:30pm

Galveston Catholic Young Adult (18 - 45 yrs) Event @ Life Center Staff Meeting Room 120

Tuesday, May 13th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

(See Facebook Page or email)

Legion of Mary (Spanish) @ Life Center Rooms C101/C102

Tuesday, May 13th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Spanish Baptism Class @ Life Center Conference Room #103

Tuesday, May 13th from 7:00 – 8:30pm

HFCS Advisory School Board Meeting @ Life Center Conference Room 103

Wednesday, May 14th from 5:30 – 6:30pm

Women's Spanish ACTS Meetings @ Life Center Room 137

Wednesday, May 14th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Men's Club Meeting @ Life Center Dining Parlor

Wednesday, May 14th from 7:00 – 8:00pm

Building committee @ Life Center Conference Room #103

Thursday, May 15th from 5:30 – 6:30pm

Men's ACTS @ Life Center Staff Conference Room 120

Thursday, May 15th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Grupo de Oracion de Sagrada Familia prayer Meeting @ Life Center Rooms 138/140

Friday, May 16th from 7:00 – 9:00pm

English Baptisms @ St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica

Saturday, May 17th from 10:00 – 11:00am

Aposteles Meeting @ Life Center Conference Room 103

Saturday, May 17th from 5:30 – 7:30pm

Gift Shop Business Hours

Tuesdays: 9:30am - 12:00pm

Wednesdays: 9:30am - 12:00pm

Thursdays: 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Fridays: 9:30am - 12:00pm



**HAVE YOU SEEN OUR NEW
CATHOLIC GREETING CARDS ???**



**Knights of Columbus
Council 787
1912 Winnie**

Hamburger Night

starts Thursday, June 5th, 2025 and will
continue weekly on Thursday throughout the
summer.

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs & Chicken Baskets
served from 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Pool open from 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Swimming
Pool is Open

from 6:00 - 9:00 pm

FORMED



Greetings!

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 great resource for the Catholic Faith on Demand.



Truly yours in Christ,
Fr. Jude E. Ezuma

Mass for Health Care Providers

Sunday, May 11, 2025 11:00 AM Mass
At Sacred Heart Church
Holy Family Parish



Calling ALL Health Care Professionals & Providers

We Make a Difference



"The Power of Healthcare Providers"

This includes all doctors, nurses, therapists, assistants, technicians, support staff and those that care for loved ones at home.



We are looking for people to assist with this celebration by serving as a:

Reader, Eucharistic Minister, Greeter. Presentation of Gifts

If you are interested in assisting, please call or text:

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