# HOLY FAMILY PARISH & SCHOOL

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON



### October 5, 2025 Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **HOLY FAMILY PARISH**

(Administrative Office for all 6 six churches)

1525 25th St. Galveston, TX 77550

(25th St. & Ursuline)

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#### HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

2601 Ursuline, Galveston, TX 77550 www.hfcsgalv.org 409-765-6607

Principal: Tscherina Telesford principal@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

<u>ANOINTING OF THE SICK:</u> 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)

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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 Griffeth -

Co-Chair

Zahrah Ektefaei -

Recorder

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**Matt Chiara** 

Paula Fairbanks

**Mark Cochran** 

Angelica Reyna

**Tommy Woodard** Deacon Sam Dell'Olio Deacon Jeff Willard

**Deacon Robert 'Buzz'** 

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**Matthew Furlong** 

Chairman **Deacon Sam** 

Dell'Olio

Member

**Rosetta Bonnin** Member

**Matt Chiara** 

Member

### Capital Campaign

### Holy Family Parish

One Faith One Family - Phase I

**Angels Among Us! Recognition Program** 



## Scraphim - \$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

- 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

## 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

### Dominions - \$25,000 and above Name entered on the Phase I Donor Plaque 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

- Archangels \$1,000 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

- Guardian Angels Below \$1,000

  Name Printed on the Phase I Celebration Bulletin
  Celebration Reception

Grace Mansfield, Chair (409/771-0345)

Very Rev. Jude Ekenedilichukwu Ezuma



#### One Faith, One Family **Campaign Update**

\$5,500,000 Our Parish Goal: Pledge Total: \$5,783,612 \$5,278,980 Pledge Payments Received: Total Number of Donors: 882 Total "ANGEL CHALLENGE" Pledged \$ 628,326

> Thanks you for your continued support, 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 Actualización de campaña

Nuestra Meta Parroquial: \$5.500.000 Total en Promesas: \$5,783,612 Total en Pagos Recibido: \$5,278,980 # de Familias Participando: 882 Total "DESAFÍO DEL ÁNGEL" Prometida \$ 628,326

> ¡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:

The month of October is dedicated in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. As our tender and faithful Mother, she gathers us in prayer, leading us to her Son, Jesus Christ, who bestows us with the gift of everlasting life. I warmly invite each of us to journey with Mary this month praying the Rosary individually, with our families, and with our friends for peace in the world, for leaders everywhere, and for the wellbeing of all our loved ones.

Below are two opportunities to join us in a communal recitation of the Rosary:

Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 12 Noon: We will gather in front of St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica to unite with our brothers and sisters for the Fatima Rosary Rally Across America.

Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM: Our school children will lead us in our Annual Parish/ School Rosary Rally; we will be gathering at the school field.

If you're unable to join us in person, please know we hold you close in spirit. Remember that we also recite the Rosary before all three vigil Masses on Saturday, and before the 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM and 12:30PM Masses on Sunday.

The Rosary is not only a powerful prayer it is a gentle chain that binds us to heaven. In his classical *True Devotion to Mary*, St. Louis Marie Grignion de Montfort, speaks of its great efficacy. He writes, "God has given Mary such great power over the evil spirits that, as they have often been forced unwillingly to admit through the lips of possessed persons, they fear one of her pleadings for a soul more than the prayers of all the saints and one of her threats more than all their other torments."

Let us therefore make it a habit to call on our Blessed Virgin Mary to intercede for us always. To encourage us in this devotion, I conclude with these heartfelt words from St. Louis: "I earnestly beg of you, then, by the love I bear you in Jesus and Mary, ... [to] say the Rosary too, and if time permits, all its fifteen decades, every day. Then when death draws near, you will bless the day and hour when you took to heart what I told you, for having sown the blessings of Jesus and Mary, you will reap eternal blessings in heaven."

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 <a href="mailto:shepherdhfp@gmail.com">shepherdhfp@gmail.com</a>

#### Mensaje del Pastor

Queridos hermanos en Cristo:

El mes de octubre está dedicado en honor a la Santísima Virgen María. Como nuestra tierna y fiel Madre, ella nos reúne en oración y nos conduce a su Hijo, Jesucristo, quien nos concede el don de la vida eterna. Invito cordialmente a cada uno de nosotros a caminar con María durante este mes, rezando el Rosario de manera individual, en familia y con amigos, por la paz en el mundo, por los líderes de todas partes, y por el bienestar de nuestros seres queridos.

A continuación, les compartimos dos oportunidades para unirnos en la oración comunitaria del Rosario:

- Sábado 11 de octubre a las 12 del mediodía: Nos reuniremos frente a la Catedral Basílica de Santa María para unirnos a nuestros hermanos y hermanas en el Rally del Rosario de Fátima en todo Estados Unidos.
- Viernes 17 de octubre a las 10:00 AM: Nuestros niños de la escuela nos guiarán en nuestro Rally Anual del Rosario Parroquial/Escolar; nos reuniremos en el campo de la escuela.

Si no pueden acompañarnos en persona, sepan que los llevamos en el corazón. También rezamos el Rosario antes de las tres Misas de vigilia del sábado, y antes de las Misas de las 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM y 12:30 PM del domingo.

El Rosario no es solo una oración poderosa es una dulce cadena que nos une al cielo. En su obra clásica La Verdadera Devoción a María, San Luis María Grignion de Montfort habla de su gran eficacia. Escribe: "Dios ha dado a María tal poder sobre los espíritus malignos que, como ellos han sido obligados a admitir a través de los labios de personas poseídas, temen una sola súplica suya por un alma más que las oraciones de todos los santos, y una sola amenaza suya más que todos sus otros tormentos."

Por eso, hagamos del hábito de invocar siempre la intercesión de nuestra Santísima Virgen María. Para animarnos en esta devoción, concluyo con estas palabras llenas de afecto de San Luis: "Os ruego encarecidamente, pues, por el amor que os tengo en Jesús y María, ... [que] recéis también el Rosario, y si el tiempo lo permite, sus quince decenas, cada día. Entonces, cuando la muerte se acerque, bendeciréis el día y la hora en que tomasteis en serio lo que os dije, porque habiendo sembrado las bendiciones de Jesús y María, cosecharéis bendiciones eternas en el cielo."

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 shepherdhfp@gmail.com

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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. Please contact the Parish Office for information. Walk-ins welcome.

MARRIAGE: 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. Email completed forms and any questions to 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 September 28 Online Contributions (Sept 22 - Sept 26, 2025)	\$20,062.00 \$ 6,298.13
TOTAL	\$26,360.13
Mission Appeal	\$14,284.00



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

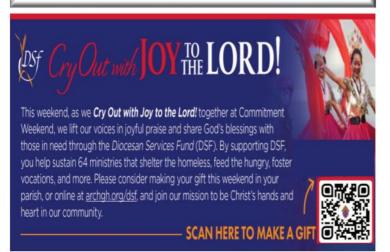
Online Giving option. Also, you can text the word, "give" to 409-515-7625 or scan this QR code to make a contribution. All forms of giving are **secured**. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

Fund	Goal	Pledge	Paid	Partici- pants
DSF	\$100,000		\$115,468	236
Capital Campaign	\$5,500,000	\$5,783,612	\$5,278,980	882

#### **UPCOMING COLLECTIONS:**

Please remember to bring your envelope(s)!
October 19, 2025 - World Mission Sunday (Propagation of the Faith Collection)

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



#### Dear Holy Family,

Please join us in praying for Jo Daily, Vera Whitehead, Steve Harding, Sally Kline, Susie Falcon, Mary Horwitch, Kim Schattel Tindel, Ann Nguyen Boren, Maris & FrankHelfrich, Dennis Daryl Shamblin, Chris D., Camille Termini Loftin, Dolores Gabrillas, Amelia Collins, Mark & Cindy Raulerson, Cookie Taylor, Allen Mchone, Gloria Guisti, Isabel Maples, Rose Etienne, Sandra Jones, Marie Oliver, Robert Hogan, Brenda Irvine, Mary Jane Cernosek, Bruce Banks, Tom and Kendra Dunning, and Meridith Tinney, for improved health. Also, for the repose of the soul of Richard Allan Dickman.



# SHARE THE CROSS PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Every Mass has a special Vocations Cross to plant a seed of prayer.

Thank you to the following families for praying during the month of October:

5:00 St. Patrick - Nancy Burch

6:00 OLBS - Danny and Dana Jordan
7:00 MSOS - Jim and Linda Griffeth
7:30 Sacred Heart - Diana & Robert Miranda Jr.

Victoria, Sean, and Liam

9:00 Holy Rosary - Benita Davis
10:00 St. Patrick - CiCi Landry

11:00 Sacred Heart - Svitlana & Christopher

**Domingo and Alison & Jade** 

12:00 St. Patrick -

12:30 St. Mary's - Julie Ruiz

Would you or your family like to host the Vocations Cross for a month? You can sign up by contacting the Evangelization and Stewardship Committee through Linda Griffeth at: Lindadgriffeth@yahoo.com.

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

Click on the Daily Readings Tab.

Saturday October 4th - First Saturday

8:00am (SMCB) † Rev. Michael Stremier

Saturday October 4th- Vigil Mass

5:00pm (SP) Stoner Howell (Birthday)

6:00pm (OLBS) For the People

7:00pm (MSOS) † Barbara and John Ryder

**Sunday October 5th** 

7:30 am (SH) † Darlene Boening

9:00am (HR) † Justin Etienne

10:00am (SP) † Charlie Kirk

11:00am (SH) † Judi Buff & Joey Collier

12:00pm(SP)Esp Wilson Cuevas

12:30pm (SMCB) † Allen Schmitt

**Monday October 6th** 

7:00am (UCHPL) † Ronnie Eikenberg

12:10pm (SMCB) † Rev. James Burke, OP

**Tuesday October 7th** 

7:00am (UCHPL) Maria Luisa Dumon

(Birthday)

12:10pm (SMCB) † Marco A. Garza (Birthday)

**Wednesday October 8th** 

7:00am (UCHPL) † Florence D. Cruz

12:10pm (SMCB) † Florence D. Cruz

6:00pm (UCHPL)Esp † Fr. Joseph Manapuram

**Thursday October 9th** 

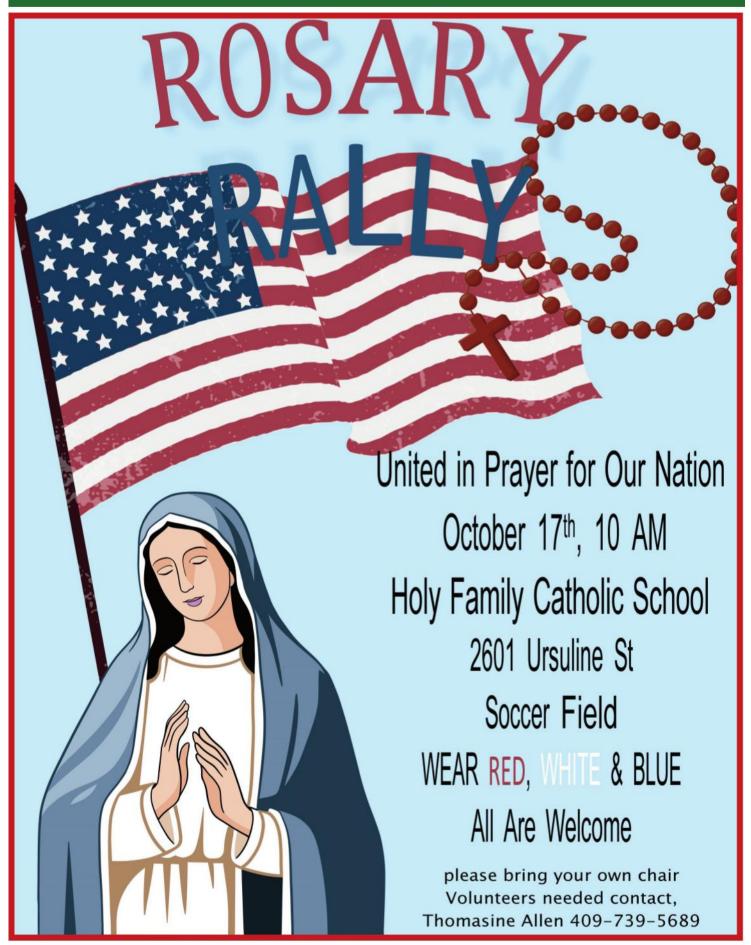
7:00am (UCHPL) † Joan O'Neal

12:10pm (SMCB) † Brad Barr

**Friday October 10th** 

7:00am (UCHPL) † Rev. Cornelius Ryan, OMI

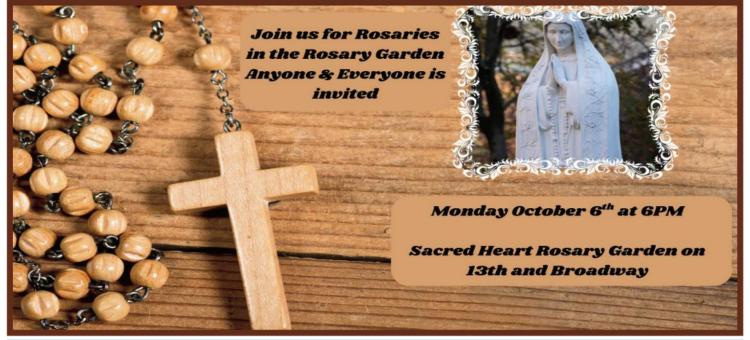
12:10pm (SMCB) † Michael Bloom (Birthday)



#### Faith Formation

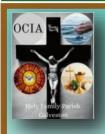
#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

10/05/2025	Faith Formation K-5 <sup>th</sup> - Spanish	10:00 - 11:00am	Holy Family Catholic School
10/05/2025	Faith Formation K-5th- English	11:30am - 12:30pm	Holy Family Catholic School
10/05/2025	Edge Middle School Faith Formation	4:00 – 5:00pm	Holy Family Catholic School
10/05/2025	LifeTeen High School Faith Formation	6:00 – 7:30pm	Holy Family Catholic School
10/06/2025	Rosaries in the Rosary Garden	6:00pm	Sacred Heart Rosary Garden
10/07/2025	OCIA-Children Year 2 Class	6:00 - 7:30pm	Holy Family Catholic School





### OCIA AND ADULT CONTINUING FAITH FORMATION



### **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.



#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Youth Choir Practice @ St. Patrick Church Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 – 10:00am

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting (LAKPC) @ Life Center **Dining Parlor** 

Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 10:30am – 12:30pm Foundation of Faith - Bible Study @ Life Center **Conference Room 103** 

Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 – 4:00pm

Foundation of Faith - Bible Study @ Life Center Rooms 137/139

Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 10:00am – 12:00pm **Youth Liturgy Group @ Life Center Rooms 138/140** Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 9:00pm

Betania XVII @ Adoration Chapel or C101/C102

Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 8:00pm

Foundation of Faith - Bible Study @ Life Center **Conference Room 103** 

Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Men's ACTS Meeting@ Life Center Rooms 137/139

Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Women's ACTS Meeting @ Life Center Dining Parlor

Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

Holy Rosary (Weekly Rosary) @ Holy Rosary

Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 - 5:30pm

OCIA Adults @ Life Center Dining Parlor Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 8:30pm

OCIA Adults (Spanish) @ Life Center Room 137

Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 7:30pm

Galveston Catholic Young Adult (18 - 45 yrs) Event

**@ Life Center Staff Meeting Room 120** Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

(See Facebook Page or email)

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

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

MFCC Meeting @ Life Center Rooms 138/140 Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

MFCC- Advisory Meeting @ Life Center Conference

**Room 103** 

Wednesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm Men's Club Meeting @ Life Center Dining Parlor

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

Seaside Seniors Lunch @ Life Center Dining Parlor

Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 11:30am – 2:00pm

JCDA meeting @ Life Center Room #138 Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 – 6:30pm

**Adult Confirmation Classes @ Life Center Dining Parlor** 

Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 8:00pm

Grupo de Oracion de Sagrada Familia prayer

Meeting @ Life Center Rooms 138/140 Friday, October 10<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00pm

**Aposteles Meeting @ Life Center Conference Room** 

Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup> 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 ???





#### Seaside Seniors



**HFP Seaside Seniors 55+ Group** Join us for fellowship and lunch Second Thursday of each month Our next luncheon will be Thursday, October 9th Parish Life Center 1525 25th St., Room 106, Dining Parlor Fellowship begins at 11:30 AM Lunch is served at noon Cost is \$8.00

You may bring a dessert or door prize to share To volunteer, call Mary-Margaret Cutshall 713-202-0735

Thanks to all of our wonderful volunteers!!



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE DAMAS BAKE SALE



SATURDAY October 18th

after 5 PM MASS

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH



COME FOR HOME MADE GOODIES OF ALL KINDS.....

COOKIES, CAKES, CUPCAKES, BROWNIES, BARS, FALL BREADS.....

PLEASE HELP US SUPPORT OUR PARISH WITH THIS BAKE SALE!







### **America needs Fatima**

Join us to Pray the Holy Rosary for our Nation and conversion of hearts at St. Mary's Basilica Cathedral

St. Mary's Basilica Cathedral on Saturday, October 11, 2025 12:00 Noon

ALL ARE WELCOME

Bring: Rosary, Umbrella, and Chair

### Our Lady of Fatima's last "Miracle of the Sun!"

Please Join Us!
The procession at
12 noon prior to
Sunday's regular 12:30 Mass
October 12,2025

Texas Historical
St. Mary's Cathedral
Basilica
Corner on 21st &
Church St.
Galveston, Texas
Contact:
(409)739-1231
joyceadaniel7@
gmail.com
See You There!
Joyce Ann Daniel







ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

TO THE CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

COURT #228 STAR OF THE SEA

MONTHLY MEETING ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11TH

ROSARY AT 10 A.M./MEETING AT 10:30 A.M.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL, 19TH AND WINNIE

QUESTIONS? CALL/TEXT REGENT SUSIE BAZIN

AT 713-304-4494

WE'LL BE PLANNING OUR CHRISTMAS PARTY AND NATIONAL CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS SUNDAY, AND DISCUSSING OTHER EVENTS TO ASSIST THE CHARITIES WE SUPPORT IN OUR PARISH AND ON OUR ISLAND!



#### **JCDA**



#### JUNIOR CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Catholic girls of the parish ages 6-18 are invited to join Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas! We are a nationally recognized group that falls under the Catholic Daughters of the Americas and the Knights of Columbus. Our motto is "Be Useful", and we have plans to be useful to our parish and community this year.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Thursday, Oct. 9th—Movie Meeting for an exclusive screening of Walt Disney's classic Snow White and the Seven Dwarves (1937), a timeless film with strong allegorical ties to the Catholic Faith. Details coming soon!

Thursday, November 6th—5-6 p.m., DiNardo Hall, Thanksgiving Potluck. Please bring something to share. We will also begin our December craft.

Thursday, December 11th—5-6 p.m. Completion of our baby blankets and a little pre-Christmas shopping at our very own parish gift shop!

Contact information: Julie Ruiz 281-642-7404 or mrsiruiz22@gmail.com





#### Around the Parish





Beginning 10/16, we will explore the wisdom of classical Catholic Mystics such as Saints John of the Cross and Teresa of Avila, and others. We will also feature the major Eucharistic Miracles reported throughout Church History. Finally, we will unpack the grace of Inner Healing and release the power of forgiveness.

# FALL FAITH SERIES, A POTPOURRI OF PRAYER!

#### **SCHEDULE:**

10/16 CATHOLIC MYSTICS I SESSION 1 10/23 CATHOLIC MYSTICS II SESSION 2

10/30 EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES I SESSION 3 11/6 EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES II SESSION 4

11/13 INNER HEALING I SESSION 5 11/20 INNER HEALING II SESSION 6

CLASSES WILL RUN 6:30-8:00 PM EACH THURSDAY EVENING EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

LOCATION:
PARISH LIFE CENTER ROOM 138



### ALL LADIES OF HOLY FAMILY PARISH! PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

PLEASE JOIN OUR ALTAR SOCIETY MEMBERS - OCTOBER 14TH @ 12 NOON. WE **MEET AT THE PARISH LIFE CENTER AT -CHURCH ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING @** 25TH & URSULINE. WE WILL HAVE LUNCH @ 12 NOON & THEN GET ON TO THE BUSINESS OPPPORTUNITES WE WILL ORGANIZE OVER THE COMING MONTHS TO ASSIST our PARISH & PRIESTS. We will have a drop bag prize game with some fun prizes so bring some small cash if you want to participate. LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED BY **OUR HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE FOR** OCTOBER & IT WILL BE DELICIOUS & A FUN TIME FOR ALL! PLEASE JOIN US & HELP US **HELP OUR PARISH!!** WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE....BRING A FRIEND! THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST & SUPPORT!!

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NEW HOSPITALITY GUIDELINES FOR MASS SEATING

As part of our ongoing effort to make Holy Family Parish a more welcoming and prayerful space, we've introduced the following new guidelines:



Let's make roomin our pews and in our hearts.

- Ushers will seat parishioners until the end of the Opening Prayer, and then again from the end of the Homily until the end of the Prayer of the Faithful.
- To assist with this effort, we kindly ask that you slide toward the center of the pews when you arrive. This simple gesture creates space at the edges, making it easier for our ushers to seat others especially those who arrive after Mass has begun.



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nuevas pautas:



Hagamos espacioen nuestras bancas y en nuestros corazones.

- Los acomodadores acomodarán a los feligreses hasta el final de la Oración de Apertura y, posteriormente, desde el final de la Homilía hasta el final de la Oración de los Fieles.
- Para facilitar este esfuerzo, les pedimos que se deslicen hacia el centro de las bancas al llegar. Este simple gesto crea espacio en los bordes, facilitando que nuestros acomodadores acomoden a los demás, especialmente a quienes llegan después de iniciada la misa.





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