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Mass Schedule

Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM (Church)

Sunday 12:30 PM– Spanish- (Church)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 AM (Chapel)

Wednesday, (English) 6:00 PM (Church)

Thursday, (Spanish) 6:00 PM (Church)

Friday 7:00 AM (Mother Church)

Saturday 5:00 PM (Church)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays, 4:15 to 4:45 PM

Following Weekday Masses Or by Appointment

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

The First Friday of Each Month (Mother Church)

Adoration: 7:30 AM—12:30 PM & 6:30 PM—11:30 PM

Mass at 7:00 AM (Mother Church) & 6:00 PM (Bilingual) (Church)

The Alliance of the Two Hearts Communion of Reparation Vigil

The First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

The First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Second Sunday of Advent, Sunday, December 17, 2017

Mass Schedule & Intentions
for the Week

FRIDAY, December 8

7:00 A.M.: † Elvera Ebarb Procell
12:05 P.M.: Mass @ St. Mary's Church
5:05 P.M.: Mass @ St. Mary's Church
6:00 P.M.: English Mass
7:00 P.M.: Spanish Mass– Missa Pro
Populo

SATURDAY, December 9

10:00 A.M.: Procession
11:30 A.M.: Mass
5:00 P.M.: † Paul Naquin

SUNDAY, December 10

8:30 A.M.: Don & Mary McCarley,
Anniversary
10:30 A.M.: Pro Populo
12:30 P.M.: Spanish: Spec. Int. Duran
Family

MONDAY, December 11

7:00 A.M.: † James Y'Barbo

TUESDAY, December 12

7:00 A.M.: † Leoncio Tapiador, Jr.
7:00 A.M.: Spanish: Our Lady of
Guadalupe Mass

WEDNESDAY, December 13

6:00 P.M.: † Flaviana Arayata

THURSDAY, December 14

7:00 A.M.: Spec. Int. Mocniak Family

FRIDAY, December 15

7:00 A.M.: † Fermin & Urbana Guy Yoche

Weekly Offering
Week of December 3

December 3– \$6899.00

Building & Renovation - \$ 1750.00

Second Collections for December

Donations for Christmas Flowers

December 8-Immaculate Conception

December 10-Retirement Fund for Religious

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of:

Delores Jones Ken Richards
Mathew Flynn Peyton Goerner
Johnnie Stricklen Rose Krhovjak
Judd McNett

Please Pray for those who are ill:

Mary Devine Charlotte Turne
Marie Kelly Loraine Cousson
Fred Fitzgerald Fr. Christopher Ruggles

Christmas Gift Shop

HUGE CHRISTMAS GIFT SHOP SALE
starting on December 4th through December
15th from 9 AM -5 PM on weekdays and after
each Mass on weekends from 9 AM to 3 PM.

**EVERYTHING in the gift store
(Christmas and regular items)will be
50% off!**

Make your best offer on all Books
(Bibles are excluded)

Statuses

25% to 50% off

**Great time to shop for all your
Christmas gifts !!**

Food Pantry

We are so thankful for your generosity to
the Sacred Heart Food Pantry in providing
canned fruit, stuffing mixes, pie filling, and
gravy for the 245 families we served in No-
vember.

For Christmas we would love to provide
families some fresh fruit.

We need bags of apples and oranges, plus
small/ medium sized Christmas bags for re-
packing the fruit, by Monday, December 11.
If you have any questions, please contact
Margaret Sanford.

God Bless you for your continued support!

December & Christmas Schedule

December and Christmas Schedule:

Wednesday, December 13th:

Christmas Blessing Coalition distribution Day at Love Inc. Please contact Marilyn McFarland for more information.

Wednesday, December 20th:

Penance Service, 5 pPM- 7PM
(4 confessors) English/Spanish
6:00 P.M.: Mass (English)

Saturday, December 23rd:

4:15 P.M.: Confessions (Fr. Elliott/Fr. John)
5:00 P.M.: Mass

Sunday, December 24th:

8:30 A.M.: Mass -English
10:30 A.M.: Mass -English
12:30 P.M.: Mass -Spanish
5:00 P.M.: Childrens' Mass
• Live Nativity (before Mass)
• Children's Choir
6:00 P.M.: Solemn High Mass– St. Mary's
8:00 P.M.: Solemn High Mass– Spanish
11:30 P.M.: Choir Concert/ Caroling

Monday, December 25th:

12 Midnight: Solemn High Mass– English
10:30 A.M.: Mass–English
12:30 P.M.: Mass–Spanish
6:00 P.M.: Christmas Mass– St. Mary's

Office Holiday Hours

Sacred Heart church office will be closed on the following days:

Christmas/New Year's Holidays– Monday, December 25th through Tuesday, January 2nd.

Cradle of Catholicism

Older than the Alamo, Nacogdoches was the home to the first Catholic Mission in Texas, Our Lady of Guadalupe de Senora.

Unique and treasurable, the limited edition book, "***Cradle of Catholicism***", is available at Sacred Heart Gift Shop.

RCIA/ Adult Education

Topic:

Week of December 13–Sacraments of Healing
Registrations for the upcoming semester are HERE! Our new class for the spring is on the book of 1 Corinthians. There will again be two options for meeting times, Sunday after the 8:30 Mass and Tuesday from 7-8:45. The materials will be \$25/book. Phillip will be in the narthex this weekend and the weekends of Dec 3 & 10. Please see him and sign up!

SHOCK

Advent is a time to joyfully seek out Jesus.

This week Shock took part in several silly challenges in order to earn clue words for an Advent Trivia. We definitely had a joyful time learning about Jesus and Advent! All 6-12th grade teens are invited to join us each Wednesday night after the 6pm Mass until 8:30.

You are made for GREATNESS! We have also listened to Father Mike Schmitz share three questions we should ask ourselves daily. Am I in a state of grace? Am I doing my daily tasks? Did I pray today? Each day we should be training ourselves to choose greatness not comfort. Say YES to GREATNESS!

December 13- Willowbrook Christmas caroling 5:45-7:30pm. Meet at the nursing home (227 Russell Blvd) to share carols with the residents. Cookie social will follow. No one will be at the gym this evening.

December 20- Christmas Party \$10 gift exchange for those who want to participate.

January 13- FILLED High School retreat 8:00am - 6:00pm. FILLED is a day retreat for all high school students that will be held in the Upper Room. This will be a fun event that will hopefully FILL you with the Holy Spirit! \$10 registration fee to help cover cost of food. Registration forms in church office.

Horario de Misas de Diciembre

Mates, 12 de diciembre:

7:00 P.M.: Misa

Miércoles, 20 de diciembre:

Servicio de penitencia, 5 PM- 7 PM

(4 confesores) ingles/español

6:00 P.M.: Misa (ingles)

Sábado, 23 de diciembre:

4:15 P.M.: Confesiones (Fr. Elliott/ Fr. John)

5:00 P.M.: Misa (Ingles)

Domingo, 24 de diciembre:

8:30 A.M.: Misa

10:30 A.M.: Misa

12:30 P.M.: Misa

5:00 P.M.: Misa de Niños (ingles)

6:00 P.M.: Misa Solemne—St. Mary's

8:00 P.M.: Misa Solemne— Español

11:30 P.M.: Concierto del coro

Lunes, 25 de diciembre

Media noche- Misa Solemne— Natividad del Señor— Ingles

10:30 A.M.: Misa— Ingles

12:30 P.M.: Misa— Misa Solemne— Natividad del Señor-Español

6:00 P.M.: Misa Solemne— St. Mary's

Lunes, 1 de enero 2018

12:30 P.M.: Misa

Tienda de Navidad

GRAN OFERTA DE NAVIDAD comenzando el 4 de diciembre hasta el 15 de diciembre de 9:00 a.m. a 5 p.m. de lunes a viernes y después de cada misa los fines de semana de 9 am hasta las 3 pm.

TODO en la tienda
(Navidad y artículos regulares)
tendrá un
50% de descuento!

Haga su mejor oferta en todos los libros
(Las biblias están excluidas)

Estatuas
25% a 50% de descuento

Bienvenida de Padre George Elliott

Todos son bienvenidos a asistir a la bienvenida para conocer y saludar al Padre George Elliott.

La recepción se llevará a cabo hoy en el Margil Hall después de la misa.

Venga y conozca a nuestro nuevo Pastor del Sagrado Corazón y St. Mary's.

SHOCK

¡Somos uno! Uno en Cristo y Uno en Amistad.

¡Estás hecho para la GRANDEZA! Esta semana escuchamos al Padre Mike Schmitz compartir tres preguntas que deberíamos hacernos todos los días. ¿Estoy en un estado de gracia? ¿Estoy haciendo mis tareas diarias? ¿Rece hoy? Todos los días debemos entrenarnos para elegir la grandeza y no la comodidad. ¡Diga SÍ a la GRANDEZA!

Horas de servicio: no olvide trabajar en sus horas de servicio. ¡Aquellos que completen 8 horas de servicio y entreguen su formulario completado antes del 31 de enero podrán participar en un evento especial!

Bautismos en Español

Las clases pre-bautismales son el **segundo** y **cuarto viernes** del mes a las 7:00 pm y deben asistir los padres y padrinos.

Es necesario presentar una copia del acta de nacimiento del niño (a). Los padrinos si son esposos, deben de estar casados por la Iglesia Católica o tener fecha para celebrar el matrimonio. Después de los 7 años, los niños (as) deben tener una preparación especial antes del Bautismo (RICA). Si no cumplen con alguno de los anteriores requisitos deben hablar personalmente con el sacerdote.

Los bautismos se celebraran el **primer** y **tercer sábado** del mes. Es necesario registrarse en la oficina.

Second Week of Advent

As we enter the Second Week of Advent, our thoughts should be turning more and more to the coming of Christ at Christmas. As we move on to the second candle on our Advent wreaths, our sense of expectation increases, as does our recognition of the fact that we are not prepared, not only for the first coming of Christ that we will celebrate in a few weeks, but for His Second Coming at the end of time.

As we light our Advent wreaths and engage in our Advent devotions (such as the Saint Andrew Christmas Novena and Advent Scripture readings), we refocus our minds and hearts on the Savior of the world.

Traditionally, the prayers used for the Advent wreath for each week of Advent are the collects, or the short prayers at the beginning of Mass, for the Sunday of Advent that begins that week. The text given here is of the collect for the Second Sunday of Advent from the Traditional Latin Mass; you could also use the Opening Prayer for the Second Sunday of Advent from the current missal. (They are essentially the same prayer, with different English translations.)

ADVENT WREATH PRAYER FOR THE SECOND WEEK OF ADVENT

Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to prepare the ways of Thine only-begotten Son, that through His coming we may be worthy to serve Thee with purified minds. Who livest and reignest, with God the Father, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.

AN EXPLANATION OF THE ADVENT WREATH PRAYER FOR THE SECOND WEEK OF ADVENT

In the Advent Wreath Prayer for the First Week of Advent, we asked Christ to come to our aid; this week, we ask Him to move us to action, so that we can prepare ourselves for both His coming at Christmas and His Second Coming. He offers Himself freely, but we must freely accept His offer in order to attain salvation.

Segundo Domingo de Adviento

Reconocer el Amor de Dios

Entrada.

Se entona algún canto.

Saludo.

Guía: En el nombre del Padre y del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo.

Acto de Contrición.

Guía: Reconozcamos ante Dios que somos pecadores.

Todos: Yo confieso ante Dios todopoderoso...

Liturgia de la Palabra.

Lectura de la II carta de San Pedro 3,13-14:

"Nosotros esperamos según la promesa de Dios cielos nuevos y tierra nueva, un mundo en que reinará la justicia. Por eso, queridos hermanos, durante esta espera, esfuércense para que Dios los halle sin mancha ni culpa, viviendo en paz."

Palabra de Dios. (Breve pausa para meditar)

Reflexión.

Guía: ¿Qué va a cambiar en mí en este Adviento? ¿Se notará que realmente creo en Cristo?

Encendido de la segunda vela.

La segunda vela recuerda la actitud de amor a Dios para con el hombre, invitándolo también a reflexionar sobre el amor que manifiesta a los que lo rodean.

Oración.

Guía: Los profetas mantenían encendida la esperanza de Israel. Nosotros, como un símbolo, encendemos estas dos velas.

Que cada uno de nosotros, Señor, te abra su vida para que brotes, para que florezcas, para que nazcas y mantengas en nuestro corazón encendida la esperanza. ¡Ven pronto, Señor! ¡Ven, Salvador!

PADRE NUESTRO.

Guía: Unidos en una sola voz digamos: **Padre nuestro...**

Conclusión.

Guía: Ven, Señor, haz resplandecer tu rostro sobre nosotros.

Todos: Y seremos salvados. **Amén.**

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Council Members: Karen Davis (3), Charlie Muckleroy (3), Neal Slaten (3), Rebecca Higgins (2), Billy Huddleston, Jr. (2), Bill Bryan (1), Joy Fuller (1), Veronica Baca (Hispanic Community), Juan Castro (Hispanic Community), Emma Arayata (Fillippino Community).

***Ethics:** To report abuse, call Rev. Gavin Vaverek, JCL at **903-266-2159**; For more information go to www.dioceseoftyler.org/ Ethics. **Local Contact Person:** Jorge Cuarenta, **936-554-8050**.

***Adoration:** Adoration is the 1st Friday of the month, 7:30 AM to 12:30 PM with Benediction in the Little Church of 1847.

***Baptism Classes:** Please contact Phillip Smith, in the parish office to schedule a time to meet for the class or if you have any questions. It is required for both parents and godparents. Please bring a copy of the child's Birth Certificate to class.

Baptisms are scheduled for the first Saturday of each month following the 5:00 pm Mass or during one of the weekend Masses.

***Weddings:** Diocesan policy requires a six-month preparation period. Arrangements must be made with the Pastor or Parochial Vicar before setting a date.

***New Parishioners:** Welcome! Please introduce yourself to Father after Mass. Registration forms are available on the shelf unit in the vestibule.

***Hospital Patients and Shut-Ins:** If you know of someone in the hospital or someone who is homebound, please call the office, **564-7807**, or one of the priests at **564-7134**. If the person is in the hospital, please leave the name of the hospital, the persons name & room number as the hospital cannot give out this information.

***Loving Hearts:** A Lay Ministry to help with visitation to the homebound, nursing centers & hospitals. Contact Karen Davis, **554-2589** or Carrie Ventura, **554-3414** with information so a time to visit/Holy Eucharist can be arranged.

***Cora zones Amorosos** - Si tienen miembros de la familia en el hospital o en casa, y no pueden venire a misa, llamen Joan McNett, **936-645-0794** o Veronica Baca, **936-556-8638**. Si gustarian participar en el ministro y visitar a los ancianos o los enfermos en casa o hospital llamen a Joan o Veronica.

***Third Age Club:** Meets 2nd Wednesday of the month at 12 Noon in Margil Center, President: Pat Harris(936-564-8726)

***Ladies Guild:** Meets the 3rd Monday of the month at 7pm in the Library. **President:** Kathy McMillen, **(936) 585-0680**

***Teams of Our Lady:** Married couples prayer group & book study. Contact Rebecca Higgins, **(936) 715-5359**

***Knights of Columbus Council** meets the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in Margil; **4th Degree** meets the third-Wednesday of the month at **7:00** pm in Margil Center: **Grand Knight:** Steve McMillen - **(936) 371-3313**

***Prayer Line:** Anne Derfus, 564-0419 or email to: annederfus@suddenlink.net

***SHOCK:** High school & middle school youth meet Wednesdays from 6:45-8:30pm in gym. Rebecca Higgins **715-5359**

***Bulletin Deadline** is 3 pm on Wednesday

Alliance of the Two Hearts: Cynthia Vanzzini- **936-560-6804**

***Alianza de los Dos Corazones:** Raquel Zamora, **936-585-2105**

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