

OCTOBER 10, 2021 | 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 8:30 am, 11:00 am

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Friday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
or by appointment

ROSARY

Saturday: No Rosary at this time
Sunday: No Rosary at this time

ADORATION

Temporarily suspended

FIRST FRIDAY

Temporarily suspended

OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Fri: 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

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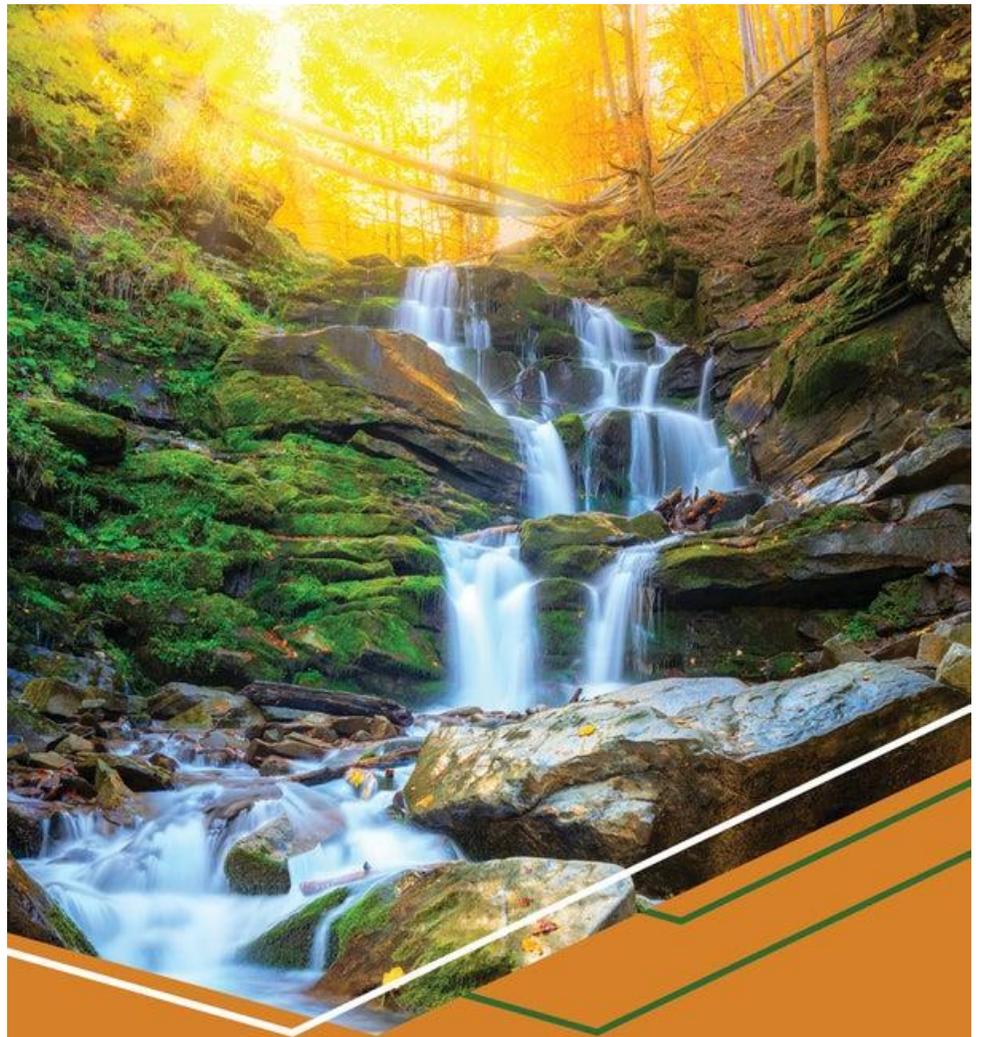
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They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God."

- Mk 10:26-27

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OUR MISSION

We, the Parishioners of St. Joseph Catholic Church, centered on God and the Eucharist, commit to renew our hearts that we might grow in faith. We welcome all with open arms and hearts so that we may become one Family of God in Christ. We grow in faith through love.

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY 10/11

8:00 am † Daniel Blanchard

TUESDAY 10/12

8:00 am † Carl Koenig

WEDNESDAY 10/13

8:00 am † Marcus Barboza

THURSDAY 10/14

8:00 am † Patrick McCarthy

FRIDAY 10/15

8:00 am † Danny Mendieta

† Amy Earthman Cardwell

SATURDAY 10/16

4:30 pm † John & Antoinette Dierlam

† Melissa Clement Gill

† Patsy Borie

SUNDAY 10/17

8:30 am † Frank Villela

† Dolores Ramirez

11:00 am † Tom Harrington



Please pray for those who are in the process of celebrating their Holy Matrimony.

Maritza Jimenez
&
Jessie Torres
APRIL 30, 2022

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Parents who wish to present their child for Baptism may contact the church office at 281-420-3588 to enroll for a Baptism class.

MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to solemnize their marriage in this parish are invited to contact the pastor or one of the deacons not less than six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you, a family member, or a friend wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the church office at 281-420-3588.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

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Andrew Arceneaux
Elizabeth Auzenne
Peggy Ball
Cindy Barny
Jon Blake
Theresa Blanchard
Jim Buss
Keith Coburn
Matthew Connealy
R.D. Davis
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Mervin Elmore
Paul Golla
Travis A. Goss
Mary Hernandez
Edwina Hughes
Linda Kelly
John Lamonte
Justin Lopez
Peggy Koenig
Frank Kotrola
Zoë Krizak
Stephanie Kubicek
Bertha Lemond
Fred Lopez
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Marcelino Martinez
Phyllis McPherson

Paul Mitchell
Matilda Moore
Mark Murphy
Honour Netek
Eddie Niekamp
Gene Nolen
Martina Paiz
Carlos Perez
Herminia Salinas
Richard Salinas
Charles Salinas
Alfred Santos
Helen Stacy
R.R. "Buster" Treude
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Rudy Venegas
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LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

BLESSED MOTHER ALTAR

This weekend the candle on the Blessed Mother Altar will burn in honor of Molly Smith's Birthday. Requested by Peggy Koenig.



If you would like to recognize a special person or group by having the flame of the Sanctuary Lamp burn for one week in the person's memory of honor, please contact Peggy Koenig, coordinator at 281-427-1834. You may want to pay tribute to the memory of a loved one or colleague. The \$10.00 stipend goes directly to the fund that underwrites the family funeral.

SUNDAY MASS SACRISTAN SCHEDULE



Saturday, October 16, 2021 4:30 pm

Sacristan:

Sunday, October 17, 2021 8:30 am

Sacristan:

Sunday, October 17, 2021 at 11:00 am

Sacristan:



AROUND THE CHURCH

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TAKE FIVE FOR FAITH

Sunday, Oct 10, 2021

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord

More than three-quarters of those suffering from mental illness worldwide have no access to the care that could restore them to healthy relationships and productive lives. The World Federation for Mental Health therefore dedicates this Mental Health Day to the theme "Mental Health in an Unequal World." Factors like race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, and economic status complicate the path to adequate support. Pray the Rosary's Mysteries of Light today that clarity be given to those who struggle with mental health issues, and the societies that devalue them.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Wisdom 7:7-11; Hebrews 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30 (143).* "I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me."

Monday, Oct 11, 2021

MEMORIAL OF JOHN XXIII, POPE

He saw thee more clearly

The humble Pope John XXIII disliked the pomp and attention that came with his role, and he insisted on being called simply "the pope." Nearly 60 years since his pontificate, he is remembered in Italy as *il papa buono*, "the good pope." In the short time he was pope—less than five years before he died of cancer in 1963—he changed the Catholic Church like few others by convening the Second Vatican Council. On his deathbed, he said: "It is not that the gospel has changed; it is that we have begun to understand it better." We can always use the intercession of "the good pope" as we keep seeking to understand better what the gospel means in our changing times.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 1:1-7; Luke 11:29-32 (467).* "Just as Jonah became a sign to the Ninevites, so will the Son of Man be to this generation."

Tuesday, Oct 12, 2021

Our pillar of strength

Today is the feast day of Virgin Maria del Pilar, a Spanish devotion commemorating the first official Marian apparition of the Catholic Church. According to tradition, Mary first appeared—while still alive—to the apostle James in the year 40, as he preached the gospel to the people of Spain. Saint James, despondent over his progress, prayed for reassurance, and Our Lady appeared to him in a supernatural manner, standing upon a pillar held aloft by

angels. Because October is the month of the Rosary, honor Maria with the beautiful Holy Queen prayer that's part of that devotion.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 1:16-25; Luke 11:37-41 (468).* "I am not ashamed of the Gospel."

Wednesday, Oct 13, 2021

God to humanity: Can't buy my love

From at least the time of the Pharisees, important people in the eyes of the world often assumed they had the inside track on a pleasant afterlife. Pope Francis begged to differ in an Advent season homily several years back. At the Last Judgment, Francis said, Jesus will not say, "You, come with me because you have given so much money to the church. You are a benefactor of the church. Come, come to Heaven.' No. You can't buy your way into Heaven. And He won't say: 'You are very important, you have studied so much and earned so many honors, come into Heaven.' No. Awards do not open the gate of Heaven," Francis said. "What will Jesus tell us to open up the gates of Heaven? 'I was hungry, and you gave Me to eat. I was homeless, and you gave Me shelter. I was sick, and you came to see Me. I was in prison, and you came to visit Me.' Jesus is humility," Francis said. Close your purse or wallet, and open your heart!

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 2:1-11; Luke 11:42-46 (469).* "You pay tithes of mint and of rue and of every garden herb, but you pay no attention to judgment and to love for God."

Thursday, Oct 14, 2021

MEMORIAL OF CALLISTUS I, POPE, MARTYR

Patron saint of second (or more) chances

Saint Callistus I is inspiration to anyone who has made major errors in life. Callistus seriously messed up, not once but twice. Born into slavery, his master put him in charge of a bank that Callistus criminally mismanaged. After a while in prison, he was freed to earn back the money he owed. Instead, he was arrested for brawling in a synagogue. Strike two. Nonetheless, Callistus reformed himself, served the early church as a cemetery manager, and was eventually elected pope! Consider saying a prayer of thanks for a church that offers redemption (even the papacy) to people who have fallen hard.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 3:21-30; Luke 11:47-54 (470).* "Woe to you,

scholars of the law! You have taken away the key of knowledge."

Friday, Oct 15, 2021

MEMORIAL OF TERESA OF JESUS, VIRGIN, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
Don't be afraid of the dark

The dark night of the soul, a term coined by Spanish mystic Saint John of the Cross, describes a period on the spiritual journey when one feels distant from God and suffers physical and emotional pain. Saint Teresa of Ávila, a close friend of John's, actually felt like she was going mad as she pursued the contemplative life. But then, in 1567, while gazing at a statue of Jesus, she felt an ecstasy beyond description as she reached "union with God." Teresa wrote much about her interior life, and she encouraged others to experience the "great gifts that come through abandoning everything to God and dying to oneself." Pray for the patience and humility to stay the spiritual course.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 4:1-8; Luke 12:1-7 (471).* "Therefore, whatever you have said in the darkness will be heard in the light."

Saturday, Oct 16, 2021

I was hungry

World Food Day was established in 1979 by the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization and is celebrated annually on this date in 150 countries. The theme for this year's celebration is, "Safe food now for a healthy tomorrow." The World Food Program (WFP) is the food-assistance branch of the organization. As of 2019, the WFP has served 97 million people in 88 countries, and it was awarded the 2020 Nobel Peace Prize for its efforts to combat hunger and contribute to peace in conflict areas. Take a moment today to thank God for the food you eat and the people who produce it, and to support your local World Food Day celebration.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Romans 4:13, 16-18; Luke 12:8-12 (472).* "I tell you, everyone who acknowledges me before others the Son of Man will acknowledge before the angels of God."

On Saturday, October 16, 2021 at 12:00 pm, you are invited to join in a public square rosary rally at the Bicentennial Park. This Public Square Rosary, sponsored by America Needs Fatima, will be one of over 20,000 rallies that will take place all across the United States on that day. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against The Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the United States.



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Year of St. Joseph

The Archdiocesan website has a page dedicated to the Year of St. Joseph, which began in December and runs through the liturgical year. Please visit www.archgh.org/resources/year-of-st-joseph/ which includes the history of St. Joseph in the church, prayers of devotion and more.

Assistance for Parishioners in Need

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston continues to serve people in need during the COVID-19 pandemic through all of its programs. Food pantries are open for drive-through food distribution with hours each week at our three locations: Guadalupe Center in Houston; Mamie George Community Center in Richmond; Beacon of Hope Center in Galveston. For hours or other information, click here or call the COVID Assistance Line at 713-874-6521.

Catholic Charities' St. Frances Cabrini Center for Immigrant Legal Services advises that renters facing eviction during the pandemic can get free information in English and Spanish from Stop Texas Eviction, a website set up by established non-profit legal aid providers. Visit StopTxEviction.org to learn more about tenant rights and available rental assistance.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

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WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

DSF SUMMARY REPORT

Parish Goal-\$24,000
Total Paid-\$ 25,153
Total Participants- 85
Total Households-357
Average Pledge-\$ 230

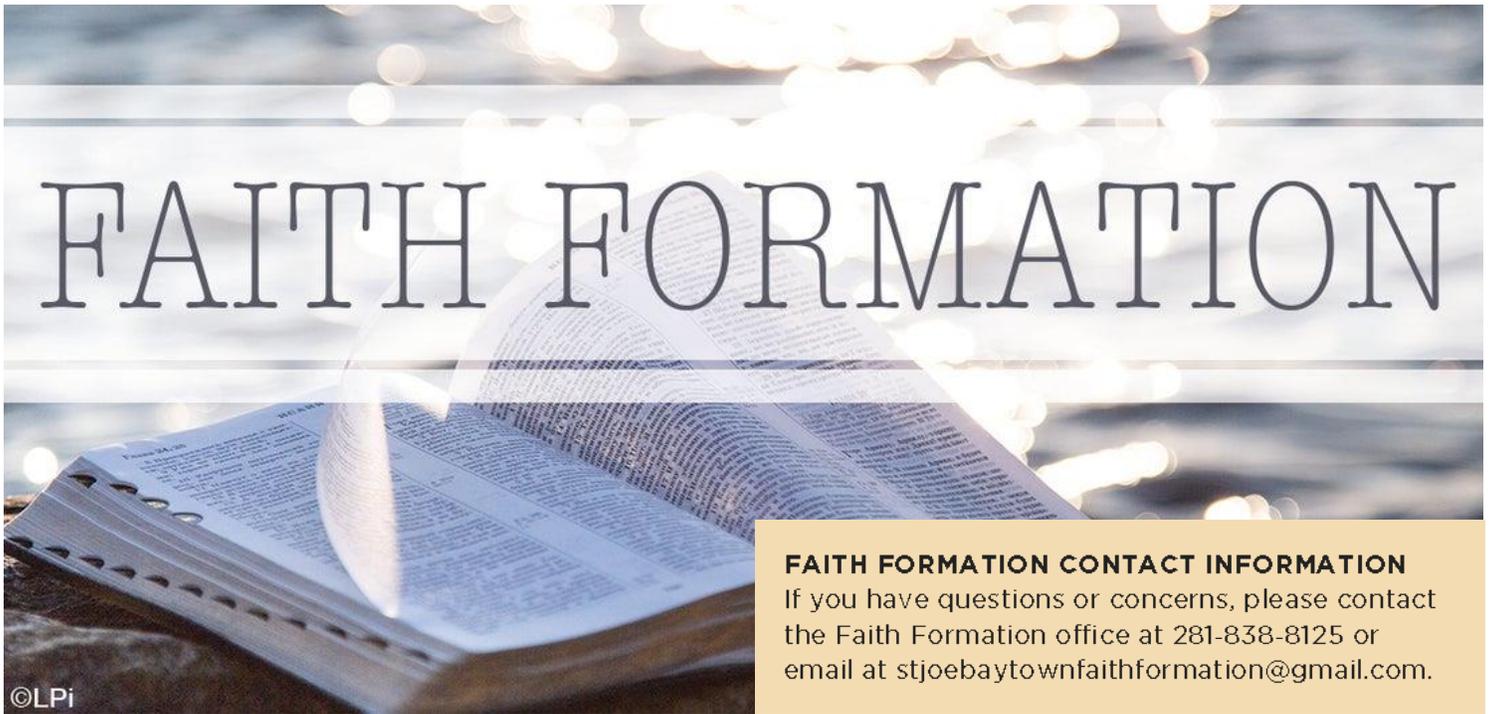


The totals received in the Office and in the Mail for the weekend of
Sunday, October 3, 2021

Regular	\$ 7,561.50
Building Fund	\$ 167.00
Catholic Education	\$ 280.00
Disaster Recovery	\$ 648.00
Maintenance & Repair	\$ 521.00
Candles	\$ 50.00
Total	\$9,227.50

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

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FAITH FORMATION CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Faith Formation office at 281-838-8125 or email at stjoebaytownfaithformation@gmail.com.

CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

All children age 3 years old through 5th graders are invited to join our CCE program. Online Registration is now available. Classes will now be held on Sunday's from 9:35 to 10:55.

YOUTH CATECHESIS/ CONFIRMATION CLASSES

All Jr High and High School students are invited to join our Edge (6th-8th grades) or Life Teen (9th-12th grades) programs. We will begin classes in September. Please note that if you are interested in Confirmation as a High Schooler, you MUST be enrolled in our faith formation program.

Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth

Join us for our 1st adult faith formation Faith Exploration Series

- 10/10-Theotokos, God bearer-The theology of Mary
- 10/17-Mary Mother of God-Mary at the foot of the Cross
- 10/24-Mary, Untier of Knots-Marian Devotionals

This series will focus on the role of Mary in our lives as Catholics.

Classes will be in the FLC on Sundays from 9:45-10:45.

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