

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents & Godparents need to attend a pre-baptism instruction class. Call the parish office to register.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Before Masses or by Appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples are asked to call the parish office to receive information.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you are seriously ill, will have a major surgery, are old aged or in danger of death, call the priest.

CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Sunday Masses:

- 5:30 p.m. (Vigil in English)
- 8:00 a.m. (Spanish)
- 10:00 a.m. (English)
- 12:00 p.m. (Spanish)
- 2:30 p.m. (Spanish)

@ 12:00 p.m..

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament on First Fridays @ 11:00 a.m.

CCE—Catechism

On Sundays and Wednesdays

RCIA

A program to join the Catholic Faith. Contact the parish office.

Weekday Masses: Wednesday through Friday



SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

February 19, 2017

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

5:30 p.m. In thanksgiving from Epigenia Lopez

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Ad mentem

10:00 a.m. † Lynne O'Daniels,
† Alberto & Dolly Hernandez

12 noon For our benefactors living and deceased

2:30 p.m. For our Parish

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Join us after the 8 and 10 am mass each Sunday at the church hall. A delicious Mexican home style breakfast of eggs, chorizo, guiso, potatoes and beans and of course homemade tortillas. Come on over and enjoy great fellowship and delicious food. Breakfast today is served by the WCCW.

BLESSED PALMS

We are asking that you please return your blessed palms of the previous years so that we can make them ashes for the, beginning of Lent. There will be a basket placed by the foyer. Thank You



2017 CHURH GOALS

As announced, one of our goals for 2017 is to pay off our Parish Activity Center Debt. Currently, we are paying \$ 1,900 monthly for the interest.

Here are some suggestions to help attain our goal:

1. Add a dollar or two extra each Sunday in our offertory collection.
2. Support our monthly fundraisers.
3. Have breakfast every Sunday at the cafeteria.
4. Donate for this purpose.

A couple from our parish is challenging us to raise up to \$5,000 and the couple will match it. Please use an envelope and write that your donation is specifically for this.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Sunday collection February 12, 2017	\$6,689.00
Second collection	\$1,595.94
Breakfast by the Guadalupanas	\$1,129.00

GET AWAY AND REVIVE!

Sign up now for a weekend of fellowship and spiritual renewal. Since 2007, St. Louis ACTS retreats have served hundreds of people just like you!

Women's retreat will be March 16th-19th.

Contact: Ashley Ward

703-895-8221 8221

Ashleyward03@hotmail.com

Men's retreat will be March 23rd -26th.

Contact Hap Nielsen

254-741-1005

hapnielsen@hotmail.com

The rewards of these events are too numerous to mention. Space is limited. Sign up now!

40 DAYS TO MARDI GRAS WINNERS

Congratulations to last week's winners:

\$50 gift card: Willie Lyendecker, Juan Guerrero, Martha Sanchez, and Angel Nunez, and \$100 gift card winner: Pilar Velez.

EL BALLEF FOLKLORICO DE WACO

El Ballet Folklorico De Waco will be taking registration for all who are interested in joining our dance group. Registration held at South Waco Community Center at 2815 Speight from 6-7:30 pm on Monday, February 20th.

We have three age groups. Small group (7 to 10 yrs.), Middle group (11-15 yrs.) & Older group (16 yrs. & up). Members need to be 7 years or older.

Practices every Monday beginning March 6th. Small group (5:30-6:30 pm), Middle group (6:30-7:30 pm) and Older group (7:30-8:30 pm).

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Do you want to send your children to a Catholic School in Waco? At St. Louis or Reicher? Bring us a letter of acceptance. Our parish wants to help make it happen. Father will present more on this awesome opportunity. In the meantime, consider prayerfully on this opening which will bring lasting fruits to your children.

STEWARDSHIP

Turn in your stewardship paper and we will get you going. We want your talents shared with our parish community.

PRESIDENT'S DAY FEBRUARY 20TH

Sacred Heart is a parish family called to be a visible sign of Christ, formed by the Word of God, strengthened by the Eucharist and empowered to serve the needs of God's people.

MARDI GRAS CARNIVAL NIGHT

Join us on **Saturday, February 25th**, from 7 pm to 11 pm for a **Mardi Gras Carnival Night** at the activity center.



Mardi Gras



We will have tacos, dance and games. We will also draw the big winner of our 40 Days to Mardi Gras Raffle. Dinner served from 7-8:30 pm.

\$15 a person, \$20 a couple, \$25 a family. Pre sale tickets will be sold after each mass or stop by the office.

40 DAYS TO MARDI GRAS

40 Days to Mardi Gras Raffle drawings continue!

Each winning ticket has a chance to win again and again until the end of the drawings!

Gift cards are for WalMart or HEB. Proceeds of this raffle will be used to repair and upgrade our church's bells and for the demolition of the "white house". Tickets drawn on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday are for a \$50 gift card. Tickets drawn on Fridays are for a \$100 gift card. Prize drawings continue thru **February 25, 2017, when the GRAND PRIZE** drawing for a **\$1,000.00 gift card** will take place at the Carnival Night dance.

CCE IMPORTANT MEETINGS

- The CCE has scheduled a meeting for parents and sponsors of **2nd year Confirmation students on February 23rd at 6:30 pm.**
- The CCE has scheduled a meeting for parents and sponsors of **2nd year Communion students on February 28th at 6:30 pm.**

Parent and sponsor attendance is encouraged.

ADULT FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Our group offers fellowship, snacks and activities for adults who enjoy being active. Come and join us for a cup of coffee and conversation. We welcome back our prior members and welcome all newcomers. We meet every Thursday from 10:30 am – 1:30 pm at the parish hall. For more information call Paula at the church office 254 756-2656.

MARRIAGE ANNULMENT

Father is available to help you in marriage annulment. contact him at your earliest convenience.

How is an annulment process started?

The annulment process begins at the parish level. Usually, an appointment is scheduled with a priest or deacon who will more often than not act on your behalf as an advisor or Advocate. You will be given the appropriate packet of information. You will be asked to give a narrative of your growing up years, the courtship, the marriage, and the problems that existed. It is nothing more than telling your "story." If you are not of the Catholic faith, you should begin the process in the parish of your intended spouse.

V ENCUESTRO

The USSCB invites us to participate in V Encuentro of Hispanic/Latino ministry, a multi - year grass roots process of consultation and evangelization initiative. This is a call to all baptized to become missionary disciples in light of the changing reality of the Catholic Church in the US, especially considering the growing presence of the Hispanic community. Our parish is the host for this, which will be held on February 18th. Do come and let us learn together.

RED-C CATHOLIC RADIO

Total consecration to Jesus is an exercise to increase your spirituality and your ability to truly serve Jesus. Consecration means to set aside for a sacred purpose. RED-C Catholic Radio, 98.3, KYAR-FM invites you to join us as we consecrate ourselves and this radio station to Jesus through Mary. This consecration will begin on February 20 and last until March 25, the Feast of the Annunciation.

If you are unable to join us at the beginning, please feel free to join us at anytime during this 33-day consecration. We will be using the book, "33 Days to Morning Glory" by Fr. Michael Gaitley. Tune into RED-C Catholic Radio at 6:00 a.m. or 9:00 p.m. each day of the consecration for daily reflections and prayers. Or go to our website, www.redcradio.org/ consecration to listen to them anytime. Again, join us February 20 through March 25 as we consecrate ourselves and RED-C Catholic Radio to Jesus through Mary.

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