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St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

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SEPTEMBER 16, 2018 | TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JESUS ASKED THEM,
"BUT WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM?"
PETER SAID TO HIM IN REPLY,

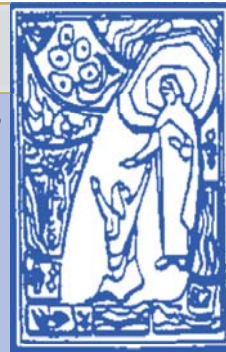
"You are the Christ."

~ MARK 8:29

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We are one family in Christ with a welcoming heart called to serve.
Somos una familia en Cristo con un corazón acogedor llamado a servir.

JOIN OUR PARISH FAMILY



Welcome to St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church! Are you a registered parishioner?
Becoming an active parishioner begins when you register with the parish. Please stop by the Welcome Ministry table in the narthex to pick up a welcome packet. Alternatively, come by the church office if you would like to register during the week.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: Vigil: 5:30 p.m. (English)

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00 a.m.; 5:00 p.m. (Youth)

Sábado: 7:00 p.m. (Misa de Víspera en Español)

Domingo: 1:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. (English)

Martes: 7:00 p.m. (Misa en Español)

1st Friday Devotion Mass: 8:30 a.m.

1st Saturday Devotion Mass: 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

(CONFESSION)

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m.—6:45 p.m.

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC

EXPOSITION

& ADORATION

Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.—9:00 p.m.

MOTHER'S DAY OUT

Our Mother's Day Out Program is now taking registrations in the Parish Office

*Monday through Friday from
8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.*

SACRAMENTAL CARE



BAPTISM

Parents requesting baptism for their child must call the parish office two months prior to the desired month of baptism. There are no baptisms during Lent or Advent.

BAUTISMO:

Padres que quieran bautizar a sus hijos deben de llamar a la oficina por lo menos 2 meses antes de la fecha del bautismo. No hay bautizos durante la Cuaresma o el tiempo de Adviento.



MARRIAGE

Couples interested in marriage at St. Mary Magdalene must contact the office at least six months prior to their desired wedding date.

MATRIMONIO

Parejas interesadas en casarse en Santa María Magdalena deben contactar a la oficina por lo menos seis meses antes de su fecha preferida de matrimonio. Por favor llamen a la oficina para información.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the parish office if you or a loved one wish to receive the sacrament of the anointing of the sick.

UNCIÓN DE LOS

ENFERMOS:

Por favor llame la oficina si usted o algún ser querido desea ser ungido.

CHURCH STAFF

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St. MARY MAGDALENE SOCIAL SERVICES Telephone: 281-540-1907

With your support, we are able to help those in need of food, utilities, evictions and other forms of assistance.

Days & Times of Service:

Monday 9:30 a.m. — Noon

Wednesday 9:30 a.m. — Noon

Friday 9:30 a.m. — Noon

We will always serve individuals and families in need. Donations of nonperishable foods can be dropped off at the food pantry Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:30 am to 12 pm or at the Parish Office, Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Friday. **Please do not leave your donations at the church.**



During Sunday Mass
9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.
Children must be 3 months to 4 years old.

Tuesday & Thursday
7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Children must be 3 months to 9 years old

If you have any questions please contact
Pat De Los Santos, Nursery Director, at
pdelossantos@st-mm.com or
281-446-8211.

Nursery Care is Free

Nursery: Nursery will be closed September 16.
Guardería: La guardería estará cerrada el 16 de septiembre.

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Financial Report

Financial Report for July 1, 2017-June 30, 2018

Actual Revenue

Regular Offertory	\$ 1,933,194
Pastoral / Educational Ministries	\$ 204,313
Social Concerns	\$ 152,305
Ethnic/ Activities/ Special Operations	\$ 56,308
Building For Our Future	\$ 170,890
Fund raising / Fall Festival	<u>\$ 151,545</u>
Total	\$ 2,668,555

Actual Expenditure

General Parish and Clergy	\$ 625,659
Pastoral / Educational Ministries	\$ 541,630
Social Concerns	\$ 84,032
Ethnic/ Activities/ Special Operations	\$ 115,777
Fund raising / Fall Festival	\$ 58,646
Architect / Misc. Fees	\$ 174,214
Administration and Maintenance	\$ 1,064,770
Total	\$ 2,664,728
Net Revenue over Expenses	\$ 3,827

Budget for July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019

Projected Revenue

Regular Offertory	\$ 2,000,000
Pastoral / Educational Ministries	\$ 210,000
Social Concerns	\$ 150,000
Ethnic/ Activities/ Special Operations	\$ 90,000
Fund raising / Fall Festival	<u>\$ 350,000</u>
Total	\$ 2,800,000

Projected Expenditure

General Parish and Clergy	\$ 870,000
Pastoral / Educational Ministries	\$ 550,000
Social Concerns	\$ 150,000
Ethnic/ Activities/ Special Operations	\$ 130,000
Fund raising / Fall Festival	\$ 70,000
Administration and Maintenance	\$ 1,030,000
Total	\$ 2,800,000
Net Revenue over Expenses	\$ -

PASTOR'S WEEKLY MESSAGE

From the office of the Cardinal

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The last few months have been very difficult in the life of the Church. With the confirmed sexual abuse of minors and seminarians by then Cardinal Theodore McCarrick and his removal from the College of Cardinals, as well as the publication of a detailed report of sexual abuse of minors by Catholic clergy in six dioceses of the State of Pennsylvania, a genuine state of moral and spiritual crisis in the Catholic Church in the United States has hit us all with great force. Following these news reports, I have received many letters and it is clear our people have been scandalized by this grave wound, especially as it has deeply hurt so many innocent little ones, the abused and the survivors. I know you are suffering and have been filled with anger and rage. I share your anger and rage. You likely have many questions, which have only been expanded in light of the recently published letter of Archbishop Carlo Maria Vigano, the former papal nuncio to the United States. As I shared in my statement as President of United States Catholic Conference of Bishops on August 27, 2018, "The questions raised deserve answers that are conclusive and based on evidence. Without those answers, innocent men may be tainted by false accusation and the guilty may be left to repeat sins of the past."

In 2002 the problems were mostly related to the priests who abused; in 2018 the problems are more focused on the responsibility or lack thereof of the bishops and on their failures of moral leadership. The Body of Christ has been lacerated and bishops did not care for the wounded.

Our archdiocese acted promptly in response to the Dallas Charter and we must continue and strengthen our response. The bishops must become more accountable and in a way that is clear. As President I have been working these past weeks with bishops, consultants, clergy and laity, to be prepared for the USCCB's Administrative Committee meeting this month with a series of proposals, practical steps and prayer and repentance to bring to the whole body of Bishops in November. I hope you will pray for all of us in this endeavor. The issues involved are delicate but we must do this well and call all to accountability.

I realize that in spite of the progress made since 2002 that we, the bishops of the United States, have failed you. We can and must do better. In the meanwhile, the Holy Father has asked us all to open our eyes and our hearts to all those suffering. We will follow his wise counsel both practically in action and contemplatively in prayer.

I conclude these words to you with the words with which I closed my August 27 statement: "The more she is buffeted by storms, the more I am reminded that the Church's firm foundation is Jesus Christ. The failures of men cannot diminish the light of the Gospel. Lord, by the help of your mercy, show us the way to salvation."

With blessings in the Lord, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Daniel Cardinal DiNardo
Archbishop of Galveston-Houston



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF
GALVESTON-HOUSTON

FREE Health Screenings

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church 527 S. Houston Ave. Humble, TX 77338

Wednesday September 19, 2018

9:30 am - 12 pm

Know your numbers, knowing your numbers is important to maintaining good health. CHRISTUS Healthy Living Mobile Clinics help you know your numbers and monitor your health for FREE! Call the Office of Social Services to sign up (281)446-8211.

SCREENINGS INCLUDE:

*Blood Pressure *Check Glucose Testing * Cholesterol (Fasting is Preferred)

CHRISTUS Healthy Living Mobile Clinics are a ministry of CHRISTUS Foundation for HealthCare and supported by generous donors. Please visit CHRISTUSFoundation.org for more information.



MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

Saturday	September 15	5:30 p.m.	Jack Thompson	
		7:00 p.m.	Sandra Patricia Solis †	
Sunday	September 16	7:30 a.m.	John Dugue & Ginet Morales (SPI)	
		9:00 a.m.	Rose Catherine Lozano † Emilio Hernandez †	
		11:00 a.m.	Tony & Lilibeth Licad & Family (SPI) Guadalupe & Alicia Hernandez †	
		1:00 p.m.	Alicia Castro †	Is 50:5-9A
		5:00 p.m.	Alfredo Castellanos †	Jas 2:14-18
			Edwin & Liberacion Dugue (SPI)	Mk 8:27-35
Monday	September 17	8:30 a.m.	Pat Pepe † Thi Thuy †	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33 Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday	September 18	8:30 a.m.	Pat Pepe †	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31A
		7:00 p.m.	Gilbert Alfaro Jr. (SPI)	Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday	September 19	8:30 a.m.	Mary Helen Padilla † Guadalupe & Alicia Hernandez †	1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lk 7:31-35
Thursday	September 20	8:30 a.m.	Verrick Walker (SPI) Adoracion Yanez †	1 Cor 15:1-11 Lk 7:36-50
Friday	September 21	8:30 a.m.	Thomas Lowe (SPI) Nelson Yanez †	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 Mt 9:9-13
Saturday	September 22	5:30 p.m.	Charles M. Hebert †	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49
		7:00 p.m.	Ghandy Inojosa †	Lk 8:4-15

Please stop by the parish office and reserve the date and time for your intention.

Stewardship

Collections for September 9th	
Offertory	\$22,294.86
Online Giving	\$728.00
Total	\$23,022.86
Second Collection – University of St. Thomas	
Offertory	\$5,723.10
Online Giving	\$45.00
Total	\$5,768.10

Diocesan Services Fund (DSF)



2018 Goal	\$165,000.00
Amount Pledged	\$152,012.82
Amount Paid	\$130,190.99
Total Participants	379

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Two weeks in advance of publication date.

E-mail bulletin announcements to:
mmendoza@st-mm.com

**Liturgy and Faith Formation have priority over all articles, thank you for your cooperation.*

Flower Donation

Donations for flowers in remembrance of a deceased, an anniversary, or any special day will be accepted only for the feast and solemnities of the church. **These dates are November 1, All Saints Day, November 2, All Soul's Day, November 25, Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe, and December 8, Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary.** Your donation of \$75 is appreciated as it helps defray the cost of the flowers. A two-week notice is advisable for the honored to be placed in the Sunday bulletin.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Date	Event	Time	Place
Saturday, September 15	Altar Servers Training	9 am	Church
Saturday, September 15	KC-Bingo	6 pm	FLC
Saturday, September 15	Quince Anos Meeting	12 pm	SMH
Saturday, September 15	Confessions	3:30 pm	Church
Sunday, September 16	KC-Breakfast	After morning Masses	FLC
Sunday, September 16	Blood Drive	8 am	FLC
Sunday, September 16	RCIA-C Paret Meeting	2:30 pm	216
Sunday, September 16	CCE Classes	3 pm	SPC
Sunday, September 16	Youth Night	6:15 pm	FLC
Monday, September 17	Keenagers (55+)	8 am	MGH
Monday, September 17	Grupo de Oracion/ Coord. Mtg.	7 pm	SJH
Monday, September 17	PQM Meeting	7 pm	SMH
Tuesday, September 18	Confessions	6 pm	Church
Tuesday, September 18	CCE Classes	6 pm	SPC
Tuesday, September 18	Cub Scout Troop 1610	6 pm	107-111
Tuesday, September 18	RCIA-A	7 pm	215
Tuesday, September 18	RCI-C	7 pm	MGH
Tuesday, September 18	Grupo de Oracion	7 pm	FLC
Tuesday, September 18	Legion of Mary Mtg.	7 pm	101
Wednesday, September 19	Talleres Oracion y Vida	10 am	SJH
Wednesday, September 19	KC Meeting	6 pm	MGH
Wednesday, September 19	CCE Classes	6 pm	SPC
Wednesday, September 19	Legion de Maria	7 pm	Lib
Wednesday, September 19	Marriage Prep Class	7 pm	CR/SJH
Thursday, September 20	Bible Study	9 am	215
Thursday, September 20	Encuentro (SP)	9:30 am	SJH
Thursday, September 20	Spirit Club	3:45 pm	SMH
Thursday, September 20	Bible Study	7 pm	215
Thursday, September 20	Parish Choir Practice	7 pm	Church
Thursday, September 20	Talleres Oracion y Vida	7 pm	SJH
Thursday, September 20	Grupo de Oracion/Crecimientos	7 pm	SMH
Thursday, September 20	Columbian Squires Meeting	7:30 pm	MGH
Friday, September 21	Legion de Maria Mtg.	10 am	SJH
Friday, September 21	Grandparents Soc Hop	2 pm	FLC
Friday, September 21	Coro Abba Padre	6 pm	Church
Saturday, September 22	Sacristian Training	8:30 am	Church
Saturday, September 22	Adult Confirmation	9 am	215
Saturday, September 22	Quince Anos Class	10 am	SMH
Saturday, September 22	Legion de Maria	10 am	SJH
Saturday, September 22	Confessions	3:30 pm	Church

PART-TIME MUSIC & LITURGY COORDINATOR NEEDED

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church
Humble, Texas

For more information contact
Perci Cacanindin.
Please send resumes to
percic@st-mm.org

ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER & DANCE

**Saturday, September 29
6:30 – 9:00 pm in the FLC**
Tickets \$10 per person –
Children 5 and under Free

Join the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court of the Cross #2374, for a delicious Italian dinner! Take out is also available.

For more information, please contact Rosa Herrera at 281-687-5823.

Catholic Daughters Bake Sale

Come by the Family Life Center on September 23rd for the CDA

Bake Sale after all morning Masses!

Purchase some cakes, cookies, other sweet treats and breakfast tacos.

Thank you for your support.

*FLC: Family Life Center * MGH: Mc Givney Hall * SJH: St. Joseph's Hall * Lib: Library School *MH: Magdalene House
*CR: Conference Room * SMH: St. Mary's Hall *RG: Rose Garden

CCE / FORMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

CCE / Formation Classes: It is time for liftoff! Our CCE classes begin this week for registered students! The “school year” program meets weekly on Sunday afternoons (3:00 pm - 4:30 pm), Tuesday evenings (6:00 pm - 7:30 pm), or Wednesday evenings (6:00 pm - 7:30 pm) you should have received a call or message from your child’s catechist to remind you about start date and their room number. If not, just come on the date you registered for and we’ll have their class assignment posted.

If you have not yet registered your child for the 2018-2019 catechetical year, you must wait until the “Late” registration period, which will open the week of September 30th during our three CCE sessions; Home-Based Catechesis is also available. We will not register anyone in the Parish Office. Please be aware that space will be very limited at this point, and student absences will accrue during this delay. Registered families should bring a parish offering envelope so we can verify your parish membership status (you get these in the mail).

NOTE: *It is our policy that no one will be turned away due to an inability to pay CCE tuition. However, those families must speak with Fr. Felix before the family registration Formation classes to get a waiver from him. You may contact him at pastor@st-mm.com or 281-446-8211. We expect full payment of CCE tuition at the time of registration. If you do not pay on the day of registration, we cannot guarantee there will be room for your child(ren).*

Youth Leadership Team: We are looking for high school youth (9th - 12th grades) to be a part of the planning and programming of our parish Youth Ministry. If you would like more information about the leadership development opportunity, please contact Nery Lucarini.

URGENT NEED: Although classes are starting this week, we do NOT have all the catechists we need! Several classes are being suspended until we can secure the necessary catechists to lead. A catechist should be a confirmed Catholic who loves their faith and likes kids! We have a critical shortage on Sunday 7th, 8th, and HS-1 classes {3:00 pm - 4:30 pm}, as well as Tuesday 6th grade {6:00 pm - 7:30 pm}. Please contact Mike Smith to discuss opportunities! Please contact Mike Smith for more details.

2019 Confirmation TEAM: The fall semester is under way, which means that Confirmation is now just around the corner! The 2019 Confirmation class looks to be our largest yet, and the Confirmation Team will be the group of confirmed high school youth, young adults, and adults to plan / implement the HS Confirmation program. Yes, we need you to be a part of this amazing ministry.

If you would like to receive text message updates about the Confirmation Team, please text @con-team19 to 81010.

Fall 2018 “Sacrament Preparation”: The second prep class for Reconciliation is coming up next **Monday, September 24th at 6:00 pm**. Students should be dropped off at the St. Paul Center, while parents attend either the session in English (McGivney Hall) or Spanish (St. Mary’s Hall). All students must bring their blue sacrament book to class; if you need to purchase a sacrament book, please contact Mike Smith in the Formation Office.

Text Message Reminders: We offer text message reminders, which can be sent straight to your cellphone / mobile device. Simply enter 81010 in the “To:” field, and send the following message to register for specific messages for our programs. You can also download the Remind app from your cell app store.

2019 Confirmation candidates / parents: @conf2019 2019 Confirmation TEAM (plans and runs the program): @conteam19
2020 Confirmation candidates / parents: @conf2020 2018 Archdiocesan Youth Conference: @smmayc
2018 - 2019 Sacrament Preparation (parents / students preparing for Confession / Communion): @prepfall or @prepspring
High School Youth Ministry: @stmmHS Middle School Youth Ministry: @stmmJR

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CHILDREN'S NEWS AND ADULT FORMATION

Get ready! Get set! Go! CCE school year classes begin today,

Sunday, September 16; Tuesday, September 18, and Wednesday, September 19.



Visit the Elementary portion of the parish website for lots of important information and fun extras:

www.st-mm.com/elementary.

To see the CCE calendar for the year, please access: www.st-mm.com/cce-class-schedule

Catechists, you may access your lesson plans for the year on the Catechists' Page: www.st-mm.com/for-catechists-only

Breaking Open the Word for Families for The 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time By Ginger Herrington

Reading 1: Isaiah 50:5-9a The Lord God is my help; therefore, I am not disgraced. The prophet Isaiah sees the Savior who will be the Suffering Servant: whose back would be beaten, who would be spat upon and abused. Yet He is not disgraced because He is doing the Will of the Father. He places His trust in God and knows that no matter how shamefully He is treated, He is not ashamed. Obeying God is not likely to win you any popularity contest, but it is the path to eternal life. Keep your eyes on the prize – eternity in Heaven with God. **Keep your heart centered on Him; keep His Law and love your neighbor.**

Reading 2: From the Letter of St. James 2:14-18 I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works. St. James explains that it is not enough to profess your love for Jesus; you must live it! The Catholic Church has shown us how: with the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy: Corporal Works of Mercy 1. Feed the hungry. 2. Give drink to the thirsty. 3. Clothe the naked. 4. Give shelter to the homeless. 5. Visit the sick. 6. Visit and ransom the captives. 7. Bury the dead. Spiritual Works of Mercy 1. Admonish sinners. 2. Instruct the ignorant. 3. Counsel the doubtful. 4. Bear wrongs patiently. 5. Forgive others willingly. 6. Comfort the afflicted and the sorrowful. 7. Pray for the living and the dead. **Practice these works of mercy and watch your faith grow!**

Gospel: Mark 8:27-35 Jesus asked His disciples: "Who do people say that I am?" Jesus took His disciples to an area overhung by an enormous outcropping of rock and asked this question. Only Simon was bold enough to speak out with his powerful confession of faith: "You are the Christ." Jesus then changed Simon's name to Petros in Greek or Kephas in Aramaic – Rock, and upon this rock I will build My Church. The very place in which they were standing reinforced Simon's new name and position: the rock of Christ's Church. This rock, however, proved immediately to be a stumbling stone as Simon Peter rebuked Jesus when He foretold His suffering, Passion, and death. Peter tumbled quickly from being the First Pope to being equated with Satan! This is a lesson for all of us: however much we love the Lord, we must always seek to do His Will. He is God and He knows best. **Seek to do His Will with all your heart that you might know that He is the Lord.**

Our faith in art: Be sure to look up Salvator Mundi, from the workshop of Joos Van Cleve (1485-1540). Starting in Flanders, Belgium, the devotio moderna movement sought a deeper personal relationship between the individual and Christ. Smaller, more intimate paintings which could be enshrined in the home as a devotional aid were therefore developed. Here in this painting, the Savior of the world wears a blue tunic to evoke the waters of baptism; his purple cape, or mozetta, proclaims His power over Heaven and Earth. The position of Christ's fingers on His right hand indicate He is instructing us; the globus cruciger in His left hand shows that He is Lord of the four elements: water, earth, air, and fire. Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior of all! Amen. See this beautiful work of art on our parish website: www.st-mm.com/special-series-our-faith-in-art.

Scan this QR code with your smartphone to access the full and complete text or see it online at www.st-mm.com/bulletins-childrens-news-full-text



YOU ARE INVITED TO BECOME A SPONSOR FOR RCIA!

Would you enjoy supporting someone's journey to becoming Catholic and receiving initiation sacraments? Become a sponsor for an adult or child This call does not require you to be a theologian, but to be a spiritual companion, serving our community of aspiring Catholics. Please call 281 446-2933 for information.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fall Festival 2018!

Save the date! Sunday,
October 21, 2018.

Silent Auction Item Donations Too!

Donations for the Silent Auction are a great way to help with the Festival! Big items, trips, weekend get a-ways, sporting event tickets and activities, gift cards for restaurants, family activities and store gift cards etc. See a more extensive list here: <https://www.st-mm.com/silent>

Other ways to help with the fun:

- *Volunteer (sign ups on the website and later in the courtyard after Mass)
- *We need committee chairs for:
Cake Walk
- *Sponsorship (forms online)
- *Merchandise (forms online)

Planning Meeting Schedule:

Meetings are held in the Family Life Center (FLC) and start at 6:30pm

Monday, 9/24/18
Monday, 10/1/18
Monday, 10/8/18
Monday, 10/15/18

Festival set up Wednesday 10/17

Please submit your suggestions and questions email fallfestival@st-mm.com

Check the website for more information and details as they develop:
<http://www.st-mm.com/fallfestival>



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARE HOSTING MEXICAN BREAKFAST BUFFET SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Join us in the Family Life Center after all morning Masses, for a great breakfast. To go breakfast is available! All net proceeds of these breakfasts go to support St. Mary Magdalene and other charities in line with Church teachings.

Adult breakfast: \$8.00
Kids 3 -11: \$4.00
Children under 3 eat free!



PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY

Saturday, October 13 at 12 pm

At the corner at Issac and Houston Avenue
(St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church parking lot)

We want to invite you to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally. This event is being sponsored by America Needs Fatima Land with permission of Fr. Felix and is one of over 23,000 rallies that will take place all across the nation on this day. Please join us in praying and offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and for the conversion of the United States.

Sponsored by CDA Court of the Cross #2374

BE A HERO –
IT'S IN YOUR
BLOOD

Blood Drive on September 16th

Sunday, September 16th

Family Life Center

8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Our parish is holding a blood drive in the Family Life Center from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. All blood types are needed. Operations are sometimes delayed due to lack of sufficient blood. Please donate if at all possible. If you have an appointment, please keep it. Walk-ins are also welcomed.

SERRA CLUB NORTHEAST OF HOUSTON: MONTHLY DINNER AND MEETING

Monday, September 24, 2018

6:30 pm Social, 7:00 to 8:30 pm Dinner and Program
Italiano's Restaurant, 217 FM 1960 Humble, Texas
The cost for dinner is \$15.00 per person

RSVP: Eileen Benvegna | eileenbenvegna@yahoo.com |
(713) 826-4943

Serra Clubs foster and promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life; encourages and affirms vocations to the consecrated life and nurtures the spiritual growth and formation of its lay members.

To find out more about this organization, go to
<https://serra10.com>

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Interfaith Chat “Family Values” From the Christian, Jewish, and Muslim perspectives.

Please make plans to join us at Lakeside United Methodist Church, 1403 W. Lake Houston Parkway, Houston, 77041. Thursday, September 27, 2018 6:30 p.m. (snacks)/ 7:00 p.m. (chat). Presented by The Northeast Houston Interfaith Council.

Magdalene House August Update

Magdalene House saw a 48% increase in the number of individuals and families served in August (compared to August 2017). 173 Families/627 individuals received food. Backpack Distribution: 186 Backpacks and gift bags were distributed to 74 families. Special thanks to the Columbian Squires, Tom, Alejandro, Susie, Aracely, St. Mary Magdalene Parish Family, and the Northeast Houston Interfaith Council.

Family Life Ministry: Sponsor Couple Opportunities

Our engaged couples are given the opportunity of attending a series of five marriage preparation sessions in the home of a sponsor couple. They meet with their sponsor couple for five times. Must be willing and able to share their experiences of marriage and love with the engaged in an honest and loving manner and appreciate the importance of working with adults at a critical stage of their faith life. Couples sponsor four to five couples a year.

If you would like to learn more about becoming a Sponsor Couple, please contact Chris Rubio, crubio@st-mm.com. We are also in the process of forming a Spanish Marriage Preparation Team. Bilingual couples are encouraged to sign up.

Join us for “33 Days to Morning Glory” a Marian Consecration

A study by Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC

In our hectic day and time, St. John Paul II and Mother Teresa knew that one way to transform is through the Blessed Mother. Mary leads us straight to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Using the book and DVD series, we will begin this journey.

Please join us! This study is a short 6 weeks beginning on Monday, Oct. 15 at 9:30 am; or Tuesday, October 15 at 7:00 pm, your choice, and finishing November 21. We meet once a week and consecrate on the feast of the presentation of Mary.

Marian Consecration was encouraged by many saints and popes including Pope Francis.

Please do not delay in signing up, as materials must be ordered to receive by the first session.

You will find a flyers with details & registration form at the Church Narthex; in the bulletin display.

Please contact Cynthia at Txgrammie31@aol.com or 832-492-1742 (call or text) for more information or to sign up.



Young at Heart, 50+ 1940 Air Terminal Museum Tour

Wednesday, October 10, 2018

The 1940 Air Terminal Museum is comprised of several galleries with cases containing aviation memorabilia, such as silver service items, models, documents, and photographs. The bay of the 1928 Carter Airmail Hangar contains vintage aircraft such as the Cessna Bobcat T-50 and the 1958 Sikorsky S-58 helicopter.

Join us for a 1 ½ hour guided tour of this museum at Hobby Airport. Then on to lunch at Monument Inn near Lynchburg Crossing. The bus arrives at 8:00 a.m., departs at 8:30 am. and will return after lunch.

The cost of the trip is \$7 per person for the museum tour. Lunch on your own at Monument Inn. The bus is limited to 24 passengers.

Reservations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. If you would like to join us for 1940 Air Terminal Museum Tour, please contact Jan Crawford at 281-852-3508 or jan17403@gmail.com. Deadline for reservations and payments is Monday, Oct. 8th. When your reservation has been confirmed, please drop off a check made payable to St. Mary Magdalene at the parish office. Place the check in an envelope clearly marked: 1940 Airport Terminal Museum.

As always the bus may be cold, be sure to bring a sweater or lap cover.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

MDO: Employment Opportunity

St. Mary Magdalene is looking for three experienced part time nursery attendants for its Mother's Day out Program. Applicants must have the following qualifications:

- * Experience in caring for children between the ages of 12 months to 3 years with the ability to adapt and interact with variety of personalities
- * At least 18 years of age
- * Pass and complete a background check and drug screening
- * Must adhere to teachings of the Roman Catholic Church

Please submit resume to Pat De Los Santos at pdelossantos@st-mm.com

FATIMA ROSARY PRAYER PROCESSION

JOIN OUR FATIMA ROSARY PRAYER
PROCESSION FOR WORLD PEACE

Celebrant: Rev. Fr. Felix I. Osasona, M.S.P.

Co-Celebrant: Rev. Fr. Andrew Toyinbo, M.S.P.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FEAST DAY

October 6, 2018 (Saturday) at 9:00 AM
St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

SCHEDULE:

9:00 AM: Rosary Prayer Procession around the Church

10:00 AM: Holy Mass

Fellowship lunch after the Mass at the Family Life Center

FOR INFORMATION CALL: Verna Sacramento (832) 605-1245

St. Mary Magdalene Church (281) 446-8211

Please make donations payable to: St. Mary Magdalene Church

Note: Children are encouraged to join us in leading the praying of the Holy Rosary. Parents can contact one of the persons above to sign up and be at the Church entrance by 8:45 a.m. on Oct. 6, 2018.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Phil Kelley Council 6878 22nd Annual Charity Golf Tournament In Honor of Monsignor Paul Procella, Dec'd

Venue: Oakhurst Golf Club, Porter, Texas

Date: Saturday, October 6, 2018

Format: 4 Person Scramble (\$115/Player) (handicap system employed to keep all in contention)

Schedule: 6:45 AM Breakfast & range balls 8:00 m shotgun steak lunch buffet and prize presentation following the tournament

Title Sponsors: Thomas Markle Jewelers [Memorial & The Woodlands] | Aegis Chemicals | Boars Head Premium Meats

Fabulous Prizes will be awarded to: 1st and 2nd Place Team Gross, 1st and 2nd Place Team Net, Longest Drive, Closest To The Pin, Door Prizes (Raffle)

Sign up individually or as a team. Take some clients out for fun and help the Knights of Columbus raise money for charities benefiting the Special Olympics, Scholarship Funds and various Local, State and National Charities. Limited openings! Don't wait! Sign up now!

Team Captain: _____

NAME/HANDICAP:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

(Registration Donation is \$115 per Player due in advance or during sign-in)



Hole Sponsorships: Donation: \$200 or more per hole sponsor (Attractive signs will be displayed @ tee)

Sponsor Name: _____

Sponsor Donation: _____

Checks payable to: **Knights of Columbus Council #6878**

Mail all forms and donations to Knights of Columbus Council #6878 c/o Doug Scherr, CFO at
Valence Operating Co. 600 Rockmead Drive, Suite 200, Kingwood, TX 77339

General Tournament Information/Registration, please contact Mr. Doug Scherr
Email dscherr@valenceoperating.com, Fax 832.644.7111 or by phone 281.728.8152

MENSAJE DEL PÁRROCO

Desde la oficina del Cardenal

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Estos últimos meses han sido muy difíciles para la Iglesia. La confirmación del abuso sexual de menores y seminaristas por el entonces Cardenal Theodore McCarrick y su destitución del Colegio de Cardenales, y la publicación de un reporte detallado sobre el abuso sexual de menores por el clero católico en seis diócesis del Estado de Pensilvania han dado un golpe muy fuerte y han producido un profundo estado de crisis moral y espiritual en la Iglesia Católica en los Estados Unidos. Después de que surgieran esos reportes en las noticias, he recibido muchas cartas y está claro que nuestro pueblo está escandalizado por esta herida tan grave, especialmente porque ha dañado profundamente a muchos niños inocentes, los abusados y los sobrevivientes. Se que ustedes sufren y están llenos de ira y cólera; yo comparto esos sentimientos con ustedes. Probablemente tengan muchas dudas, que solo han aumentado a la luz de la carta recientemente publicada del Arzobispo Carlo Maria Vigano, antiguo nuncio apostólico de los Estados Unidos. Como ya declare como Presidente de la Conferencia Episcopal Católica de los Estados Unidos el 27 de agosto de 2018, "Las interrogantes que se plantean merecen respuestas concluyentes basadas en la evidencia. Sin esas respuestas habrá hombres inocentes cuya reputación quedará empañada por acusaciones falsas y hombres culpables que quedarán en libertad para continuar repitiendo los pecados del pasado".

En 2002 los problemas se relacionaban con sacerdotes que abusaban; en 2018 los problemas están más centrados en la responsabilidad o falta de ella de los obispos y sus fallas en el liderazgo moral. El Cuerpo de Cristo ha sido lacerado y los obispos no se ocuparon de los heridos.

Nuestra arquidiócesis actuó rápidamente como respuesta a la Constitución de Dallas (Dallas Charter) y tenemos que continuar y fortalecer nuestra respuesta. Los obispos tienen que ser más responsables y sus decisiones transparentes. Como presidente he trabajado estas últimas semanas con los obispos, asesores, clero y laicos, para estar preparado para la reunión este mes del Comité Administrativo de la Conferencia Episcopal Católica de los Estados Unidos y poder ofrecer una serie de propuestas y pasos prácticos, además de oración y arrepentimiento, y presentarlos a todos los obispos en noviembre. Espero que ustedes oren por todos nosotros en estos empeños. Los problemas que enfrentamos son delicados pero tenemos que hacer las cosas bien llamar a todos a ser responsables.

Estoy consciente de que a pesar de los esfuerzos realizados desde 2002, nosotros, los obispos de los Estados Unidos, hemos fallado. Nuestra labor puede y debe ser mejor. Mientras tanto, el Santo Padre nos ha pedido que abramos nuestros ojos y nuestros corazones a todos los que sufren. Seguiremos su sabio consejo con acciones prácticas y oración contemplativa.

Termino con las mismas palabras con las que cerré mi declaración del 27 de agosto: "Mientras más está azotada por las tempestades, más consciente estoy de que la base sólida de la Iglesia es Jesucristo. Los errores de los hombres no pueden disminuir la luz del evangelio. Señor, con la ayuda de tu misericordia, muéstranos el camino a la salvación."

Reciban bendiciones en el Señor,
Sinceramente en Cristo,

Daniel Cardenal DiNardo
Arzobispo de Galveston-Houston



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF
GALVESTON-HOUSTON

ANUNCIOS DE LA SEMANA

OFRENDAS DE NUESTROS TESOROS

9 de septiembre 2018

Ofrenda	\$22,294.86
Por Internet	\$728.00
Total	\$23,022.86
Segunda Colecta – Universidad Católica de San-to Tomás	
Ofrenda	\$5,723.10
Por Internet	\$45.00
Total	\$5,768.10

Oportunidad de empleo

St. Mary Magdalene está buscando tres asistentes con experiencia de guardería a tiempo parcial para su programa de salida del Día de la Madre. Los solicitantes deben tener las siguientes calificaciones:

- * Experiencia en el cuidado de niños entre las edades de 12 meses a 3 años
- * Al menos 18 años de edad
- * Aprobar y completar una verificación de antecedentes y detección de drogas
- * Debe adherirse a las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica Romana

Envíe su currículum a Pat De Los Santos a pdelossantos@st-mm.com

Fondos de Servicios Diocesanos (DSF)



Meta	\$165,000.00
Pagado	\$130,190.99
Comprometido	\$152,012.82
Participantes	352

Cheques de Salud GRATIS

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church

miércoles, 19 de septiembre del 2018, 9:30 am - 12 pm

Conozca sus números, sus números son importante para mantener una buena salud. CHRISTUS Healthy Living Mobile Clinics le ayuda a saber sus números y mantenerse saludable ¡GRATIS!

CHEQUEOS INCLUYEN:

*Presión Arterial *Glucosa *Cholesterol (Panel Lípido) Preferido Ayunar

CHRISTUS Healthy Living Mobile Clinics son un ministerio de CHRISTUS Foundation for HealthCare y apoyada por generosos donantes. Por favor visítenos en CHRISTUSFoundation.org para más información.



Taller de Oración y Vida Para Adultos

Inicia: miércoles 19 de septiembre de 10 am a 12 pm

Aprender a Orar para Aprender a Vivir. Te invitamos a profundizar en el conocimiento del Señor y de ti mismo, a través de esta experiencia personal. Aprende como adquirir fortaleza y recuperar el equilibrio emocional. Encuentra el “porque” de las cosas de tu vida. Recupera la alegría de vivir y el sentido de la vida. Conoce formas de orar que se adaptan a tu estilo personal de oración. Este es un modo nuevo de relaciones con Dios.

**Dirección: Iglesia Sta. María Magdalena
527 S. Houston Ave, Humble TX 77338**

Para mas información llame a: Maricarmen Tusell al
Tel (281)870-2423 o (281)904-0523.

ANUNCIOS DE LA SEMANA

Encuentro

ORACIÓN
ADORACIÓN
EVANGELIZACIÓN



Nos reunimos el primer y tercer Jueves de cada mes durante año escolar

10:15 am-12:00 pm

St. Joseph's Hall Edificio de Oficina de Parroquia

Informes: Marta Brandon

(832)233-1069 | encuentrossmm@gmail.com

Fechas :

Sept 20

Oct 4 y 18

Nov 15

Dic 6 y 20

Enero 17

Feb 7 y 21

Marzo 7 y 21

Abril 4 y 18

Mayo 2 y 16

**¡Sus certificados
están listos para ser
recogidos!**

Los certificados de Confirmación, RICA y Primera Comunión están listos para ser recogidos en nuestra Oficina Parroquial.

CCE / Clases de formación:

¡Es hora de despegar! ¡Nuestras clases de CCE comienzan esta semana para los estudiantes matriculados! El programa del "año escolar" se reúne semanalmente los domingos por la tarde (3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.), los martes por la tarde (6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.), o los miércoles por la tarde (6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.) Debería haber recibido una llamada o mensaje del catequista de su hijo para recordarle la fecha de inicio y el número de su habitación. De lo contrario, solo ingrese la fecha en que se inscribió y se publicará la asignación de su clase.

Si aún no ha inscrito a su hijo para el año catequético 2018-2019, debe esperar hasta el período de inscripción "Tardío", que se abrirá la semana del 30 de septiembre durante nuestras tres sesiones de CCE; La catequesis basada en el hogar también está disponible. No registraremos a nadie en la Oficina Parroquial. Tenga en cuenta que el espacio será muy limitado en este punto, y las ausencias de los estudiantes se acumularán durante este retraso. Las familias registradas deben traer un sobre de la parroquia para que podamos verificar el estado de su membresía parroquial (las recibe por correo).

NOTA: Nadie será rechazado debido a la imposibilidad de pagar la matrícula de CCE ... sin embargo, esas familias DEBEN hablar con el Padre. Félix ANTERIORMENTE a que la familia se inscriba en las clases de Formación para obtener una . Puede contactarlo al pastor@st-mm.com o al 281-446-8211.

Anuncio para Celebración de la Misa del 50 aniversario de bodas para el Boletín Parroquial

Las Misa de Celebración de Aniversario en honor a las parejas que celebran sus bodas de oro (50th) y que contrajeron matrimonio por la Iglesia Católica, llevará a cabo el día domingo 21 de octubre en la Co-Catedral del Sagrado Corazón a las 3:00 de la tarde. **Las inscripciones para esta celebración se cerrarán el 30 de septiembre a la media noche.**

Todas las parejas inscritas con antelación y que asistan, o no, a la ceremonia, recibirán un reconocimiento especial firmado por su Eminencia Daniel Cardenal DiNardo.

Registro: <https://www.archgh.org/weddingjubilee>



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