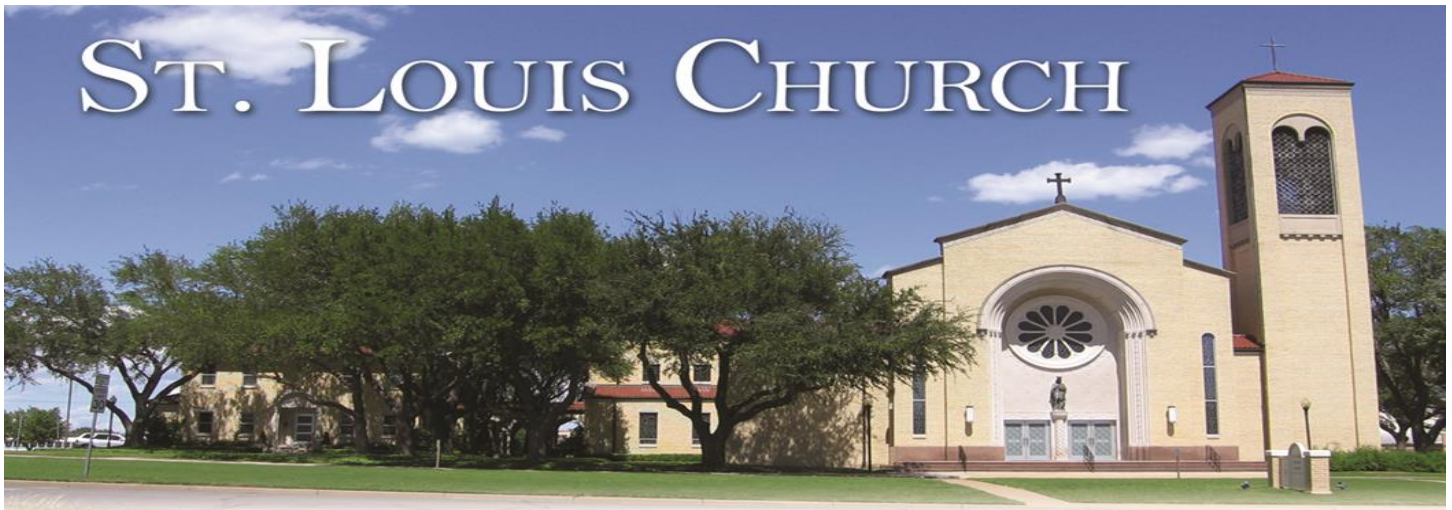


# ST. LOUIS CHURCH



**SEPTEMBER 10, 2017 – THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## **SACRAMENTS**

### **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Call the Church office

### **BAPTISM**

Follow Weekend Masses

#### **Baptismal Classes**

**English** - First Saturday

9a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Spanish** - Second Saturday

9a.m.—12:00 p.m.

### **MATRIMONY**

Contact Priest 6 months prior to the wedding date

### **CONFESSION**

#### **Thursday**

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

(with Adoration until 6:30 p.m.)

#### **Saturday**

4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

(Also by appointment)

### **HELP WITH ANNULMENTS**

**Contact:** Beverly Dickey  
runningranny@hotmail.com

## **REICHER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL**

(254) 752-8349

[www.reicher.org](http://www.reicher.org)

#### **Principal**

Mrs. Mindy Taylor  
mtaylor@reicher.org

## **HOLY EUCHARIST**

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Daily Masses**

**Monday - Friday** 8:00 a.m.

**Wednesday - Friday** 12:05 p.m.

**Saturday Vigil Mass:** 5:00 p.m.

#### **Sunday Masses**

9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

& 5:00 p.m.

*Spanish Mass at 1:30 p.m.*

*Nursery is available during  
the 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. Masses*

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## **ST. LOUIS CHURCH**

(254) 754-1221

**Office Hours: Monday - Friday**

**8:30 am. - 12:30 pm. &  
1:30 - 5:00 pm.**

**\*Friday office closes at 4:00 pm.**

**Información en Español**

**Contact:** Maria Carrillo

## **ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

(254) 754-2041

[www.stlouiswaco.org](http://www.stlouiswaco.org)

#### **Principal**

Ms. Nisa Lagle  
nlagle@stlouiswaco.org

## **ST. LOUIS CHURCH**

### **PASTORAL STAFF**

#### **Pastor**

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#### **Deacon**

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(325) 451-7340

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#### **Director of Religious Education**

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(254) 754-1221 / 754-2041

#### **Music Ministry Coordinator**

Susan Russell  
russellharp@outlook.com  
(254) 754-1221 leave message

#### **Gabriel Project**

Cynthia Farmer  
(254) 640-5804

## Liturgical Music

Saturday - Vigil Mass: 5 p.m. & Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Processional .....	Gather #626
<i>"There's a Wideness in Gods Mercy"</i>	
Psalm .....	Missalette p.114 #95
<i>"If Today You Hear His Voice"</i>	
Offertory.....	Gather #578
<i>"Lord of All Hopefulness"</i>	
Communion .....	Gather #828
<i>"I Am the Bread of Life"</i>	
Recessional.....	Gather #614
<i>"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"</i>	

## Mass Intentions

Sat. Sept. 9	5:00 p.m.	Joyce & Melinda Petter
Sun. Sept. 10	9:30 a.m.	Sam Palmeri
	11:30 a.m.	Shirley & Don Bushman
Spanish Mass	1:30 p.m.	The Parish; Living & Deceased
	5:00 p.m.	Santillan Family
Mon. Sept. 11	8:00 a.m.	Steven Holub
Tues. Sept. 12	8:00 a.m.	Patricia Cook
Wed. Sept. 13	8:00 a.m.	Joann Fraley
	12:05 p.m.	Estelle Geno
Thurs. Sept. 14	8:00 a.m.	Beverly Bordano McClendon
	12:05 p.m.	The Teachers and Staff of our Schools
Fri. Sept. 15	8:00 a.m.	Cristina & Justino Juarez (L)
	12:05 p.m.	Jack Snider (L)
Sat. Sept. 16	5:00 p.m.	Joseph Ginnane
Sun. Sept. 17	9:30 a.m.	Margaret Ross
	11:30 a.m.	Tomasa Perez
Spanish Mass	1:30 p.m.	The Parish; Living & Deceased
	5:00 p.m.	The Youth of our Parish

## Readings for the Week

**Sunday:** Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20  
**Monday:** Col 1:24-2:3/Ps 62:6-7, 9/Lk 6:6-11  
**Tuesday:** Col 2:6-15/Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11/Lk 6:12-19  
**Wednesday:** Col 3:1-11/Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab/Lk 6:20-26  
**Thursday:** Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17  
**Friday:** 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11/Jn 19:25-27  
**Saturday:** 1 Tm 1:15-17/Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7/Lk 6:43-49

## Notes of Special Interest

**CCE Registration continues for children entering first grade - sixth grade.** Please register early. Classes are offered every Wednesday from 6:00pm - 7:15pm. The cost is \$30 for the first child and \$60 for the family. Registration forms are online, in the foyer of the church, or you may call for an appointment. Classes begin **September 13, 2017. NO REGISTRATION during class time.** If you need additional information, please contact Zulma Diaz-Rosa at 254-754-2041 ext. 218. Thank you for choosing St. Louis Religious Education for your children. God Bless!

**THE ST. LOUIS TV MINISTRY** still needs volunteers to operator cameras at the 9:30 am Sunday Mass. No experience needed just the willingness to serve in this important ministry. Contact Michael Farmer at 254-644-8492 / church office at 754-1221.

**THE ST. VERONICA GROUP** will host their monthly Pot Luck Luncheon **Thursday, September 14** at 12:30 pm in Grace Hall. Everyone is welcome to attended. Do join us!

**LECTURE SERIES RETURNS** - Join us **Thursday, September 14** "Evangelizing Your Family", by Dr. Michael Foley. All talks take place in the sanctuary of St. Louis Catholic Church, Waco at 7 p.m. Look forward to seeing everyone again.

## Parish Events and Meetings

**THAT MAN IS YOU** - Men join us on **Friday mornings** for breakfast, video and fellowship at 6 am in Grace Hall. For more Info contact Tony Moore 715-8589 or Bernard Ott 715-3451.

**RCIA. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** - RCIA, is for those who want to become Catholic and those who want to know more about the Catholic faith, whether they are Catholic or are not Catholic and want to investigate Christianity and the Catholic Church. Classes will be on Thursday nights, 7pm to 9pm in Grace Hall. **Classes will begin Thursday, September 7th** and will go through Easter. Please come join us if you or someone you know might be interested in learning more about our Catholic faith. For questions, please contact Mike DeRosa at 254-855-9151.

**THE QUILTS FROM THE HEART GOUP** meets on the third Saturday of each month except December, to make charity quilts. The next meeting will be **September 16th** from 9 AM to 12 noon in Grace Hall. Machines, fabric and supplies are provided. Help is available for newcomers at any level. Everyone is welcome to join this rewarding ministry of offering comfort to patients and their families at Providence Healthcare Network. Call Maxine Hammonds, 772-0149, for more information.

**THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY** will begin a new Jeff Cavin's study on *Wisdom* this September. The eight week study runs in conjunction with CCE classes from 6:00-7:15pm in Grace Hall. We will have an short organizational meeting on **September 13th** and the actual study will begin on September 20th. The cost of the optional but very beneficial Wisdom Notebook is \$20. Please contact Diane Schlecte at 776-4241 or [dschl@swbell.net](mailto:dschl@swbell.net) to reserve a notebook. And as Father Simon of Red-C Catholic Radio says, "*Fear of the Lord is the beginning of Wisdom....and Love is the ending*".

**BABY BANKS** are in and will be available for pick-up at the church doors **September 16 thru October 22**. Return them with spare change, (cash or check) anytime before November 1, A collection box will be at the main entrance of the church. October is Respect For Life Month and this is a great way to show your children and/or grandchildren how important it is to be involved in efforts to help unborn babies, women and families in need, with just a little spare change. Half of your contributions will go to pro-life ministries in our diocese and half will stay right here for St. Louis Parish Pro-Life efforts. To volunteer or information: contact Tony Moore 254-715-8589 God Bless!

**WOMEN LEARNING AND PARTICIPATING IN PRAYER.** God invites us into a relationship with Him that is both personal and communal. Dr. Hapenny will lead a women's group in learning more about prayer from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. The group will also spend time in prayer, praying for the needs of each other, those in our community, and others in need of prayer. Women, please join us on **Monday nights** at 7:00pm in the SLAC **beginning September 25**, meeting through April with holiday breaks. We look forward to seeing you there!

**SAVE THE DATE! Our annual Fall Festival** will be held **Saturday, October 28**. Let's come together again in fellowship through food, fun and games. We will have a costume contest, trunk or treat, bounce houses, food, music, games and more. The Country Store returns again this year as well as the silent auction. Each family will be given Raffle tickets to sell, so be on the look out for those. If you are interested in being a part of the Festival committee please contact Ivette Lopez at [254-716-9443](tel:254-716-9443) or [lilopez98@gmail.com](mailto:lilopez98@gmail.com).

**THE ST. DISMAS PRISON MINISTRY** will sponsor the Country Store at this year's Parish Festival in October. We need donations to help make this a big, wonderful booth. Please call Jennie Kunkel at 776-5109 to donate. Craft items do very well.

## Youth Ministry

**TEENS WANT TO TAKE PART IN THE MASS!** There will a special training on **Sunday, September 17**, at 3:30pm for lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for teens who wish to participate in these roles for the 5:00pm Youth Masses on Sundays or for Reicher masses. If you have any questions, please call Dr. Hapenny at 867-6947.

**SLY - St Louis Youth Group** for High School teens began **Sunday, September 10th**. All 9th through 12th grade teens are invited to join us following the 5pm Mass at the SLAC (St Louis Activity Center) from 6pm - 8pm. Dinner is provided. Come and join us for a great year! **Parents** mark your calendars and join us for "**Parent's Night**" **Sunday, September 24th**. Registration forms and SLY calendar can be found on our website at [www.slywaco.org](http://www.slywaco.org) or picked up at the Church or in the Church office. If you have any questions contact Tracy Gomez at 254-754-1221 or [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com).

**SLY (St Louis Youth Group) High School Food Ministry** need volunteers to help provide meals for our teens on Sunday evenings at 6pm. If you can help please let Tracy know which date you can cover. We appreciate your help and generosity! God bless! Sept 17 & 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29, Nov 5, 12 & 19, Dec 3 & 10, Jan 7, 14, 21 & 28, Feb 11, 18 & 25, Mar 11 & 25, Apr 8, 15, 22 & 29. For more information please contact Tracy Gomez at [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com) or 254-754-1221

**SLAM - St Louis Adolescence Ministry** for Middle School students starts **Wednesday, September 13th**. All 7th through 8th grade students are invited to join us at the SLAC (St Louis Activity Center) from 6pm - 7:15pm. Come and join us for a great year! **Parents** mark your calendars and join us for "**Parent's Night**" **Wednesday, September 27th**. Registration forms and SLAM calendar can be picked up at the Church or in the Church office. If you have any questions contact Tracy Gomez at 754-1221 [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com).

## Community Notes

**CENTRAL TEXAS FELLOWSHIP OF CATHOLIC MEN** kick off a new weekly study on the impact of the Holy Spirit in our lives, "*The Wild Goose*" **each Tuesday morning**. The four weekly sessions will feature a 25 min. video from 6:45 am - 7:45 am. The Wild Goose is the name the ancient Celts gave to the Holy Spirit. Men of all ages are encouraged to join us. The Location is the Re-Kat Building at 5034 Franklin Ave. For more information, contact Robert Tunmire at 745-2502.

**YOU ARE INVITED!** Reicher Catholic High School invites you to their Fall Preview Thursday, September 14 at 5 pm. Come meet the faculty, students and parents; receive information on curriculum, admissions and services and tour the facilities. For More information call (254)752-8349

**WOMEN'S FALL ACTS RETREAT** - You are invited to a unique weekend of renewal, dedicated to undivided time to refresh your spirit and focus on being with our Heavenly Father, listening to Him and experiencing His love. Join us **September 14-17** at Three Mountain Retreat Center in Clifton. To register or for more information please call Ivette Lopez, retreat director at (254)716-9443. Registration forms will be available at church.

**LISTENING TO THE VOICE OF GOD RETREAT** will be held **September 18** from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at St. Mary Parish in Waco. Participants are invited to grow in a deeper relationship with God by learning how the Lord speaks in our everyday life. Franciscan Father Albert Haase will present this day based on his best-selling book, "*Saying Yes: Discovering and Responding to God's Will in Your Life*." The cost is \$30 and includes lunch. To register, call (254) 780-2436 or visit [www.cedarbrake.org](http://www.cedarbrake.org).

**REICHER HONORS** - On **Friday, September 22**, the 1962 & 1963 TCIL AAA State Championship Teams will be honored at halftime of the Reicher Football game. These are the only two Reicher teams to win the largest classification in either The TCIL or the TAAPS Leagues. Those being honored are: Bobby Pugh, Doug Matthews, Bill Maloy, Mike Kelley, Tom Fickey, Jay Maloy, Steve Landon, Greg George and Gilbert Hernandez.

**PRO-LIFE - 40 DAYS OF LIFE** worldwide prayer vigil from **September 27 through November 5**. PLW seeks hourly prayer commitments for 7 am to 7 pm, Monday through Saturday at the sidewalks (open public right-of-way) of Planned Parenthood at 1121 Ross Ave. For questions and commitments contact Aine at 210-542-5700 or [aineshop@gmail.com](mailto:aineshop@gmail.com)

**WORKING WITH YOUTH AND VULNERABLE ADULTS** requires completing an Application for Ministry and attend an EIM workshop. **The Workshop is required for all new applicants within 60 days of application submission and must be retaken every three years. Please contact your parish or Catholic school EIM site administrator for assistance. If you are unsure of your current status for the EIM requirement please check with the EIM Site Administrator at 754-1221 as soon as possible. It is up to you stay updated/current.**

## Catholic Answers

How many times do we ask for forgiveness during Mass?

### Answer

There are three parts of the Mass that are explicitly penitential. The first is, obviously, the Penitential Rite ("Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy"). The second is the Our Father, in which we ask God to "forgive us our trespasses." And the third explicit mention is immediately before Communion when we pray: "Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof."

There are also less explicit penitential aspects to the Mass. The Scripture readings call us to repentance, and the homily might do so as well. Additionally, kneeling before the Eucharist is a sign of penitence and humility in the presence of Christ. And sometimes the prayers of the Mass specifically call us to repentance.

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**THE ST. LOUIS PASTORAL COUNCIL** meets monthly as an advisory group to our pastor. If you have a question, concern, or compliment about the parish, please contact one of the members of the council: Holly Collins, Chairman email: [HollyCollins@Baylor.edu](mailto:HollyCollins@Baylor.edu) and members, Noe Ochoa, Marilyn Abel, Vince Clark, Sharon McCarthy, Susanne Nemmer,, Mark Veselka, Maritza Perez and Mike Fulbright.

## Collection Report

Weekly Average needed for School & Church.....\$21,500.00  
Offering Last Weekend.....\$23,345.31

**Thank you for your generosity!**