

OCTOBER MONTH OF
THE ROSARY....
PRAY THE ROSARY



*"Living our timeless
Catholic Faith in a
Contemporary world"*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 9:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.

FRIDAY: 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.

1:00 p.m. (Misa en español)

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Wednesday: 6:30-7:15 p.m.

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 p.m.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT**

Monday: 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

First Friday of each month:

8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: FRIDAY BY 12:00 P.M.

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October 5, 2014

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK**SUNDAY, October 5, 27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

- 7:30 a.m. Mass - *Baby Cherian* +
 9:00 a.m. Mass - *Int. Alida MacLean* +
 11:00 a.m. Mass - *Don Swingler* +
 1:00 p.m. Misa en Español - *Pro Populo*

MONDAY, October 6, St. Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

- 8:00 a.m. Rosary
 6:45 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 355 Meeting (*JP II Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Adoration
 7:00 p.m. PACK MEETING (*Parish Hall*)

TUESDAY, October 7, Our Lady of the Rosary

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
 8:00 a.m. Mass - *Emma Cisneros-Fangman* +
 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
 9:00 a.m. Springtimers Potluck (*Parish Hall*)
 10:00 a.m. Pray and Live Workshop (*Disciple Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Troop Meetings (*JP II Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Parish Council (*Apostle Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. FFN (*Parish Hall*)
 7:00 p.m. Pray and Live Workshop (*Parish Hall*)

WEDNESDAY, October 8

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
 8:00 a.m. Mass - *Int., Margaret Foster*
 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study (*St. James Rm*)
 10:00 a.m. Talleres de Oración y Vida (*Disciple Rm*)
 6:00 p.m. FAITH FORMATION CLASSES (*Parish Hall*)
 6:30 p.m. Confessions (*South Confessional*)
 6:30 p.m. Children's Choir (*Church*)
 7:00 p.m. MFCC Monthly Formation Meetings (*St. James Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Spanish Choir Rehearsal (*Music Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Talleres de Oración y Vida (*Disciple Rm*)

THURSDAY, October 9, St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; St. John Leonardi, Priest

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary
 8:00 a.m. Mass - *Craig Lewis* +
 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (*St. James Rm*)
 7:00 p.m. Choirs' Rehearsals (*Church, Music Rm*)

FRIDAY, October 10

- 7:00 a.m. FFN Mystery Theater Prep (*Parish Hall*)
 7:30 a.m. Rosary
 8:00 a.m. Mass - *Jimmy Foster* +
 8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración (*Parish Hall*)

SATURDAY, October 11

- 8:30 a.m. Blessed Olive Wood Creations (*Narthex*)
 10:00 a.m. Infant Baptism/English (*Narthex*)
 10:00 a.m. Children's Music & Chime Class (*Apostle Rm*)
 10:00 a.m. 2014 CDA Monthly Meetings (*Apostle & St. James Rms*)
 3:00 p.m. Barnyard Dance Mystery Theater Dinner Show (*P.Hall*)
 3:30 p.m. Confessions (*South Confessional*)
 5:00 p.m. Mass - *Pro Populo*
 6:00 p.m. Barnyard Dance Mystery Theater Dinner Show (*P.Hall*)

PARISH INFORMATION

NEWCOMERS: Welcome! If you would like to become a registered member of the parish, please pick up a registration form located on either side of the exit doors or stop by the parish office.

INFANT BAPTISM: Please contact the parish office for more information.

ANOUNTING OF THE SICK: Please contact the parish office or see the priest before Sunday or daily Mass.

MARRIAGE: Couples must contact the parish office at least six (6) months prior to the wedding date.

RCIA: Anyone interested in becoming Catholic and learning About our faith, should speak to a Priest or Deacon.

MINISTRIES/ORGANIZATIONS:

Altar Society: (*Theresa Avila*)tavila@stjta.com
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 Grupo de Oración: (*Maria Esther Alvarez*)
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PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE ON THE PRAYER LIST

Chris & Mike Ferron, Richard Baca, Sam Carroll, Rosa Cedillo, Maria Partida, Mary Helen Grant, Magdalena Diaz, William Jackson, Ken Bacon, Maria, Selena, Maureen Kroeger, Manuel Garcia, Sr. Pedro Garcia, Manuel Garcia Jr., Ted Landa, Mark New, Heidi Richmond, Robert Hovanec, Mary Parker, Consuelo Herrera, Lloyd Sherbert, Janell McCormick, Virgil Muncney, Mary Lopez, Irene Wilson, Matthew Wood, Paul Bernard, Ramona Trevino, Malena Trevino, Joe Trevino, Cloid Hall, Jimmy Arnold, Gary Grant, Felipe Cavazos, Mary Consford, Keylee Humphreys, Pierce Counts, Laura Counts, Martha Calvin, Vincent Sanzone, Donna St. Clair, Sarah Calzada, Hai Nguyen, John Lyke, , Moises Woods, Andrea Duran, Hannah Henry, Raymond & Michelle Vera Jr., Pat Schultz, Zeny Naguit, Gail Nevlud, Mary Ahr, Erin Musick, Angela Ganucci, Rose Marie, Joseph Moone,

ALSO FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY AND THOSE WE HOLD IN OUR HEARTS

If you or a member of your family experiences illness or injury call the parish office and we will add that name to the prayer list. We post the name in the bulletin for 4 weeks, and pray every day for those on the prayer list (present and past).

Prayer to the Holy Family for the Synod

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
in you we contemplate
the splendor of true love,
to you we turn with trust.

Holy Family of Nazareth,
grant that our families too
may be places of communion and prayer,
authentic schools of the Gospel
and small domestic Churches.

Holy Family of Nazareth,
may families never again
experience violence, rejection and division:
may all who have been hurt or scandalized
find ready comfort and healing.

Holy Family of Nazareth,
may the approaching Synod of Bishops
make us once more mindful
of the sacredness and inviolability of the family,
and its beauty in God's plan.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
graciously hear our prayer. Amen



3RD ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT



FUN AND FELLOWSHIP

ATTN ALL GOLFERS

St. James is having its 3rd annual golf tournament to be held on November 15, 2014, at WindRose Golf Club in Spring, TX.

Join us for fellowship, food and fun!

(See Deacon Ray for registration forms)



2014

St. James Family Fun Night Thanksgiving Food Drive

Let's give thanks and help those in need this year. St James Family Fun Night ministry will be having its **Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive Nov 22 & 23** at all Masses. Please bring new food items to Mass that weekend. Donations of money and gift cards will also be accepted and appreciated. *Some of the items needed include: Bisquick, corn meal, flour, sugar, brown sugar, canned filling, pie crust mix, canned pumpkin, jello, pudding mix, canned veggies (green beans, corn) yams, marshmallows, stuffing mix, instant mashed potatoes, Mac&Cheese, canned cranberries, fruit cocktail, canned fruit, canned gravy, broth, canned milk, canned ham, salt, pepper, spices.

"In all circumstances give thanks, for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus" - Thessalonians 5:18



Thanksgiving Day is upon us once more. We here at St. James know sometimes situations in life arise beyond our control. Through these tough times know that God is there

for you always and so is your parish family. If you need assistance to provide a Thanksgiving dinner, we would like to help.

Please contact FFN Volunteer Patty Parra at [281 650 1397](tel:2816501397) Email: Parrapj1213@gmail.com All information will remain confidential.

"Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you" - Matthew 7:7



"Lord the plight of our country is deep and the suffering of Christians is severe and frightening. Therefore, we ask you Lord to spare our lives, and to grant us patience and courage to continue our witness of Christian values with trust and hope. Lord, peace is the foundation of life. Grant us the peace and stability that will enable us to live with each other without fear and anxiety and with dignity and joy. Glory be to You forever".



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Each of Us is a
Masterpiece of God's
Creation!

—STEWARDSHIP

DSF 2014 ~
“GO FORTH AND BEAR FRUIT
THAT WILL LAST...”



Parish Goal for 2014: \$85,000.00
 Amount Paid: \$66,584.71
 Amount Pledged: \$79,219.14
 # of participants: 316
 % paid at: 78.33% Report date: 9/29/2014

The United States Council of Catholic Bishops defined Stewardship as:

"A Christian Steward is one who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsible manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase tithe to the Lord."

Stewardship: A Disciple's Response

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Thank you for your generous stewardship

Week ending September 27-28, 2014

Regular Collection (244 envelopes)	\$11,652.04
Mailed in contributions	\$ 4,301.15
Online Giving: 9/22-9/28/2014	\$ 2,282.62
Total:	\$18,235.81

Attendance: 1827

SCHEDULED SECOND COLLECTIONS:

1st Sunday: 10/5/14 Debt Reduction

5th Sunday: Social Ministry

*Correction: Last week's count was for week ending September 20-21.

Sign up for Online Giving by visiting
www.stjta.org

—MORE PARISH NEWS

Come join us at the St. James
 Barnyard Dance Mystery
 Theater Dinner Show sponsored
 by *FAMILY FUN NIGHT MINISTRY*



Saturday, October 11, 2014

Show Times:

Matinee Show at 3pm
Evening Show at 6pm

Tickets are \$15.00 each and will go on sale after all Masses starting the weekend of Sept 20 & 21 and the following weekends until tickets are sold out -

Limited Seating

**READINGS THIS WEEK****OCTOBER 2014****5 Sunday**

Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/PS 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 21:33-43

6 Monday

Gal 1:6-12/ PS 111:1B-2, 7-8, 9 AND 10C/Lk 10:25-37

7 Tuesday

Gal 1:13-24/ PS 139:1B-3, 13-14AB, 14C-15/Lk 10:38-42

8 Wednesday

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/ PS 117:1BC, 2/Lk 11:1-4

9 Thursday

Gal 3:1-5/ LK 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 11:5-13

10 Friday

Gal 3:7-14/ PS 111:1B-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 11:15-26

11 Saturday

Gal 3:22-29/ PS 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 11:27-28

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FAITH FORMATION

Regular class registration is CLOSED
Currently registering for home school ONLY.

FOR ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL ~

Faith Formation Office:	281-353-5053 ext: 124
Faith Formation Secretary:	Rachel Weatherby, rweatherby@stjta.com
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CFF Middle School & Elementary:	Jackie Brown, jbrown@stjta.com
(Grades 4-6 & 7-8)	
CFF High School & Elementary:	Theresa Avila, tavila@stjta.com
(Grades 1-3 & 9-12)	

**YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**

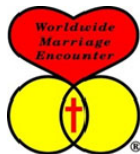
-Middle School Youth Nights are from 7:30-8:30pm in the Parish Hall on the following dates:
 10/1, 10/15, 11/5, 11/19, 12/3, & 12/17

-High School Youth Nights are every Wednesday from 7-9pm in the Parish Hall

CONFIRMATION NEWS

-Practice is **Friday, October 24th from 6-7pm**

-Confirmation is **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25th** at the 5:00pm Mass

AROUND THE DIOCESE**A WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER****A SPECIAL WEEKEND FOR YOUR MARRIAGE.**

Set Aside a weekend to make your marriage the best it can be! Communicate better! Renew and rekindle your love. Hear other couples who have learned how to keep their marriage vibrant and alive. A Marriage Encounter weekend is a personal and intimate experience with your spouse. The next scheduled weekends will be Oct. 10-12, and Nov. 9-11, 2014. To find out more or sign up, visit: www.houstonme.org or call (713) 482-1791

BLESSED OLIVE WOOD CREATIONS, a Christian group from the Holy Land will be visiting our church on **October 11 & 12, 2014**. They will be selling olive wood religious articles after all Saturday and Sunday Masses. The religious articles are handmade by the Christian Families living in the Holy Land. The sales will benefit the Christian Families in the Holy Land. They will be selling beautiful articles such as rosaries, bracelets, necklaces, crosses, statues, figures, nativity scenes, and much more.

**Support your brothers and sisters from the Holy Land and take home a beautiful article from the land of Christ.*

On October 15, 2014, from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m., the Office of Aging under the direction of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston will host a "Meet & Greet" event at Christ the Redeemer Parish, located at 11507 Huffmeister Rd., Houston, TX 77065.

There will be representatives from the Office of Aging Ministry, Family Life Ministry, St. Dominic Village.

There will be resource materials on various subjects, answering any questions with respect to the Office of Aging, and be available for your comments and questions about senior parish groups.

This meeting is open to the parish community, most especially the Third-Agers.




THE ARCHDIOCESE OF
 GALVESTON-HOUSTON

"SPEAK LIFE," THE MARCH OF THE SURVIVING YOUTH 2014, is scheduled for Saturday, October 11 from 8:30 a.m. to noon beginning at the Catholic Charismatic Center, 1949 Cullen Blvd., Houston. **The Catholic Organization of Life (The COOL)**, a local pro-life youth group sponsored by the Diocesan Respect Life Office, **invites all youth, families and those born after the Roe v. Wade decision (1973)** to join them for a day of courage, inspiration and fun! The morning begins with Mass followed by inspirational speakers and talented musicians. The morning concludes with a peaceful and prayerful march for an end to abortion. T-shirts available at the event for \$5. For **more information, contact Peter Pinedo at 832-360-3664 or Marilyn Daniel at 281-326-3799**, or visit www.thecoolhouston.shutterfly.com.

—MINISTERIO HISPANO NUESTROS DONES A DIOS.....

SERVICIO DEL FONDO DIOCESANO 2014
“VAYAN Y DEN FRUTO ABUNDANTE Y DURADERO...”



Meta de la parroquia 2014:
\$85,000.00

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Promesa:	\$79,219.14
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(Gracias por su ayuda Cristiana De Los Dones)

Fin de Semana del 27-28 de septiembre de 2014

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SEGUNDA COLECTA PROGRAMADA:
 1er domingo: 10/5/14 Reducción de la deuda
 5o domingo: Ministerio Social

*Corrección: El total de la semana pasada era del fin de semana del 20-21 de septiembre.

NO SE OLVIDE DE ANOTAR LA CANTIDAD DE SU DONACION EN SUS SOBRES DOMINICALES CADA SEMANA PARA DARLE EL CRÉDITO APROPIADO

—EVENTOS

Houston Latin American Philharmonic



VIVA LATIN AMERICA

4 Estaciones Porteñas, Mi Buenaventura, Tico-Tico + Tributes to Maria Grever & Simón Díaz

Guest Artists:
 Lorena Eckell
 Franklin Paz
 Andrea Berri

Tickets:
 \$25-\$35-\$45-\$55
 Tel: (832) 487-7041
 Online
 houstonlatinphil.org

Sunday, October 12, 2014
 5:00 pm * Cullen Theater
 501 Texas Ave - Houston, TX

ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL

Que es el Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial? Es una experiencia positiva y personal que ofrece a las parejas una oportunidad para aprender una técnica de comunicación amorosa que pueden usar por el resto de sus vidas. **Nuestra siguiente experiencia será los días 17, 18, y 19 de Octubre.** Para más información, llama a Joel y María Balderas al **832419-8205 o 832-643-7250.**

CITA DE LA SEMANA

No amemos solamente de palabra, amemos de verdad y con las obras.

1 Juan 3:18



Mes de Octubre,
 Mes del Santísimo Rosario
 ...Ore el Rosario.

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