

# WELCOME TO SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

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*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.*

**YOU SHALL LOVE  
THE LORD YOUR GOD  
WITH ALL YOUR HEART,  
WITH ALL YOUR SOUL,  
WITH ALL YOUR MIND,  
AND WITH ALL  
YOUR STRENGTH.**

Mark 12:30



October 31, 2021

**Thirty-First Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — The LORD, the God of your fathers, will give you a land flowing with milk and honey (Deuteronomy 6:2-6).

**Psalm** — I love you, Lord, my strength (Psalm 18).

**Second Reading** — Jesus is always able to save those who approach God through him (Hebrews 7:23-28).

**Gospel** — To love God with all your heart and to love your neighbor as yourself is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices (Mark 12:28b-34).

## CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

### Saturday Mass:

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

### Sunday Masses:

8:00 a.m. (Spanish)

10:00 a.m. (English)

12:00 p.m. (Spanish)

2:30 p.m. (Spanish)

**Weekday Masses:** Wednesday through Friday @ 12:00 p.m..

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

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

**SUNDAY:** 7:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Anytime before Mass, time permitting.

**MONDAY:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

**TUESDAY:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

**WEDNESDAY:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Anytime before or after the Noon Mass

**THURSDAY:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Anytime before or after the Noon Mass

**FRIDAY:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Anytime before or after the Noon Mass

**SATURDAY:** 4:30 PM to 5:15 PM

Confessional in church

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

## 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.

## HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

In addition to Sunday, the days to be observed as holy days of obligation in the Latin Rite dioceses of the United States of America, in conformity with canon 1246, are as follows:

**Friday, January 1st**, Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

**Saturday, May 30th**, Ascension

Sunday

**Sunday, August 15**, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Monday, November 1st** All Saints' Day

**Wednesday, December 8th**,

Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary

**Saturday, December 25**, Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ (Christmas)

# THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## TRIGÉSIMO PRIMER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

### OCTOBER 31, 2021

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday October 30, 2021**

- 5:30 pm † Veronica Lopez Peterson by family
- † Geronimo Felan by family
- † Alberta Reyes by family
- † Claudia Alonzo Reust by Steven
- † Naomi Grice

**Sunday October 31, 2021**

- 8:00 am † Benjamin Lopez by children
- 10:00 am § Memorial Mass for the Knights of Columbus and Columbiettes
- † Dolly, Mario and Heli Hernandez
- † Lynne O'Daniels
- 12:00 pm † Tina Maria Turrubiarres
- † Francisco Turrubiarres
- † Ignacio Sandoval
- † Jorge Romero
- † Luisa Toca
- 2:30 pm § For our community of faith

### 31TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Now is the time for a new 'creativity' in charity, not only by ensuring that help is effective but also by 'getting close' to those who suffer, so that the hand that helps is seen not as a humiliating handout but as a sharing between brothers and sisters. We must therefore ensure that in every Christian community the poor feel at home" (St. John Paul II, *Novo Millennio Ineunte*).

### 31 DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

"Ahora es el tiempo de una nueva 'creatividad' en la caridad, no sólo a través de asegurarnos de que la ayuda es efectiva sino también por medio del 'acercarnos' a aquellos que sufren, de tal manera en que la mano que ayuda no sea vista como una ayuda humillante sino como un acto en el que hermanas y hermanos comparten. Debemos, por lo tanto, asegurarnos de que en cada comunidad cristiana los pobres se sientan en casa" (San Juan Pablo II, *Novo Millennio Ineunte*).

### OCTOBER SANCTUARY CANDLE

**Sanctuary Candle for the month of October is in memory of:**

- † Vincent Salazar Sr.
- † Louis Duron by Anissa Galindo & family
- † Cornelio Bravo by the family; Gloria & Alejandro Torres Guerra
- † Regina Tristan by family
- Montoya & Tinsley families

### ATTENTION MEN

Men between the ages of 30 and 59 sensing God's call to the permanent diaconate and their wives are invited to attend one of the following Inquiry Sessions offered by the Office of Diaconal Formation.

- Nov. 14** – Pastoral Center, 6225 Highway 290 East, Austin 78723
  - Dec. 12** – St. Joseph Parish in Bryan – 507 E. 26th St., Bryan, TX 77803
  - Jan. 9** – St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish in Pflugerville – 1520 N. Railroad Ave, Pflugerville, TX 78660
  - Feb. 13** – St. John the Evangelist Parish in Marble Falls – 105 Highway 1431 East, Marble Falls, TX 78654
  - March 13** – St. Joseph Parish in Killeen – 2903 E. Rancier Ave, Killeen, TX 76543
  - April 10** – Santa Cruz Parish in Buda – 1100 Main St, Buda, TX 78610
- Applications for the Diaconal Formation Class of 2028 will be accepted starting Dec. 1, 2021. Additional information can be found at [www.austindiocese.org/welcome](http://www.austindiocese.org/welcome).

### BREAKFAST

Breakfast today is served to us by "CCE and Friends". Come fellowship and have breakfast with us and support these families efforts. Don't forget to say "Thank You" to our volunteer servants.

### UPCOMING EVENTS IN NOVEMBER

- Nov. 1st, All Saints, Mass will be celebrated at 12 pm. Bilingual. Since Nov. 1 falls on a Monday it is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year.
- Nov. 2nd, All Souls, at 10 am. Bilingual.

### PARISH FACEBOOK

Join our Parish Facebook to get the latest news of our parish activities. Email [sacredheartwaco@yahoo.com](mailto:sacredheartwaco@yahoo.com) and will include you on our friend's list.

### WEEKLY FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Thank you for your continued financial support to our parish, especially in this pandemic. Continue to do so. You can mail your donation to our office, stop by the church and drop it in the box placed at the church's foyer or you can also do the online giving through PayPal in our website: <http://www.sacredheartwaco.com>

### APOYO FINANCIERO SEMANAL

Gracias por su continuo apoyo financiero a nuestra parroquia, especialmente en esta pandemia. Continúa haciéndolo. Puede enviar su donación por correo a nuestra oficina, pasar por la iglesia y colocarla en la caja ubicada en el vestíbulo de la iglesia o también puede hacer donaciones en línea a través de PayPal en nuestro sitio web: <http://www.sacredheartwaco.com>

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| Sunday Collection                | \$ 8,987.00 |
| Breakfast by Knights of Columbus | \$ 1,742.00 |
| Second Collection World Mission  | \$ 1,121.00 |

*Thank You for your generosity*

### CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Your gift to the Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) supports men discerning vocations to the priesthood and diaconate, priests currently serving and retired priests. Your gift helps to sustain Catholic schools, religious education, ministerial formation and initiatives for life, peace and justice. Your donations are carefully spent; it is money for God's work, and we use it accordingly. Your contributions are deeply appreciated, very much needed and make a real difference in the lives of many.

**Our parish goal this year is \$ 21,500.00**

## **KYAR 98.3 FM BENEFIT DINNER**

The 2021 RED-C Catholic Radio KYAR 98.3 FM Benefit Dinner is coming up – Friday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at the Knights of Columbus Hall in West. The guest speakers are co-hosts of our newest RED-C Catholic Radio program, The Catholic Man Show, David Niles, and Adam Minihan! David and Adam will give a talk on the theme of our event, “**Cheers to Joseph!**” We would love to invite you to reserve a table or individual seat by going online to redcradio.org or by calling the Station Director Robin Waters at 254-749-4937.

## **SPANISH MEN’S STUDY**

Spanish Men’s Study: The Search: La Busqueda  
Programa para los Hombres cada Jueves por seis mas clases a las 6 am hasta a las 7:15 am. Cafe y burritos servidos. El programa es gratis y para todos. Venganse y te alegreras.

### **LA BUSQUEDA**

¿Por qué estamos aquí? ¿De qué se trata la vida? ¿Qué sucede cuando morimos? Estas son algunas de las preguntas más profundas sobre la vida, arraigadas en los deseos más profundos del corazón humano: felicidad, amor, belleza, sentido de la vida. ¿Dónde podemos encontrar las respuestas a estas preguntas y a estos deseos? Hasta que nos sintamos satisfechos, nos quedamos interrogando, anhelando y en búsqueda. Este libro que hace pensar y es muy accesible, está basado en la serie La Búsqueda, una nueva y poderosa experiencia de evangelización católica. Es escrito para ayudar a aquellos que son curiosos de la Fe, pero no listos para el compromiso. La Búsqueda refunde la visión de lo que se trata la vida para aquellos que se han alejado y aquellos que tienen preguntas de gran significado. Tenemos que responderles bien para que vean la Fe Católica como realmente es.

## **OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH**

October is Respect Life month. At Catholic Charities of Central Texas, we respect and uphold the dignity of every human person, beginning at the moment of conception. Our Gabriel Project Life Center offers free education, case management and material assistance to new or expectant mothers and fathers so they can give their children the best possible start to life. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call (512) 651-6100 (Austin) or (979) 822-9340 (Brazos Valley).

*Octubre es el Mes de Respeto a la Vida. En Catholic Charities of Central Texas, respetamos y defendemos la dignidad de cada persona, comenzando en el momento de la concepción. Nuestro Gabriel Project Life Center ofrece educación gratuita, manejo de casos y asistencia material para madres y padres nuevos o expectantes para que puedan dar a sus hijos el mejor comienzo posible en la vida. Para mayor información o para hacer una cita, llame al (512) 651-6100 (Austin) o al (979) 822-9340 (Brazos Valley).*

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ACTIVITIES**

The Knights of Columbus and Columbiettes invite the parish community to breakfast, on Sunday, October 24, 2021, 8:00AM - 11:30AM. Come enjoy some menudo, burritos, breakfast plate, pan dulce and a cup of coffee.

Then join the parish community for an afternoon of bingo in the CCE hall, at 2:00PM. 20 games for a \$5 card or 3 cards for \$10. Hamburgers will be available for \$5 with drink. Special BLACKOUT game and raffle. Come join us for a day of Fellowship.

## **YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**

We invite you to join us on All Souls Day, November 2nd at 7:30 pm for prayer and remembrance of our faithful departed. Parish youth will lead rosary followed by time for fellowship. Bring a picture of your deceased loved one and a favorite dish to share.

Los invitamos a unirse con nosotros en el Día de Todos los Santos, el 2 de noviembre a las 7:30 pm para orar y recordar a nuestros fieles difuntos. Los jóvenes de la parroquia dirigirán el rosario seguido de tiempo para el compañerismo. Traiga una foto de su ser querido fallecido y un plato favorito para compartir.

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ACTIVITIES**

“Grateful to Share Kindness” is a project by the Columbiettes to assist the less fortunate. By your generous donations, we are able to donate to various food pantries. Our Youth Group and Confirmation students will be taking your contributions at the end of each mass on November 13 and November 14. Thank you for your generosity.

## **YEAR OF THE DOMESTIC CHURCH**

**Year of the Domestic Church under the patronage of St. Joseph October 2021:** The witness of marriage is a witness of the love that Christ has for his bride, the Church. From the beginning to the end of scripture, we see the importance of marriage. We see the marriage, the union of God and his people throughout the Old Testament. In Christ, we see the sacrificial love of God who lays down his life for his bride. And in the Eucharist, we participate in the wedding feast of the lamb; the eternal wedding banquet of heaven. Christ’s death on the cross demonstrates the self-sacrifice that unifies God with his people and husbands with their wives. We see love outpoured and new life given. The Catechism of the Catholic Church tells us “It is by following Christ, renouncing themselves, and taking up their crosses that spouses will be able to ‘receive’ the original meaning of marriage and live it with the help of Christ (CCC 1615).” The witness of marriage is an outward sign of the eternal love of God, and our journey toward eternal life with him. If you are married, in what way do you and your spouse demonstrate God’s love to each other? If you are not married, in what ways do you demonstrate God’s love to your neighbor? **OCTUBRE 2021** El testimonio del matrimonio es testimonio del amor que Cristo tiene por su novia, la Iglesia. Desde el comienzo hasta el fin de la escritura, vemos la importancia del matrimonio. Vemos el matrimonio, la unión de Dios y su gente a través del Viejo Testamento. En Cristo, vemos el amor sacrificial de Dios que da su vida por su novia. Y en la Eucaristía, participamos del banquete nupcial del cordero; el eterno banquete nupcial del cielo. La muerte de Cristo en la cruz demuestra el sacrificio de sí mismo que une a Dios con su gente y a los esposos con sus esposas. Vemos el derrame de amor y la nueva vida dada. El Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica nos dice “Siguiendo a Cristo, renunciando a sí mismos, tomando sobre sí sus cruces, los esposos podrán comprender el sentido original del matrimonio y vivirlo con la ayuda de Cristo (CCC 1615)”. El testimonio del matrimonio es un signo externo del amor eterno de Dios, y nuestro viaje hacia la vida eterna con Él. Si usted está casado(a), ¿de qué manera usted y su esposa(o) demuestran el amor de Dios el uno al otro? Si usted no está casado(a) ¿de qué maneras demuestra usted el amor de Dios a su prójimo?

## **JOIN A MINISTRY**

**Be a Lector or Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion or Altar Server or Be a member of one of the church’s groups.**

- We are in need of Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers in all Masses.
- There are different parish organizations that needs you. Be a member.
- **Let us know or give us a call at 254 756 2656.**

## **SUNDAY BULLETIN EMAILED TO YOU**

Want to receive our Sunday Bulletin in your email directly? Email us and will add you to our list. Also, see advertisement in the back page of this bulletin.

## **CONCERT OF HOPE**

The Empath-Way company will sponsor the concert open to all and especially to thank all the caregivers and funeral home operation personnel, hospice leaders, Justice of peace officials, chaplains and providers that care for the deceased.

Concert of Hope by Eric Genuis will be performed two times on Tuesday 2 November 2021 at the Sacred Heart Hall.

1. 11:30-1pm concert for all (especially seniors) and public audience
2. 5pm – 7pm concert for the Waco area clients, stakeholders and caregivers associated with company, Empath Way ([www.empath-way.com](http://www.empath-way.com)) – we partner with funeral homes to care for the deceased. Recently, the number of deaths our community has been dealing with is 40% greater than normal resulting in exhausting caregivers and funeral home operations personnel. We intend to thank them with this Concert of Hope using Sacred Heart as the gathering place. Doors open: For mid-day concert, 11:00am For evening concert, 4:30pm Cost for the concert: free to all attending Parish to sell food and drink at the concerts.

## **TURKEY BINGO**

**Win your Turkey for Thanksgiving!**

Join us for the CCE Turkey Bingo-November 7th at 2:00 pm in the Parish Activity Center. Snack bar will be open with lots of treats while you play. Various doors prizes!



Venga a disfrutar una tarde de Bingo y la oportunidad de ganar un premio de pavo, concesiones y premios. Habrá lotería para los niños.

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