

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Monday – Thursday
 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon
 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Website: www.stanthonypalacios.org

Finance Council: Isidro Castanon, Chairman
 Building Committee: Joe Kana, Scott Tran, Chairman

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	September	23	6:30 p.m. Communion Service
Tuesday	September	24	8:00 a.m. Communion Service
Wednesday	September	25	8:00 a.m. +Adela Farley by Mr. & Mrs. J.D. Greenwalt.
Thursday	September	26	8:00 a.m. +Richard Kocurek by Edith Kocurek. 7:00 p.m. Holy Hour - Adoration
Friday	September	27	8:00 a.m. +Herman Gatica III by Betty Garcia.
Saturday	September	28	6:00 p.m. +George & Betty Kana by Joe & Bobbie Kana.
Sunday	September	29	9:30 a.m. Parish Family
Domingo	Septiembre	29	11:00 a.m. +Cayetano Paniagua by Carmela Carrillo. Jose, Pablo, Carmen y Maria Paniagua.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 28, 2019

Sunday, September 29, 2019

6:00 p.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sacristan:	Amanda P.	Marla J.	Mati M.
EMHC:	Marina G.	Deacon V.	Mati M.
Lector:	Madeline R./Jeanette A.	Valerie S./Nieves J.	Angelica P./Mary P.
Altar Servers:	Avery & Abigail A./Mark F.	Noah & Madelyn W./Brookelyn H.	Fatima S./Victoria M./Abraham L.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Prayerful reading and study of the Bible

- Deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Holy Hour - Every Thursday: 7:00 p.m.

BAPTISM: By appointment. One month notice necessary.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Six months notice necessary.

RECONCILIATION (Confession): Saturday 5:00 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. and by appointment

QUINCEAÑERA: Five months notice necessary.

ANOINTING & COMMUNION TO THE SICK: Call the RECTORY when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. If any family has a relative at the nursing home, homebound or admitted to the Hospital. Please let Father know.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Alejandro Ramos, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Kathie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Tom Navarro, Robert Swire Jr, George Capak, Charles Johnston, Stacy Watkins, Herbert Ressler, Clint Kochn, Elvira Contreras, Bobbie Garcia Sr., Beba Estrello, Brandon Janak, Cathy Mccay, Connie Alamia, Ramon Guerrero Jr, Dian Strogram, Jack Harris, Greg Comer, Elyssa Garcia, Juan Contreras, Vickie Peña, Debbie Reyna, Sandra Digiovanni, LaNoc Gibson, George Junek, Nick Garcia, Esthela Lucio, John Herlin, Russell Harper, Librado Segovia, Carolyn Kubecka, Anthony Constancio, Alex Garcia Sr., Baby Robert Aparicio, John Connor, Pauline Buckley, Clara Cruz, Tommy Beard, John Herlin, Dolores Soltow, Caleb Harvey, Carolyn McDonald, Clifton Bram, Michael Novak, Evelyn Capak, Christopher Duke, Sebastian Hurtado, Mary Alice Garza.

Pray for those in the Military: Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Angel Zamora, Bianca Píña, Jason Nguyen, Jason Hurtado, Henry Molina, Gilberto Hernandez, Adrian Ortiz, Emilio Garcia, Harleigh Gibson, Alexandra Vieira, Alysha Jasek, Bubba Cerda, Maria del Carmen Serrato, Luis Baez Jr, David Cruz Jr.

Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria: Deacon James Dvorak, Deacon Dalton Ervin, Deacon Chase Goodman, Tran Dinh, Ryan Kapavik, Aaron Padilla, Luke Pihoda, Adam Shimek Philippe Dubourdieu, Caleb Krischke, Shane Goetz, Richard Barefield.

Pray for vocations everyday:

Say one Hail Mary every day for new priestly and religious vocations from our parish.

Knights of Columbus meets the third Thursday each month at 7 pm in the Family Center.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas meets the First Monday each month at 7 pm in the Family Center.

Junior Catholic Daughters meets the Third Sunday each month at 3 pm at the Family Center.

**Office of Catechetical Ministry
32nd Annual Catholic Conference**

Saturday, October 19, 2019

Location St. Joseph's High School, Victoria. Theme Embracing God's Family, Keynote Speaker: Mrs Lucia Baez Luzondo, J.D. attorney and co-founder of Family Renewal Ministries, Inc.

Additional information can be found on the Diocesan website: www.victoriadiocese.org or by contacting Christella Alvarez or Brulinda Ortiz at 361-573-0828.

Apostle of the Sea Ministry

**Mark your calendar: Saturday, September 28, 10:00 a.m.
Mass with Bishop Brendan Cahill**

On Saturday, September 28 at 10:00 a.m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Church in Port Lavaca, all are invited to a special Votive Mass in honor of Our Lady Star of the Sea celebrated by Bishop Brendan Cahill, the Bishop Promoter of the Apostleship of the Sea. This Mass, sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria's Apostleship of the Sea Ministry, is intended to celebrate the seafood industry which is sustained by the people of the Diocese of Victoria and to ask the Lord's blessings upon all in the Diocese of Victoria who make their living from the sea: especially, fishermen, shrimpers, crabbers, and oystermen. Through the intercession of Our Lady Star of the Sea, we will pray in this Mass that the Lord keep safe all those who make their livelihood from the sea and that He would allow them an abundant harvest during the various seasons. Following the Mass, a reception will be held in St. Jude Hall.

Church Support for 9/15/19.....\$ 3,225.80
Building Fund collection.....\$ 910.16

*Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.
Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga*

The Priests of the Diocese will be attending a Convocation Sept 23rd - 24th (Mon. - Tues.). Communion Services will be held at the scheduled Mass time on these days.

Victoria Diocese Rosary Congress

Bishop Cahill has announced a Diocesan Rosary Congress throughout the Diocese of Victoria, October 6 – 13, 2019. The theme of the Diocesan Rosary Congress is To Contemplate the face of Christ with Mary (Pope St. John Paul II)

The Diocesan Rosary Congress will begin with an Opening Mass celebrated by Bishop Cahill at Our Lady of Victory Cathedral in Victoria at 6:00 pm on Sunday, October 6, 2019. Then, organized by deaneries, local parishes will organize periods of Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with continuous recitation of the Holy Rosary before the Most Blessed Sacrament every hour in reparation for the recent scandals and imploring God's mercy on our country, October 7 – 12, 2019 Victoria Diocese's Rosary Congress. All are invited to attend the Opening Mass on Sunday, October 6th, at Our Lady of Victory Cathedral. It fulfills your Sunday obligation.

St. Anthony's and the Vietnamese Apostolate call to participation in the Rosary Congress in our Parish:

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament will be held **Monday, October 7th** immediately after the 6:30 pm Mass, from **7pm to 8pm** with the **HOLY ROSARY** being recited out loud.

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament will be held **Wednesday, October 9th** at the **Vietnamese Apostolate**, from **8pm to 9pm** with the **HOLY ROSARY** recited.

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament, **Thursday, October 10th**, from **7pm to 8pm** with the **HOLY ROSARY** recited.

Priesthood Sunday will be observed Sunday, September 29, In anticipation of this observance all are encouraged to use the following prayer in their daily prayers.

A Prayer for Vocations By Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

O Father, raise up among Christians abundant and holy vocations to the priesthood, who keep the faith alive and guard the blessed memory of your Son Jesus through the preaching of his Word and the administration of the Sacraments, with which you continually renew your faithful. Grant the holy ministers of your altar, who are careful and fervent guardians of the Eucharist, the sacrament of the supreme gift of Christ for the redemption of the world. Call ministers of your mercy, who, through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, spread the joy of your forgiveness. Grant, O Father, that the Church may welcome with joy the numerous inspirations of the Spirit of your Son and, docile to His teachings, may she care for vocations to the ministerial priesthood and to the consecrated life. Sustain the bishops, priests, and deacons, consecrated men and women, and all the baptized in Christ, so that they may faithfully fulfill their mission at the service of the Gospel. This we pray through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Queen of Apostles, pray for us.

Retiro de parejas: Tu, Yo y Cristo

Sábado, Octubre 19 de las 8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. y Domingo, Octubre 20 de las 8:00 a.m. - ??

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church 208 W. River St., Victoria.

Este retiro incluye temas de la vida diaria y testimonios reales que les dara a las parejas herramientas para que refresquen, revivan y profundicen su relacion como pareja y mas importante con Dios.

Para mas informacion llame a Jose o Magdalena Cabrera a 361-655-8900 o Fernando o Juanita Prado 361-433-6795 o Jorge o Elsa Resendiz 361-772-2627.

Parish Festivals/Picnics

St. Philip the Apostle (El Campo) Picnic, September 29, at Columbus Club Hall, serving BBQ Beef & sausage dinner at \$10 per plate. Huge indoor auction, silent auction, bingo, cake walk, country store, raffle, games, kids rides, and much more.

St. John the Baptist (Koerth) Picnic, Sunday, September 29, at Sweet Home Community Center, serving Stew, sausage & trimmings dinner at \$ 10 per plate. Auction (1:00pm), Raffle, games country store, hamburgers for sale in the afternoon.

Sts. Peter & Paul (Meyersville) Festival, Sunday, September 29, serving BBQ Plates at \$10 per plate. Auction (1:00 pm) Raffle, country store, cake walk, kids games.

St. John (Hungerfor) Bazaar, Sunday, October 6, at their Social Center, serving BBQ Beef, Chicken, sausage and all the trimmings. Auction (12:00 noon).

St. Peter's (Blessing) BBQ Turkey Dinner, Sunday, October 27, at the parish hall, serving BBQ Turkey and dressing dinner at \$12 per plate. Auction (12 (noon), raffle, country store.

Christmas at Sea - Gifts for visiting Seafarers

For seafarers working this Christmas it can be a lonely time, as they are hundred of miles from home. For many of them the shoebox or ditty bag they receive while in Point Comfort will be their only gift during the holidays. More important than the contents of this gift is the welcome gesture of caring from people they have never met.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT: Rhonda Cummins 361-552-6140 (leave message) stellamaris@olgulf.org (better) During December, our Chaplains and ship visitors will take 20 to 25 gifts (depending on the size of the crew) to every vessel that enters the **Point Comfort**. Some ship Captains distribute the gifts to their crews right away. Some put them under the ship's Christmas Tree, if there is one. Some hold them and place one outside each seafarer's cabin door on Christmas morning.

Want to help?

SHOE BOX PROJECT for SEAFARERS - request your help in collecting items suitable for male seafarers: Small size shampoo, shower gel, lotion, powder, fingernail file, hand towels, wash clothes, t-shirts, (med or large), scarfs, gloves, pencil sharpener, small games, small package of nuts, small trail mix, chewing gum, hard candy, hot chocolate, Band aids, Kleenex & Q-tips, Toothbrush, Key chains, Socks, Combs, Lip balm, Toothpaste, Paper & Envelopes, Stamps, Dental floss, Nail clippers, Address book, Pencils, Pens, Texas souvenirs, Deodorant, Calendars, small sewing kit, Playing cards, Reading materials, Postcards, New Baseball Caps, microwave Popcorn, Shaving cream, Lotion, Flashlight, Soap & Shampoo, Disposable razors, Knitted & Crocheted caps, Cash to buy phone cards. Please avoid including items that will melt o break and pack any batteries separately from the items they will power. **A box will be at the back of the church to collect items.**