TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Thomas More Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston—Houston

Saint Thomas More Catholic Church
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Mass and Confession Schedule

**Weekday Mass**
**Misa Entre Semana**
- Monday – Friday
  - 6:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
- Saturday
  - 8:00 a.m.

**Confession**
**Confesiones**
- Tuesday • Martes
  - 6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesday • Miércoles
  - 6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday • Sábado
  - 3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

**Weekend Masses**
**Misas del Fin de Semana**
- Saturday • Sábado
  - 5:00 p.m.
- Sunday • Domingo
  - 7:30 a.m.
  - 9:00 a.m.
  - 11:00 a.m.
  - 1:00 p.m. (español)
  - 5:00 p.m.
  - 7:00 p.m. (español)
Dear Friends in Christ,

This Sunday we celebrate our big parish festival, Oktoberfest. Being new here, I don’t know much about the history of this particular event at St. Thomas More (I am willing to learn!), but do you know much about the real Bavarian festival? Oktoberfest is an event that takes place in Munich every year from mid-September through the first Sunday in October. The tradition dates back to 1810, when the people of Munich were invited to attend the accompanying festivities of a royal wedding. Since then, the festival has transformed to the large family-friendly event that we know today... which also happens to consume over 7 million liters of beer!

Just like in Germany, Oktoberfest at St. Thomas More is a large, family-friendly event. There are games, various types of food and, of course, beer. It is an event that is supposed to be fun... and good, clean fun is important. St. Thomas Aquinas, the great 13th Century saint, wrote, “Now just as weariness of the body is dispelled by resting the body, so weariness of the soul must be remedied by resting the soul: and the soul’s rest is pleasure... Consequently, the remedy for weariness of soul must consist in the application of some pleasure, by slackening the tension of the reason’s study... man’s mind would break if its tension were never relaxed” (Summa Theologiae II-II,168). In other words, having fun is good for our souls!

The fact that our Oktoberfest takes place on Sunday is also important. The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches, “Just as God ‘rested on the seventh day from all his work which he had done,’ human life has a rhythm of work and rest. The institution of the Lord’s Day helps everyone enjoy adequate rest and leisure to cultivate their familial, cultural, social, and religious lives” (CCC 2184). Enjoying leisure with each other on Sunday helps build up our community and cultivate our parish life.

Community events are important. However, it is worth noting that we aren’t simply an organization that tries to have fun together. Communal life was one of the four pillars on which the early church community experienced the living memory of Jesus (Acts 2:42). We are first and foremost a community of faith founded on our common belief in Jesus Christ. Everything should be directed toward this end, thus our fundamental communal event is Sunday Mass. The Catechism teaches, “The Sunday celebration of the Lord’s Day and his Eucharist is at the heart of the Church’s life. Sunday is the day on which the paschal mystery is celebrated in light of the apostolic tradition and is to be observed as the foremost holy day of obligation in the universal Church” (CCC 2177).

I hope everyone has a good time at Oktoberfest. Even more, I hope that we all remember the primary reason this event occurs at all. We are a community founded on Jesus Christ, and we are called to give our lives to him. And, we have to remember that you can be holy and still have fun!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Clark
Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 20
7:30am
9:00am *Missa Pro Populo
11:00am * Ngozi Alaribe
1:00pm † Jose Saul Mejivar
5:00pm † Carlos Jose Uresti
7:00pm † Javier Morales

Monday, October 21
6:30am * David & Eloise Starr
5:30pm † Leland Fontenot

Tuesday, October 22
6:30am † Hoa Tran
5:30pm † James Rowley

Wednesday, October 23
6:30am * Suzie Hamilton
5:30pm * Mike Mc Crate Family

Thursday, October 24
6:30am † Paul Ayi
5:30pm ♥ Puma Nwachakuwu

Friday, October 25
6:30am † Larry & Leona Jackson
8:15am † Leland Fontenot
5:30pm † Theresa Ray

Saturday, October 26
8:00am † Alex Ignacio Herrera
5:00pm † Caesar Repollo
† (Repose Soul Intention)
*(Special Intention)
♥ (Sick Intention)

One may request celebrant Mass intentions by visiting the parish office during regular business hours.

Weekly Readings

**WEAKLY READINGS**

Readings for the Week of October 20, 2019

**Sunday** Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121:1-2, 3, 4, 5-6, 7-8;
2 Tm 3:14—4:2; Lk 18:1-8

**Monday** Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75;
Lk 12:13-21

**Tuesday** Saint John Paul II, Pope
Rom 5:12, 15b, 17—19, 20b
Ps 124:7, 8a, 8b, 9, 10; Lk 12:35-38

**Wednesday** Saint John of Capistrano, Priest
Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b, 2, 3, 4 and 6;
Lk 12:22-31

**Thursday** Saint Anthony Marie de Claret, Bishop
Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6;
Lk 12:49-53

**Friday** Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94;
Lk 12:54-59

**Saturday** Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 32:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23;
2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 12:19-21

**Lecturas Semanales**

Lecturas por la Semana del 20 de Octubre de 2019

**Domingo** Vigésimo noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Ex 17, 8-13; Sal 120, 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8;
2 Tm 3, 14—4, 2; Lc 18, 1-8

**Lunes** Rom 4, 19-25; Lc 1, 69-70. 71-72. 73-75;
Lc 12, 13-21

**Martes** San Juan Pablo II, Papa
Rom 5, 12. 15. 17-19. 20-21; Sal 39, 7-8a. 8b-9.
10. 17; Lc 12, 35-38

**Miércoles** San Juan de Capistrano, Presbítero
Rom 6, 12-18; Sal 123, 2-3. 4-6. 7-8;
Lc 12, 39-48

**Jueves** San Antonio María de Claret, Obispo
Rom 6, 19-23; Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6; Lc 12, 49-53

**Viernes** Rom 7, 18-25; Sal 118, 66. 68. 76. 77. 93. 94;
Lc 12, 54-59

**Sábado** Rom 8, 1-11; Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4ab. 5-6; Lc 13, 1-9

**Domingo** Trigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Sir 35, 12-17. 20-22; Sal 33, 2-3. 17-18. 19 y 23;
2 Tm 4, 6-8. 16-18; Lc 18, 9-14

Bulletin Announcements

Bulletin announcements are due Monday, 5:00 pm for the following Sunday. Please contact John Chambers at jchambers@stmhouston.org to add a parish ministry, group, or event in the bulletin. All requests are subject to approval and space availability and will be formatted to fit the overall design of the bulletin. Thank you.

Keys need to be picked up for meetings and events during parish office hours. Keys will not be available for pick up outside the parish office hours. Keys can be dropped off after your meeting through the key slot after hours or during business hours.
Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 20
10:00 am Oktoberfest
10:00 am Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room
4:00 pm Contemporary Choir Rehearsal-Church
6:00 pm Spanish Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Monday, October 21
6:00 pm Cub Scout Lion/Boys Meeting-Prinster Hall
6:00 pm Cub Scout Lion/Girls Meeting-Scout House
7:00 pm Boy Scouts Troop 99 Meeting-Scout House
7:30 pm Danza Tonantzin Dance Practice-Rehkopf Gym

Tuesday, October 22
9:30 am Senior Citizen Bingo
5:00 pm Girl Scout Troop 147062 Meeting-Scout House
6:00 pm TDOV Meeting-Youth Center
6:15 pm Confessions/Confesiones- Church
7:00 pm ESL(English as a Second Language)-School Building
7:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting-Rectory Conference Room
7:30 pm Sounds of Faith Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Wednesday, October 23
6:15 pm Confessions / Confesiones- Church
6:30 pm Cub Scouts (Webelos)-Scout House
7:00 pm Confirmation 1 Class-Youth Center
7:00 pm Confirmation 2 Class-School
7:00 pm Confirmation 2 Parent Meeting-Servant Hall
7:00 pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Prayer Group-Adoration Chapel
7:00 pm RCIA(Spanish)-Youth Center
7:00 pm Spanish Choir Rehearsal-Church
7:30 pm RCIA Inquiry-Donovan’s Den
7:30 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting-Prinster Hall
7:30 pm Legion of Mary Meeting- Donovan’s Den Loft
7:30 pm RCIA Inquiry (English)- Donovan’s Den

Thursday, October 24
6:00 pm Cub Scouts (Wolf) Meeting-Scout House
7:00 pm ESL(English as a Second Language)-School Building
7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room
11:00 pm Precious Blood Group-Adoration Chapel

Friday, October 25
10:30am Bible Study, Youth Prayer Room
5:00 pm Legion of Mary (Spanish)-Youth Conference Room
7:00 pm Cub Scout Pack Meeting-Prinster Hall
7:30 pm Danza Tonantzin Dance Practice-Rehkopf Gym

Stewardship for October 13, 2019
Total Collection: $26,579.36

Upcoming Second Collections
Propagation of the Faith (World Mission Sunday)
October 20, 2019
Retired Priests Collection
November 10, 2019
Campaign for Human Development
November 24, 2019

Parish Goal: $193,000.00
Total Amount Paid: $73,349.80
Total Amount Pledged: $91,058.15
Total Number of Participant: 245
Total Number of Households: 4412
Average Participant Pledge: 371.67
Paid Over (Under) Goal: ($119,650.20)
Pledged Over (Under) Goal: ($103,601.85)
Percent Paid: 38.01%

Online Giving
The parish website has instructions on how to register for convenient on-line giving. You will have full control of your contribution account and scheduling. Visit our homepage for details and registration.

WWW.STMHOUSTON.ORG
CCE Classes
Contact: Deacon David Johnson
deacondave@stmhouston.org
(713) 729-3435

All classes are held in the School
English Session 9:00 am to 10:30 am and
Spanish Session 11:00 am to 12:30 pm

Teen Confirmation
Contact: Mary Therese Hafernik
mhafernik@stmhouston.org
(713) 729-0221, Ext. 270

Confirmation I
Meets in the Upstairs Youth Media Center
Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Confirmation II
Meets in the School Building
Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Adult Confirmation
Meets in the RE Building - Upstairs Prayer Room
Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Bible Study
Sunday Bible Class for Parents and Parishioners are available on Sundays during the CCE sessions in the Upstairs RE Building Prayer Room.

R.C.I.A
Interested in joining the Catholic Church?
This process is known as the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). It begins with informal questions and answer sessions. Inquiry sessions are held on Sunday mornings, 9:30 am - 11:00 am in Donovan’s Den and Wednesday evenings, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm, RCIA inquiry. For more information, contact Deacon John Krugh at John Krugh at deacon@krugh22.com
* Today *

10:00 am - 6:00 pm

Please come support YOUR parish school with a day of lively entertainment, games, rides, and great food for the whole family!

St. Thomas More Parish School is a ministry of St. Thomas More Catholic Church that fosters academic excellence, rooted in the Catholic faith and Christian values.

Limited openings available – Preschool through 8th Grade
Call School Office for Private Tour at (713) 729-3434

For additional information, visit our website at www.stthomasmoreschool.org

Let’s Go Tigers!
Parish Ministries

Building and Grounds Committee: If you are interested in using your talents to help the maintenance of the parish properties and grounds, please contact Vince Stasio for more details at vcstasio@gmail.com

Respect Life Committee: Each human being is a precious gift from God, worthy of respect, protection, and life from conception to natural death. To help defend the most vulnerable of lives, by prayer and action, please consider joining the STM Respect Life Committee. The committee meets monthly for prayer, quarterly for planning meetings, sponsors parish pro-life activities and participates in archdiocesan events. For more information please contact Marianne Kahlich at hekahlich@aol.com or (713) 728-4955

Knights of Columbus Southwest Council #3910: Meetings are held the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month from 7:30 - 9:00 pm in Prinster Hall. If you’re interested in helping those in need, serving our parish, growing in faith or obtaining exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you. For more information, visit www.kofc.org or www.kc3910.org or contact Membership Director Reynolds Contreras at (713) 417-6180.

ACTS Retreat Potluck and Information Night: If you have made an ACTS retreat with any parish, you are invited to come to a potluck social on Saturday, October 26, 2019 in Servant Hall at 6:30 pm. Share fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ and learn about our next steps in continuing the ACTS Retreat Ministry at STM. A representative from the Houston Chapter of ACTS Missions will present information about creating a Formation Team and going forward with Men's and Women's retreats. For more information, contact Marlene Wark at 281-796-1561 or marlene.wark@gmail.com

Streamliners: We will begin collecting for the Christmas Dinner Party for members on Saturday, December 14th, 6:30pm to 9:00pm in Servant Hall. Members $10pp and Guests $25pp.

Friday, October 25th - Coushatta Casino w/ Frances Landry. 1st Class Bus Coach – $25 pp cash includes ($10 food voucher) Coffee, Donuts at 6:30am. Must have 40 people. Bus leaves sharply at 7:00am from the rear parking area near Prinster Hall. Returns abt. 7:30pm. STM parishioners and friends are invited to join us! Call Frances Landry at (713) 723-2035. Bus leaves sharply at 7:00am from the rear parking area near Prinster Hall.

Tuesday, October 29th - Sea Center Texas in Lake Jackson, TX. Aquarium and a guided tour of the Mariano Hatchery. Lunch on your own at Red Snapper Inn. Bus leaves sharply at 7:00am from the rear parking area near Prinster Hall. For more info, Call Joyce

Prayer Shawl Ministry: For more information, visit: www.stmhouston.org or contact Margaret Schueler at (713) 666-1311 or via email at meschueler2@gmail.com

THANK YOU from SVDP Food Pantry

The SVdP food drive was a huge success - the pantry shelves are now full! Thank you for your continued generosity and support. Your donations together with our Houston Food Bank partnership and donations from friends of STM parish, the SVdP pantry is able to provide neighbors in need with a variety of food, including fresh produce, dairy, bread and other baked goods.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a ministry that encompasses helping the needy who reach out to us in their time of need. The Food Pantry at St. Thomas More is a ministry of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Pantry Hours are Tuesday/Thursday 9:00-11:00 am & 1:00-3:00 pm Third Saturday of the month 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. For more information on this outreach ministry or to ask about how you can contribute to the pantry, call the office at (713) 980-3113.
The Rosary is a Scripture-based prayer. It begins with the Apostles' Creed, which summarizes the great mysteries of the Catholic faith. The Our Father, which introduces each mystery, is from the Gospels. The first part of the Hail Mary is the angel's words announcing Christ's birth and Elizabeth's greeting to Mary. St. Pius V officially added the second part of the Hail Mary. The Mysteries of the Rosary center on the events of Christ's life. There are four sets of Mysteries:

**Joyful:** Annunciation, Visitation, Nativity, Presentation in the Temple, Finding in the Temple

**Sorrowful:** Agony in the Garden, Scourging at the Pillar, Crowning with Thorns, Carrying of the Cross, Crucifixion and Death

**Glorious:** Resurrection, Ascension, Descent of the Holy Spirit, Assumption, Coronation of Mary

**Luminous:** Baptism of Jesus, Wedding Feast at Cana, Jesus’ Proclamation of the Kingdom, Transfiguration, Institution of the Eucharist.

The repetition in the Rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery. The gentle repetition of the words helps us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells. The Rosary can be said privately or with a group.

### PRAYERS OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

**The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

Amen.

**The Our Father**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Amen.

**The Hail Mary**

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you; blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

**The Glory Be (The Doxology)**

Glory be to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen.

**The Hail Holy Queen**

Hail, holy Queen, mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To you we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to you we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy toward us; and after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Anointing of the Sick:
Please call the parish office to make an appointment with a priest.

Infant Baptism and Classes
(0 months - 6 years old):
Baptismal Class for parents interested in having their infant (or child) baptized is offered every third Saturday of the month. English classes meet at 9:00 a.m. in the RE Building Upstairs Media Room and Spanish classes meet at 10:00 a.m. in the RE Building Upstairs Prayer Room.

Attendance is required of both parents and godparents. St. Thomas More ONLY accepts active registered members of the parish, and living in zip codes 77096 and 77035. It is recommended that parents attend this prior to the arrival of their infant for the convenience of the family.

If godparents are married, they must be married by the Catholic Church and bring proof. Single godparents must have received all three (3) sacraments and bring proof. Pre-registration is required, please contact the parish office for the English class at (713) 729-0221.

Marriage Preparations:
Engaged couples, please contact the parish office at 713-729-0221 for more information at least 6 months to a year ahead of the wedding.

Funerals:
In the event of the death of a loved one, call the parish office at (713) 729-0221.

Visiting the Sick and Homebound:
If you are unable to come to church and would like to receive Holy Communion, or if you know of anyone who is home-bound and would like to receive communion, please call the parish office at (713) 729-0221.

Sacraments

Collect for the Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Almighty ever-living God, grant that we may always conform our will to yours and serve your majesty in sincerity of heart.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

I will simply counsel every man and woman to beware of even the very least speck of [pride], which seems to me to be the mere delight and liking of ourselves for anything whatsoever that either is in us or outwardly belongs to us.

- St. Thomas More

BULLETIN SPONSORSHIPS
We are looking for sponsors for our weekly bulletin. If you have a business, we invite you to advertise it in our weekly bulletin. Or, if you have a loved one who passed away, you can put an “In Loving Memory.” For more information, please call Fred Barrera at (323) 646-7735 or via email at fbarrera@diocesan.com
Do Not Neglect to SHARE What You Have

Keep doing good works and sharing your resources, for these are the kinds of sacrifices that please God.

DSF 2019
Del escritorio del P. Clark

Queridos amigos en Cristo:

Este domingo celebramos nuestro gran festival parroquial, Oktoberfest. Siendo nuevo aquí, no sé mucho sobre la historia de este evento en St. Thomas More (¡estoy dispuesto a aprender!), pero ¿saben sobre el verdadero festival bávaro? Oktoberfest es un evento que tiene lugar en Munich anualmente celebrado en mediados de septiembre hasta el primer domingo de octubre. La tradición se remonta a 1810, cuando la gente de Munich fue invitada a asistir a las festividades de una boda real. Desde entonces, el festival se ha transformado en el gran evento familiar que conocemos hoy... ¡que también consume más de 7 millones de litros de cerveza!

Al igual que en Alemania, el Oktoberfest en St. Thomas More es un gran evento familiar. Hay juegos, varios tipos de comida y, por supuesto, cerveza. Es un evento que se supone que es divertido... y bueno, la diversión limpia es importante. Santo Tomás de Aquino, el gran santo del siglo XIII, escribió: “Ahora, así como el cansancio del cuerpo se disipa al descansar el cuerpo, el cansancio del alma debe remediarlo descansando el alma: y el descanso del alma es placer... En consecuencia, el remedio para el cansancio del alma debe consistir en la aplicación de un poco de placer, al disminuir la tensión... la mente del hombre se rompería si su tensión nunca se relajara (Summa Theologiae II-II, 168). En otras palabras, ¡divertirnos es bueno para nuestras almas!

El hecho de que nuestro Oktoberfest tenga lugar en domingo también es importante. El Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica enseña: “Así como Dios” descansó el séptimo día de todo su trabajo que había hecho, “la vida humana tiene un ritmo de trabajo y descanso. La institución del Día del Señor ayuda a todos a disfrutar del descanso y el tiempo libre adecuados para cultivar sus vidas familiares, culturales, sociales y religiosas” (CCC 2184). Disfrutar de tiempo libre en domingo ayuda a construir nuestra comunidad y cultivar nuestra vida parroquial.

Los eventos de la comunidad son importantes. Sin embargo, vale la pena señalar que no somos simplemente una organización que trata de divertirnos juntos. La vida comunitaria fue uno de los cuatro pilares sobre los cuales la comunidad de la iglesia primitiva experimentó la memoria viva de Jesús (Hechos 2:42). Somos ante todo una comunidad de fe fundada en nuestra creencia común en Jesucristo. Todo debe ser dirigido hacia este fin, por lo tanto, nuestro evento comunitario fundamental es la Misa dominical. El Catecismo enseña: “La celebración dominical del Día del Señor y su Eucaristía es el corazón de la vida de la Iglesia. El domingo es el día en que se celebra el misterio pascual a la luz de la tradición apostólica y debe ser observado como el día santo de obligación más importante en la Iglesia universal (CIC 2177).

Espero que todos la pasen bien en el Oktoberfest. Aún más, espero que todos recordemos la razón principal por la que ocurre este evento. Somos una comunidad fundada en Jesucristo, y estamos llamados a entregarle nuestras vidas. ¡Y debemos recordar que puedes ser santo y divertirte!

De ustedes en Cristo,

Fr. Clark
Bautizo infantil

Niños/as de 0 meses a 6 años

La próxima clase de preparación bautismal para Padres y Padres será el Sábado 16, de noviembre 2019 a las 9:30 am en el 2do. Piso del edificio de Educación Religiosa. Para más información llamar al 713-729-0221

Requisitos:
1. Inscribirse en la oficina de la parroquia y ser miembros activos de St. Thomas More o vivir en el código postal 77096 y 77035.
2. Traer acta de nacimiento
3. Padrinos casados por la iglesia católica y traer comprobante.
4. Necesitamos toda su atención durante la clase, no se permiten niños en la clase.

Quinceañera

Si te gustaría recibir la Bendición de Dios y Consagrar tu juventud a la Santísima Virgen María, en este día tan especial para ti, Te invitamos a que vengas y reserves tu día de Acción de Gracias.

Inscripciones inician el Domingo 3, de noviembre 2019 en la oficina de educación religiosa de 10am a 12pm.

Requisitos:
1. Estar en el programa de educación Religiosa.

Para más información llamar a la oficina de la parroquia 713-729-0221.

Bienvenidos Nuevas Familias!: Estamos muy contentos de que estén aquí y oramos que se conviertan en miembros activos en nuestra comunidad vibrante en la que amamos a Dios, el uno al otro, nuestra comunidad y nuestro mundo con nuestros pensamientos y acciones. Los invitamos a pasar por la oficina para registrarse o visitar nuestra página de web para mayor información: www.stmhouston.org

Benediciones para tres años y de quince años: Para que su hijo/hija reciba una Bendición o celebración de los quince años la familia del participante deben ser miembros activos de la parroquia. Para la celebración de los quince años la participante debe estar en el programa de educación religiosa de la parroquia el año de la celebración y el anterior o seguir un proceso de formación de fe, ya sea en la escuela católica o siguiendo en el Catecismo. Para mayor información contáctese al 713-729-3435.

Tengan en cuenta que las bendiciones de los domingos sea de quince años o tres años, NO SE PERMITE FOTOGRAFOS NI TOMAR FOTOS DURANTE LA MISA.

Ministerio de Comunion a los enfermos y a los confinados: Si usted no puede venir a la iglesia y desea recibir la Santa Comunión, o si sabe de alguien de nuestra comunidad en nuestra área que está enfermo y no puede salir de casa para la misa y desea recibir la comunión, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 713-729-0221.

Preparativos del Matrimonio: Las parejas comprometidas, por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial al (713) 729-0221 para más información por lo menos 6 meses a un año antes de la boda.

Ministerio de Comunion a los enfermos y a los confinados: Si usted no puede venir a la iglesia y desea recibir la Santa Comunión, o si sabe de alguien de nuestra comunidad en nuestra area que está enfermo y no puede salir de casa para la misa y desea recibir la comunión, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 713-729-0221.

Ministerio de Manteles del Altar:
Se nececitam Voluntarios para ayudar a lavar y planchar los manteles del altar. Si le interesa, comunícarse con la Sra. Mary Ann Jurika, mahaljurica@att.net
Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos: El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos, conocido por las siglas (R.I.C.A.) es un proceso comunitario de formación catequética, espiritual y educativa para los adultos que buscan convertirse en miembros plenos de la Iglesia Católica Romana a través de una conversión de la mente y el corazón.

EL PROGRAMA DE R.I.C.A. ES PARA:
1. Cualquier persona que nunca ha sido bautizada.
2. Cualquier persona que ha sido bautizada en otra fe cristiana y le gustaría convertirse a la fe católica romana.
3. Cualquier persona que fue bautizado católico pero nunca recibió los sacramentos de la primera comunión y/o confirmación.
4. Cualquier católico que ha recibido todos los sacramentos pero que le gustaría profundizar en su fe asistiendo a las sesiones de R.I.C.A. Te invitamos a unirte también a esta jornada de fe. Las inscripciones para el 2019-2020 se abrirán el 15 de Julio de Lunes a Viernes de 11am a 5pm en la Oficina de Catecismo. Para mayor información comunícate al 713-729-3435.

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