**Mass and Confession Schedule**

**Weekday Mass**
Misa Entre Semana

- **Monday – Friday**
  6:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

- **Saturday**
  8:00 a.m.

**Confe ssion**
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,

Pope Francis instituted this Sunday, the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, as Sunday of the Word of God. The Pope teaches, “The relationship between the Risen Lord, the community of believers and sacred Scripture is essential to our identity as Christians. Without the Lord who opens our minds to them, it is impossible to understand the Scriptures in depth. Yet the contrary is equally true: without the Scriptures, the events of the mission of Jesus and of his Church in this world would remain incomprehensible. Hence, Saint Jerome could rightly claim: ‘Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of Christ.’” The USCCB has provided some practical points to help us more fully engage Sacred Scripture.

Bible reading is for Catholics. The Church encourages Catholics to make reading the Bible part of their daily prayer lives. Reading these inspired words, people grow deeper in their relationship with God and come to understand their place in the community God has called them to in himself.

Prayer is the beginning and the end. Reading the Bible is not like reading a novel or a history book. It should begin with a prayer asking the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds to the Word of God. Scripture reading should end with a prayer that this Word will bear fruit in our lives, helping us to become holier and more faithful people.

The Bible isn't a book. It's a library. The Bible is a collection of 73 books written over the course of many centuries. The books include royal history, prophecy, poetry, challenging letters to struggling new faith communities, and believers' accounts of the preaching and passion of Jesus. Knowing the genre of the book you are reading will help you understand the literary tools the author is using and the meaning the author is trying to convey.

Know what the Bible is – and what it isn't. The Bible is the story of God's relationship with the people he has called to himself. It is not intended to be read as history text, a science book, or a political manifesto. In the Bible, God teaches us the truths that we need for the sake of our salvation.

The sum is greater than the parts. Read the Bible in context. What happens before and after – even in other books – helps us to understand the true meaning of the text.

The Old relates to the New. The Old Testament and the New Testament shed light on each other. While we read the Old Testament in light of the death and resurrection of Jesus, it has its own value as well. Together, these testaments help us to understand God’s plan for human beings.

What is God saying to me? The Bible is not addressed only to long-dead people in a faraway land. It is addressed to each of us in our own unique situations. When we read, we need to understand what the text says and how the faithful have understood its meaning in the past. In light of this understanding, we then ask: What is God saying to me?

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Clark
**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, January 26**
- 7:30am * Donald Quintero
- 9:00am * Barelas Family
- 11:00am * Missa Pro Populo
- 1:00 pm * Mike Mc Crate Family
- 5:00 pm * Rebecca Rosas
- 7:00 pm

**Monday, January 27**
- 6:30am * Souls in Purgatory
- 5:30pm † Calixta Aponte

**Tuesday, January 28**
- 6:30am * Greg Hamilton
- 5:30pm † Katherine Burda

**Wednesday, January 29**
- 7:30am † Tate Eskelund
- 5:30pm † Ted Mc Cray

**Thursday, January 30**
- 6:30am * Souls in Purgatory
- 5:30pm † Julian Cleveland

**Friday, January 31**
- 6:30 am * Skyler Eskelund
- 8:15am † Vincent Richbourg
- 5:30pm * Larry Balsam

**Saturday, February 1**
- 8:00am † Leland Fontenot
- 5:00pm † Anita Scamardi

† (Repose Soul)
* (Special Intention)

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

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Almighty ever-living God, direct our actions according to your good pleasure, that in the name of your beloved Son we may abound in good works.

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**
Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 26
9:00 am  CCE Parents (English)-Youth Prayer Room
9:30 am  RCIA (English)-Donovan’s Den
10:00 am Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room
11:00 am CCE Parents (Spanish)-Youth Media Room
1:30 pm  Choir Gala Practice-Servant Hall
1:00 pm  Knights of Columbus (KofC) Free Throw Contest-Gymnasium
4:00 pm  Contemporary Choir Rehearsal-Church
6:00 pm  Spanish Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Monday, January 27
10:00 am  Talleres de Oración y Vida-Donovan’s Den
6:50 pm  Apostolado de la Cruz-Youth Prayer Room

Tuesday, January 28
9:30 am  Senior Citizen Bingo-Scout House
6:15 pm  Confession-Church/Confesiones-Iglesia
6:30 pm  ACTS Women’s Formation Team Meeting-Donovan’s Den
7:00 pm  English As A Second Language (ESL)-School Building
7:00 pm  Talleres de Oración y Vida-Youth Media Room
7:30 pm  Sounds of Faith Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Wednesday, January 29
6:15 pm  Confession-Church/Confesiones-Iglesia
7:00 pm  Confirmation 1 Class-Youth Center
7:00 pm  Confirmation 2 Class-Servant Hall
7:00 pm  Our Mother of Perpetual Help Prayer Group-Adoration Chapel
7:00 pm  R.C.I.A. (Spanish)-Youth Center
7:00 pm  Spanish Choir Rehearsal-Music Room
7:30 pm  Legion of Mary Meeting-Donovan’s Den
7:30 pm  R.C.I.A. Inquiry Meeting (Spanish)-Donovan’s Den

Thursday, January 30
7:00 pm  English As A Second Language (ESL)-School Building
7:00 pm  Hispanic Ministry Meeting-Donovan’s Den
7:30 pm  Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Friday, January 31
10:30 am  Bible Study-Youth Prayer Room
5:00 pm  Legion of Mary (Spanish)-Meeting-Donovan’s Den
5:30 pm  Mass-Church

Saturday, February 1
1:00 pm  Choir Gala Practice-Servant Hall
3:30 pm  Confessions / Confesiones-Church
4:00 pm  Sounds of Faith Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Sunday, January 26
8:00 am  Religious Articles Sale-Servant Hall
8:30 am  Coffee & Donuts-Servant Hall
9:00 am  CCE Parents (English)-Youth Prayer Room
9:30 am  RCIA (English)-Donovan’s Den
10:00 am Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room
11:00 am CCE Parents (Spanish)-Youth Media Room
3:00 pm  Choir Gala Practice-Servant Hall
4:00 pm  Contemporary Choir Rehearsal-Church
6:00 pm  Spanish Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

Stewardship for January 19, 2020

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Upcoming Second Collections

Bishop’s Fund for Latin America
January 26, 2020
Black & Indian Missions
March 1, 2020

2019 Parish Goal: $193,000.00
Total Amount Paid: $170,558.15
Total Amount Pledged: $171,528.15
Total Number of Participant: 365
Total Number of Households: 4412
Average Participant Pledge: 469.94
Paid Over (Under) Goal: ($22,441.85)
Pledged Over (Under) Goal: ($21,471.85)
Percent Paid: 88.37%

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
**FAITH FORMATION**

**Grade School**

**English Elementary and Middle CCE** meets in the School on Sundays from 9:00 to 10:30 am

**Spanish Elementary and Middle School CCE** meets in the School on Sundays from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm

**Teen Confirmation One (I)** meets on Wednesdays from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the Upstairs Youth Media Room.

**Teen Confirmation Two (II)** meets on Wednesdays from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the School.

**Bible Study for CCE Parents** is available on Sundays during the CCE sessions in the Upstairs RE Building Prayer Room.

* Drop Off Notice for CCE Parents *

Beginning January 26th, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., drop off for CCE will occur in the following manner:

- The entrance of the drop will be in front of the new gym, turning into the parking lot, parallel to the gym, while exiting to the drive parallel to the school library. Flow of traffic is shown below:

  ![Flow of traffic diagram]

**Adults**

**The Word of Truth Bible Study** for adults meets on Fridays from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm in the Upstairs Prayer Room. Starting on January 17th, an exciting Bible study series called: “Our Father’s Plan,” will be launched. This series takes as its content talks given biblical scholars Dr. Scott Hahn of Franciscan University of Steubenville and Jeff Cavins from The Great Adventure Bible Studies. This is a 24-week Bible and Catholic study that will help deepen your knowledge of the Sacred Scriptures and enrich your spirituality and prayer as you integrate the Scriptures into your communion with God. Join us!

**Adult Confirmation** takes place on Wednesdays, from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the Upstairs Prayer Room in the RE Building.

**Youth**

**Next gathering: February 9, 2020.**

**Young Disciples** is a gathering of teens on the 2nd Sunday of the month to fellowship together and learn more about the wonders and richness of the Catholic faith.

Join Danielle Luna as you learn more about how life truly looks in the eyes of teenage Catholics. We meet in the Religious Education Building, 2nd floor Youth Room after the 5:00 p.m. Mass.
CONTACTS

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5927 Wigton Drive
Houston, TX 77096
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(713) 721-5644 fax
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Parish Office Hours
Monday to Friday
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
(Closed from 12:00-1:00 p.m. for lunch)

Clergy
Rev. Clark Sample, Parochial Administrator
Rev. Joseph Methanath, O.S.H., Parochial Vicar
Rev. Micheal Carmody, In Residence
Rev. Binny Philip, In Residence
Deacon David Johnson
Deacon John Krugh

Parish Staff
John P. Chambers, Jr., Pastoral Associate
Eloise Starr, Secretary
Rosio Contreras, Receptionist
Ingrid Gooding, Bookkeeper
Gabriel Villarreal, Maintenance

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Deacon David Johnson, Interim Director
Mary-Therese Hafernik, Confirmation

Office of Music:
Sabrina Nguyen, Ed.D., Director, (713) 980-3111
Jian Guang Shi, Organist (713) 988-9829
Rommys Orozco (1:00 p.m.)
Lisa Veneralla (5:00 p.m.)
Rogelio Mendoza, Spanish (7:00 p.m.)

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.
Parish Ministries

English as a Second Language (ESL)
Registration
Tuesday January 14 and Thursday January 16 from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm
Registration is held in the Parish School. Fee: $30.00
Classes are Tuesday and Thursday nights, 7:00 pm, and begin January 21, 2020.

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

The Game of Bridge
All are welcome to gather in Donovan’s Den at 9:45 a.m. on Tuesday, February 4th. Bring a sack lunch and $1.00. Come take this opportunity to meet new friends while playing the game of bridge!

Religious Articles
Religious articles will be sold in Servant Hall after the morning Masses on February 2, 2020.
This is a perfect opportunity to buy gifts or to stock up your personal inventory. New items will be available!

Mission Appeal
with
Sister Lisa Valentini, MSC

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ, it is through our living witness to our faith that the Good News of God’s Love is spread to the ends of the earth. THIS IS THE MISSION OF EVERY CATHOLIC – a mission entrusted to us by Jesus Himself – as proof that He is alive . . . and that His Holy Spirit lives in US!!!! In order to help us to live up to this Missionary call, Cardinal DiNardo, in collaboration with our Archdiocesan Mission Office, invites Missionaries from around the world to come to each parish once a year to share their stories with us.

This very weekend, we are welcoming Sister Lisa Valentini, MSC, of the Missionary Sisters of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, from Reading, Pennsylvania, who is here with us to share about the Missionary work of her Sisters as well as to speak about her own lived experiences. Sister Lisa is very happy for the chance to speak about the Missions and to meet you -- our parishioners! Today’s 2nd collection will give us a unique and blessed opportunity to be a part of the work of the MSC Sisters for the coming year. I know you will be very generous – because you always are. Thank you and God bless you.
January 25th and 26th
Invitation Weekend

Every Family at St. Thomas More is invited to a campaign reception!

YOU’RE INVITED
Receptions begin in February

Invitations to our Campaign Receptions are being mailed out to ALL families who call St. Thomas More Catholic Church their spiritual home

Please join Father Clark at one of our upcoming receptions to learn more about the IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission Capital Campaign

We will be hosting our receptions at 7:00 PM in Servant Hall

On the following days:

Tuesday, February 11th

Wednesday, February 12th

Receptions last about one hour and Light refreshments will be served. Come and engage in a night of fellowship and stewardship.

What is a Reception?
Receptions are informational gatherings that provide an opportunity to learn about the IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission Campaign. They emphasize the personal nature of giving, allow for a thorough presentation of the campaign needs and give parishioners an opportunity to ask questions.

View the Campaign Trailer!

How to RSVP to a Reception
You can call, or email our Campaign Director to RSVP. You can also RSVP by using an invitation card from the parish office, or from the back of the Church.

713-729-0221 (parish office)

mobrien@guidanceingiving.com

Or visit www.archgh.org for more!
St. Thomas More Catholic Church

January 26, 2020

SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick:
Please call the parish office to make an appointment with a priest.

Marriage Preparations:
Engaged couples, please contact the parish office at least 6 months to a year ahead of the wedding to begin the church reservation process and marriage preparation.

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.

Baptism Preparation 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 sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion) and bring proof. Pre-registration is required, please contact the parish office for the English class at (713) 729-0221.

Save the Date!
for the next STM’s Men’s Retreat at Holy Name Retreat Center
April 3 - 5, 2020

“The Lord Jesus, the divine Teacher and Model of all perfection, preached holiness of life to each and every one of His disciples of every condition … ‘Be you therefore perfect, even as your heavenly Father is perfect.’” (Lumen Gentium 5)

Can anyone deny that we, as Christians – perhaps now more than in any other time in history – are urged to live our vocation to holiness? Come and join us on ‘holy ground’ as we prayerfully explore what it means to be holy in today’s world.

HELP WANTED: Altar Committee 2020

We are in need of volunteers for two months for 30 minutes on Friday mornings. To prepare God’s house for the next week masses. We clean and refill the holy water founts, set out the purificaters, dust the altar and straighten books in the pew.

NEEDED: 2 ladies in February and August and any month would be appreciated.

It is a rewarding way to honor God in thanks for all of the many blessings we receive throughout our life time. If interested please call, Joyce Coles @ (713)774-2628.
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.

**Looking for a solid, Catholic education with robust academics for your children?**

**Consider St. Thomas More Parish School, recipient twice of the National Blue Ribbon Award.**

To schedule a Private Tour call (713) 729-3434. For additional information, visit our website at stthomasmoreschool.org

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**Mark Your Calendar for the Next Choir Gala!**

Members of the STM choirs will present Gala XI, *Music from the Movies*, with a silent auction before the show and during intermission both nights. Doors open at 7:30 PM and show starts at 8 PM on **February 21st & 22nd**. Tickets are still $20 per person ($200 for table of 10) for fun, food (courtesy of the K of C) with wine & beer & soft drinks. Ticket sales after 5 PM Mass on Saturdays, and after the 9 AM & 11 AM Masses on Sundays on weekends leading up to the event.

If you miss the sales table on the weekend, contact Camille Garcia, 281-433-9312 or email at camillecrenshawgarcia@gmail.com for more information. Cash, checks made out to St. Thomas More Church and, this year, credit cards can be accepted! Proceeds will benefit improvements to the STM Church audio system. Be there!

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**THE CALLED & GIFTED™ WORKSHOP CLASS II**

If you have completed the first Called and Gifted class and would like to take the second part, Called and Gifted II, please join us on the second and fourth Saturdays in Donovan's Den, from 10 am - 11:30 am. The class will begin on February 8th and run through April 11th.

There is no cost for this class, but please purchase your own Called and Gifted Participant materials, available from the Catherine of Siena Institute at [www.siena.org](http://www.siena.org) under the bookstore tab. For more information, contact Marlene Wark at (281) 796-1561 or marlene.wark@gmail.com
Queridos amigos en Cristo:


La lectura de la Biblia es para los católicos. La Iglesia anima a los católicos lean la Biblia para que sea parte de su vida diaria de oración. Al leer estas palabras inspiradas, las personas profundizan su relación con Dios y llegan a comprender su lugar en la comunidad a la que Dios los ha llamado en sí mismo.

La oración es el principio y el fin. Leer la Biblia no es como leer una novela o un libro de historia. Debe comenzar con una oración pidiéndole al Espíritu Santo que abra nuestros corazones y mentes a la Palabra de Dios. La lectura de las Escrituras debe terminar con una oración para que esta Palabra dé frutos en nuestras vidas, ayudándonos a ser personas más santas y más fieles.

La Biblia no es un libro. Es una biblioteca. La Biblia es una colección de 73 libros escritos a lo largo de muchos siglos. Los libros incluyen historia realeza, profecía, poesía, cartas desafiantes a las nuevas comunidades de fe que luchan y relatos de los creyentes sobre la predicación y la pasión de Jesús. Conocer el género del libro que estás leyendo te ayudará a comprender las herramientas literarias que el autor está usando y el significado que el autor está tratando de transmitir.

Saber qué es la Biblia, y qué no es. La Biblia es la historia de la relación de Dios con las personas que se ha llamado a sí mismo. No está destinado a leerse como texto de historia, libro de ciencia o manifiesto político. En la Biblia, Dios nos enseña las verdades que necesitamos por el bien de nuestra salvación.

La suma es mayor que las partes. Lee la Biblia en contexto. Lo que sucede antes y después, incluso en otros libros, nos ayuda a comprender el verdadero significado del texto.

Lo viejo se relaciona con lo nuevo. El Antiguo Testamento y el Nuevo Testamento arrojan luz sobre la otra. Mientras leemos el Antiguo Testamento a la luz de la muerte y resurrección de Jesús, que tiene su propio valor también. Juntos, estos testamentos nos ayudan a comprender el plan de Dios para los seres humanos.

¿Qué me está diciendo Dios? La Biblia no está dirigida solo a personas muertas hace mucho tiempo en una tierra lejana. Está dirigido a cada uno de nosotros en nuestras propias situaciones únicas. Cuando leemos, necesitamos entender lo que dice el texto y cómo los fieles han entendido su significado en el pasado. A la luz de este entendimiento, preguntamos: ¿Qué me está diciendo Dios?

De ustedes en Cristo,

Fr. Clark
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 bautizado 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 comuníquese al (713) 729-3435.

Se busca Voluntarios para el Comité de construcción y mantenimiento: Descripción general bajo la dirección del Pastor, el comité de construcción y mantenimiento supervisa el mantenimiento y la reparación de los edificios y jardines de la Parroquia. El comité se asegura que el edificio de la Iglesia y sus alrededores estén en buen estado y que sean un entorno seguro para los empleados de la parroquia, los parroquianos y aquellos que visitan la parroquia. Si le interesa ser parte del comité, comuníquese con el Sr. Vince Stacio por correo electrónico, vcstasio@gmail.com.

Legion de María (Español)
Si desean servir a Dios, por medio de la Virgen María, nuestro ministerio, se reúne todos los viernes a las 7:00pm en Donavon’s Den. Tenemos como misión la devoción al santísimo rosario, peregrinar la Virgen María en los hogares, visitar enfermos, etc. Si tienes ese llamado en tu corazón para servir o recibir la Virgen María, no tardes, la Virgen María te espera. Para más información llame: Gricelda Sanchez al (713) 550-3608.
Bautizo infantil:
Niños/as de 0 meses a 6 años. La próxima clase de preparación Bautismal para Padres y Padrinos será el **Enero 18, 2020**, de 10:00am a 1:00 pm, (registración inicia a las 9:30am) en el 2do. Piso del edificio de Educación Religiosa. **Necesitamos toda su atención durante la clase, no se permiten niños en la clase.**

**Requisitos:**
1. Los Papás: deben ser miembros activos y estar registrados en la parroquia de St. Thomas More, 6 meses antes de solicitar el Bautismo o vivir en el código postal 77096 y 77035.
2. Los Padrinos: deben ser suficientemente maduros y mayores de 16 años de edad, haber recibido los sacramentos de Bautismo, Confirmación y Eucaristía y ser miembros activos de la Iglesia Católica y canónicamente libres de llevar a cabo sus tareas. Si son casados, deben ser casados en la Iglesia.
3. Inscrírse en la Oficina parroquial para la Clase de Preparación Bautismal
4. Asistir a la Clase de preparación Bautismal el tercer sábado del mes, ambos Papás y Padrinos

**Después de la clase de preparación bautismal:**
5. Entregar a la oficina la forma de registro de papas y acta de nacimiento del niño/a
6. Entregar a la oficina la forma de registro de padrinos y acta de matrimonio

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Celebración de Quince Años Acción de Gracias de Quince Años:
Para Señoritas y Jóvenes
Si te gustaría recibir la bendición de Dios en este día tan especial para ti. Te invitamos a que vengas y reserves tu día de acción de Gracias

**Requisitos:**
- Los papás deben de ser miembros activos y estar registrados en la parroquia por lo menos 6 meses antes de solicitar la celebración o vivir en la zona postal 77035 o 77096.
- Haber recibido los sacramentos del Bautismo y Primera Comunión.
- Estar en el programa de educación religiosa el año anterior a la celebración y estar en el proceso de recibir la confirmación.

Asistir al día de formación de Quince Años, el Sábado 25 de Enero, 2020, de 7:30am a 3:30pm.
Para mas información llamar a la oficina al 713-729-0221

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MINISTERIO DE COMIDAS Y MINISTERIO SAMARITANO:
Si está buscando una manera de ayudar a la comunidad parroquial, ¡considere unirse al ministerio de comidas y / o al ministerio samaritano! Estos dos ministerios le permiten practicar los actos corporales de misericordia con la comunidad. ¡Estamos buscando cocineros para ambos ministerios!

**El Ministerio de Comidas** proporciona comidas a los feligreses que no pueden cocinar por sí mismos debido a una situación médica a corto plazo. Estamos buscando cocineros que se comprometan a cocinar UN DÍA AL MES. También necesitamos personas que estén interesadas en ser un cocinero sustituto para el ministerio de comidas.

**El Ministerio Samaritano** ofrece una comida caliente para las familias en duelo y sus invitados después de un funeral. La comida será proporcionada, al igual la organización del salón y servida por el ministerio samaritano.

Ambos ministerios fueron partes activas importantes de nuestra comunidad parroquial durante décadas. ¡Estamos emocionados de ponerlos en funcionamiento nuevamente! Póngase en contacto con Monique Close (713) 628-3323 o mogeoclose@yahoo.com si tiene preguntas o para ser voluntario.