

## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>SAT, Sept. 16</b> 5:00PM Holy Cross	<b>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary time</b> <u>Phillip &amp; Lorene Dlugosch (d)</u>
<b>SUN, Sept. 17</b> 8:00AM San Luis	<b>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary time</b> <u>Matthew, Emerence &amp; Angelo Fanelli (d)</u>
9:30AM Holy Cross	<u>Father Dan Morales (d)</u>
<b>MON, Sept. 18</b> <b>NO MASS</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
<b>TUE, Sept. 19</b> 8:00AM Holy Cross	<b>St. Januarius</b> <u>Helen Warzecha (d)</u>
<b>WED, Sept. 20</b> 8:00AM Holy Cross	<b>Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gön, Paul Chöng Ha-sang, and Companions</b> <u>Conrad &amp; Frances Josie Warzecha (d)</u>
<b>THU, Sept. 21</b> 5:00PM Holy Cross	<b>St. Matthew</b> <u>Dorine Leister (d)</u>
<b>FRI, Sept. 22</b> 10:00AM Yktn Mnr	<b>Weekday; Autumn begins</b> <u>Ingleberg Gohlke (d)</u>
<b>SAT, Sept. 23</b> 5:00PM Holy Cross	<b>Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary time</b> <u>Thomas &amp; Katarzyna Respondek &amp; family (d)</u>
<b>SUN, Sept. 24</b> 8:00AM San Luis	<b>Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary time</b> <u>Jerome &amp; Victoria Respondek &amp; Alton Gwosdz (d)</u>
9:30AM Holy Cross	<u>Anton "Tony" Tam, Jr. (d)</u>



## NEXT WEEK'S ASSIGNMENTS

<b>Saturday, September 23</b> Lector: Minister of Communion: Altar Servers:	<b>5:00 PM Holy Cross</b> Laurie Metting Greg Foegelle Brian Metting
<b>Sunday, September 24</b> Lector: Minister of Communion: Altar Servers:	<b>8:00 AM San Luis</b> Elvira Ybarra Rebecca Hinojosa Gracy Wolf
<b>Sunday, September 24</b> Lector: Ministers of Communion: Altar Servers:	<b>9:30 AM Holy Cross</b> Sylvia Hernandez Lorene Migura, Dicky & Susan Rodriguez Katy Gwosdz, Sydnie & Rylie Krueger



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**It is not too late to register for religious education classes!**  
Registration forms may be found in the churches, the parish office or online.

**Thank you to all students and parents who assisted with the Parish Festival!**

### Class Schedule

Sun., Sept 17 after the 9:30 AM Mass  
Wed., Sept. 20 at 6:30 PM



## GET CONNECTED



**Visit the Parish web site at**  
<http://www.holycrossyorktown.net/>  
you will find the Mass schedule, a calendar of events, forms for activities, also links to events going on in the Diocese of Victoria and Catholic News.

<https://www.facebook.com>  
Another good way to keep up with what is happening in your Parish is to "like" Holy Cross on Facebook.

While you are online, visit Formed at <https://formed.org> use parish code **C637QG** to register

## ACTS RETREATS

**Holy Family - Women's ACTS**  
Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> through October 1<sup>st</sup>  
Applications at HF website or at Holy Cross Rectory

**Our Lady Queen of Peace, Kenedy - Women's ACTS**  
October 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>  
Applications at Holy Cross Rectory

**Cuero Deanery - Men's ACTS Retreat**  
November 30 – December 3 – El Shaddai  
Retreatant registration available soon

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## WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

September 10, 2017	Holy Cross	San Luis	St. Ann
Saturday/Sunday	\$ 3,326.48	\$ 656.26	\$ 5.00
Second Collection	\$ 773.24	\$ 73.66	\$ 2.00

Second Collection next week is for disaster relief for Hurricane Irma

## PRAYER LIST

Please remember in your prayers the souls of all who passed away last week, Especially: Arturo Salinas, Angela Balderas & Josephine Styra  
"Eternal rest grant unto them Lord & let perpetual light shine upon them"

Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of: Braden Brown, Daniel and Mary Helen Villarreal, Robert Zaiontz, Melvin Sinast, Lottie Wojtasczyk, Melvin Gallegos, Maurice & Elaine Shenkir, Mary Helen Miller, Hedwig Jendry, Raul Salinas, Sr., Elena Garcia, Lola Amador, Lambert Styra, Robert Migura, Susan Villarreal, Janie Salinas, Gloria Sanford, E.J. Biemer, Augustin Serrano, Ortencia Serrano, Kathy Banda, Angela Hahn, Irene Boerm, David Moczygemba, Michelle B. Enterline, Linda Torres, Grady Glover, Carolyn Mueller, Gloria Salinas, Lisa Bossee, Myrlyn Wagner, Roman Fanelli, Irene Ibrum, Hunter Jacob, Lillie Perez, Lawrence Waltersdorff, Kathy Howard, Antonio Guerrero, Mary Metting, Martin Guerrero, Jr., Raul D. Tambunga, Robert Jendrzey, Courtney Soliz, Jeanne Byerly, Bill Jauer, Charlie Caswell, Adalee Lahodny, Patsy Chapoy, Pat Barta, Josie Ortiz Nunez, Adam Nunez, Carol Waggoner, Martin Torres, Fr. John Kollannur, Gloria Llerch, Angelina Balderas, Pam Broll, Ysrael Hinojosa, Ferdinand Styra, Don McCrory, Ida Salinas, Monica Salinas, Andrea Tisdale, Peter Foegelle, Nancy Pfeifer, Henry Canales Jr., Paul Martin, Sebastian Gonzales, Joel Rivera, Anita Abrigo, Roger Pruski, Jo Ann Hoelscher, Edwin Kowalik, David Barfield, Molly Lind, Lola Jane Meachum, Steven Rodriguez, Michael Rodriguez, Alice Perez, Axton Elrode, Rose Schuenemann, Tony Garcia, Yvonne Gutierrez, Rosa Maria Santos, Augustine Tambunga and Joshua Garcia.

Reminder: if you have listed someone on the Prayer List and they are doing better, please call the office to remove them from this list. Thank you!

## HOLY CROSS FESTIVAL

### CONGRATULATIONS -- FESTIVAL RAFFLE WINNERS

Jane Martin-\$1,000 VISA Gift Card  
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CALF RAFFLE WINNER-Melvin Zaiontz, Sr.

## PARISH NEWS

### ROSARY:

First Saturdays 10 AM at San Luis  
Saturday before 5:00 Mass &  
Sunday before 9:30 Mass

## PARISH EVENTS

### SEPTEMBER

24 – CDA meeting 1:30 PM

**Thank you everyone for the work you put into the Holy Cross Festival. Financial results will be in the bulletin as soon as possible.**

## ADULT EDUCATION

**Have you or someone you know thought about becoming Catholic?**

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you a Catholic wishing to receive the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation? We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season.

**Call the Parish office for more information.**

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

Diocese of Victoria, **Thirtieth Annual Catholic Conference** has been rescheduled due to Hurricane Harvey, the new date is Sat., **January 27, 2018** at Holy Family Church, Wharton, Texas Online registration will continue at [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org).

19 – Gabriel Project, Meyersville 6PM  
**Festivals:**  
9-23-Cuero-Our Lady of Guadalupe  
9-24 Meyersville-Sts. Peter & Paul Fest  
9-24-Koerth-St. John the Baptist  
9-24-El Campo-St. Philip the Apostle  
9-24-Bloomington-St. Patrick



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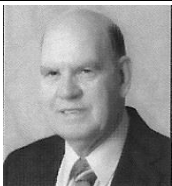


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*"Help another's boat across, and lo, thine own has reached the shore"*

**September 17, 2017: TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY**



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do anything that would keep me from loving you?"

Resentment and anger are foul things, the first reading from Sirach tells us. Remember the last things. Stop hating. Live by the commandments. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, we are to live for the Lord and die for the Lord. Jesus' parable in today's Gospel reminds us of God's compassion. The immense sin of humanity has been forgiven and stricken from the record. We are to forgive others in the same way.

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Remember the commandments and hate not your neighbor (Sirach 27:30 – 28:9).

**Psalms** — The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion (Psalm 103).

**Second Reading** — Whether we live, or whether we die, we do so for the Lord (Romans 14:7-9).

**Gospel** — Forgive one another from your heart (Matthew 18:21-35).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10  
 Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6; Lk 7:11-17  
 Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35  
 Thursday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13  
 Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3  
 Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15  
 Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

## FORGIVENESS

Nearly ten years before, a son and father had parted ways when the business they shared went bankrupt. The son blamed the father. They did not speak to each other again.

Then the father became seriously ill. The mother called the son and told him he had better come soon. The son walked sheepishly into the hospital room. The father motioned his son to him and whispered: "Did you ever think you could

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday  
 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Holy Cross**  
 Saturday 5:00 PM  
 Sunday 9:30 AM

Tuesday 8:00 AM  
 Wednesday 8:00 AM  
 Thursday 5:00 PM  
 First Fridays 8:00 AM

**San Luis**  
 Sunday 8:00 AM

**Yorktown Manor**  
 Friday 10:00 AM

### RECONCILIATION

**Holy Cross**  
 First Fridays 8:30 AM  
 Saturday 4:00 PM  
 Or by appointment  
 Special services during  
 Advent and Lent

**ADORATION**  
 First Fridays 8:30 AM

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