Welcome to Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus, Friends of Jesus Catholic Church
Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

July 9, 2017

Parish Office hours:
9 AM - 4 PM
Monday-Friday

Liturgy & Sacraments
Weekend Masses
First Saturday (Pro-Life Mass): 8:30 AM
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7 AM, 9 AM, & 11 AM
En Español: 1 PM
Life Teen: 5:30 PM
Nursery at 9 AM, 11 AM & 1 PM Spanish Mass

Weekday Masses
Monday: 8:30 AM
Tuesday: 8:30 AM & 7 PM
Wednesday: 8:30 AM & 10 AM
Thursday: 6:30 AM & 8:30 AM
Friday: 8:30 AM

Sacrament of Penance
Tuesday:
Church 6:15 - 7 PM
Saturday:
Church 10 AM - 12 PM
Church 4:30-5:20 PM

Perpetual Adoration
Adoration Chapel 24 hrs.

Anointing of the Sick
Please call for a priest if you are seriously ill at home, about to enter the hospital, or if someone is close to death.

Baptism
Classes and Ceremony: Call the Parish Office to register

Marriage
Preparation at least six months before the wedding. Register to attend an information meeting by calling 281-358-6637.

Funerals
Call the Parish Office for more information, 281-358-6637.

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Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
JULY 9, 2017

"Come to me all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."
MATTHEW 11:28

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† PLEASE REMEMBER THE RECENTLY DECEASED AND THEIR FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS †

William “Bill” Seefeldt (husband of Karen Seefeldt)
Jim Thompson (father of Kerry Orth)
Luis I. Carreras (Godfather/Uncle of Rita Tobias)
Marie Rabalais (wife of Gary Rabalais)

Please remember the sick and their families in your prayers:

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Rejoice heartily, O Jerusalem! For see, your savior comes (Zechariah 9:9-10).

**Psalm** — I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).

**Second Reading** — The one who raised Christ from death will give life to your mortal bodies also (Romans 8:9, 11-13).

**Gospel** — Come, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest (Matthew 11:25-30).


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**Wednesday:** Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday:** Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday:** Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday:** Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33

**Sunday:** Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10-14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 [1-9]

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Mon./July 10**
8:30 AM †Priscilla Patricio

**Tues./July 11**
8:30 AM †Bernabela & Mateo Basabe
7 PM †Jim & Callie Palmer

**Wed./July 12**
8:30 AM †Paul (Mick) McConnell
10 AM †Lee Partipilo

**Thurs./July 13**
6:30 AM †Florence Hradecky
8:30 AM †Pauline & Benny Pennucci

**Fri./July 14**
8:30 AM †Richard Gaffney

**Sat./July 15**
5:30 PM †Jack Throop

**Sun./July 16**
7 AM †John Connelly
9 AM †Betty Doebbler
11 AM †Joe Grim, Sr.
1 PM †Hector Javier Avila
5:30 PM †James W. Raley

**Communion to the Sick:** If you or a loved one are in Kingwood Hospital, and would like a Communion Minister to visit, call the church office at 281-358-6637 to let us know. Hospital regulations require us to have the patient’s name and room number before we send someone.

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The Scripture readings for the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time encourage us to live “according to the Spirit” and to learn true humility of heart. We do this by becoming aware of the awesome gifts God has showered upon us. Some Scripture commentators describe the Gospel passage as the “Hymn of Jubilation” because in it Jesus rejoices in the Father’s plan of salvation for us. Jesus gives praise and thanksgiving for the Father’s decision to hide the secrets of the kingdom from the clever and so-called wise of the world and to reveal them to “the little ones.” This phrase refers not so much to age but to a person’s perceived status in society: the poor, the dispossessed, the forgotten, the weak, the defenseless, the orphan and the widow, etc. It is important to point out that the teaching of Jesus is not encouraging us to remain in ignorance and avoid seeking to learn how to be responsible. Nor is the Lord teaching us that human poverty and starvation are good things. Even meekness and humility are not virtues if we use them as an excuse to hide from taking responsibility to work for a better world. Rather Jesus praises that sense of “ littleness” or poverty of spirit that makes us realize that all of life is a gift from the Father. Ultimately there is little difference between having much and having little. The big difference is when we become aware that whatever we possess comes from God and is to be returned in gratitude back to God. And it is God who reveals that secret of the kingdom to us. Would that we could hand on this wonderful secret to our children!

Thus, Jesus teach us to have a disciple’s heart: “Learn from me for I am meek and humble of heart.” Jesus praises a sense of meekness and humility that leads us, not to deny our gifts and talents or to retreat from using them, but rather to utilize those gifts and talents according to God’s design for the building up of the kingdom. To keep us from making more of our talents than they really are or being of the mind-set that these gifts come solely from our own abilities, “ littleness” reminds us that everything depends upon God and true joy and happiness come when we make these gifts available in generous service to others. While this may seem difficult and sometimes impossible, Jesus reminds us that this attitude leads to authentic peace and happiness. “For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.” Once a person learns this type of humility and simply stops trying to be in control (something we human beings cannot do anyway!), then the real burden of anxiety and stress is lifted from our shoulders. This child-like attitude, Jesus tells us, gives us plenty reasons to rejoice with our own hymns of jubilation.

Fr. Chester Borski

Be a part of the SMCC Fall Festival AUCTION ACTION!

How YOU can help make the auction fun and fabulous:

- **Donate an item (new) such as:** gift certificates, jewelry, holiday items, handmade crafts, religious items, sports tickets or memorabilia, bottles of wine, vacations or vacation venues, unique experiences, entertainment tickets, spa items, coffee treats, and more – you donate it, and we will make it part of a great auction item!

- **Join the auction committee!** We need volunteers who are willing to assist in _any_ of the following ways:
  - Helping coordinate the live or silent auction (don’t worry – you will have other awesome volunteers working with you!)
  - Solicit donations from area businesses, family, friends, neighbors, or fellow parishioners (solicitation letters and forms will be provided)
  - Logging and photographing donated items and baskets
  - Creating fun and exciting packages from donated items
  - Helping the day of festival in the auction tent (whether an hour or all day, ALL help is greatly appreciated!)

_for more information on donating items or volunteering, contact Lynn Lucas at smccfallfestivalaction@gmail.com or sign up at www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c4aa4ac2da2e1-2017_
IF YOU ARE A PASSIONATE AND FAITH-FILLED EDUCATOR, ST. MARTHA CATHOLIC SCHOOL HAS OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU!
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

- Kindergarten Aide
- Middle School Social Studies Teacher
- Substitute Teachers

For more information and to apply, please visit the Archdiocesan Catholic Schools website at www.chosecatholicschools.org/employment-opportunities.

YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON - SUMMER VACATION
The Young at Heart Luncheons held at St. Martha's on the second, fourth and fifth Wednesday of each month will NOT be held during the Summer. We will resume on Wednesday, Sept. 13, 2017. Have a great summer and check the bulletin in August for information on the September luncheons.

St. Martha Women’s ACTS Retreat
Sept. 14-17, 2017
Registration for the September Women’s English ACTS Retreat will be held on Sunday, July 30, after each Mass in the Narthex. The ACTS retreat is a three day/three nights retreat that focuses on Adoration, Community, Theology and Service and is presented by parishioners of St. Martha. Registration is limited and is on a first-come first-served basis and must include a non-refundable deposit of $50. The cost of the retreat is $190 but do not let the financial considerations prevent you from attending the retreat. Please prayerfully consider attending this exciting retreat!! If you have any questions, you can contact the retreat Director, Melanie McTaggart at 832-675-0694 or mmctaggart@hartenergy.com. Registration forms available on-line at www.smcsactsw22.com

“If my people, those whom I have called by My name, will humble themselves and pray, if they will seek My face and turn from their sin, I will hear their prayers from heaven, I will forgive their sin and I will heal their land,” says the Lord. “For my eyes are open, and my ears are listening, to the prayers of my people.”
2 Chronicles 7:14-15

St. Martha Church Couple Prayer Series
Couple Prayer is a weekly series on prayer for married or engaged couples. Experience first-hand how you can share Couple Prayer with your spouse in ways that will dramatically enhance your faith, your marriage, and the faith and well-being of your entire family.
Where: St. Martha, Faith Formation Campus, (Woodland Hills Drive) in the FLC
When: 7 PM – 9 PM, six Tuesdays, beginning Sept. 19, 2017
For: Married or engaged couples
To register: Send an e-mail to franp@stmartha.com
Please include both husband/wife names, both of your cell phone numbers and/or home phone number. Babysitting is available upon request. If babysitting is requested, please list the names and ages of your children requiring child care.

For more information, contact Francine at franp@stmartha.com or 281-358-6637

SPONSORS NEEDED FOR RCIA PROCESS
Would you enjoy sharing your love of Christ with someone who is considering the Catholic faith? Sponsors are mentors who will introduce the participant to parish life and accompany them on their journey as a friend. Sponsors do not teach the material. Sponsors need to be practicing Catholics and members of St. Martha’s Parish.
Please call for more information:
RCIA office 281-713-8972 x 258 or Colette Levesque at 281-359-8197 or send us an email: RCIA@stmartha.com

ADULT FAITH FORMATION
Breakfast & Bible Study: Breakfast and Bible Study will NOT meet for the month of July. We will resume classes on Tuesday Aug. 1, and we would love for you to join us!

St. Martha Adult Faith Formation
Website: www.stmarthaaff.com
2017 Galveston Houston Archdiocese Day of Prayer

Proclaim your Faith. “Everyone who acknowledges me before Others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father” Matthew 10:32

Calling all women and men to a Day of Prayer with Daniel Cardinal DiNardo, Cardinal Archbishop of the Diocese of Galveston Houston and President of the USCCB, hosted by the ACTS Missions Houston Chapter and St. Martha Catholic Church. This half-day Conference provides men and women with insights into God's Mercy. Our event MC will be Joe McClane from Houston's Catholic radio KSHJ AM1430. Speakers will include Chuck Rodine, Victor Azios, Fr. Rafael Becerra and Deacon Tom Vicknair. The day will conclude with Mass celebrated by His Eminence, Daniel Cardinal DiNardo. Msgr. Chester Borski will welcome everyone and con-celebrate with the Cardinal.

WHO IS THIS EVENT FOR? All adults - men, women, married couples, singles, all Catholics, all Christians, and non-believers alike, since GOD LOVES US ALL! Bring a friend or two!!

Saturday, July 15, 8 AM – 1 PM.

Doors open at 7:30AM, Mass at 11:30AM

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ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE ($10) AT WWW.STAOPTW.ORG/EVENTS/DOP2017

Parish Contact: William Chesnut, william.chesnut@wgrant.com

NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES

NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES, A MINISTRY FOR SINGLES AGES 40 and up, will gather on Wednesday, July 12, to talk/eat/drink at 7 PM at Jason's Deli, 1275 Kingwood Drive in Kingwood. For more info, contact Elizabeth Schields (281-441-2552 or elizabeths2@peoplepc.com) or Peggy Broyles (281-359-4560 or peggybmom4@gmail.com) or subscribe to us on Flocknote at St. Martha’s or St. Mary Magdalene’s website.


Project Rachel is the confidential and compassionate outreach to women who have had an abortion or been involved in an abortion. Its purpose is to foster reconciliation and healing between the parent and Christ, His Church, the child, and all other significant relationships. Questions?

Contact Bonnie Develle, 713-435-9215, or bdevelle@comcast.net.

BIBLE STUDY- We will be switching days during Cafe Catholica to avoid conflict. The new day will be Wednesdays at 7 PM. We resume Monday evenings on Aug. 7. Continue your New Year's goal of diving deeper into the faith. We will meet at 7 PM in the parlor of the main church (first door in the left side hallway). New members are always welcome!

CAFE CATHOLICA- Café Catholica 2017 “Be Not Afraid” is a dinner-lecture series for young adults. The Cafe is held over five Mondays. 5:15 PM Confessions, 6:15 PM Mass, 7:15 PM dinner, 8:15 PM speaker, table exhibits, and socializing. Come for all or part of the evening! Free event. www.CafeCatholica.com. Sponsored by the Office of Young Adult & Campus Ministry. Info: 713-741-8778

July 10: Catholic Charismatic Center - Houston, July 17: Catholic Charismatic Center- Houston
July 24: Catholic Charismatic Center -Houston
July 31: St. Simon and Jude - The Woodlands

CLOSING SOCIAL: Aug. 3, 6 -9 PM. Hosted by YCP

St. Arnold Brewing Company

**Carpooling – If you would be interested in carpooling to Café Catholica, please let us know.

Upcoming: Stay tuned for some volunteering events, Escape the Room and laser tag at Main Event. New ideas and suggestions are always welcome. Please contact us with ideas or to join our leadership team!

To join our email list or for questions about any events, please e-mail youngadults@stmartha.com. You may also call or text Matt Cooke, 718-887-6837.

Messina Hof Winery & Bryan Antique Shopping—Bryan, Texas

Tuesday, July 18, 8 AM - 5:30 PM
Cost: $35 per person*

Must be 50+ years old to attend.

Limited number of seats!

Come join fellow parishioners ages 50+ for a relaxing bus ride to Bryan, TX for a tour of the Messina Hof Winery. The tour bus will depart from Building 3 on the St. Martha Faith Formation Campus at 8 AM and return at 5:30 PM.

*Please note that meals are not included in the tour price.

Please register and pay for the tour at the Parish office between 9 AM and 4 PM Monday through Friday. For more information, please contact Annunciata Hopkins at 281-360-1258 or 713-665-9583.
Adult Organizations and Opportunities

For Survivors of Abuse—
Maria Goretti Network (MGN)
A peer to peer self help support group for women and men focusing on healing and forgiveness. For information on monthly meetings e-mail: stmarthamgn@gmail.com or call 713-775-9213.

Serra Club Northeast of Houston
Invites You To Their Monthly Dinner and Meeting
Monday, July 24, 2017
6:30 PM Social, 7 to 8:30 PM Dinner & Program
Italiano’s Restaurant
217 FM 1960 at Bypass Road East in Humble
The cost for dinner is $15 per person
Membership is open to all Catholics. Msgr. Borski, Club Chaplain, will open the meeting in prayer.
Our guest speaker for July will be:
Fr. Skip Negley. His talk will be Servant Ministry as a Missionary of Our Lady of La Salette.
RSVP: Eileen Benvegnu, eileenbenvegnu@yahoo.com
Serra Clubs fosters and promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life; encourages and affirms vocations to the consecrated life and nurtures the spiritual growth and formation of its lay members.

CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS:
Please join VALDEZ FAMILY in prayer this week as they host the Chalice and pray for Vocations. Interested?
Please contact Karen Ehlig at 281-361-7127 or by e-mail at karenehlig@gmail.com to schedule a week.

MARTHA’S QUILTERS
As a tangible reminder of God’s love during times of illness, Martha’s Quilters provide handmade blessed quilts and afghans to St. Martha parishioners who are ill, who are hospitalized, or who have had surgery. To request a quilt or a crocheted afghan for someone or to be placed on our prayer list or to make a donation, please contact: Helaine Parks, hvp12@aol.com, 713-824-7730 or Sally Wasserman, salmwass@aol.com

Holy Hour of Adoration for Vocations
Exposition & Benediction
- 2nd Tuesday – 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- 2nd Friday - 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Sponsored by Serra Club Northeast of Houston

To learn more about the CanCare ministry contact Debbie Mikan, at 832-723-3459, or dmikan@embarqmail.com.

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Parenting/Youth

CALLING ALL YOUTH AGES 11+ TO AN AFTERNOON OF SERVICE, FUN, AND FELLOWSHIP!

Our youth form a big part of our St. Martha festival team!

Again this year, youth ages 11+ may earn service hours for Confirmation, the National Honor Society, Beta Club, the Boy Scouts, and other organizations while having fun volunteering at our parish festival!

- Youth ages 11 and up manage our festival games and rides...kids helping kids have a great time!
- Volunteers learn responsibility and earn Festival Bucks as well as service hours.
- Parents, we need your help, too! Adult supervisors help keep things running smoothly for the kids and help everyone to enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship.

Please stop by our fall festival table after Mass today to learn where YOU can help to make this Festival and Fall Market our best yet!

OR

CALLING MOMS OF ALL AGES!!
St Martha's Moms Group
Our next monthly park play date will be July 10. We will meet at Brook Shadow Park (4515 Brook Shadow Drive) from 9:30-11 AM. Please note that this is NOT the park next to the pool.

Motherhood Fellowship Night: Please join us July 18 from 7-8:30 PM to get to know other moms in the parish. During the summer we will be watching Bishop Barron's Pivotal Players.

Be sure to join our Facebook group: St. Martha's Moms (Kingwood, TX)

For more information email Renee at stmarthasmoms@gmail.com.

We look forward to meeting you.

BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE
FOR DOGWOOD ELEMENTARY

Each fall, many parents struggle to equip their children with the proper supplies to begin the school year. St. Martha in collaboration with HAMM, would like to ease this stress by distributing backpacks filled with essential school supplies to 800 students, pre-K to 5th grade, for the new Dogwood Elementary school in New Caney.

Please consider helping us make sure all students in our community are able to begin the school year with everything they need to be successful in the upcoming school year.

Drop-off Location:
During the month of July donations can be dropped off in the Narthex after Mass or dropped off in the Parish Office during normal business hours: Mon. – Fri., 9 AM – 4 PM.

Supplies needed include:
- Backpacks for students from pre-K 4 through 5th grade.
- Construction Paper
- Highlighters
- Wide Ruled Paper

For additional information, please call Gary Yepsen, 832-803-4377, GaryLYepsen@kingwoodcable.com, or Olga Najar, 281-713-8966, or email olgan@stmartha.com

Children's Liturgy
Children's Liturgy will be taking a short summer vacation! We look forward to seeing all you at the start of the new school year!

Collegian Moms Prayer Group:
The Collegian Moms Prayer Group will meet on Monday, Aug. 14, from 7 to 8 PM in the Adult Education Meeting Room 1 of the Family Life Center at the Woodland Hills Campus. All moms with children preparing for college, currently enrolled in college, or recently graduated from college are cordially invited.
Questions? E-mail Gloria Gámez at mornglor@yahoo.com

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SECOND FAMILY
Did you know that you have a “Second Family” just waiting for the opportunity to share an hour or two visiting in your home, to help with simple errands, deliver a meal or to offer a ride to an appointment? If you didn’t, that’s no surprise to us! For eleven years the Second Family Ministry has been one of the best kept secrets in our parish. And now we are spreading the word about what a great ministry this is! You might consider discovering the joy of letting someone into your life by offering to help out just a little bit. Or, you might like to join the Second Family Care Team and reach out to another member of the congregation who would benefit from your “bite sized commitment”. As always, the blessings flow both ways, and we learn that through simple tasks relationships are built and lives are changed.

Please help spread the word. We are asking that you be the eyes and ears and perhaps even the hands and feet of this wonderful ministry. Tell your friends, be alert to special needs and phone if you know someone that would benefit from having a Second Family, or if you would like to have a Care Team. And, finally, prayerfully consider joining this ministry and see what a difference a few hours a month can mean to someone who is home alone, can no longer drive, is caring for a loved one or is isolated and a bit lonely. To learn more about the vision and the work of your Second Family Care Team at St. Martha phone Martha Busch 281-728-7159 or email stmartha2ndfamily@gmail.com.

The ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE for HAAM is being conducted the weekend of July 22 and 23. HAAM needs non-perishable, nutritional items including: whole grain cereal, granola bars, whole grain pasta, brown rice, mac and cheese, canned fruit in juice, dry milk, canned vegetables (no sodium), meal-type soups, jelly, laundry detergent, personal hygiene items (soap, shampoo, razors, sanitary products, toothbrushes and toothpaste, etc.). Donations of cash and checks (payable to HAAM) also are being accepted. HAAM will have a box truck in the front of the church and a van by the back entrance before and after each Mass for food collection. Thank you for your generosity!

Out of work? Looking for a change?
We can help!

Meetings every Friday from 9:15 AM to noon in Room 2 on St. Martha’s Faith Formation campus-
3702 Woodland Hills Drive
St. Martha’s Between Jobs and Beyond ministry helps those who are looking for a new and more satisfying job.

- We can help with resume writing, interview preparation and networking.
- We also can help you get your head in the right place, spiritually and emotionally, which is critical for effective job seeking.
- We encourage a spirit of service to others. When we help others, we feel better.

Questions? E-mail stmarthabetweenjobs@gmail.com or call Bob Simpson at 713-410-2844.

Monsignor Chester Borski
Requests the honor of Your Presence
At the 5th Annual Marriage Mass for
All Married Couples
And
Their Families and Friends
St. Martha Catholic Church
Friday, The 21st of July
Two thousand and seventeen
7:30 pm
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Hosted by Kingwood Teams of Our Lady
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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WANTS TO THANK YOU...

for the mercy and dedication you have shown to those less fortunate. In 2016, your gifts enabled us to provide nutritious food to over 22,000 of your neighbors, and provide $2.8 million in rent and utility assistance, keeping thousands of families in their homes with the lights on and the air conditioning running!

Will you prayerfully consider another generous donation to the Society’s Annual Archdiocesan wide Black Bag Collection this weekend?

BIBLICAL JOURNEYS:
"A Personal Journey to the Holy Land"

Come join Fr. Richard McNeillie and other fellow parishioners for a ten day journey to the Holy Land this October! Leaving Houston on Oct. 11, we will explore Bethlehem, Nazareth, Jerusalem as well as the area near the Dead Sea and the Sea of Galilee area where Jesus lived and preached and performed many miracles.

The all-inclusive cost of this trip is $3175, including airfare, first class hotels, private motor coach, three meals per day and entrance fees where applicable. Biblical Journeys features small group size for a more interactive experience and a knowledgeable tour guide who will help open up a revealing scripture-based tour of these ancient places. "We call this trip The Fifth Gospel because the Holy Land itself is a surviving witness to the events described by the authors of both the Old and New Testaments of the Bible" - from the Biblical Journeys website.

For more information, contact
www.Biblical-Journeys.com/AnneComeaux or Carla Lewton at 281-713-8968 or carlal@stmartha.com

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ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA PERPETUA

“¿No pudiste velar conmigo ni siquiera una hora?”

Nuestra parroquia es grandemente bendecida de contar con Adoración Eucarística Perpetua en nuestra capilla de adoración veinticuatro horas al día. Jesús mora en el Santísimo Sacramento debido a su amor infinito por cada uno de nosotros, Él siempre espera pacientemente a que estemos ante su presencia y le acompañemos.

En la lista a continuación están las horas más necesitadas de adoradores en este momento. Te invitamos a que participes en este hermoso ministerio. Siéntete libre de venir y adorar a nuestro Señor Jesucristo de acuerdo a tu tiempo y disponibilidad, independientemente de si hay o no otros adoradores presentes en oración. Jesús siempre nos espera con gozo anticipado.

**HORAS ABIERTAS PARA ADORACIÓN**

LUNES: 2-3 AM / VIERNES 11AM -12 MEDIODÍA / VIERNES 7-8 PM / SÁBADOS 1-2 AM / LUNES 1-2 PM

**HORAS DISPONIBLES PARA CO - ADORADORES Y SUBSTITUTOS**

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Miércoles: 1-2 AM / 4-5 PM / 11 PM –MEDIANOCHE
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Si usted está interesado en participar en este ministerio o desea obtener más información, por favor contactar a: Carmen Ogando - 832-767-8826, carmenogando@yahoo.com, Coordinadora

"VAYAN Y FORMEN DISCIPULOS"

FONDO DE SERVICIOS DIOCESANOS 2017

Dios bendiga a cada uno de ustedes que ha respondido tan generosamente apoyando al Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos del año 2017. Si usted ha escuchado el llamado de Cristo y aun no ha respondido, por favor hágalo hoy mismo. Para donar por internet, por favor visite la página www.archgh.org/dsf.

Ayúdenos a alcanzar la meta de nuestra parroquia de $305,000.

Donación de Mochilas y Útiles Escolares Nuevos para la Escuela Primaria DOGWOOD ELEMENTARY de New Caney ISD.

Desafortunadamente muchos padres de familia se enfrentan cada año al reto de proveer a sus hijos lo necesario para iniciar el año escolar. La iglesia de Santa Marta en colaboración con HAMM desea ayudar a esas familias a través de la donación de mochilas y útiles escolares básicos para 800 estudiantes de Pre-K4 hasta el 5º grado que asistirán a la nueva escuela primaria, DOGWOOD ELMERTARY, ubicada en el área rural de Román Forest, en el distrito escolar de New Caney.

Para asegurarnos de que todos los estudiantes de esa comunidad puedan iniciar el año escolar con todo lo que necesitan para un año escolar exitoso, acudimos a su gran corazón a través de la donación de los siguientes artículos nuevos.

♦ Mochilas
♦ Papel de construcción
♦ Marcadores
♦ Amplia gobernó el papel- Wide Ruled Paper

**Por favor tenga en cuenta que las mochilas serán para estudiantes desde pre-K4 hasta 5to grado.**

Usted podrá hacer sus donaciones durante todo el mes de julio después de cada misa o bien en las oficinas de la parroquia durante las horas de oficina de lunes a viernes, 9 AM - 4 PM.

Si usted desea obtener información adicional, sírvase llamar a Gary Yepsen, 832-803-4377, GaryLYepsen@kingwoodcable.com o bien contactar a Olga Nájar, 281-713-8966, olgan@stmartha.com
Legión de María—Somos una organización apostólica de laicos en la Iglesia Católica, aprobada por los seis últimos Papas y endorsada por el Concilio Vaticano II. Realizamos reuniones semanales donde se reza el Santo Rosario, se revisan los trabajos legionarios y se estudian temas formativos para hacer más eficaz el apostolado. Nuestro trabajo consiste en evangelizar y santificar hombres mediante visitas a: familias, cárceles, toques de puertas, llevando la Virgen peregrina a los hogares, entre otras actividades recomendadas por la parroquia.

Les invitamos a que conozcan más y formen parte de este hermoso ministerio que se reúne todos los Viernes a las 7 PM, en el salón #2 de la antigua iglesia Sta. Martha 3702 Woodland Hills Dr., Kingwood.

Para más información pueden contactarse a estos números 281-728-9843 Verónica Reyes ó 859-260-3686. Mildred García

Ministerio Hispano

R. I. C. A.

Los Sacramentos son ayudas, medios y herramientas de la gracia que Jesús nos dejó para ayudarnos a llegar al cielo. Teniendo una íntima relación con Él en nuestra vida diaria.

Si no estás bautizado o solo te bautizaron, ven con nosotros a recibir o completar tus Sacramentos de Iniciación Cristiana que son: El Bautismo, La Confirmación y La Eucaristía.

Si este es tu caso (y eres mayor de 18 años) o conoces a alguien que lo necesita, ánimo a participar en el proceso del RICA. En este proceso respondemos a todas las preguntas o dudas de fe que tengas y es para católicos y no católicos.

Ven y participa con nosotros comenzaremos a finales de Julio. Las reuniones son los Jueves de 6:30-9 p.m. y comenzamos con una cena antes de nuestra plática. Comunícate y participa en RICA.

Jaime Gómez, 281-973-1857, jaimesalvadorgomez@gmail.com

MARIA GORETTI NETWORK ESPANOL PARA TODA VICTIMA DE ABUSO

MGN es Un grupo de apoyo formado por personas que han vivido cualquier tipo de abuso en algún momento de su vida y que están buscando sanación y perdón. Para mayor información llamar al teléfono 281-389-1210 o enviar un e-mail a mariagorettiespanol@gmail.com. Allí le darán más información sobre el lugar y hora de las reuniones y contestaremos sus preguntas.

Come Holy Spirit

Padre Richard te invita:
A descubrir tus dones espirituales...
Grupo de Oración Carismática
Todos son Bienvenidos!
CAPILLA DE WOODLAND HILLS
3702 Woodlands Hills Dr.
Kingwood, TX 77339
Todos los Domingos- 8:00 pm

“Ayudando a nuestros vecinos necesitados”

We’re all in this together!
svdphouston.org

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos

¡Estamos todos juntos en esto!
Sociedad de San Vincente de Paúl
Colecta Arquidiócesana
“Bolsa Negra”
Julio 8-9

-Done y Cree un Impacto Directo-