Welcome to Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus, Friends of Jesus Catholic Church
Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston
Pastor:       Rev. T.J. Dolce
Priest in Residence:  Rev. Msgr. Chester L. Borski (Month of July)
Deacons:        Mr. Jon Barfield, Mr. Tony Cardella, Mr. Bob MacFarlane, Mr. Al O’Brien, Mr. Guy T. Puglia, Mr. John Schuster, and Mr. Gary Yepsen

Baptized into Christ Jesus, we worship as one and reach out to all.

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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When Jesus saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd.
Mark 6:34

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**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — I shall gather the remnant of my flock and bring them back to their meadow (Jeremiah 23:1-6).

**Psalm** — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

**Second Reading** — In Christ Jesus you who were once far off have become near by the blood of Christ (Ephesians 2:13-18).

**Gospel** — When Jesus saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he began to teach them many things (Mark 6:30-34).


**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 12:38-42

**Tuesday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-8; Mt 12:46-50

**Wednesday:** 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28

**Thursday:** Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 26:6-7ab, 8-11; Mt 13:10-17

**Friday:** Jer 3:14-17; Jer 31:10-13; Mt 13:18-23

**Saturday:** Jer 7:1-11; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:24-30

**Sunday:** 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**Mon./July 23**
8:30 AM For the Parish

**Tues./July 24**
8:30 AM For the Parish
7 PM The Benigno Family
   Carol Bateman

**Wed./July 25**
8:30 AM †Rafael Paredes
10 AM For the Parish

**Thurs./July 26**
6:30 AM For the Parish
8:30 AM Ana Maria Lopez

**Fri./July 27**
8:30 AM Florianne Binoya
†Lilia Ahat
†Felicidad G. Navarro

**Sat./July 28**
5:30 PM †Angel Robles

**Sun./July 29**
7 AM For the Parish
9 AM †Jerome Rucka
†Donald Hogan
11 AM For the Parish
1 PM †Teresa Guzman
†Jose Luis Cano Arenas
5:30 PM †Carol Brown

**FEATURED MINISTRY OF THE WEEK**

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY (USHERS)**

Thank you Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers) for your faithful ministry to of SMCC.

Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers are friendly people who create a welcoming environment by greeting people as they enter the church for Mass. They ensure that the liturgy flows smoothly by assisting people with seating, taking up the collection, directing the Communion procession, and wishing everyone a good day at the conclusion of the liturgy.

Barry Robichaux, 281-330-0374, Barry.Robichaux@us.ibm.com
Contacto en español: Gustavo Zapata, 832-247-9955, ujieres@stmartha.com

Life Teen Ushers: Cathy Shepeard, caths2006@yahoo.com

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**HAAM FOOD DRIVE**

The **ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE for HAAM** is being conducted **THIS WEEKEND**. 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!
Dear Parish Family,

It was very cool the first couple weeks walking into the church and seeing the Fr. TJ cut out dressed up like a shepherd. It has been very humbling to see people write their prayers and hopes for me as the new pastor at St. Martha’s. I can feel the prayers as I try to shepherd all of you on your walk towards the Lord. The readings this weekend speak in a special way to the need and the role of the pastor as the shepherd. I know that I need to be at my very best so that I can help lead all of you into a closer relationship with the Lord. And I know I need your prayers so that I don’t “mislead and scatter the flock” as Jeremiah warns in the first reading. What I do as a priest and as your pastor is very difficult and also so vitally important. I ask for your continued prayers as I learn more what it means to follow the call of Jesus on my heart to follow His example of being a shepherd to this wonderful faith community of Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus, friends of Jesus!

Fr. T.J. Dolce
St. Martha Catholic School is currently hiring substitute teachers. Interested applicants can apply through www.choosecatholicschools.org

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY – LEVEL 2
Ministry to the sick at home, in nursing homes, and in hospitals
Location: Here at St. Martha
Time: 7–9:30 PM Monday evenings
Dates: 12 weeks from Aug. 20 to Nov. 12
Cost: $150 per person
Application and interview by the Chaplain Corp for admittance.
Pick up application form at kiosk in the Narthex.
For more information, contact Sheila Yepsen at 281-782-4078

Catholic Chaplain Corps

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.

St. Pius High School
1968 50th High School Class Reunion
Save the Date:
Sept. 14-15, 2018
Contact Humphrey Hughes at wfhughes@bechtel.com

Calling all Women!
Sisters in Christ, want an opportunity to grow in solid friendships with other women, delve more deeply into whom you are as a woman, wife, mother, daughter and friend in the light of your faith and equip yourself with practical tools that can be applied right away? Call Abby Youngblood (281-799-0849) to find out about the Familia Team that is starting this Fall at St. Martha.
Meeting times: 2nd and 4th Mondays or Fridays 9:30 - 11 AM (Childcare available) and 2nd and 4th Mondays at 7 - 8:30 PM.
St. Martha’s Women’s ACTS Retreat
Sept. 13-16, 2018
Registration for the September Women’s English ACTS Retreat will be held this weekend, July 21-22, after each mass in the Narthex. The ACTS retreat is a three day/three night retreat that focuses on Adoration, Community, Theology and Service and is presented by parishioners of St. Martha’s. 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 $200 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, Sarah Eldridge at 713-557-6405 or sarahc@jdhamc.com. Registration forms available online at www.smactsw23.com

ST. MARTHA’S TEXAS TOUR

♦ Hemi Hideout & Brookwood Community Tour – Brookshire, TX
“Tour a Texas-size Man Cave & 60s & 70s Car Museum”
Tuesday, Aug. 14, 8 AM - 5:30 PM
Benefitting St. Martha’s Catholic Church
All passengers must be 50 years of age or older!
Cost of each Tour: $35*
Limited number of seats!
The tour bus will depart from Building 3 on the St. Martha Faith Formation Campus at 8 AM.
*Please note that meals are not included in the tour price.
Please register and pay for the tours at the Parish office between 9 AM—4 PM, Monday-Friday. For more information, please contact Lela Querubin, 832-689-3293 or Mary Auzenne, 713-705-3358.

Maria Goretti Network (MGN) - Support Group for Survivors of Abuse
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.

Charismatic Prayer Meeting
Please come join us in prayer, praise, thanksgiving, song and supplication. Come and gain a closer knowledge of and union with the Holy Spirit, Jesus’ gift to us at the first Pentecost. (Acts 2:1-21) It is our great desire to give God glory and to develop a personal relationship with Jesus. We invite you to be one with us, and to partake of His gifts.
Time: Saturday morning 9-10 AM and Sunday evening 8-9 PM
Place: Faith Formation Campus, 3702 Woodland Hills Drive at the Small Chapel.

Divine Mercy Chaplet—
The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed in the chapel at the Faith Formation Campus every Sunday at 3 PM for the conversion of sinners, the sick and the dying.
Everyone welcome!

NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES
Have some fun! Join NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES, A MINISTRY FOR SINGLES AGES 40 and older, on Wednesday, July 25, to talk/drink/eat at 7 PM at Zachary's Cajun Cafe, 716 Kingwood Drive in Kingwood. For more info, contact Elizabeth Schields (281-441-2552 or elizabeths2@peoplepc.com) or Peggy Broyles (281-359-4560 or peggybmond@gmail.com) or subscribe to us on Flocknote on St. Martha’s website.

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. 12, 2018.
Have a great summer and check the bulletin in August for information on the September luncheons.

Hurting? Healing after Abortion—PROJECT RACHEL
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? Call 713-741-8728.

Martha’s Quilters
Martha’s Quilters makes and gives blessed afghans and quilts to parishioners who are sick or undergoing surgery. Please help us find our parishioners who need this comfort and our prayers.
Call or text Helaine Parks at 713-824-7730 or e-mail Sally Wasserman at salmwass@aol.com
Come and join us! Enjoy an afternoon of fun, fellowship and making rosaries. We can teach you how to make a rosary and you can make rosaries at our regular meetings or/and you make them at home.

**July 2018 Meetings at St Martha Woodland Hill Campus, Room 2:**
2nd Sunday 1:30—3 PM and 4th Wednesday 11:30 AM—3 PM

Contact Gilda Womack, Director at 281-989-4241 or gawomack@hotmail.com for more information, membership, rosary supplies, and rosary orders.

Learn how to pray the rosary! Classes in English and Spanish on Sept. 9. We can teach you how to pray the rosary.

Please RSVP at fkattijaari@gmail.com

**The 2018 Wedding Anniversary Jubilee Mass** honoring couples celebrating their Silver (25th) Anniversary of marriage in the Catholic Church will be held on Sunday, Sept. 16, at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart at 3 PM. Whether or not a couple attends the ceremony, they are eligible to receive a special recognition.

**The 2018 Wedding Anniversary Jubilee Mass** honoring couples celebrating their Golden (50th) Anniversary of marriage in the Catholic Church will be held on Sunday, Oct. 21, at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart at 3 PM. Registration will close on Aug. 24, at midnight for the 25th WAJ and Sept. 30, for those celebrating their 50th WAJ. Reserved seating will be limited. Each couple will be able to bring a maximum of six family members or friends to the Mass.

Couples that register after the deadline will not receive a prepared WAJ packet, or a signed recognition. The packet and recognition will be mailed to your home after verification of your sacramental marriage is confirmed. Please register online at https://www.archgh.org/offices-ministries/pastoral-educational-ministries/family-life-ministry/marriage-enrichment/wedding-anniversary-jubilee/
**Vocations Corner**

**Beatitudes for Nurturing Church Vocations in the Family**

Blessed are the children of parents who…

1. Witness love for their spouse, their children, their neighbor, and the world.
2. Talk freely about the presence of God in the joys and sorrows of their lives.
3. Remind their children that they are loved by God and have been given gifts to serve others.
4. Lead their family in prayer.
5. Speak positively about priests, sisters, brothers, and deacons.
6. Participate in the lay ministries and activities of their parish and community.
7. Invite a deacon, brother, sister or priest to their home.
8. Encourage their children to consider priesthood and religious life, as well as marriage.

Beatitudes by National Religious Vocation Conference/Photo by Two-Eleven Photography

**Parenting and Youth**

**Calling moms of all ages!**

**St Martha's Moms Group**

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

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

We look forward to meeting you.

**Serra Club Northeast of Houston**

**Invites You To Their Monthly Dinner and Meeting**

**Monday, July 23, 2018**

6:30 PM Social, 7-8:30 PM Dinner and Program

Italiano’s Restaurant, 217 FM 1960 at Bypass Road East in Humble, Texas

The cost for dinner is $15 per person

Membership is open to all Catholics, Father Osasona, Club Chaplain, will open the meeting in prayer.

Our guest speaker for July will be: 

**Father Felix Osasona, pastor of St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church.**

RSVP: Eileen Benvegnu, eileenbenvegnu@yahoo.com
(713) 826-4943

Serra Clubs foster 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.

Serra Club Northeast of Houston is part of Serra USA, District 10, serving St. Martha, St. Mary Magdalene, St. Philip, St. John of the Cross, St. Leo, and St. Dominic. To find out more about this organization, go to https://serra10.com.

**ST. MARTHA SUNDAY NURSERY**

Sundays- 9 AM, 11 AM and 1 PM

Open every Sunday, with the exception of Thanksgiving weekend, Christmas, New Year’s Day and Easter.

**2018 - 19 CATECHESIS REGISTRATION**

Grades PreK – 8

REGISTER NOW!

REGISTRATION AND VOLUNTEER FORMS available online and in the Faith Formation office.

281.358.1959/Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm.

The Faith Formation Office will be closed this week. Re-opening Monday, July 30, at 9 AM.
2nd Family Ministry
St. Martha’s 2nd Family Ministry consists of a group of volunteers who provide personal presence and assistance to make life better for the weak and vulnerable and for those who serve them.

Through simple acts of kindness, team members enable care “partners” to retain their independence and self-esteem while offering primary caregivers respite from the demands of caring for a loved one. If you or someone you know could benefit from 2nd Family Ministry, please contact Sharon Voorhes at StMartha2ndfamily@gmail.com. This ministry is also looking for additional volunteers.

Save the Date for the St. Martha Fall Festival
Oct. 13, 2018
Noon to 8 PM
Please mark your calendar for Fun, Food and Fellowship.

We are in need of volunteers to help lead for the following areas: Raffle, Youth activity coordinator, First aid, Inflatables supervisor and someone to over see the adult beverages area. If interested please contact Pat Twohy 713-444-1250 or pat.twothy@gmail.com

What a great way to serve the community.
More to come.

As part of the Diocesan Missionary Cooperative Plan, the Dominican Sisters of Houston will give a mission appeal at the Masses this weekend for their mission school, San Vicente de Paul Bethania, which is located in one of the poorest neighborhoods in Guatemala City. The second collection will benefit the sisters’ mission school.

Concert for Life 2018
On Thursday, Aug. 9, seminarian, Deacon David Michael Moses will be performing the Sixth Annual Concert for Life. Not only is it free, but thanks to generous underwriters, $62 will automatically be donated to Houston Pregnancy Help Centers for each person who attends. Check out davidmichaelmoses.com for more information.

DSF 2018—
If you have not already offered your pledge in this year’s Diocesan Services Fund (DSF), please do so today. DSF 2018 is focused on us, the Church, as we use our gifts to be Instruments of God’s Mercy, which will benefit ministries that serve thousands and thousands of our brothers and sisters in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. Through your generous support of DSF, we bring Christ’s comfort and care to the many pressing needs that cannot be addressed individually or by one parish alone. Our parish goal for 2018 is $305,000. With every parish family’s full participation, we will surely exceed this amount and do our share to help so many in need, advancing the work of the Church in our community. To give online, please visit www.archgh.org/dsf. For those of you who have already responded with a gift, please accept our sincere gratitude.
PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

“Could you not watch one hour with Me?”

OPEN HOURS

SATURDAY 1-2 AM, 7-8 PM

SECOND ADORERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING HOURS:

Monday: 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 5-6 AM, 11 AM - NOON
Tuesday: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 7-8 AM, MIDNIGHT-1 AM
Wednesday: 2-3 AM, 4-5 AM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 11 PM - MIDNIGHT
Thursday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 1-2 PM, 4-5 PM
Friday: 2-3 AM, 6-7 AM, 4-5 PM, 12-1 PM, 10-11 PM
Saturday AM: 1-2 AM, 5-6 AM, 9-10 AM, 10-11 AM, 11 AM - NOON
Saturday PM: 2-3 PM, 3-4 PM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11 PM
Sunday: 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 10-11 AM, 2-3 PM

If you are interested in participating in this ministry or would like more information, please contact: Carmen Ogando at 832-767-8826 or at carmenogando@yahoo.com. If you need a substitute, please call your division leaders: Robyn Laumbach for Midnight to 6 AM (713-851-8768) Karen Ehlig for 6 AM to Noon (281-813-3285) Annunciata Hopkins for Noon to 6 PM (281-360-1258) Beth Beckham for 6 PM to Midnight (281-435-1439)

“Keeping the Promise Alive (KPA) Refresher Workshop”

Saturday, Sept. 22, in the Family Life Center from 9:30—11 AM

Registration Directions:
Must have attended and met the 5-year PGC anniversary date.

Important note: Do not create a new account to pre-register for KPA. Please log into your original account created when you attended a VIRTUS Protecting God’s Children® workshop.

Please use the following steps to complete your Background Check, Volunteer Code of Conduct, and pre-register for “Keeping the Promise Alive” Refresher training.

When you log into your original VIRTUS account on www.virtusonline.org you will be prompted to do the following steps:

1. Update your contact information (please make sure you enter your legal name)
2. Complete a background check via the Fastrax website
3. Choose a live KPA workshop from the list

Please keep in mind, step 1 and 2 must be completed in order to register and view the KPA trainings. If you do not complete the electronic background check you will not be able to choose a KPA workshop.

If you do not remember your user id and password, please contact your Parish Safe Environment Coordinator Ana Rodriguez at anarodz@stmartha.com or Michelle Campisi at michellec@stmartha.com

If you would like to participate/volunteer in a Ministry and are 18 yrs. or older, you must be Virtus trained.

This three hour training will be offered at St. Martha’s on:

“Protecting God’s Children” Virtus Workshop

Wednesday, Aug. 29, in the Family Life Center from 6:30—9:30 PM

Must pre-register online! You must be 18 yrs. or older.

No children allowed. No late admittance, please arrive 30 minutes early. No walk-ins.

Any questions or for further information/assistance, please contact St. Martha’s Virtus Coordinators at 281-358-1959 ext. 212 or by email:
Ana Luisa Rodriguez, anarodz@stmartha.com or Michelle Campisi michellec@stmartha.com

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA PERPETUA

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

HORAS DISPONIBLES PARA ADORADORES

SABADOS 1-2 AM, 7-8 PM

HORAS DISPONIBLES PARA CO-ADORADORES Y SUBSTITUTOS

Lunes: 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 5-6 AM, 11 AM - MEDIODIA
Martes: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 7-8 AM, MEDIANOCHE - 1 AM
Miércoles: 2-3 AM, 4-5 AM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 11 PM - MEDIANOCHE
Jueves: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 1-2 PM, 4-5 PM
Viernes: 2-3 AM, 6-7 AM, 4-5 PM, 12-1 PM, 10-11 PM
Sábado AM: 1-2 AM, 5-6 AM, 9-10 AM, 10-11 AM, 11 AM – NOON
Sábado PM: 2-3 PM, 3-4 PM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11 PM
Domingo: 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 10-11 AM, 2-3 PM

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
Ministerio Hispano

Querida Familia Parroquial,

Fue muy chévere estas primeras dos semanas entrar a la iglesia y ver la silueta del Padre. TJ vestido como un pastor. Ha sido muy alagante ver a la gente escribir sus oraciones y esperanzas para mí como el nuevo pastor en St. Martha’s. Puedo sentir las oraciones mientras trato de pastorearlos a todos ustedes en su caminar hacia el Señor. Las lecturas de este fin de semana hablan de manera especial de la necesidad y el papel del sacerdote como pastor. Sé que necesito estar en mi mejor momento para poder ayudar a todos ustedes a tener una relación más estrecha con el Señor. Y sé que necesito sus oraciones para no "confundir y dispersar al rebaño," como advirtió Jeremías en la primera lectura. Lo que hago como sacerdote y como pastor es muy difícil y también de vital importancia. ¡Pido sus oraciones continuas a medida que aprendo más de lo que significa seguir el llamado de Jesús en mi corazón para seguir su ejemplo de ser un pastor de esta maravillosa comunidad de fe de los Santos Marta, María y Lázaro, amigos de Jesús!

Fr. T.J. Dolce

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St. Martha Rosary Guild

¡Ven y Únete a nosotros! Disfruta de una tarde de diversión, compañerismo y rosarios. Podemos enseñarte cómo hacer un Rosario y se pueden hacer Rosarios en nuestras reuniones regulares o y hacerlos en casa ¡Buenas noticias! Los estudiantes pueden ganar horas de confirmación hacer Rosarios con nuestro Ministerio

Julio de 2018 reuniones en el Campus del St Martha Woodland Hill, habitación 2:
Domingo 2 º 1:30—3 PM y 4 º miércoles 11:30 AM—3 PM
Contacta con Gilda Womack, Directora al 281-989-4241 o gawomack@hotmail.com para más información, membresía, suministros de Rosario y Rosario pedidos.

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Legión de María—

Somos una organización apostólica de laicos en la iglesia Católica, aprobada por los últimos tres Papas y endorada por el Concilio Vaticano II. Realizamos reuniones semanales en donde se reza el Santo Rosario, se asignan trabajos legionarios y se estudian temas informativos para hacer más eficaz el apostolado. Nuestros trabajos consisten en evangelizar y santificar hombres mediante visitas a: familias, cárcceles, toques de puertas, llevando a 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 7PM. En el salón #2 de la antigua iglesia Sta. Martha en el 3702 Woodland Hills Dr. Para más información pueden contactar a estos números 281-728-9843 Verónica Reyes ó 504-228-6694 Mildred García
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 los 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.

Comunicate y participa en RICA.
Jaime Gómez, 281-973-1857, jaimesalvador@gmail.com

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 mariagorettespanol@gmail.com. Allí le darán más información sobre el lugar y hora de las reuniones y contestaremos sus preguntas.

COLECTA DE COMIDA JULIO 21 Y 22 ¡
Querida comunidad ahora es tiempo de donar comida para suplir la alacena de HAAM! Como ustedes saben muchas familias están necesitando comida durante el verano, ya que los niños están de vacaciones. La colecta de comida no precederá se llevará a cabo el Sábado 21 de Julio en la misa de 5:30 pm y el Domingo 22 de Julio en todas las misas. HAAM necesita donaciones de alimentos no perecederos que incluyen: cereal integral, barras de granola, pasta integral, arroz integral, macarrones con queso, fruta enlatada en jugo, leche en polvo, verduras enlatadas (sin sodio), sopas de comida, gelatina, detergente para la ropa, artículos de higiene personal (jabón, champú, máquinas de afeitar, productos sanitarios, cepillos de dientes y pasta de dientes, etc.).
Las donaciones de efectivo y cheques (a nombre de HAAM) también están siendo aceptadas. Como cada año, HAAM tendrá un camión de caja al frente de la iglesia y contenedores en todas las puertas para que usted deje sus donaciones antes y después de cada misa. ¡Gracias por ayudar aquellos menos afortunados que nosotros!
## Community Life Ministries

- **Director of Community Life:** Francine Puglia, 281-713-8954
  - Acts Retreat—Willie Chesnut, ACTSConnection@StMarthaACTS.org
  - Annulments—Francine Puglia, 281-713-8954
  - **Caring Cores**—Karen Rexer, 281-354-8857, or Marian Brown, 281-630-4820
  - Catholic Daughters of the Americas—Sherry Hundl, yellowrose716@live.com
  - Centering Prayer—Greg LaCour, gplacour@gmail.com
  - **Columbian Squires**—Mark Roseland, 713-419-2532
  - **Divorce Support Group**—Vicki Ruck, vickiruck@uddenlink.net
  - **Family**—Abby Youngblood, 281-709-0849
  - Grief Support—Laura Cardella, 281-360-2714
  - **Homebound Errand Committee**—Greta Verhalen, 832-264-7755
  - **Knights of Columbus**—Mike Bennett, 281-358-1959
  - **Liturgy Ministry**—Marilyn Parra, marilep@stmartha.com
  - **Martha’s Altar Guild & Designers**—Marilyn Parra, marilep@stmartha.com
  - **Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**—Carmen Ogando, 832-767-8826
  - **Powerpoint Ministry Team**—Rowan Ljungdahl, rowanlj2@gmail.com
  - **Quinceañeras**—Yazmin Lago, 281-713-2032
  - **Sacristans**—Art Vollmann, 281-361-6117
  - **Sound Board Ministry**—David Boyd, david.t.boyle@gmail.com
  - **Usurers**—Barry Robichaux, Barry.Robichaux@us.ibm.com
  - **Vocations Committee**—Phil & Diane Applegrass, dani2@turbineengine.com
  - **Young at Heart Luncheon**—Carol Bateman, 281-359-1976 or Nancy Karpinski, 713-594-4430
  - **Young at Heart Luncheon Transport**—Domenica Seitz, 713-899-1016

## Faith Formation

- **Director of Faith Formation**—Carla Lovetton, 281-358-1959
  - **Cornerstone Bible Study**—Pam Rockwell, 281-358-1959
  - **RCIA**—RCIA@stmartha.com
  - **Young Adults of St. Martha**—Hayden@stmartha.com
  - **Elementary School & VBS**—Patty Jost, 713-713-8969
  - **Confirmation**—281-358-1959
  - **Middle School Coordinator (EJE)**—Lisa Hartsfield, 281-358-1959
  - **High School Coordinator (Life Teen)**—Mike Lahey, 281-358-1959

## Liturgical Ministries

- **Director of Liturgy**—Marilyn Parra, marilep@stmartha.com
- **Director of Music**—Dr. Daniel Knaggs, daniel@stmartha.com
- **Altar Servers**—Jennifer Farace, jfarace4@gmail.com
- **Baptism**—281-358-1959
- **Cantors**—281-358-6637
- **Children’s Adoration**—Kristen Johnson, 281-713-2518
- **Children’s Choir**—281-358-6637
- **Children’s Liturgy**—Jaclyn Dement, stmarthacm@hotmail.com
- **Communion to the Sick**—Hospital Visit: Gene Goll, 281-728-0956
  - Nursing Home & Homebound: Kathy Gearhart, 402-290-3711
  - Hispanic Communion to the Sick: Ana Maria Gibson, 713-865-9496
- **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist**—Pam Rockwell, 281-358-1959
- **Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**—Carmen Ogando, 832-767-8826
- **PowerPoint Ministry Team**—Rowan Ljungdahl, rowanj2@gmail.com
- **Quinceañeras**—Yazmin Lago, 281-713-2032
- **Sacristans**—Art Vollmann, 281-361-6117
- **Sound Board Ministry**—David Boyd, david.t.boyle@gmail.com
- **Usurers**—Barry Robichaux, Barry.Robichaux@us.ibm.com

## Social Services

- **Director of Social Services**—Olga Najjar, 281-713-8966
- **AMSIF**—Flor Jasso, 832-335-8475
- **Cancare**—Debbie Mikan, 832-723-3459, dmikan@outlook.com
- **Criminal Justice Ministry**—Jaime S. Gomez, 281-973-1857
- **E-Mail Prayer Warriors**—Donna Rueby, dmrueby@earthlink.net
- **H.A.M.M.**—Mary Curtis, themarycurtis@gmail.com
- **Hospital Ministry**—Sheila Yepsen, 281-782-4078
- **International Mission Trips**—Terry Sleeman, terrysleeman@convivencia.org
- **Maria Goretti Network**—Shannon Deitz, 713-775-9213
- **Martha’s Kitchen**—Sr. Maria Elena, 713-224-2522
- **Mother Teresa Ministry**—Paola Lam
- **Pro-Life (Gabriel Project)**—713-225-9826
- **RCIA**—RCIA@stmartha.com

## Outreach Ministries

- **Project Rachel**—713-741-8728
- **St. John of the Cross Food Drive**—Marty Curtis, themarycurtis@gmail.com
- **St. Joseph Helpers**—Bill Beck, 281-360-7023
- **St. Martha Between Jobs and Beyond**—Bob Simpson, 713-410-2844
- **St. Vincent de Paul**—281-358-6636
- **Second Family Ministry**—Sharon Voothes, 281-900-4768
- **Social Justice**—Gary Yepsen, 832-803-4377

## St. Martha Catholic School

- **Principal PK-3rd**—Jessica Muncher, 281-358-5523
- **Director of Development**—Mary Hays, 281-358-5523
- **Registrar**—Jodie Richter, 281-358-5523

## Parish Ministries in Spanish

- **Coordinadora de Catecismo para Jóvenes y Sacramento**—Amelia Murillo, 281-728-9843
- **Legión de María**—Verónica Reyes, 281-728-9843
- **Maria Goretti Network en Español**—Patricia Lopez, 281-389-1210
- **Ministros Extrardinarios de la Eucaristía**—Raul Legorreta, 713-545-8705
- **Monaguillos**—Pastor Pastora, 832-514-5741 or 633-631-0145
- **Rica**—Jaime Gomez, 281-973-1857
- **Vocaciones y Cáted de Vocaciones**—Tony Lasalle, 646-489-1554

## For the Weekend of July 14 & 15 Your Gifts of Treasure Resulted In:

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## Payments to Date

- **Faith Direct-Offertory**
  - Archdiocese SVdP: $6,481
  - Peter’s Pence: $1,595
  - Martha’s Kitchen: $7,221
  - Capital Campaign: $22,350
  - Special Collections: ($83,749)
  - Weekly Budget: $279,906
  - Year To Date: $305,000

## Additional Information

- **Settlement Resulted In:**
  - July 14 & 15: Your gifts of treasure resulted in:
    - Weekly Budget: $93,302
    - Sunday Collection: $37,665
    - Faith Direct-Offertory: $72,162
    - Over/(Under): $16,525
    - Year To Date: $279,906
    - Sunday Collection: $196,157
    - Over/(Under): $83,749

## Special Collections

- **Capital Campaign**: $22,350
- **Martha’s Kitchen**: $7,221
- **Peter’s Pence**: $1,595
- **Archdiocese SVdP**: $6,481

## 2018 DSF Goal

- **Payments to Date**: $284,809

## Current Loan Debt

- **$8,690,756**