There appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them.

Acts 2:3
Welcome

We are delighted to welcome each and every one who has come to worship with us today. Whether you’re a longtime parishioner, a newcomer, or just visiting, know that our desire is to extend God’s loving presence to all.

If you would like to register, you can download the registration form from our website, www.stmartha.com, or find a copy in the narthex on the welcome kiosk.

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

Message from our Pastor

Dear Parish Family,

This weekend, we celebrate the feast of the Pentecost! We remember that the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles after Jesus ascended into heaven and gave them the strength they needed to carry out the mission of Christ. The Holy Spirit is still alive and working in our world and our Church. We need the Holy Spirit to help us see the love and mercy of God! Here at St. Martha’s, I am constantly in awe of the power of the Holy Spirit as I see so many ministries and so much generosity from the people of this parish. We ask the Holy Spirit to continue to fan the flame of faith in our hearts so that we can share the love of God with everyone in our lives!

I would like to remind you that Fr. David Michael Moses will be back at St. Martha’s celebrating Masses of gratitude at the 9 am and 11 am Masses on June 16th. We will have a reception for him after both of those Masses, so if you want to congratulate him and give thanks to God with him for the gift of his priesthood, I’m sure he would be very grateful!

Happy Pentecost everyone!!!

Fr. TJ

Sunday Readings and Reflection

First Reading — Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

Psalm — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

Second Reading — In one Spirit we are baptized into one body (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13) or Romans 8:8-17.

Gospel — Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission (John 20:19-23) or John 14:15-16, 23b-26.


Reconciled Diversity

A few years ago, during Rome’s quiet summer, Pope Francis took a day off to visit privately with some old friends, whose identity took Catholic Italy by surprise: Evangelical Protestants. They welcomed Francis to their Pentecostal Church of Reconciliation, where Francis asked pardon for Catholic persecutions and celebrated the Holy Spirit’s “pentecostal work.” Unlike Satan, declared Francis, who creates division among God’s children, the Holy Spirit creates a diversity rich and beautiful. And unity; not uniformity, Francis specified, but unity in diversity. Francis named the Spirit’s gift “reconciled diversity.” Pentecost’s rich treasury of scriptural readings, for Saturday’s vigil and Sunday’s morning liturgy, traces the Holy Spirit’s work from creation’s beginning, through Jesus’ resurrection, into the church’s earliest days, now into our days. Kindled in our hearts, the Spirit’s gentle fire is ours to share generously, even with those most strikingly different from us. All hearts are Spirit-warmed by reconciled diversity.

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PENTECOST SUNDAY: THAT WE ALLOW THE HOLY SPIRIT TO FILL OUR HEARTS AND TRANSFORM OUR LIVES.

“The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you.”

(John 14:26)

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions.

Stewardship of Treasure

For the weekend of June 1 & 2, your stewardship gifts of treasure resulted in:

- Sunday Collection: $37,708
- Ascension of the Lord: $2,062
- Special Collections:
  - Capital Campaign: $6,199
  - Martha’s Kitchen: $3,137
  - Peter’s Pence: $15
- Year To Date:
  - Total: $39,770
  - Sunday Collection: $3,728,718
- 2019 DSF:
  - Goal: $305,000
  - Payments to Date: $197,892

Giving has never been easier with Text-to-Give. Securely make a one-time gift to St. Martha Offertory, Martha’s Kitchen, Capital Campaign or current special collection. Text 281-324-8582. Text $ amount in message line. Follow link to complete one-time registration.

- The St. Martha Parish Pastoral Council represents the St. Martha community in providing counsel and consultation to Fr. TJ. Council members will be available in the Narthex before and after all Masses the second Sunday each month. For more information email: stmartha.pastoral.council@gmail.com
- CENSUS UPDATE: We are in the process of updating our parish census. For those that have turned in their cards—Thank you!!! If you have not had the chance to fill out a card, please complete the form below and bring it to the parish office or place it in the collection basket.

PARISHIONER UPDATE

Family Last Name: __________________________

First Name of Head(s) of Household: __________________________

(male) __________________________ (female) __________________________

Address: __________________________ __________________________ __________________________ __________________________

Phone Number(s): Home: __________________________ __________________________

His: __________________________ (work/cell) __________________________

Hers: __________________________ (work/cell) __________________________

Email(s): His: __________________________

Hers: __________________________

Please remember the recently deceased and their families in your prayers:

- Carl Bresko (husband of Deborah Bresko)
- Christiane Devos
- Miyoko Blackford (mother of Nancy McCann)
- Rose Rotella (mother of David Rotella)
- Marguerite Bates (mother of Mary Bock)
- Ben Johnston
- Eugenie “Cassie” Leonards
- Dolores Speaker
- E.C. Francis (father of Rick Francis)
- Romana Suarez
- Gregory McNeal

Please remember the sick and their families in your prayers:


Communion to the Sick: If you or a loved one are in Kingwood Hospital or are home-bound and would like a Communion Minister to visit, call the church office at 281-358-6637 to let us know.

Military Wreath: Please pray for our active military as seen on the wreath in the Narthex. To add a loved contact Jodi at 281-358-6637, ext. 201, or jodis@stmartha.com.
Martha’s Quilters makes and gives blessed afghans and quilts to parishioners of all ages 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

**Community Life Ministries**

*Director of Community Life:* Francine Puglia, (281)358-6637 Ext. 200, franp@stmartha.com

For a complete list of Community Life Ministries please turn to page 14 of this bulletin.

**NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES**

NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES, A MINISTRY FOR SINGLES AGES 40 and older, gathers on Wednesday, June 12, to talk/eat/drink at 7 PM at Georgia’s Catfish Kitchen, 9441 FM 1960 Bypass Road W. (in Walmart Center near Townsen Blvd.) in Humble. For more info, contact Elizabeth Shields (281-441-2552 or elizabeth2@peoplepc.com) or Peggy Broyles (281-359-4560 or peggybmom4@gmail.com) or subscribe to us on Flocknote at either St. Martha’s or St. Mary Magdalene’s website.

**CARING COOKS—**

THANK YOU to all of our Caring Cooks who have so generously given of their time to make meals for those in our parish community who are truly in need at a difficult time and have no one to provide meals for them. This is an awesome ministry open to anyone who would like to provide a meal every now and then to a fellow parishioner in need. We are a blessed community in that we have so many caring and helpful folks to help out when one of us is in need. If you would like to be a part of this truly rewarding team of caring cooks please call: Karen Rexer 281-354-8857 or Marian Brown 281-630-4820 to sign up. And as always, if you should find yourself or someone you know in need of help with meals during a very difficult time please know there is someone there to help.

**St. Martha Women’s ACTS Retreat**

Sept. 12-15, 2019

Registration for the September Women’s English ACTS Retreat has begun. 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. 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, Amy Avery at 713-480-1204 or amavery4@gmail.com. Registration forms available on-line at www.stmarthaacts.com

**Family and friends of L.G.B.T. Catholics**

Are invited to gather for prayer, discussion and fellowship. Our focus is on building bridges and staying close to the Church. For information on the monthly gathering, please contact Francine at franp@stmartha.com

**YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON - SUMMER VACATION**

The Young at Heart Luncheons held at St. Martha’s on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Wednesday of each month will **NOT** be held during the Summer. We will **RESUME** on **Wednesday, Sept. 11**.

Have a great summer and check the bulletin in August for information on the September luncheons.
Fr. David Michael Moses will celebrate Mass at St. Martha on Sunday, June 16th, at 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM.

We will celebrate his ordination with a reception following each Mass.

Please offer your prayers for him as he begins his service to or Lord as a Priest of Jesus Christ.

Serra Club Northeast of Houston Invites You To Their Monthly Dinner and Meeting

Monday, June 24, 2019
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
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.

Life Awareness Retreat

July 5-6

Come and join other single men and women of faith, ages 18-40, who are searching and discerning God’s call in their lives. Life Awareness is an overnight retreat designed to help young adults to learn and explore the vocations of priesthood and consecrated life, to search deeply for the guidance, and to grow in courage to do the will of God. It will provide the time, environment, and opportunity to clarify one’s calling without any pressure of commitment. Come join us! Holy Name Retreat Center, 430 Bunker Hill Road, Houston, Texas 77024. Cost: $20, Deadline: June 24. Short interview may be required. Pre-register at www.houstonvocations.com/life-awareness

CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS:
Please join the REED FAMILY in prayer this week as they host the Chalice and pray for Vocations. Interested? Please contact Karen Ehlig at 281-813-3285 or by email at karenehlig@gmail.com to schedule a week.

Holy Hour of Adoration for Vocations
Exposition & Benediction
- Second Tuesday: 7:30 - 8:30 PM
- Second Friday: 9 - 10 AM
Sponsored by Serra Club Northeast of Houston

Director of Faith Formation: Carla Lewton, (281)358-1959 Ext. 213, carlal@stmartha.com
For a complete list of Faith Formation ministries please turn to page 14 of this bulletin.

BREAKFAST & BIBLE STUDY:
Please join us for Breakfast & Bible Study on Tuesday mornings, 9:30–10:45 AM, in Room 2 on the Faith Formation campus.
We will be reading, studying and sharing on the Sunday Scriptures (led by Carla Lewton). You do not have to register for this free study.

Are you interested in looking into the Catholic Church or completing your Sacraments?
RCIA is your answer!
RCIA is a process for adults, either unbaptized or baptized in another Christian faith, who:

- Wish to know more about the Catholic faith.
- Are Catholics who need to complete their sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

We will have a NEW INQUIRER GROUP BEGINNING SOON!
For more information or if you have any questions, please contact Charles or Lisa Ferguson at the RCIA office via email at: rcia@stmartha.com.
Journey Through the Catechism

Join us in the Family Life Center on Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., for the final session on *Catechism of the Catholic Church* with Sara Beth Meyer: St. Martha’s parishioner, writer & speaker. There is no cost. Childcare may be provided if necessary.

Please RSVP (for childcare) to Carla Lewton: 281-358-1959 x213 or carlal@stmartha.com

June 11: Prayer

How do we pray?
What do we pray in the “Our Father”?*

The Passion Play in Oberammergau is a spectacular event that only occurs every ten years. We will be journeying to Bavaria in mid-September 2020 to witness the Passion Play as well as explore the surrounding region of Germany, Austria, and Switzerland. We would love for you to join us! An information meeting will be held on June 10 at 7 PM in the Family Life Center (Woodland Hills Campus). For more information please contact Carla Lewton at 281-713-8968 or carlal@stmartha.com.
Youth Faith Formation

Senior Sendoff Redo!

Due to the recent flooding in our community, we had to cancel the original Senior Sendoff Weekend Retreat.

We are doing a "Redo" day retreat at St. Martha on June 29.

The cost is only $25 and is open to all high schoolers from the 2018-19 school year!

https://stmartha.com/seniorsendoff

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VBS has reached full capacity. This year we must limit the number of students due to the construction in the school as a result of the flooding.

If you would like to be on the waiting list, you may sign up in person at the Faith Formation office M-F, 9-4.

Crew Leaders and helpers are still needed. Teens can earn service hours.

To volunteer register online: www.stmartha.com/vbs

(VBS takes place June 10 – 14, 12:45-4 pm)

For children of Adult Volunteers, we offer:

- Preschool: age 3&4 (must be potty-trained) - $25.00
- Nursery (no cost)

Can’t volunteer? Help feed our hungry volunteers. Donate individually wrapped snacks or bottled water!

For more information call Patty at 281-713-8969 or visit: www.stmartha.com/vbs

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STEUBENVILLE
MID-AMERICA
SPRINGFIELD, MO
JULY 11-15
MORE INFO AND REGISTRATION FORMS @ STMARTH.COM/SUMMER-TRIPS-2019
HIGH SCHOOL
SUMMER TRIPS

AYC
DOWNTOWN
HOUSTON
JULY 26-28

ARCHDIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE
JULY 26-28, 2019
SURRENDER TO GOD
Liturgical Ministries

Director of Liturgy: Mariel Parra, (281)358-6637 Ext. 280, marielp@stmartha.com
For a complete list of Liturgical Ministries please turn to page 14 of this bulletin.

OVERNIGHT VIGIL HONORING THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS
AND THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
St. Martha Catholic Church
4301 Woodridge Pkwy.

Starts Friday, June 28, at 7 PM with Holy Hour and Benediction and a full night of prayer.
Closing Mass at 7:30 AM, Saturday, June 29.
All are invited to come and spend time in adoration and prayer.

Here is the Communion antiphon for 5:30 Saturday, 7am, and 9am Masses this weekend.
The cantor or choir will sing through it once first; after this, please join us in singing each additional repetition of the antiphon.

HEY were all filled with the Ho-ly Spir-it * and
spoke of the mar-vels of God, al-le- lu- ia.

Chant settings by Fr. Samuel F. Weber, O.S.B. Copyright 2017 Saint Meinrad Archabbey, St. Meinrad, IN 47577-1010. All rights reserved. Used with permission.
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:** Fridays 7-8 PM and Saturdays 9-10 AM.

**Place:** Faith Formation Campus, 3702 Woodland Hills Drive at the Small Chapel.

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PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

“Could you not watch one hour with Me?”

Our parish is incredibly blessed to have Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration available in our adoration chapel twenty-four hours a day. Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because of His infinite love for each one of us, and He is always present there in the Blessed Sacrament patiently waiting for us to come and spend time with Him.

Listed below are hours that are most in need of adorers at this time. However, please note that no hour is really ever “filled” because parishioners are always invited to choose an hour that works best for them, regardless of whether or not there are other adorers already there in prayer. Both regular adorers and substitutes are needed at this time. Even if you do not have a regular hour, please feel free to visit our Blessed Lord at any time knowing that He is always waiting for us with joyful anticipation.

**OPEN HOURS:**

**TUESDAY** 4-5 PM, **WEDNESDAY** 10-11 AM, **SATURDAY** 7-8 PM & 9-10 PM

**SECOND ADORERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING HOURS:**

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

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 - 6 AM (713-851-8768)
- Karen Ehlig for 6 AM - Noon (281-813-3285)
- Annunciata Hopkins for Noon - 6 PM (281-360-1258)
- Beth Beckham for 6 PM - Midnight (281-435-1439)

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Children's Adoration Hour Every Tuesday—

**10 AM in the Chapel**

Bring your children and grandchildren to a special hour with Christ. They will learn to offer prayer intentions, grow in their love for Christ, his mother Mary, and our Church and the Pope. We have time for silent prayer and a decade of the rosary. We talk about saints, reflect on gospel passages, and sing songs. Parents and kids receive many graces from spending an hour a week with Christ. We hope you will come and see what it's all about.

Contact Kristen Johnson at Kristen_alley@yahoo.com or 281-713-2518 if you have any questions.

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Pro-Life Prayer Opportunities—Would you like to meet with other St. Martha parishioners to pray for an end to abortion and to offer real support to the young women in the Houston area struggling with an unplanned pregnancy? Please join us!

**Daily:** After each 8:30 Mass, meet at the back of the sanctuary for a Pro-Life rosary in front of the Blessed Virgin Mary statue.

**Weekly:** After the Thursday rosary, carpool for a light breakfast locally, then for an hour of prayer outside the Planned Parenthood in downtown Houston.


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DIVINE MERCY MINISTRY

The Divine Mercy Ministry prays the Divine Mercy Chaplet 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!

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St. Martha Catholic School

**Principal PK3-8th:** Jessica Munscher, (281) 358-5523.

For more information regarding SMCS please visit www.stmarthacs.org

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St. Martha Catholic School

Visit our school website at www.stmarthacs.org

for more information or contact Registrar Jodie Richter at 281-358-5523.

St. Martha Catholic School provides an excellent Catholic education by developing mind, heart, and spirit as we share in community to form witnesses who transform the world.
**Social Services and Outreach Ministries**

**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.

**St. Joseph Helpers**

St. Joseph Helpers are available to help parishioners who are in need of assistance with home repairs or building projects such as wheelchair ramps, etc. For more information contact Bill Beck, 281-360-7023.

**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.

Thank you for your loyal donations to Martha’s Kitchen. Martha’s Kitchen reopens on Monday, June 10. May God bless you and your family and guide you safely during the summer months.

**HAPPY FATHERS DAY TO ALL DADS ON JUNE 16!**

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**To all Veterans, First Responders & their Families** who have served or are serving our Country and our Community.

**St. Michael’s Warriors’ Ministry** focuses on working through the challenges presented to you and will be hosting a **free informational dinner** at the Family Life Center (FLC) on Saturday **July 13**, from 5:30 PM to 9:30 PM. There will be Prayer, Music, Camaraderie and Fellowship.

For more information you can contact Deacon Guy Puglia: guy.puglia@gmail.com or 832-758-0795.
Empathetic Listening and Ministry to the Sick

Do you ever find yourself not knowing what to say to someone who is hurting? To someone who has just been given a diagnosis with many unknowns? Or just the uncomfortableness of being with those who have lost a loved one?

We have and this class will help you grow!

We all have opportunities to minister to the sick and their families. Many of you are take Holy Communion to the sick - thank you! This program will enhance all that you already are doing for the faithful.

The Chaplain Corps is providing us HERE at St. Martha with this class on Empathetic Listening.

Classes begin on:
Wednesday, Sept. 4: 1-4 p.m.
8 week class
Class size is limited so please call and reserve your space.
Sheila Yepsen 281-358-5585

Come make a schola! Come learn the soul’s song of God’s word in the Liturgy. Join the 11th annual Summer Learning Schola, at the University of St. Thomas, Houston. Come and spend eight summer evenings learning and singing 2,000 years of the forever tones of the Mass and Psalms. Dates are W’s & Th’s, July 17-18, 24-25, 31, Aug. 2, 7-8. Tuition is $245. We will close singing and praying all we learned at a special Mass. For info and to register visit our website: www.chantschool.org/sls19/or call Lowell Davis at 281-855-2358.

Job Opening at St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church
7810 Cypresswood, Spring, TX 77379
Position: Director of Youth Ministries
To apply, please send a cover letter, resume, and three references to: St. Ignatius Loyola, C/O DYM Search Committee, Spring, TX 77379 or email at searchcommittee@silcc.org

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.

Archdiocesan Prayer Breakfast
The annual Archdiocesan Prayer Breakfast is coming Tuesday, July 30, at the Marriott Marquis in Downtown Houston (new location). This year’s theme is “God is my Co-Pilot” featuring keynote speaker Gene Kranz, former NASA flight director. Individual tickets or tables of ten are available. Don’t delay, register today at www.archgh.org/prayerbreakfast

Married couples deserve this time together!
Whether you have been married 50 days or 50 years, Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a weekend full of fresh love, rebirth and new beginnings. All married couples deserve a richer, fuller life together. For many who have attended, this has been the most significant event in their married lives. The next scheduled weekend for you is June 21 to 23, 2019! Find out more or sign up at: www.houstonme.org or call (713) 482-1791.

Archdiocesan Prayer Breakfast July 12 – 14 at the Christian Renewal Center
“Parents have the first responsibility for the education of their children.” - Catechism of the Catholic Church

Catholic Family Vacation Bible School
July 12 – 14 at the Christian Renewal Center
Register at www.retreatcentercrc.org

Catholic Family VBS is focused on families with children entering Pre-K to 6th grade. Children not in this range should still attend with their family!
The rewards of stewardship are plentiful. Stewards happily accept the call to give of themselves in response to the gracious gifts given to them. By helping others, stewards show their gratitude to God through their loving care for others.
**Legión de María**

Somos una organización apostólica de laicos en la iglesia Católica, aprobada por los últimos tres Papas y endorsada 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, cárceles, 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 504-228-6699 Mildred García.

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

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**ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA PERPETUA**

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

**HORAS DISPONIBLES PARA ADORADORES**

Martes: 4-5 PM, Miércoles: 10-11 AM, Sábado: 7-8 PM, 9-10 PM.

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

Lunes: 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 9-10 AM, 7-8 PM, 8-9 PM
Martes: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 PM, 9-10 AM, 4-5 AM, 7-8 AM, 5-6 AM, 9-10 AM, 11 AM, 11 PM - MEDIANOCHE
Jueves: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 9-10 AM, 10-11 AM, 3-4 PM, 5-6 PM, 7-8 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11 PM
Viernes: 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 6-7 AM, 4-5 PM, 12 - 1 PM, 6-7 PM, 8-9 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11 PM
Sábado: 1-2 AM, 5-6 AM, 9-10 AM, 10-11 AM, 11 AM - MEDIODÍA, 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, 2-3 PM, 9-10 PM, 11 PM - MEDIANOCHE

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.

**“NO OLVIDEN COMPARTIR LO QUE TENEMOS”**

**FONDO DE SERVICIOS DIOCESANOS 2019**

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