When the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?

LUKE 18:8
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.

**Sunday Readings and Reflection**

**First Reading** — As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight (Exodus 17:8-13).

**Psalm** — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121).

**Second Reading** — Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2).

**Gospel** — Will not God secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? (Luke 18:1-8).


**Persistence**

Today’s readings are about persistence, passionate persistence. Exodus tells of a battle won despite weariness because Moses, with help from Aaron and Hur, held his hands raised. Timothy asks that same persistence of his community and us. Luke tells of a court case won by a widow, despite the dishonesty of the judge, because she will not leave him alone. The psalm reminds us that God is everywhere, guarding us from harm day and night, coming and going, now and forever. The readings are about persistence, the relentless, unwavering pursuit of what must not be lost. The readings are about God’s passionate persistence in pursuing us, seeking to win our hearts.

**All Saints Day and All Souls Day Mass Times**

**ALL SAINTS DAY—NOV. 1**

**Holy Day of Obligation**

Vigil Mass for Thursday, Oct. 31: 7 PM

Mass times for Friday, Nov. 1: 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM, Noon & 7 PM

Please note… The Parish & Faith Formation Offices will be closed on Friday, Nov. 1.

**ALL SOULS DAY—NOV. 2**

Mass time: 8:30 AM

For the All Souls Day Mass there will be a special opportunity for parishioners to remember their loved ones. This year we will have cards at the entrance of the church to write the names of deceased family members. These cards will be placed in a box and presented during the offering at Mass. Remembering all of these men and women who have gone before us, “marked with the sign of faith,” helps us better understand and appreciate our faith in Christ, our risen Lord, who conquers sin and death and brings new life to all.
If we want to know what Jesus’ parable is about in today’s Gospel, it seems that we don’t need to work too hard because Saint Luke tell us right at the beginning: “Jesus told his disciples a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart.” This parable has often been used to bring comfort to us about our prayer life. But could there be a more challenging message for those who take stewardship seriously? Widows were the poorest and most vulnerable of people in Jesus’ time. Oppressive legal and economic structures were the norm. Jesus embraced with great compassion the poor and the marginalized. Could it be that we are also encouraged to pray persistently for the poor, the weak and the vulnerable as we hear their cry for justice? And that we must not lose heart that we can effect change in their lives?

### Stewardship of Treasure

**For the weekend of Oct. 12 & 13 your STEWARDSHIP GIFTS OF TREASURE resulted in:**

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**Current Loan Debt:** $7,684,582

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.

### Be Baptized and Sent on Mission in the World!

Today, World Mission Sunday, in this Extraordinary Missionary Month, we are called to personal encounter with Jesus Christ alive in the Church, and to offer, through this Eucharistic celebration, our prayers and our generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of Jesus. Today we are “sent” out to witness to Mission in the world through our prayers and personal sacrifices for our brothers and sisters around the world.

As little as $25 helps support a catechist for a month in remote Latin America, $75 provides for the work of religious Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa, $100 assists poor children in boarding schools in Asia. As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the Missions. Your prayers and financial help, offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, support mission priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ’s witnesses to a world so in need of His healing, love, and peace.

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

Roberto Ante, Jr. (son of Robert, Sr. and Juanita Ante and brother of Melanie Henry and Melissa Leake)
Joe Alaniz
Miriam Meier
Joey Tortorice
Marilyn Northcutt
Carmen Aloisio (brother of Anne Schuelke)
Catherine Casey
Robert J. Macdonald (father of Diana Coleman)
Charles A. Knaggs (father of Daniel Knaggs)
Mary Aloisio (sister-in-law of Anne Schuelke)

### 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 homebound 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.
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.

St. Martha Men's ACTS Retreat
Oct 24-27, 2019
If you have any questions, you can contact the retreat Director, Carlin Walters, at 713-253-2735 or e-mail carlinwalters@yahoo.com.

2019 KnightOberfest

November 16, 2019
Join us for a German Style Beer and Food Festival with something for everyone! Remember, as with all Knights events 100% of all proceeds from the event go to local charities!

Details
Beer, Food, Music, Games and more await you in our authentic German Style Beer Garden! Admission is FREE and there will be tickets available for Food, Beer and Wine.

Save $5 and reserve your ticket ahead of time! For only $25 and you will receive:
- A Flight of three European and three American German Style beers
- One - full beer of their choosing served in a commemorative Stein
- Two Door Prize tickets
- Silent and Live Auction items as well as entry for an amazing raffle!

German Style Beer
Three European German Style Beers and three American German Style Beers will all be available! Don't worry, if beer is not your drink of choice we will have other German Themed Options for you to choose!

Top Quality Food
People come for the beer, but RAVE about the food so make sure to come hungry! Our various Food offerings will give you plenty of options to pair with your drink of your choice!

Music, Entertainment and Auctions
Have fun with Music, Games, and Entertainment! Don't forget to bid on our amazing Live and Silent Auction Items while you are there!

Amazing Food
Beer and Wine
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100% of proceeds go to support local charities!

When and Where is the event?
Saturday, Nov. 16
3– 6 PM
St. Martha’s Activity Center

Pre-Register Online and save $5
www.stmarthasknights.com
NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES
NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES, a ministry for singles ages 40 and older, will gather on Wednesday, Oct. 23, to talk/eat/drink at 7 PM at Pappas Bar-B-Q, 19713 Hwy. 59 North in Humble. For more information, 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.

PARISH BLOOD DRIVE
The last Parish Blood Drive for 2019, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, is scheduled for today, Oct. 20, from 8 am—1:45 pm at the Activity Center on Woodland Hills Drive. Walk-ins are always welcome on the day of the Blood Drive.

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

ST. MARTHA ROSARY GUILD
Come and join us! Enjoy an afternoon of fun, fellowship and making rosaries.

October Rosary Guild Meetings (Room 2, Woodland Hills Campus)
Second Sunday 1—3 PM
Fourth Wednesday 11:30 AM—3 PM

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

How to pray the rosary classes and refresher classes!
Contact Flora at fkattijaari@gmail.com for upcoming class dates. Classes are for adults and children of all ages. Groups welcome. Free one hour class, complementary rosary and pamphlet on how to pray the rosary. Refreshments served.

YAH Luncheons CANCELLED
Due to the recent flooding of the school, the school will be using the FLC as classrooms until repairs have been made and it’s safe for the students to return to their classrooms. Unfortunately, this means that the YAH Luncheons are cancelled until further notice, which could be a few months. Continue to check the bulletin to see when we will begin again. Thanks for your understanding!

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**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)

**Volunteer with Catholic Charities!**
Saturday Oct 26 at 8 am. We will carpool from Kingwood at 7:15 am. Please text Matt for details 281-299-6775. We will be working their food pantry, assembling and distributing food packages for families in need.

**Visit our web page stmartha.com/vastm or Facebook page for further event details:** www.facebook.com/groups/YASTM/

**Around the Diocese**
- **October 25:** YCP Happy Hour and 8beats Preview
- **Screening at UST**
- **November 7:** Café Cathohca Life (St. Ludmala in Sugarland)
- **November 9:** YCP Volunteering a Ronald McDonald House (rima.long@rcarchouston.org)
- **November 19:** YCP Executive Speaker Series: Paul Posoli at Our Lady of Walsingham

**Young Adult Ministry at St. Martha serves the spiritual and faith formation needs of young adults between 18-35ish years old. NEW MEMBERS WELCOME AT ALL EVENTS!**
www.stmartha.com/youngadults | facebook.com/groups/YASTM
youngadults@stmartha.com

**Do you feel called to be more active in the church?**
We are looking for enthusiastic young adults to help plan and organize events for our group. Events can be focused on spiritual development and growing deeper in faith, service, fellowship, sports, social outings and creating a community of like-minded Catholics. Email us at youngadults@stmartha.com to learn more.

**Monthly Dinner**
October 27th at 7pm
Join us for a night of fellowship, prayer, friends and fall themed dinner at Matt’s House
New members always welcome!

Please RSVP so we know how much food to make.
Please contact Matt with any questions 281-299-6775 and to RSVP.

**Monthly Morning Gatherings**
9:30–10:00 am (Friday) Youth Room
Join other mothers each month for fellowship, inspiring speakers, and reflections on Scripture and the Catechism.
Childcare provided (please reserve in advance).
September 22, October 27, November 18, November 25, December 16

**Cafe Cathohca Life**
- **November 7:** Café Cathohca Life (St. Ludmala in Sugarland)

**St. Martha’s Moms**
**Fall 2019 Events**

**Facebook:** stmarthas.moms

**The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother.**
St. Therese of Lisieux
Children's Adoration Hour Every Tuesday—
10 AM in the
Church Adoration 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.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING
You are invited to come and worship with us and bring your petition to the altar for prayer. We meet every Friday for English Prayer Meeting at 7 - 8 PM in the Woodland Hills Chapel. We come together for thanksgiving and praise!

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC
ADORATION
OPEN HOURS: TUESDAY 3-4 AM
WEDNESDAY 3-4 AM. FRIDAY 1-2 AM &
4-5 PM. SATURDAY 4-5 PM.
SECOND ADORERS ARE NEEDED FOR
THE FOLLOWING HOURS:
Monday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM,
6-7 AM, 9-10 AM
Tuesday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 10-11 AM, 12-1 PM,
1-2 PM
Wednesday: 2-3 AM, 4-5 AM, 9-10 AM,
1-2 PM, 4-5 PM
Thursday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 9-10
AM, 10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, 11 PM-MIDNIGHT
Friday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 6-7 AM, 1
-2 PM, 6-7 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11 PM
Saturday: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 4-5 AM, 10-11 AM, 11 AM
– NOON, 1-2 PM, 2-3 PM, 3-4 PM, 7-8 PM
Sunday: 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 8-9 AM, 10-11 AM,
12-1 PM, 9-10 PM
If you are interested in participating in this ministry or would like more information, please contact:
Jane Doherty at 409-656-5345 or at texdotjane@aol.com
If you need a substitute, please call your division leaders:
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)

Divine Mercy Ministry —
The Divine Mercy Ministry prays the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the chapel (Faith Formation Campus) every Sunday at 3 PM, for the conversion of sinners, the sick and the dying. The chaplet is also prayed before the 8:30 AM weekday Mass (Mon.-Fri.) in the church. Everyone welcome!

Young Men Ages 14-18, you are invited to The
Andrew Dinner
Oct. 26th, 6-9 p.m., at St. Martha. Fr. Richard is coming. Don’t miss this opportunity to learn about life as a priest. Register: Call our youth ministers 281-358-1959, x241 or x252 OR at http://www.houstonvocations.com/event/andrew-dinner-2019-3/

CHALICE FOR Vocations:
Please join the COTTE 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 e-mail 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

ANDREW DINNER
"Andrew sought out Peter… and brought him to Jesus." (John 1: 41-42)
Martha's Kitchen News

Happy 27th Anniversary

On October 26, Martha’s Kitchen will reach its 27th Anniversary. We cannot thank enough all the dedicated volunteers and donors for the loyal support you have given to the Kitchen over the years of our existence.

Our mission of feeding over 65,000 meals annually could never have been achieved without the loyal support given to us.

As we go forward your continued prayers, donations and volunteering continues to be the life blood for our mission of feeding the hungry.

MAY GOD BLESS YOU!

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.

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS FOOD DRIVE

Next weekend, Oct. 26-27, we will be collecting donations of nonperishable food and personal care items. Donations will benefit St. John of the Cross Food Pantry in New Caney. Thank you for your continued generosity by contributing non-perishable grocery items to help those in need. (Please place your Food Donation in the Rotunda before Mass. There will be a sign in the Narthex directing everyone to the Rotunda and a sign in the Rotunda showing where to place the food.)

St. Martha’s is grateful and truly blessed to have some such amazing volunteers. Without your help none of this would have been possible.

Thank you for your hard work!!

Here are the reports from Saturday, Oct. 5:

- 250 families assisted in St Martha.
- 250 donations to Elm Grove Community Center.
- 100 donations to families at New Caney and Porter community.

Thank you again for helping those less fortunate than us!

Thank you to the volunteers who helped with the recent food distribution for those affected by tropical storm Imelda.

Thank you for your hard work!!

St. Martha MISSION TRIPS

COLOMBIA 2020

CARTAGENA
June 6 - 13

Cost per person:
$975.00 land + air
estimated $500-$590

BOGOTA
Sept 12 - 19

Cost per person:
$875.00 land + air
estimated $500-$590

Vacation with Purpose

Registration begins on Mission Sunday
October 19/20

contact us at
terry.stierman@conviventia.org
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.
Meetings are held the third Tuesday of every month at the Family Life Center (FLC) #4A, 3702 Woodland Hills, 77339 at 7 PM.
Questions? Contact Miguel at 713-851-3708 or stmarthamgn@gmail.com

Life and Our Faith from Womb to Tomb
Medical Decisions and Consequences
A Panel Discussion Event
Oct. 25 7-9 p.m.
Prince of Peace Catholic Community
19222 Tomball Parkway, Houston Tx
St. Andrew's Center
Learn about: Bioethics-beginning and end of life, IVF and our faith, prenatal testing, disabilities and dignity of life, men and abortion, euthanasia.

Helper's of God's Precious Infants
Sidewalk Advocate Training
Are you called to be a sidewalk advocate or prayerful helper? Come learn about abortion facts and laws, how to approach and communicate at the abortion sites, personal spiritual development and more.
Saturday, Nov. 2, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. (lunch provided)
St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church
6800 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, Tx.
For more information or to register:
http://archgh.event.com/SidewalkAdvocateTraining

♦ You are invited to join other Christians for 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.
♦ Stand and pray peacefully during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside the Planned Parenthood abortion facility at 4600 Gulf Freeway. Pray at Planned Parenthood ANY DAY between 6:30 am- 6:30 pm and/or with St Martha parishioners on November 1st.
♦ For more information please contact: peggyangelino@yahoo.com/ 832-233-0401.
♦ God’s grace can change hearts and save lives. Help and hope are available to women.

Save the Date: Texas Rally for Life Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020.
January 2020 marks 47 years since Roe vs. Wade. Join thousands of Texans and march in support of each human life.

Join us for an evening with Shawn Carney
Founder and CEO of 40 Days For Life
As Depicted in UNPLANNED

St. Martha Catholic Church
4501 Woodridge Pkwy. Porter, TX 77365
October 27th
Praise and Worship held at 6:45pm
Presentation 7:00
Free Admission
With Music by Mike Lahey
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.

St. Martha Catholic School Celebrates Veterans Day

On Monday, Nov. 11 at 8:30 a.m., our St. Martha Catholic School community will honor veterans and active duty military personnel with a Veterans Day Assembly at the Woodland Hills Campus. If you are interested in having a loved one honored at the program, or will be attending as a veteran/guest, please RSVP to Jodie Richter at richterj@stmarthacs.org or 281-358-5523 ext. 314.

Crusader Open
November 8, 2019

SUPPORT ST. MARTHA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Crusader Open Golf Tournament will be a shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 8, at the Clubs of Kingwood. To sign up to receive more information about supporting St. Martha Catholic School through this great event, please email Cally Borch at...
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Struggling with infertility? You are NOT ALONE! The Office of Pro-Life Activities is proud to announce a partnership with Loving Embrace, a Catholic peer-to-peer support group for ladies or couples struggling with infertility and/or miscarriage. The group provides support for coping with infertility and explores resources, methods, and options that are morally faithful to the teachings of the Catholic Church. For more information contact Erin at infertilitysupporthouston@gmail.com or PM us through our facebook portal https://www.facebook.com/HOUlovingembrace/

Incarnate Word Academy
Open House - Nov. 3, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.
609 Crawford St.
IWA provides an academically rigorous and supportive environment where students are encouraged to explore their emerging talents and interests in and out of the classroom. We invite you to come see what sets us apart. Please register at: www.incarnateword.org/admissions

Frassati Catholic High School
Admissions Open House
Sunday, Oct. 20, 2-4 p.m.
For anyone interested in a Frassati Catholic education, come join us for the Admissions Open House on Sunday, Oct. 20, from 2-4 p.m.! Our faculty, staff, and student ambassadors will be on hand to show you around campus and answer any questions. Visit our website to learn more and register: frassaticatholic.org/openhouse

INTERGENERATIONAL HEALING MASS:
Does your family suffer physical, emotional or spiritual ills that seem to be passed from one generation to the next? The Marian Servants® of the Incarnate Wisdom invite you to an Intergenerational Healing Mass. Preparation is required for the Mass, so please come to one of the following preparation meetings to receive materials and learn about God’s plan for healing your family:
♦ Monday, Oct. 28, 6-7:30 PM at St. Ignatius Catholic Church in the Faber Center, Rooms F-5
OR
♦ Tuesday, Oct. 29, 10:30AM-12:30PM at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Shrine
The Mass will be held on Thursday, Nov. 7 at 10:30AM at Our Mother of Perpetual Help Shrine, 3417 W. Little York Rd. Houston, 77091. For more details, please contact Kelly Chen at kellyc@marianservantshouston.org

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Catholic Infertility and Miscarriage Support Group


Veterans and Surviving Spouses (Age 50+ years old):
Benefits’ seminar topics: Caregiving support, cemetery/funeral planning; In-home meal assistance.
Providers on-site for benefits’ assistance.
Where: St. Leo the Great Parish Hall, 2131 Lauder Rd., Houston, TX. 77039
When: Wednesday, Nov. 6, 9:30 AM – Noon
Register Free online at https://archghc.cvent.com/VA19 or call the Office of Aging at 713-741-8712

St. Mary Magdalene “Young at Heart”
***only 4 seats remaining***
Globus – Cape Cod & The Islands – 8 Day Tour Boston – Boston Land portion - $2,402.00pp
Sept. 11 – 18, 2020
Air portion can be booked through Globus, and includes airport/hotel transfers
BOSTON - Sightseeing with a Local Guide including, the Old North Church; Freedom Trail, harbor cruise
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CAPE COD - Cape Cod National Seashore
PROVINCETOWN - Whale-watching expedition
MARTHA’S VINEYARD – Ferry to Martha’s Vineyard; Sightseeing with a Local Guide
NEWPORT - Orientation tour; visit The Breakers mansion
PROVIDENCE - Farewell dinner
Additional details can be found on St. Mary Magdalene website – st-mm.com, under Travel & Trips.
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¿No harás una hora de vigilia conmigo? Mateo 26:40
De 25 de Septiembre hasta el 3 de Noviembre de 2019

Yo quiero alentar a miembros de nuestra Iglesia local a que participen en este importante evento nacional.” Daniel Cardinal DiNardo Arzobispo de Galveston-Houston Presidente de la Conferencia del episcopado norteamericano (USCCB)

- ¡Apúntate Hoy! Ayuda a la parroquia de St. Martha Catholic Church a llenar las horas entre 6:30 de la mañana hasta las 6:30 de la tarde, el 1 de Noviembre.
- Planned Parenthood abortion center– 4600 Gulf Freeway
- Para participar en los 40 Días Para la Vida, llame a Eleana@topprealtor.com /713-315-0137. Si usted puede conducir a otros o si necesita un paseo, por favor póngase en contacto con Eleana o Peggy Angelino a peggyangelino@yahoo.com/832-233-0401

Luchando con infertilidad? ¿No estas solo! La Oficina de Actividades Pro-Vida se enorgullece en anunciar una asociación con Loving Embrace, un grupo de apoyo católico entre pares para mujeres o parejas que luchan con infertilidad y / o aborto involuntario. El grupo brinda apoyo para hacer frente a la infertilidad y explora recursos, métodos y opciones que son moralmente fieles a las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica. Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Erin en infertilitysupporthouston@gmail.com o envíenos un mensaje electrónico a través de nuestro portal de Facebook https://www.facebook.com/HOUlovingembrace/

Devoción de los 5 Primeros Sábados del Mes
“Reparación del Inmaculado Corazón de María”
10:00 am Nardex Iglesia Sta. Marta

“Todos aquellos que durante 5 meses seguidos, en el primer sábado:
- Se Confiesen
- Reciban la Santa Comunión,
- Recen el Santo Rosario y
- me hagan 15 minutos de compañía meditando en los misterios del Rosario … con el fin de desagraviarme, Yo prometo asistirlos en la hora de la muerte con todas las gracias necesarias para su salvación”. 

Virgen María, diciembre 1925.
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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
Contemporary: 5 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 - 11:45 AM
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.