



## Pro-Life Ministry – Pro-Life Culture

East of I-35 in Austin there are few Pro-Life ministries or services. Today, Sacred Heart Parish is like a Pro-Life “Oasis” with numerous Pro-Life activities and a growing Pro-Life culture.

Thanks to John Paul II Life Center, we have a partnership committed to creating a Pro-Life culture here in our parish in Spanish and English.

We have sponsored programs on “Crisis Pregnancy”, “Thrive” (youth training), 40 Days for Life, Natural Family Planning, etc. Austin desperately needs Spanish-speaking counselors and trainers. Hopefully these will emerge from our parish. Let’s pray that God will raise up from our community many ministers and leaders.

John Paul II Life Center is offering Client Advocate Training. The training is called: **Offering Hope to Mothers in Crisis**.

Travis County reports 4,058 abortions annually. As Austin grows, the need to provide quality care, support and encouragement for women facing unexpected pregnancies grows as well. The number of clients seen at St. JPIL Life Center has been doubling every year and we need help! If God is calling you to provide hope to mothers, we invite you to join us at our free two-day Client Advocate training on **June 15-16**. Contact us at 512-407-2900 or [katie@jpiilifecenter.org](mailto:katie@jpiilifecenter.org) for information. The training will be in English, but many of our parishioners speak English and Spanish.

If you want to participate in our Pro-Life ministries, contact Eva Rodriguez, Ana Bernal or Luisa de Poo, or call the Parish office.

## Ministerio Pro-vida – Cultura Pro-vida

Al Este de la I-35 en Austin hay pocos servicios o ministerios Pro-Vida. Ahora, la iglesia Sagrado Corazon es como un “Oasis” Pro-Vida con numerosas actividades y una creciente cultura Pro-Vida.

Estamos muy agradecidos al Centro de Vida Juan Pablo II. Juntos tenemos un compromiso para crear una cultura Pro-Vida aqui en nuestra parroquia en Español e Ingles.

En el ultimo ano hemos patrocinado programas como “Embarazos en Crisis”, “Thrive” (entrenamiento de jovenes”, 40 Dias Por la Vida, Planeacion Familiar Natural, etc. Austin desesperadamente necesita consejeros y entrenadores en Español. Tenemos la esperanza de que estos emerjan de nuestra parroquia. Oremos para que Dios levante de nuestra Comunidad muchos servidores y lideres.

El Centro de Vida Juan Pablo II esta ofreciendo Entrenamiento para Defender al Cliente. Este entrenamiento es llamado: **Ofreciendo Esperanza a Mamás en Crisis**.

La Ciudad de Austin reporta 4,058 abortos anuales. Austin esta creciendo y tambien la necesidad de proveer cuidado, apoyo y motivacion para mujeres que enfrentan un embarazo inesperado. El numero de clientes visto por el Centro de Vida de St. JPIL se ha duplicado cada año y necesitamos ayuda! Si Dios te esta llamando para dar esperanza a mamás, te invitamos a unirse a nosotros en nuestro entrenamiento para Defender al necesitado, es de dos dias en Junio 15-16, Llamanos al 512-407-2900 o [katie@jpiilifecenter.org](mailto:katie@jpiilifecenter.org) para mas informacion.

El entrenamiento sera en Ingles y Español.

Si usted quiere participar en nuestros ministerios Pro-vida, llame a Eva Rodriguez, Ana Bernal o Luisa de Poo, llame a la oficina de la parroquia.



### Mass intention/ Intenciones de Misa

**Monday/Lunes April 27<sup>th</sup>**,  
6:30 pm – English Mass.  
**Tuesday/Martes April 28<sup>th</sup>**, Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; Saint Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest  
6:30 pm – Cancelled Spanish Mass.  
7:00 pm – Confirmation Mass.  
**Wednesday/Miercoles April 29<sup>th</sup>**, Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church  
6:30 pm – English Mass.  
**Thursday/Jueves April 30<sup>th</sup>**, Saint Pius V, Pope  
6:30 pm – Spanish Mass. Bendiciones a Mayra Graham por su salud, Bendiciones a Adriana Suyo.  
**Friday/Viernes May 1<sup>st</sup>**, Saint Joseph the Worker  
6:30 pm – Bilingual Mass / Misa Bilingue.  
**Saturday/Sabado May 2<sup>nd</sup>**, Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
5:00 pm – English Mass.  
7:00 pm – Candido Becerra por su hija Leticia Becerra y fam. Bendiciones a Mayra Graham por su salud, Bendiciones a Mia Graham.  
**Sunday/Domingo May 3<sup>rd</sup>**, Fifth Sunday of Easter  
8:00 am – English Mass. Pro populo.  
9:30 am – Nancy Casas por su hermano y familia, Roger Gordillo Oregon por sus hermanos y fam., Honorio y Agustín Delgado, Hilariá Diaz y Tomas Rodriguez.  
11:30 am – Misa Español. Francisca Velez por sus hijos, Bendiciones para Christian Solis y Emmanuel Espinoza por cumplir un año mas de vida, Isidoro Oliva, Bendiciones a María de Jesús para que acepte la voluntad de Dios.  
1:30 pm – Misa Español.  
5:00 pm – Misa Español. Sotera Tobías y Agapito Varela por su familia.  
**This Week in our parish**  
**Sunday/Domingo April 26<sup>th</sup>**,  
8:00 am RE classes- All facilities  
7:00 pm Rosary for peace- Sanctuary  
**Monday/Lunes April 27<sup>th</sup>**,  
7:00 pm SINE - CHRR, #2, #3 y #6  
7:00 pm Clase – Cafeteria  
7:00 pm Legion de Maria - St. John Bosco  
7:00 pm Grupo oracion - libreria  
**Tuesday/Martes April 28<sup>th</sup>**,  
9:00 am Bible Study - Church Reception  
6:00 pm Boy Scouts- all facilities  
7:00 pm Choir 7:00 pm rehearsal - St. Cecilia  
7:00 pm ESL - Bosco, Catherine, CHRR,  
7:00 pm Cub Scouts - Cafeteria  
**Wednesday/Miercoles April 29<sup>th</sup>**,  
6:00 pm CRSP Mujeres- PAC Hall, #2 y #3  
6:00 pm Crecimiento – PAC #6  
6:00 pm Comité Diocesano – St. Catherine  
7:00 pm Pastoral Council – PAC #1  
7:00 pm Taller de Oraciony Vida – St. Dominic  
7:00 pm Arcoiris – St. Cecilia  
7:00 pm Obreros – St. Bosco  
**Thursday/Jueves April 30<sup>th</sup>**,  
7:00 pm Encuentro Matrimonial - PAC #2 y #6  
7:00 pm ESL -St.Bosco, St.Catherine, CHRR,  
7:00 pm SINE - PAC y #1  
7:00 pm CRSP comite – PAC #3  
7:00 pm Coro 9:30 am – St. Cecilia  
**Friday/Viernes May 1<sup>st</sup>**,  
6:00 pm Grupo de Oracion- Cafeteria  
7:00 pm Coro niños – St. Dominic  
7:00 pm Coro 1:30 am – PAC #3  
7:00 pm Obreros de Cristo- St. John Bosco  
7:00 pm Arcoiris - St.Cecilia (CHOIRS ONLY)  
7:00 pm Coro 9:30 am – PAC #1  
**Saturday/Sabado May 2<sup>nd</sup>**,  
8:00 am Grupo oracion - Cafeteria  
8:30 am Sanctuary Altar Care – Sanctuary  
9:00 am Monaguillos - PAC hall  
6:00 pm CRSP – PAC hall  
7:00 pm Arcoiris- St. Catherine  
**Readings for the week of April 26, 2015**  
**Sun.** Act 4:8-12;1 Ps 118;1 Jn 3:1-2;Jn 10:11-18  
**Mon.** Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42; Jn 10:1-10  
**Tue.** Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87; Jn 10:22-30  
**Wed.** Acts 12:24–13:5a; Ps 67; Jn 12:44-50  
**Thu.** Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89; Jn 13:16-20  
**Fri.** Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2; Jn 14:1-6  
**Sat.** Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98; Jn 14:7-14  
**Sun.** Acts 9:26-31;Ps 22;1 Jn 3:18-24;Jn 15:1-8

[www.sacredheartchurchaustin.org](http://www.sacredheartchurchaustin.org)  
New parish web address  
[www.sacredheartchurchaustin.org](http://www.sacredheartchurchaustin.org)  
Nueva dirección de internet

**Banquet for Annunciation Maternity Home**

The Annual Banquet for Annunciation Maternity Home will be held May 7 at the St. Rita Center at St. Helen Parish in Georgetown. Registration and a silent auction will begin at 6 p.m. The live auction, dinner and program will begin at 7 p.m. Sponsorships include tables seating eight, and are available at the following levels: Faith (\$300), Hope (\$500) and Love (\$1,000). Individual tickets are \$40 each and couples are \$75. Silent and live auction items are needed! Online registration and more information can be found at [www.thematernityhome.org](http://www.thematernityhome.org) or (512) 864-7755.

**Baby shower for St. John Paul II Life Center clients**

Mary's Touch and the St. John Paul II Life Center have partnered to host a "Baby Shower" for their clients and babies May 7 from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. at 1600 W. 38th St., Suite 115 in Austin. A tour of Gianna's Closet will follow the opening reception. There is no cost to attend, instead participants are asked to bring an item to fill-up Gianna's Closet. The items, which include maternity clothes, diapers, wipes, baby toys, etc., go directly to the JPIL Life Center clients and their babies. For questions and register to attend, e-mail [katie@jpilifecenter.org](mailto:katie@jpilifecenter.org).

+++++

**Schoenstatt Rosary Campaign**

The Schoenstatt Rosary Campaign invites all individuals who receive, or would like to receive the pilgrim image of Our Lady of Schoenstatt, to a pilgrimage day at the Schoenstatt Shrine on May 9, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The day will feature more information about being part of the rosary campaign, covenant of love and Schoenstatt spirituality, as well as the commissioning of new coordinators, lunch and end with Mass in the shrine. A donation of \$10 is appreciated. To register and for more information, call (512) 330-0602 or e-mail [info@schoenstatt.us](mailto:info@schoenstatt.us).

**Marriage preparation retreat**

"Together in God's Love," a marriage preparation retreat for engaged couples, will be held May 1-3 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. Couples preparing for marriage are encouraged to register as soon as possible, as these classes fill quickly. The retreat includes talks on faith, communication, sexuality and stewardship in the context of Catholic marriage. To register, call Sara Lockey (512) 651-6150 or e-mail [sara-lockey@austindiocese.org](mailto:sara-lockey@austindiocese.org). Online registration is also available at [www.austindiocese.org](http://www.austindiocese.org).

**STEWARDSHIP**

Responsible weekly budget	\$13,100.00
Sacrificial giving / Diezmo	\$11,802.00
Seminarian/ Seminaristas	\$ 3,687.00

**Breakfast sale Cub Scouts 4/19/2015**

Total expenses	Group	Church
\$1,800	\$700	\$770
		\$330

Thank you for your generosity ! Gracias por su generosidad

**DONATIONS FOR PARISH RAFFLE**

The Parish Festival Committee is requesting donations for the Parish Raffle 2015. If you or your organization would like to make a donation, please call the parish office. If you would like to sponsor the Festival T-shirts, please call to the parish office leave your information and the Festival treasurer will call you back.

**DONACIONES PARA RIFA**

El comite directivo de la Jamaica esta reuniendo los premios para la rifa de la Jamaica. Se les invita a todos los que puedan donar premios para la rifa a participar. Por favor de llevar sus donaciones a la oficina. Tambien si alguna persona gusta patrocinar a la Jamaica y incluir su negocio en las playeras del evento, por favor de llevar sus datos a la oficina y la tesorera del comite se comunicara con ellos.

+++++

**Pastoral support for victims of sexual abuse**

The Diocese of Austin is committed to providing confidential and compassionate care to victims of sexual abuse, particularly if the abuse was committed by clergy or a church representative. If you have experienced abuse by someone representing the Catholic Church, please contact the diocesan coordinator of pastoral care at (512) 949-2400.

**Apoyo pastoral a las víctimas de abuso sexual**

La Diócesis de Austin se compromete a proporcionar ayuda confidencial y compasiva a las víctimas de abuso sexual, especialmente si el abuso fue cometido por el clero o un representante de la iglesia. Si usted ha sufrido abusos por parte de alguien que representa a la Iglesia Católica, por favor comuníquese con el coordinador diocesano del cuidado pastoral al (512) 949-2400.

+++++

**A day of reflection entitled "The Seasons of Our Lives and What They Teach Us"**

will be held April 27 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. This day will be based on the book of the same name by Sisters Joyce Rupp and Macrina Wiederkehr. Facilitator Beverly Collin will explore the relationship between the seasons of the earth and the seasons of our lives to help discover spiritual growth and the awareness of God's presence in and around us. The cost is \$35, which includes lunch. To register, contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436 or [cedarbrake@austindiocese.org](mailto:cedarbrake@austindiocese.org).

**Healing Hearts**, a weekend retreat designed for women who have suffered any kind of sexual trauma, will be held

May 29-31 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. The weekend begins Friday at 6:30 p.m. and concludes Sunday at 11:30 a.m. The cost is \$135 (includes room, linens, materials and meals). For more information and to register, call (254) 780-2436 and ask for Beverly.