

# THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

## August 15, 2021

### Mass Intentions

<i>Tues.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Georgie Velek
<i>Wed.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Dwayne Nall
	8:05 A.M.	Donald Wigginton
<i>Thurs.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Rudy Bordovsky <i>St. John Eudes</i>
<i>Fri.</i>	6:30 A.M.	Ronald Macha <i>St. Bernard of Clairvaux</i>
<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Walter & Louise Adams
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Parish Family <i>Pro Populo</i>
	9 A.M.	David Jendrzej
	11 A.M.	Jesse Gomez

### Sanctuary Candle Intention

St. Joseph Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of the deceased members of the Adams, Jiral, Rohan & Wendel Families.

St. Ann Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Louis Kutac.

### Prayer List

Contact Theresa Bordovsky at 293-3124 or  
Ann Marie Bludau at 798-2959.

### This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

### Your Gift to God: August 8<sup>th</sup>

St. Joseph Parish Support	\$4356.48
Online Giving Parish Support	\$3,230
Building Fund	\$90
Online Building Fund	\$50
St. Ann Parish Support	\$557
Online Giving	\$310
St. Ann Building Fund	\$100

*May God reward your generosity!*

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:40 P.M.

### Liturgical Assignments

#### Lectors

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Dawne Wendel
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Nancy McNease
	9 A.M.	Rick Jahn
	11 A.M.	Gabriel Espinosa

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Bobby & Gladys Jiral, Gloria Lerma
<i>Sun.</i>	9 A.M.	Blaise Dreitner, Susan Kelley
<i>Sun.</i>	11 A.M.	Pam Garza, Virginia Amaro, Graciela Rivas

#### Ushers/Hospitality

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Debbie Caka, Ernest Miller, Charlie & Carolyn Hoepfl
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Janet & Jason Zabransky
	9 A.M.	Glenn & Darlene Renken, Adam & Sylvia Valdez
	11 A.M.	Arturo & Maria Gutierrez, Jose Martinez, Raquel Gomez

#### Altar Servers

<i>Sat.</i>	5 P.M.	Kyleigh P., Mac & Jaxon E.
<i>Sun.</i>	7 A.M.	Zachary R., Wyatt W.
	9 A.M.	Avery, Jordyn & Jace D.
	11 A.M.	Samantha & Mariel G., Jovanny G.

### Baptismal Preparation Class

The next English Baptismal Preparation Class will be held **Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.** in the Family Center Meeting Room.

### Wednesday School Mass

Mass for the St. Joseph School students will be held on Wednesdays at 8:05 a.m. **beginning this week, August 18<sup>th</sup>.**

*“Mary is taken up to heaven;  
a chorus of angels exults.”*

## CCD/Faith Formation

The calendar for the upcoming year is posted on the parish website as well as the registration form. Those who would like to get this taken care of are welcomed to download and printout the form and drop it by the Pastoral Center anytime during office hours.

There will be formal registration the evening of **Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> from 5 – 6:30 p.m.** in the Family Center. **Those enrolling in First Communion Class (2<sup>nd</sup> grade) and those in Confirmation Class (11<sup>th</sup> grade) need to bring a copy of their baptismal certificate with their registration.**

## Volunteers Needed

**CCD Faith Formation Class Adults** - Teachers and helpers! We need Safe-Environment trained adults to step up and help pass on our faith to the new generation of learners! We are excited to offer a full program for the 2021-2022 school year and will need an entire staff of people to help.

## Safe Environment Training

A Safe Environment Training class will be held **Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 P.M.** at the Family Center Meeting Room. This class is mandatory for individuals who are interested in assisting or participating in any school function, field trip, CCD aide. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, etc. Anyone interested in becoming Safe Environment compliant **must complete the online application ([www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)) prior to attending the class.**

## An “Informed” Decision

Most will remember the “old days” when an adult who wanted to be baptized or received into the Church would undergo several meetings with Father then “become” Catholic. The Church wants those who consider joining it to be as informed as possible about what “they are getting themselves into.” The best way to get a good and broad overview of the Church and its teachings is the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.). **It begins on September 12<sup>th</sup>**, meets weekly (except holidays) and concludes at Easter when the candidates receive all of their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation). If you have been thinking about joining the Church or know someone who has always said that they are eventually going to become a Catholic, now is the time to encourage them to take the next step. For more information contact Deacon Dennis Kutach at (361)741-2657 or at [deacon@stj catholicchurch.com](mailto:deacon@stj catholicchurch.com).

## CCD/Formación de la Fe

El próximo calendario para la Doctrina (CCD) de este año escolar ha sido puesto en nuestro sitio de internet. Para aquellos que deseen registrarse temprano pueden bajar la forma del sitio y llevarla a la oficina de la parroquia en cualquier tiempo durante las horas normales de oficina. Solamente tendremos una sola noche de matrícula (registro) formal el **miércoles 25 de agosto 5 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** **Los que están registrando en los clases sacramentales, Primera Comunión y Confirmación (2<sup>nd</sup> y 11<sup>th</sup>) necesitan copias de Fe del Bautismo.**

## Clase de Preparación Bautismal

La clase de preparación bautismal será el primer Sábado, **Septiembre 4, del mes a las 8:45 a.m.** en el Salón Parroquial. Hable con Susanna Trujillo para mas información.

## A Note from Principal Mooney

Wednesday, August 18<sup>th</sup>

Mass – 8:05 A.M.

PTC “*Back to School Bingo*” – 5:30-7:00 p.m

Family Center

Thursday, August 19<sup>th</sup>

Volleyball vs Trinity in Victoria – 5:00 p.m.

## Substitute Teachers Needed

Inquire at the School Office for more information.

If interested in sending your child(ren) to St. Joseph School, please stop by the school office and speak to Mr. Mooney. Take a tour of the school and learn more about what St. Joseph School has to offer.

## Our Marriage Deserves to THRIVE!

Choosing to L.O.V.E. is a retreat for couples seeking to enrich their marriage by focusing on what brought it into existence: **their marriage vows**. Developed by Bishop Gary Janak and several couples from the El Campo area in 2009, it has served over 200 couples since its founding. Meant for couples wanting to strengthen their bond, and not those experiencing serious marital challenges, the weekend includes inspiring talks by married couples and clergy, within a leisurely schedule, so couples can also have private time. October 8-10, 2021 at the Spiritual Renewal Center. Registration is simple & easy! Register online at [www.victoriadiocese.org/choosingtolove](http://www.victoriadiocese.org/choosingtolove).