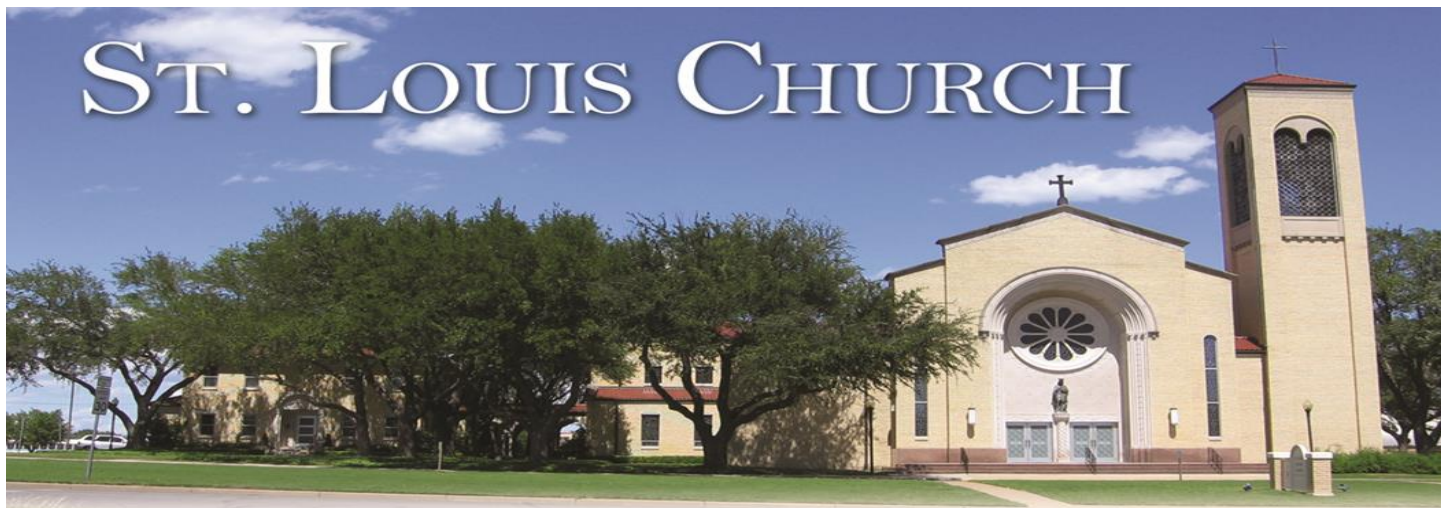


# ST. LOUIS CHURCH



**OCTOBER 22, 2017 – THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## **SACRAMENTS**

### **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Call the Church office

### **BAPTISM**

Follow Weekend Masses

#### **Baptismal Classes**

**English** - First Saturday

9a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Spanish** - Second Saturday

9a.m.—12:00 p.m.

### **MATRIMONY**

Contact Priest 6 months prior to the wedding date

### **CONFESSION**

#### **Thursday**

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

(with Adoration until 6:30 p.m.)

#### **Saturday**

4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

(Also by appointment)

### **HELP WITH ANNULMENTS**

**Contact:** Beverly Dickey  
runningranny@hotmail.com

## **REICHER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL**

**(254) 752-8349**

**www.reicher.org**

#### **Principal**

Mrs. Mindy Taylor  
mtaylor@reicher.org

## **HOLY EUCHARIST**

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Daily Masses**

**Monday - Friday** 8:00 a.m.

**Wednesday - Friday** 12:05 p.m.

**Saturday Vigil Mass:** 5:00 p.m.

#### **Sunday Masses**

9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

& 5:00 p.m.

*Spanish Mass at 1:30 p.m.*

*Nursery is available during  
the 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. Masses*

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## **ST. LOUIS CHURCH**

**(254) 754-1221**

**Office Hours: Monday - Friday**

**8:30 am. - 12:30 pm. &**

**1:30 - 5:00 pm.**

**\*Friday office closes at 4:00 pm.**

**Información en Español**

**Contact: Maria Carrillo**

## **ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**(254) 754-2041**

**www.stlouiswaco.org**

#### **Principal**

Ms. Nisa Lagle  
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## **ST. LOUIS WEBSITE WEBMASTER**

#### **Dee Flaquer**

**stlouiswacowebmaster@gmail.com**

## **ST. LOUIS CHURCH**

### **PASTORAL STAFF**

#### **Pastor**

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#### **Office Administrator**

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stlouisyouthwaco@mygrande.net

#### **Director of Religious**

##### **Education**

##### **Zulma Diaz**

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(254) 754-1221 / 754-2041

#### **Music Ministry Coordinator**

Susan Russell

russellharp@outlook.com

(254) 754-1221 leave message

#### **Gabriel Project**

Cynthia Farmer

(254) 640-5804

## Liturgical Music

Saturday - Vigil Mass: 5 p.m. & Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Processional ..... Gather #551

*"Praise My Soul the King of heaven"*

Psalm ..... Missalette p. 146 #96

*"Give the Lord Glory and Honor"*

Offertory ..... Gather #636

*"Shelter me o god"*

Communion ..... Gather #829

*"Shepherd of our Hearts"*

Recessional ..... Gather #527

*"Praise to the Lord"*

## Mass Intentions

Sat. Oct. 21	5:00 p.m.	Terry Stringer
Sun. Oct. 22	9:30 a.m.	Margaret Ross
	11:30 a.m.	Joe Woycheshin
Spanish Mass	1:30 p.m.	The Parish; Living & Deceased
	5:00 p.m.	Robert Cuevas
Mon. Oct. 23	8:00 a.m.	Emmie Schneider & Family
Tues. Oct. 24	8:00 a.m.	Shirley & Don Bushman
Wed. Oct. 25	8:00 a.m.	Joe Stanislav
	12:05 p.m.	Trainor Family
Thurs. Oct. 26	8:00 a.m.	Gerald Bolfig
	12:05 p.m.	Linda Trainor (L)
Fri. Oct. 27	8:00 a.m.	Oscar Heng
	12:05 p.m.	Danny Makowsky
Sat. Oct. 28	5:00 p.m.	Sam Palmeri
Sun. Oct. 29	9:30 a.m.	Ernest Matustik
	11:30 a.m.	The Parish; Living & Deceased
Spanish Mass	1:30 p.m.	Rogelio Rincon
	5:00 p.m.	Joe Stanislav

## Readings for the Week

Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-6/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-6/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18

## Notes of Special Interest

**THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL (CSA)** will be conducted **the weekend of November 4 & 5**. Each year, our bishop asks every one of us to make a commitment to support the work of our diocesan programs and ministries. By sharing the gifts God has granted us, we can work together to care for the Church. Please experience the joy of giving and join us as we continue Christ's work of spirituality, charity and education.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION THE WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 28/29 for Hurricane Maria and Mexico earthquakes victims.** Traditionally and historically, Catholics are known for sharing their blessings. They understood that for a young missionary church to grown and thrive, they needed to help one another.

**PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY CHRISTMAS PROJECT** will be partnering with Mission Waco to provide gifts for needy area children this Christmas. Trees with ornament tags, with a child's age and a suggested gift, will be at each entrance of the church beginning November 4-5. Monetary donations can be mailed to Mike Leary at 13764 Harbor Dr., Woodway, TX 76712. Bring new unwrapped gifts to the entrance of the church by November 25-26. We thank you for your help in this ministry. For more information call Mike at 709-6155 or Eileen at 848-4057.

## Parish Events and Meetings

**ALL SOUL'S DAY** is a day set aside each year for special prayer intentions for our departed loved ones. Mass intention envelopes are available at each entrance of the church. You may complete and envelope and turn it in at the church office or drop it in the collection basket no later than October 30.

**THAT MAN IS YOU** - Men join us on **Friday mornings** for breakfast, video and fellowship at 6 am in Grace Hall. For more Info contact Tony Moore 715-8589 or Bernard Ott 715-3451.

**THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY**— Join us Wednesday evenings for Jeff Cavin's study on *Wisdom*. The eight week study runs in conjunction with CCE classes from 6:00-7:15pm in Grace Hall. The cost of the optional but very beneficial *Wisdom Notebook* is \$20. Please contact Diane Schlecte at 776-4241 or [dschl@swbell.net](mailto:dschl@swbell.net) to reserve a notebook.

**BABY BANKS ARE NOW DUE.** Return them with spare change, (cash or check) anytime before November 1. **October is Respect For Life Month** and this is a great way to show your children and/or grandchildren how important it is to be involved in efforts to help unborn babies, women and families in need, with just a little spare change. Half of your contributions will go to pro-life ministries in our diocese and half will stay right here for St. Louis Parish Pro-Life efforts. To volunteer or information: contact Tony Moore 254-715-8589 God Bless!

**WOMEN LEARNING AND PARTICIPATING IN PRAYER.** God invites us into a relationship with Him that is both personal and communal. Dr. Hapenny will lead a women's group in learning more about prayer from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. The group will also spend time in prayer, praying for the needs of each other, those in our community, and others in need of prayer. Women, please join us on **Monday nights** at 7:00pm in the SLAC. We look forward to seeing you there! Consider coming to see what it is all about. Call Sandy at 254-723-4220

**LECTURE SERIES RETURNS** - Join us **Thursday, October 26** "What is the 'New' Evangelization" by; Fr. John Guzaldo. All talks take place in the sanctuary of St. Louis Catholic Church, Waco at 7 p.m. Look forward to seeing everyone.

**OUR ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL** will be held **Saturday, October 28**. Come join us in fellowship! There will be a costume contest, trunk or treat, food, music, games and more. The Country Store and the silent Auction returns again this year. Each family will be given Raffle tickets to sell. If you are interested in being a part of the Festival committee please contact Ivette Lopez at [254-716-9443](tel:254-716-9443) or [lilopez98@gmail.com](mailto:lilopez98@gmail.com).

**PARISH FESTIVAL COUNTRY STORE** will be sponsored by the St. Dimas Prison Ministry this year. We need donations to help make this a big, wonderful booth. Please call Jennie Kunkel at 776-5109 to donate. Craft items do very well.

**SOCIAL MINISTRY** is sponsoring pre-prepared frozen casseroles in a variety of chicken and beef for the **Fall Festival** for \$10 each. Contact Pat Hutyra 772-6460 or 497-1577 to pre-order or if you wish to prepare casseroles for sale.

**FAMILY ROSARY & BREAK-FAST** will be held **Sunday, October 29**. The Divine Mercy Chaplet start at 8:45, Rosary at 8:55 and breakfast after the 9:30 Mass in Grace Hall. Please join in on strengthening our church family.

## Youth Ministry

**St Louis Church Christmas Ornaments and Christmas Cards** - We are so excited to be selling beautiful 3-d gold plated *Christmas ornaments* that are the image of our Church. The ornaments are \$15.00 each. Great gift for family and friends. We are also selling *Christmas cards* - the box of cards contain cards with images of the our very beautiful altar during Christmas and our beautiful stain glass windows. What a wonderful way to share our amazing Church with your family and friends. The youth group will be selling both ornaments and Christmas cards after Mass starting November 5th. You may also come by the Church office after Nov 5th to purchase cards and ornaments. Thank you for your support!

**DCYC - The Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference** of Austin is February 2-4, 2018. It is open to all teens in 9th -12th grade. The conference is a weekend full of dynamic speakers, praise and worship, break-out sessions, Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass and a time to share and enjoy your faith with thousands of other teens. This is truly a wonderful weekend. The cost of the conference is \$60 per teen. We would love for our teens to attend with us. Registration opens Nov 1st. Registration forms can be found at [www.slywaco.org](http://www.slywaco.org) or you can come to the Church office or pick them up at youth group or contact Tracy Gomez at [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com). Service hours are given to Reicher students that attend with us.

**HELP!!!! SLY (St Louis Youth Group) High School Food Ministry continues** to need help providing meals for our teens on Sunday evenings at 6pm. If you can help please let Tracy know the date you can cover. **No one has to cover a meal alone, You can partner up or just simple make a monetary donation. Anything helps!** We appreciate everyone's help and generosity! God bless! **Dates to be covered:** Oct 29, Jan 7, 21 & 28, Feb 18 & 25, Mar 25, Apr 15, 22 & 29. For more information please contact Tracy Gomez at [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com) or 254-754-1221

**CONFIRMATION PREPARATION** - Confirmation classes will be from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at the JAC (building across the parking lot of the SLAC) beginning **Wednesday, December 6th**. There will be *parent meetings on November 28th at 5:30pm, November 29th at 5:00pm and November 30th at 5:30pm* at the SLAC. If your teen is making confirmation this year choose one meeting to attend. If you are a Reicher student and have not registered, please visit [www.slywaco.org/confirmation](http://www.slywaco.org/confirmation) to download the forms and review the requirements. For more information or questions please contact Tracy Gomez at (254) 754-1221 or at [stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com](mailto:stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com). **The mandatory retreat February 23-25, 2017 at Eagle's Wings Retreat Center, Burnett, Tx.**

## Community Notes

**YA BAKIN' ME CRAZY!** The St. Louis will host music festival on **Friday, October 27** at 7 p.m. in the SLAC. Come join our Music, Cupcake Bar, Beverages, Silent Auction. Childcare available. Proceed will benefit the St. Louis Music Ministry.

**DISCOVER WHERE YOU BELONG!** Come join our award winning academic, athletic, and extracurricular teams. Reicher Catholic High School is currently accepting transfer students for the 2017-18 School year. Parents, reserve your seat for Coffee with the Principal on October 26 and Students, reserve your seat for Cougar Cub Day on November 6. Call 752-8349 or visit [reicher.org](http://reicher.org) for more information.

**CENTRAL TEXAS FELLOWSHIP OF CATHOLIC MEN** meet each **Tuesday morning** from 6:45 am - 7:45 am. For more information, contact Robert Tunmire at 745-2502.

**PRO-LIFE - 40 DAYS OF LIFE** prayer vigil **through November 5**. PLW seeks hourly prayer commitments for 7 am to 7 pm, Monday - Saturday at the sidewalks of Planned Parenthood at 1121 Ross Ave. For information contact Aine at 210-542-5700 or [aineshop@gmail.com](mailto:aineshop@gmail.com)

**CELEBRATE LIFE AT ST. JOHN PAUL II LIFE CENTER'S "Life is Beautiful Gala" on Friday, November 10** at the Hyatt Regency featuring Sirius XM Radio Host Jennifer Fulwiler and honoring US Congressman Mr. Jeff Fortenberry and wife, Celeste. Tickets and sponsorships are available at [jpiilifecenter.org](http://jpiilifecenter.org) or by calling (512) 407-2900.

**WORKING WITH YOUTH AND VULNERABLE ADULTS** requires completing an Application for Ministry and attend an EIM workshop. **The Workshop is required for all new applicants within 60 days application submission and must be retaken every three years. Please contact your parish or Catholic school EIM site administrator if you need assistance.** Log-in to the Diocese; [www.austindiocese.org](http://www.austindiocese.org) and click on the link in the upper right hand corner called "quick links" then use link marked eApps. **If you are unsure of your current status for the EIM requirement please check with the Parish EIM Site Administrator at 754-1221 as soon as possible. It is up to you to make sure you stay updated/current.**

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## Catholic Answers - Quick Question

**Why would God create humans with the sole purpose of serving and adoring him?**

**Answer**

God created us out of sheer generosity to give us a share in his happiness, wisdom, and power. When we make use of his gifts to us (which means all that we are, have, and can do), then we are said to serve and adore him. He does not need anything, and our service of God is nothing more than the expression of our thanks to him. He is infinite goodness, and since it is the nature of goodness to pour itself out, he makes us in order to give his gifts. He is not being demanding in seeking our service and adoration; rather, he is being generous with all he has. He even gives us his very self by grace in our souls as we become his dwelling place. Who would not be happy to serve and adore a God as good and kind as he is?

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**THE ST. LOUIS PASTORAL COUNCIL** meets monthly as an advisory group to our pastor. If you have a question, concern, or compliment about the parish, please contact one of the members of the council: Holly Collins, Chairman email: [HollyCollins@Baylor.edu](mailto:HollyCollins@Baylor.edu) and members, Noe Ochoa, Marilyn Abel, Vince Clark, Sharon McCarthy, Susanne Nemmer,, Mark Veselka, Maritza Perez and Mike Fulbright.

## Collection Report

Weekly Average needed for School & Church.....\$21,500.00  
Offering Last Weekend.....\$15,950.76

**Thank you for your generosity!**