

*Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,
Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.
We fly to you today as your beloved children.
We ask you to intercede for us with your Son,
as you did at the wedding in Cana.*



*Pray for us, loving Mother,
and gain for our nation and world,
and for all our families and loved ones,
the protection of your holy angels,
that we may be spared the worst of this illness.*

*For those already afflicted,
we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance.
Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful,
wipe away their tears and help them to trust.*

*In this time of trial and testing,
teach all of us in the Church to love one another and to be
patient and kind.*

*Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and
to our hearts.*

*We come to you with confidence,
knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother,
health of the sick and cause of our joy.*

*Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,
keep us in the embrace of your arms,
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus. **Amen.***

LIGHT OF BELIEF

*Every believer in this world must become a
spark of light.*

—Pope Saint John XXIII

Please follow us on Facebook where all the masses are Live Streamed. At this difficult time we are asking you to please be so kind to mail in your contributions or drop them off at our mail box. The Diocese of Brownsville has set up on line giving for our parish where you can make your donation. This information is available to you on our Facebook page. Thank you!

Síganos en Facebook, donde todas las misas se transmiten en vivo. En este momento difícil, les pedimos que sea tan amable de enviar sus contribuciones o dejarlas en nuestro buzón. La Diócesis de Brownsville ha establecido donaciones en línea para nuestra parroquia donde puede hacer su donación. Esta información está disponible para usted en nuestra página de Facebook. ¡Gracias!

We offer our condolences to the families of all the faithful departed. May the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



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Office Hours • Horas de Oficina

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday
(lunes, martes, miércoles y viernes)
8:30am—12:30pm & 1:30pm—5:30pm

Thursday (jueves) 8:30am—12:30pm
(Office is closed in the afternoon.)
(La oficina está cerrada por la tarde.)

The office will be closed to the public until further notice.
We are here to answer any calls.

La oficina estará cerrada al público hasta nuevo aviso.
Estamos aquí para responder cualquier llamada.

OLSS Schedule of Live Stream:

Monday and Wednesday (Spanish at 10am)

Tuesday and Thursday (English at 10am)

Friday (Bilingual at 10am)

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Prayer to the Divine Mercy at 3pm

Saturday

Misa Mariana (Spanish 10am) and (English 5pm)

Sunday (Spanish 10am)

**ALL EVENTS HAVE BEEN POSTPONED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, DUE TO THE
COVID-19 VIRUS.
FOLLOW US ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE
FOR UPDATED INFORMATION.**

**TODOS LOS EVENTOS SE HAN
POSTPUESTO HASTA NUEVO AVISO, A
CAUSA DEL COVID-19. SÍGUENOS EN
NUESTRA PÁGINA DE FACEBOOK PARA
INFORMACIÓN ACTUALIZADA.**

Mass Schedule -- Horario de las Misas

Saturday—May 16

8:00am Misa Mariana

5:00pm Parishioner Community

Sunday—May 17

Sixth Sunday of Easter

10:00am High School Graduates of the Class of 2020

Monday—May 18

Saint John I, Pope and Martyr

10:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday—May 19

10:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday—May 20

Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest

10:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday—May 21

Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

10:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Friday—May 22

Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

10:00am All Souls in Purgatory

Saturday—May 23

8:00am Misa Mariana

5:00pm All Souls in Purgatory



Sixth Sunday of Easter

“I will ask the Father, and he will give you. . .
the Spirit of truth.”

— John 14:16-17

Sexto Domingo de Pascua

“Yo le rogaré al Padre
y él les enviará . . . el Espíritu de verdad”.

— Juan 14:16-17

THE REASON FOR OUR HOPE

“What is the reason for your hope?” Imagine somebody coming up to you and asking you that question. Not “What are you hoping for?” or “What are you hoping to do?” No, this isn’t about our desires for possessions or aspirations for life, it’s “Why do you hope?” Peter today tells us that we ought to be ready to give an answer to this question. Truth be told, few of us spend much time thinking about why we hope. Luckily, the scriptures today give us our answers. We hope because Christ suffered for us, in order that we might come to God. We hope because we know that, in the Spirit, God grants us another Advocate through Christ to remain with us always. No matter what we might hope for, whatever we might hope to do, we must always first know and proclaim the reason for our hope: the presence of God in Christ, with us through the power of the Spirit. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

RAZÓN DE NUESTRA ESPERANZA

“¿Cuál es la razón de tu esperanza?”. Imagina que alguien se te acerca y te hace esa pregunta. No “¿qué es lo que esperas?” o “¿qué esperas hacer?”. No; no se trata de los deseos de poseer cosas o de aspiraciones en la vida, sino “¿por qué tienes esperanza?”. Hoy Pedro nos dice que debemos estar dispuestos a responder esta pregunta. A decir verdad, pocos son los que se dedican a pensar por qué tenemos esperanza. Por suerte, las Escrituras de hoy nos ofrecen la respuesta. Esperamos porque Cristo sufrió por nosotros, a fin de que podamos venir a Dios. Esperamos porque sabemos que, en el Espíritu, Dios nos concede otro Defensor en Cristo que permanecerá con nosotros por siempre. Sin importar lo que podamos esperar, o lo que esperamos poder hacer, siempre debemos saber y proclamar la razón de nuestra esperanza: la presencia de Dios en Cristo con nosotros por el poder del Espíritu. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20

(for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday: Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a; or

(for Ascension) Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 16:11-15; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Martes: Hch 16:22-34; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

Miércoles: Hch 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Sal 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15

Jueves: Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20 (para la

Ascensión); o Hch 18:1-8; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Viernes: Hch 18:9-18; Sal 47 (46):2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Sábado: Hch 18:23-28; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28

Domingo: Hch 1:12-14; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pe 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a

o (para la Ascensión) Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47:2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20



Rosa B. Gonzalez, Ray Parra,
Perla T. Torres.

The altar flower arrangements were
donated this week in
loving memory of:

†Gregorio Barroso

By: Manuel Barroso and family



Stewardship Passage: “For it is better to suffer for doing good,
if that be God’s will, than for doing evil.”

(1 Peter 3:17)

The old line says “if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans.” Many of us are diligent in our planning and making sure things are progressing smoothly. Then disaster strikes, we don’t get the result that was intended or an unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively and ask, “Why me? I did everything right!” Here’s the thing – adversity humbles us and reminds us of our dependence on God and not on our own self reliance. Rest assured, God has a better plan in store for you.