

## SCHEDULE FOR LENT ON FRIDAYS

During Lent on Friday's, at 3:00pm we have, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Stations of the Cross and Benediction in the Chapel. Everyone is invited.

## HORARIO DE CUARESMA EN LOS VIERNES

Durante la Cuaresma los viernes, a las 3:00pm tenemos, Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento, Vía Crucis y Bendición en la Capilla. Todos están invitados.

## Holy Week and Easter Services



*Come Worship With Us!*

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

**No Mass or Liturgical Events:** Monday, March 29, Tuesday, March 30 and Wednesday, March 31.

**Thursday,** April 1, "Holy Thursday", (no mass at 6:00 pm.)  
7:00pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper.

**Friday,** April 2, "Good Friday" (no mass at 7:30am) 3:00pm  
Celebration of the Passion of the Lord, 4:00pm Divine Mercy,  
8:00pm Condolences to Our Blessed Mother (Spanish).

**Saturday,** April 3, 8:30pm "The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night  
Mass" (No confessions at 4:00pm and No Mass at 5:00pm and  
7:00pm at the Laguna Heights Mission)

**Sunday,** April 4, "Easter Sunday" The Resurrection of the Lord  
8:00am mass in Spanish, 10:00am mass in English, and  
12:00pm mass English.

## HORARIO DE MISAS PARA SEMANA SANTA Y PASCUA

**No hay misa ni eventos litúrgicos:** lunes 29 de marzo, martes 30 de marzo y miércoles 31 de marzo.

**Jueves,** 1 de abril "Jueves Santo", (no habrá misa a las 6:00pm.) 7:00pm Misa vespertina de la Cena del Señor.

**Viernes,** 2 de abril "Viernes Santo", (no hay misa a las 7:30am) 3:00pm Celebración de la Pasión del Señor, 4:00pm Divina Misericordia, 8:00pm Pésame a la Virgen María (español).

**Sábado,** 3 de abril, 8:30pm "Misa de la Vigilia Pascual en la Noche Santa" (No hay confesiones a las 4:00pm, No hay Misa a las 5:00pm y a las 7:00pm en la Misión de Laguna Heights)

**Domingo,** 4 de abril, "Domingo de Pascua" La Resurrección del Señor 8:00am misa en español, 10:00am misa en inglés, y 12:00pm misa en inglés.

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.



## **Catholic Relief Services Collection**

This weekend we take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection to help Jesus in disguise. This collection helps six Catholic agencies to provide relief and support for struggling communities and to work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at [www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief).

Este fin de semana realizaremos La Colecta de Servicios de Socorro católico a fin de ayudar a Jesús con otro rostro, ¿le ayudarás? Esta colecta ayuda a seis agencias católicas a brindar alivio y apoyo a las comunidades que luchan por salir adelante y trabajar por la paz y la reconciliación entre nuestras hermanas y hermanos marginados, aquí y alrededor del mundo. Por favor, en oración, consideren la manera de apoyar a esta colecta. Más información sobre esta colecta en [www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief).

## **COMMUNITY IN MADAGASCAR:**

Poor nutrition can lead to devastating long-term consequences for individuals, communities and entire countries. That's why communities must work together to ensure that all children have access to better food and nutrition. New planting and cooking techniques are helping many communities in Madagascar improve the health and wellbeing of their children. How does your community work together for the good of others? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) to learn more.

## **LA COMUNIDAD EN MADAGASCAR:**

La mala nutrición puede tener consecuencias devastadoras a largo plazo para individuos, comunidades y países enteros. Por eso, es importante que las comunidades trabajen juntas para garantizar que todos los niños tengan acceso a una mayor alimentación y nutrición. Las nuevas técnicas de plantación y de cocina están ayudando a muchas comunidades en Madagascar a mejorar la salud y el bienestar de sus hijos. ¿Cómo trabaja tu comunidad en conjunto por el bien de los demás?

## **RAFFLE TICKETS FOR SALE!**

\$10.00 each with two (2) chances to win! Available for purchase at the entrance of the church, parish office or on our website at [olsstx.org](http://olsstx.org). Raffle Drawing will take place on Sunday, March 28, 2021. Live on Facebook at 2:00pm.

## **¡BOLETOS DE RIFA EN VENTA!**

\$10.00 cada uno con dos (2) oportunidades de ganar! Disponible para comprar en la entrada de la iglesia, oficina parroquial o en nuestro sitio web en [olsstx.org](http://olsstx.org). El sorteo se llevará a cabo el domingo 28 de marzo del 2021. En vivo en Facebook a las 2:00 pm.

## Mass Schedule -- Horario de las Misas

### Saturday—March 20

8:00am All Souls in Purgatory

5:00pm †Perry C. Aby, Jr.

7:00pm Mass at Laguna Heights Mission

†Asencion Mota

### Sunday—March 21

*Fifth Sunday of Lent*

8:00am †Antonio & †Juan Rivera

10:00am †Fernando Vigil & †Monica C. Vela

12:00pm †Jesus R. Garza, Sr.

### Monday—March 22

6:00pm **NO MASS**

### Tuesday—March 23

*Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop*

6:00pm †Maria Sandoval & †Ramon G. Camacho

### Wednesday—March 24

6:00pm †Eduardo Sanchez & †Margarita Sanchez

### Thursday—March 25

6:00pm The Annunciation of the Lord

### Friday—March 26

7:30am †Roberto A. Gonzales, Sr.

### Saturday—March 27

8:00am All Souls in Purgatory

5:00pm Palm Sunday of The Passion of the Lord

7:00pm Mass at Laguna Heights Mission

Domingo de Ramos De la Pasión Del Señor



### Fifth Sunday of Lent

I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

— *Jeremiah 31:33*

### Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma

Voy a poner mi ley en lo más profundo de su mente y voy a grabarla en sus corazones.

Yo seré su Dios y ellos serán mi pueblo.

— *Jeremías 31:33*

### THE NEW COVENANT

Today's first reading is an enormously important passage, not only in the history of the Jewish people, but also for us as disciples of Jesus, who see in it a foreshadowing of the Christian dispensation. The prophet announces that God has chosen to forgive the people, and that as a sign of divine forgiveness a new covenant will be established. Contrasting the new covenant with the one made with Moses on Mount Sinai, Jeremiah says that the new covenant will be written on the people's hearts rather than on tablets of stone. No longer will the community's tradition be the sole bearer of the covenant; henceforth, God will speak directly and personally to each individual, forgiving sin and calling for a return to God in faithfulness. No longer will mere outward compliance with the dictates of the Law suffice; henceforth, God asks for an obedience that springs from the depths of one's heart.

Precisely that kind of obedience is highlighted in today's second reading, where the author of the Letter to the Hebrews describes Jesus as the mediator of the new covenant whose obedience has made him the source of salvation for all who, in turn, obey him. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### EL NUEVO PACTO

La primera lectura de hoy es un paso muy importante, en la historia del pueblo judío y también para nosotros como discípulos de Jesús que ven en ella un anuncio de la dispensación cristiana. El profeta anuncia que Dios ha escogido perdonar al pueblo, y que como un signo del perdón divino se establecerá una nueva alianza. Contrastando la nueva alianza con la que Dios hizo con Moisés en el Monte Sinai, Jeremías dice que el nuevo pacto será inscrito en el corazón del pueblo y no en tablas de piedra. Ya no será la tradición de la comunidad la única portadora de la alianza; a partir de ahora, Dios hablará directa y personalmente a cada individuo, perdonando el pecado y pidiendo un retorno a Él en fidelidad. Ya no bastará el mero cumplimiento de los dictados externos de la ley; a partir de ahora, Dios pide una obediencia que brota de lo más profundo de nuestro corazón.

Precisamente ese tipo de obediencia se destaca en la segunda lectura de hoy, donde el autor de la Carta a los Hebreos describe a Jesús como el mediador del nuevo pacto, cuya obediencia ha hecho de él la fuente de salvación para todos los que, a su vez, le obedecen. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]

### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62]; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Jn 8:1-11

Martes: Nm 21:4-9; Sal 102 (101):2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Miércoles: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

Jueves: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Sal 40 (39):7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lc 1:26-38

Viernes: Jer 20:10-13; Sal 18 (17):2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Sábado: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

Domingo: Mc 11:1-10 o Jn 12:12-16 (procesión); Is 50:4-7; Sal 22 (21):8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Fil 2:6-11; Mc 14:1 — 15:47 [15:1-39]



Penelope Grace Valdez & Mariana Delgado

### Donation for Easter Lilies' Deadline: Friday, April 2nd.



In an effort to defray the cost of the Easter flowers, we are asking parishioners to make a donation in memory of a deceased loved one. Please make donations using the envelopes located on the pews.

### Donativos para las Flores de Pascua Ultimo día para entregar donativos: viernes 2 de abril

Para ayudar a pagar las flores de Pascua, estamos pidiendo a los parroquianos que hagan un donativo en memoria de un ser querido ya fallecido. Los donativos se pueden hacer usando los sobres que se encuentran en sus bancas.

**Stewardship Passage:** "I will be their God and they shall be my people." - Jeremiah 31:33

What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

**For online giving options, please visit our website at:**  
**www.olsstx.org.**

<b>5pm mass</b>	<b>\$1,833.00</b>
<b>7pm mass L.H. Mission</b>	<b>\$253.00</b>
<b>8am mass</b>	<b>\$342.00</b>
<b>10am mass</b>	<b>\$2,245.00</b>
<b>12pm mass</b>	<b>\$1,259.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,932.00</b>
<b>Cathedraticum</b>	<b>(\$682.18)</b>
<b>Final Collection</b>	<b>\$5,249.82</b>
<b>Building Fund Collection</b>	<b>\$1,851.56</b>

God bless you for your generosity! ¡Dios te bendiga por tu generosidad!

**EVENTS & MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK**  
**EVENTOS Y REUNIONES DE LA SEMANA**

<b>Sunday (domingo)</b>	<b>March 21</b>
No Scheduled Events	
<b>Monday (lunes)</b>	<b>March 22</b>
No Scheduled Events	
<b>Tuesday (martes)</b>	<b>March 23</b>
No Scheduled Events	
<b>Wednesday (miércoles)</b>	<b>March 24</b>
6:00pm CCE On-line Classes -Jr. High Students (6th.- 8th. Grade)	
7:30pm CCE On-line Classes -High School Students (9th.-12th. Grade)	
<b>Thursday (jueves)</b>	<b>March 25</b>
8:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting	
<b>Friday (viernes)</b>	<b>March 26</b>
3:00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Stations of the Cross and Benediction.	
<b>Saturday (sábado)</b>	<b>March 27</b>
No Scheduled Events	

**Office Hours for the Easter Holiday**

The Parish and CCE Office will be closed on the following dates: Thursday, April 1 thru Monday, April 5  
Office will re-open on Tuesday, April 6.



**Knights of Columbus Fish Fry**

Date: Friday, March 26th.  
Location: Robert's Auto Repair  
502 Garcia St., Port Isabel, TX.  
Time: 11:00am to 2:00pm  
Cost: \$6.00 per plate

**Mass Schedule (Horario de Misas)**

Weekday Masses (Misas entre semana)

Monday (lunes)	(S)	<b>NO Mass</b>
Tuesday (martes)	(E)	6:00 pm
Wednesday (miércoles)	(S)	6:00 pm
Thursday (jueves)	(E)	6:00 pm
Friday (viernes)	(E)	7:30 am



Weekend Masses (Misas en fin de semana)

Saturday (sábado)	(S) 8:00 am	(E) 5:00 pm
	(S) 7:00 pm	Laguna Heights
Sunday (domingo)	(S) 8:00 am	(E) 10:00 am (B)12:00 pm

**24 Hour Prayer Line for the Sick:**

24 hours, 24 people praying; List changes every other week.  
Cadena de Oración para los enfermos:  
24 horas, 24 personas rezando. Una vez por semana.  
Call the church office (hable a la oficina) at 943-1297

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2569**

Anyone wishing to become a member, please contact.:  
Mayra Trujillo Cruz at 956-459-5531

**Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas (JCDA) #2569**

Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas (JCDA) for girls ages 6-18.  
For membership, call Alicia Baldovinos 956-433-1211.

**Knight's of Columbus-Council 4779**

**Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church**

For membership information, please contact one of the council members:  
Bennie Ochoa 956-943-2520 or Juan Rivera 956-943-4903

**Alcoholics Anonymous**

Open meeting on Thursday's from 8:00pm to 9:00pm.  
At the Parish Hall. For more information call 1-888-880-9718.

**Al-Anon Family Group**

Port Isabel AFG (Group #13453) St. Andrews Church, N. Shore Drive  
Meets every Tuesday at 8:00 pm. Phone: 956-943-1962

**Friendship of Women, Inc.**

Crisis Hotline: 956-544-7412 or www.fowinc.com

**¡Clases de Ciudadanía!**

**Clases en Proyecto Juan Diego**

2216 Eduardo Ave., Brownsville, TX 78526  
Inglés (Avanzados) Martes 1pm-2pm & (Nuevo Ingreso) 2:30pm-3:30pm  
Español: (Avanzados) Miércoles 1pm-2pm & (Nuevo Ingreso)  
2:30pm-3:30pm

**Clases en Cunningham Manor Apartments (Oficina)**

2835 Rockwell Dr., Brownsville, TX 78521  
Inglés: Martes 7pm-8:30pm Español: Miércoles 7pm-8:30pm

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a los teléfonos: 956-542-2488 o 956-542-2334

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