

Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Wednesday, September 8, 2021

RCIA Classes

The classes for adults who are interested in being Baptized, and Confirmed in the Catholic Church; and those Catholics who would like to complete their Christian Initiation in the Church will begin **September 23, 2021 in the Parish Hall Conference Room at 6:30 p.m.** If you are interested or know someone whom is interested, please call the office or email me and let me know. The classes begin the process toward these Sacraments.

Annual Catholic Conference
"Returning to the Sacraments"
Saturday, September 25, 2021
St. Joseph High School Victoria, Texas

CCD Registration

During September, we continue to register for all grades 1-10. Please let other families know. The information/forms are also on the website.

Families: if you would please indicate on the rosters in the church bulletin board, whether your child will be attending.

If you know of someone of age that should be in the Sacramental preparation classes (1-2, or 9-10), please let them know. Thank you.

Calendar: Upcoming Events

Catechetical Sunday: **September 19th**
Blessing of Catechists/Aides
9:00 a.m. Mass

First Class: **Wednesday, September 22nd**
6:15 p.m – 7:15 p.m.

September Festivals in the Area ...

- 5 - Sts. Cyril & Methodius/Shiner
Fried Chicken/Stew/Sausage \$12
- Sacred Heart/Hallettsville
Fried Chicken/Stew/Sausage \$12
- 26 - Sts. Peter & Paul/Meyersville
BBQ Beef Plates \$10
-St. Patrick's/Bloomington
Turkey and Dressing Plates \$12

Liturgy / Mass Schedule for the week ahead

- Monday, 6th 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion Service
- Tuesday, 7th 8:00 a.m. Mass – Pena Family
- Wednesday, 8 5:30 p.m. Mass – Dan & Sophia Rubio +
by JoAnn Ybarbo
- Thursday, 9th 8:00 a.m. Mass – Michael Pereida +
by Coquita Vargas
- Friday, 10th 8:00 a.m. Mass – Mary Rachel Neimann +
- Saturday, 11 5:00 p.m. Penance
6:00 p.m. Mass – Demencia Martinez +
by Elia D. Garcia
- Sunday, 12th 9:00 a.m. Mass – Emanuel Manzano
Birthday & Anniversary
by Olga Manzano
- 5:00 p.m. Mass – The Parish Family
(La Bahia)

Liturgical Assignments for the week ahead

Saturday, September 11th 6:00 p.m.

Lector: Russell Dorsett
EMHC: Mary Rubio
Altar Servers: Trinity, Morgan

Sunday, September 12th 9:00 a.m.

Lector: Rosalinda Elizondo
EMHC: Kalleen Zamzow
Altar Servers: Cord

La Bahia, Loreto Chapel 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Ramiro Rubio

Parish Festival Donations

Betty Kallus, Lupe Edison
Thank you.

Hall Use – September Meeting Schedule

- 8 **Knights of Columbus Meeting**
- 14 **St. Margaret Mary Society Meeting 6 pm**
- 15 **Catholic Daughters Meeting**

Church Maintenance

I am happy to announce that the Church soffit painting project is now finished. It began on July 13th, 2021. The main building and bell tower were power-washed, all the surfaces were prepared for painting. What was needed to be caulked was caulked and repaired, and the primer went on with two coats of Emerald Sherwin William paint. The exterior doors were resurfaced and prepared for paint and painted. So we should get a good number of years out of this job. Also while the workers were here, they power washed the dirty sidewalks, benches, and the covered walkway on the High Street side, which had years of grime caked onto the plexi-glass top. Now you can see the sky back through it! Thanks again for all of your patience during this project. Our next projects include the resurfacing of the Church interior terrazzo floors and finally the stained glass windows this year, time permitting. Thank you to all who continue to support the parish and it's maintenance, which is only one part of our work here in Goliad!

Parish Festival – October 17, 2021

This year we will have the **BIG ticket raffle, a catered Turkey and Dressing Meal available as dine-in or to-go plates, and Grocery-Game Bingo.**

ONLINE QUILTS AUCTION: visit:
www.facebook.com/ICCGoliad for more information.

There is no auction this year; please consider giving a donation to defray the cost of the parish festival. Although we do not have to pay for the meat this year, we do have to pay the caterer. And we will have expenses for the raffle. Consider making a donation using the festival envelopes in the church.

GROCERY GAME BINGO ITEM DONATIONS: We are collecting non-perishable items to use for the BINGO on festival day. Bring your items and put them in the box at the entrance of the church or you may bring them any Wednesday evening during CCD classes to the school building.

BIG TICKET RAFFLE: Sales Continue
This is a new raffle. We are selling only 600 tickets for \$100 each (about 400 are still left). There will be a drawing for 52 weeks of the year, beginning October 18, 2021 for a \$500 VISA Gift Card each week. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year. Thanks!

Big Ticket Raffle Drawing Winner
47th Winner: Kristofer Shockley

The drawing is each Friday (only 5 winners left in this raffle). Winners are announced in the bulletin each week, and are also notified by phone. Once these are done, we will start the new raffle and discard all former entries.

Collections Overview

Last Sunday's First Collection: \$ 2263
Candles: ICC: \$ 61 *La Bahia:* \$ 36
Building Fund: \$ 215 *DSA:* \$ 260
2021 Raffle Ticket Sales Money: \$4300
Fall Festival Donations: \$175

ONLINE GIVING - You may give online at www.goliadcatholic.org, just follow the link, to the main page which is www.victoriadiocese.org/parish-donations.

Pray for the sick.

Judy Bammert Gilliam, Karen Garcia, Arian Nunez, Evelyn Franke Sedita, Derek Byrd, JoAnn Barber, Gladys Stauss, Samuel Arenhas, Everly Elisondo, Paula Camacho, Ray Parr, Lisa Meyer, Judy San Miguel, Virginia Zillig, DaCoda Fleming, Chanston Fleming, Joe Murphy Jr., Eloisa Ramos, Elvira Ramos, Anita Coronado, Robin Rossler, Andy Pompa, Natalie Garay, Bernard Deckert, Denise Renfeldt, Emilio 'Sonny' Vargas III, Devin Elizondo, Veronica Guerrero, Elva Robles, Tommy Garza, Billy Flores, Marcelino Segura Jr., Jose Garcia, Pedro Hernandez, Rose Beltran, Sydney Morris, Kaleb Villegas, Cindy Burns, Jimmy Hernandez, Alan Sheppard, Andrea Day, Annette Technik, H.L. Bammert, Tassie Henning, Cecilia Leal, Manuel and Juanita Pena, Teresa San Miguel, Nancy Hernandez, Kathy Ybarbo, Luis J. Rodriguez, Randall Rojas, Clara Britt, Nephtali Castoreno, E.J. Bammert, Thomas Gutierrez, Sarita Martinez, Lupe Flores, Eddie Garcia, Gerald Garcia, Lucy James, Arthur Bluntzer, Roland Capistran

Pray for our Seminarians

Deacon Richard Barfield, Deacon Tran Dinh, Joseph Blackburn, Philippe Dubourdieu, Shane Goertz, Ryan Kapavik, Caleb Krischke, Aaron Padilla, Luke Prihoda

Reporting Procedures: Abuse of Minors/Vulnerable Adults

Contact: Texas Dept. Family Services within 48 hours
800 – 252-5400 www.txabusehotline.org
or local police. If in immediate danger, dial 911
or: Diocese of Victoria: 361- 827-7176
or: Bishop Cahill 361 – 573-0828
or mail to P.O. Box 4070, Victoria, Texas 77901 and mark it confidential.