



ST. CATHERINE of SIENA CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Weekend Presider Schedules: *(subject to change)*

Saturday, May 2

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation
.....Fr. Johannes
5:00 p.m. MassFr. Johannes

Sunday, May 3

7:30 a.m. MassFr. Johannes
9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Mass..... Fr. Lou
1:15 p.m. & 5:00 p.m. MassFr. Pat

Welcome...



ACT JUSTLY
LOVE TENDERLY
WALK HUMBLLY

From the Pastor's Office

5th Sunday of Easter

Peter is very poetic in his letter today. I love these words. "Come to Him, a living stone rejected by human beings but chosen and precious in the sight to God, and, like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ." The thing is stones are not living things. They are just stones. The idea of a living stone that contributes to the building of God's Kingdom is a lovely thing to consider. Paul used his own imagery when he says we are the Body of Christ all joined together with Christ as the Head. Peter is getting to be quite a preacher. Clearly, based on the first reading the early Christians made huge progress and many people wanted to join them. Many people previously experienced the worship of God as an alien thing. You worship the God. You pay your money and everything's fine for another while. The Christians proclaimed a faith that was based on an intimate personal relationship with God. They wanted to build a community of people who were joined together like family. We all want to belong to something like that. We need each other. People

matter. Without people I am dead. We begin to see this little group of believers getting more organized. From the beginning the Christians practiced the works of charity. They fed people. They cared for the vulnerable. Nobody was sent away. So, we have the situation arising about how to get better organized. In order to allow the Elders and Apostles to spend their days preaching the message, it was necessary to recruit people who could manage the distribution of the food. Good idea. The ministry of the Deacon was born in these days. Let there be men from the community who love God come forth to offer their lives in service. We see the beginning of Administration in the Community. We see the evolution of ritual. Once the decision was made, the elders of the Community laid their hands on these seven men chosen for ministry. The laying on of hands is prominent in our liturgical practices today. I am amazed to read that the number of disciples in Jerusalem increased greatly. There arises a large group of priests. The Pharisees and Romans can't have been happy about that. It is like the Christians have broken through the fences that held them in. You can't stop us now. Very quickly in the early days the Apostles began to spread across the known world. When you experience

your faith like a living stone you just want to burst forth and spread the message. We all do that by our words and by our actions. You don't have to be a great theologian to be a good Christian. If you want to know how to be a good Christian, or to try it again, how about you begin by doing works of charity. Where? What? How? Well! Check out our bulletin. Maybe you might like to go out with Mobile Loaves and Fishes. Maybe you might like to get involved with St. Vincent de Paul's mission. Maybe you might like to join the thousand other ways we at St. Catherine's reach out. A thousand times you heard us ask people to take a grocery basket and fill it with some food. Our intention is to bring that food to Abiding Love Lutheran Church Food Bank. Every time we asked you to help you just ignored us and departed. How about this time you stop and do something? Take a grocery bag. Buy some groceries and let our community reach out to the poor with acts of charity. Try it out. It might do you good. Just saying...



With love,
Fr. Pat

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help



Begins Friday, May 8

Join the parish in praying the Novena at home or at any daily or weekend Mass during the nine days from May 8-16.

The closing Mass will be on Saturday,
May 16 at 5 p.m.

Scan the QR Code for the Novena
and more information:



2026 Sign Ups for Altar and Ambo Flowers Now Online



Donate flowers in memory of a loved one or special occasion for a specific weekend in 2026.

We ask for a donation of \$175 for the altar flowers, \$125 for the ambo flowers, or \$250 for both.

Your name and occasion will be printed in the weekly bulletin, posted on our announcement monitors in the various buildings at St. Catherine's, and in our weekly email to parishioners.

Click here to sign up!

Liturgy

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

The Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help begins on Friday, May 8. Novena prayer cards will be available in the narthex and [on the parish website](#). It is also included below. Join the parish in praying the Novena at home or at any daily or weekend Mass during the nine days from May 8-16. The closing Mass will be on Saturday, May 16 at 5 p.m.



Cry Room During Mass

Families may use the choir room in the church. The large TV monitor will project a live feed of Mass. You will need to come into the sanctuary to receive communion.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena Prayer

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, with the greatest confidence I come before you to ask for your intercession. May I be inspired by the example of your life. I think of you at that moment when, full of faith and trust, you accepted God's call to be the Mother of His Son. Help us to be like you in the way you put your faith and trust in God.

When you learned that your cousin Elizabeth was in need, you immediately went to offer your help to her. Help us, to be like you, to be concerned for others.

We remember at the foot of the cross how your heart was broken in grief. We remember the joy you felt when you heard that Jesus had risen from His death.

Dearest Mary, Mother of Perpetual Help, help me through the trials and disappointments of my life. In particular, I ask you for this favor...(pause).

Dearest Mary, Mother of Perpetual Help, we give thanks to the Lord for all the wonderful things He has done for us. We give thanks to the Lord for the many gifts He has given to us. Despite our failures and shortcomings, the Lord our God continues to show His love to us. We give thanks to the Lord for giving you to us, our Mother of Perpetual Help. We give thanks to the Lord for all the favors we have received through your intercession. Our Lady of Perpetual Help, pray for us. Amen.

Community Ministries

Donations Needed

We need men's & women's summer clothing, men's white tube socks (new), hotel-sized toiletries, spools of ribbon, cotton fabric or baby flannel, diapers (sizes 2-7), wipes, and new or gently used backpacks. Please leave your donations in the wooden box in the narthex or take them to the Community Ministries office. Thank you!

Food Drive for Abiding Love

Please pick up a grocery bag in the narthex after Mass and return with non-perishable food items by Sunday, May 3. Or you may take your donations to Abiding Love on April 26 or May 3 from 3-5 p.m. when the Knights will host a Drive-Thru Food Drive in the Abiding Love parking lot (7210 Brush Country). Please no fresh food or bread. The Abiding Love food pantry is open every Monday, 11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

For Donations of Small Furniture, Please Contact St. Louise House

Please send pictures of possible furniture donations to info@saintlouiselhouse.org so they can determine whether they are likely to fit into their apartments. Contact them by this email or by phone at 512-302-0027 to schedule a drop off time. Note: They do not pick up.

Cradle of Prayer



Expecting a child is a blessing, but also a time of uncertainty. On Friday evening, April 24, parishioners gathered in the Cenacle room of the Parish Center for Cradle of Prayer, a special prayer service for expecting mothers. Parishioners who attended also prayed for families and anyone who requested prayers for life.

The service included music, fellowship and dinner. Cradle of Prayer is led by a group of parishioners; future prayer services will be announced as they are planned. Please keep expectant mothers and all families in your prayers.

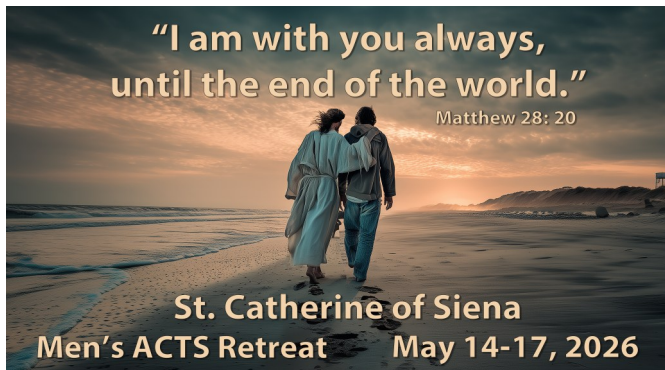


Adult Faith Formation

Are you interested in learning more about what it means to become Catholic? Do you desire a deeper relationship with God, more meaning in your life and a community of faith? Are you curious about how you might discern if God is calling you to enter the Catholic Church? Contact [Marti](#) in the parish office or [click here to complete an online form](#) to start the conversation.

Registration Now Open for Men's ACTS Retreat: May 14-17

Adoration, Community, Theology and Service (ACTS) - those are the focus of the Men's ACTS Retreat scheduled for Thursday, May 14 through Sunday, May 17 at Eagles Wings Retreat Center in Burnet, Texas. The goals of the ACTS retreat are to deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ, renew ourselves spiritually, give new meaning to our prayer life and Sunday liturgy, and build lasting friendships with members of our parish. The cost is \$195 per person, which includes lodging, meals and transportation. Departure is on Thursday evening from St. Catherine's. The retreat ends on Sunday with a reception following 11:30 a.m. Mass at St. Catherine's. Reconnect with your faith - [click here to register](#).



Family Faith Formation

Registration Open for Catholic Soccer Camp 2026

Get ready for five days of soccer fun and faith formation this summer at St. Catherine's Catholic Soccer Camp! This camp is for students entering kindergarten through 5th grade, and will take place June 8 - 12. The cost is \$70 per player for the week, which includes a cinch sack, water bottle, daily snacks, and pizza and popsicles for the big game that takes place on Friday, June 12 at Slaughter Creek Park. Volunteers are also needed. [Click here](#) for more information and player/volunteer registration.



Summer Pre-Confirmation Class for Juniors (11th Grade)

Do you have a rising junior in high school who has not previously participated in teen faith formation classes but would like to receive the sacrament of Confirmation? If you have a rising 11th grade high schooler who is interested in getting confirmed, we are considering a summer class that would combine both years of pre-Confirmation preparation. Please [click here](#) to visit our website and complete an interest form, or contact our Youth Minister [Livia Telles-Rodriguez](#). This class would be for rising high school juniors only who have already been baptized and received first communion.



2026 Graduation Mass - Sunday, May 31 at 11:30 a.m.

On Sunday, May 31, we will celebrate our high school and college graduates from the Class of 2026 at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. During this annual "baccalaureate" Mass, we recognize the milestones of high school and college graduates as we commemorate this joyous occasion with family, friends and fellow parishioners. A small reception will be held for the graduates and their families after Mass. [Click here to register](#).



2026 Summer Challenge for Teens - Registration Now Open

Summer Challenge provides fun, faith-filled opportunities for teens. It is open to students entering grades 7-12 in the 2026-27 school year. This year's Summer Challenge will be held June 8-10, June 15 and June 19. We have five organizations to work with, one on each day. This year's organizations and time slots are [listed on our website with the registration form](#), along with chaperone slots for parents. **Registration closes on Wednesday, May 27.** Parents will be responsible for bringing their child to the organization location and can stay and chaperone if spots are available. Parents will also need to pick up their child at the location or make transportation arrangements with another parent. Volunteer slots are limited, so register early for the organization(s) where you would like to serve!

St. Catherine's Catholic Soccer Camp Registration Now Open for Students Entering Grades K-5!

Camp Dates: June 8-12

Locations and Times:
At St. Catherine's June 8-11, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
and at Slaughter Creek Park on June 12 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Cost: \$70 per player

Player & Volunteer Registration Online:

SUMMER CHALLENGE

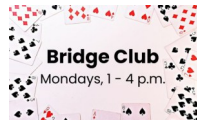
Registration for Summer Challenge 2026 is now open for students entering grades 7-12.

Spots are limited!
Click here or scan the QR code for info & registration online.

Upcoming Parish Meetings & Events

Bridge Club (Mondays)

Experienced bridge players are welcome to join the Bridge Club every Monday from 1 - 4 p.m. in the Parish Center, Room 222 (next to Siena Hall on the second floor). Questions? Contact nancydobbs@yahoo.com.



Lay Missionaries of Charity

Lay Missionaries of Charity welcome you to "Come and See" any Tuesday for Adoration at 10 a.m., followed by our general meeting with a Rosary in the Ignite Room and Daily Mass at noon. For more information, contact Indra Arulraj at (832) 875-9823, or email her at indra.arulraj@gmail.com.



Breaking Open the Word (Tuesdays Online)

Study the Sunday readings with this online resource that is [shared weekly on the website](#). Join our online group on Tuesdays from 1 - 2:30 p.m. or study alone. To join, email [Jennifer Gamblin](mailto:Jennifer.Gamblin).



Ladies Club and Krafty Ladies Meeting - May 6 at 10 a.m.

The Krafty Ladies will have their weekly meeting on Wednesday, May 6, at 10 a.m. in Siena Hall, and will be joined by the Ladies Club at 11 a.m. A light brunch will be served at the Krafty Ladies meeting. All ladies of the parish are invited. [Click here for more information](#).



St. Catherine's Cross Stitch Group (Wednesdays)

St. Catherine's Cross Stitch group meets at 1 p.m. Wednesdays in the Parish Center, rooms 231/232. ALL experience levels invited! No tools needed to get started! Contact Glenda Massey at m4force@aol.com for more information.



Centering Prayer Group

The [Centering Prayer](#) group meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Cenacle and on Mondays via Zoom at 3 p.m. For information, contact Marianne Metzner at MarianneMetznerLPC@gmail.com or (512) 203-5460.



Senior Ministry - May 7, 2026 at 10 a.m. in the Cenacle

[Senior Ministry](#) will meet on Thursday, May 7 in the Cenacle at 10 a.m. Come meet the Pastoral Associate and Director of Religious Education at St. Catherine's, Marti Salas, as she talks about her role in the parish.



Knights of Columbus Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting - May 11

If you are a wife, widow, mother, sister or daughter (over 18 years of age) of any member of the Knights of Columbus, in any parish, you are eligible to join the [Knights of Columbus Ladies' Auxiliary](#)! This group meets the second Monday of the month through May, beginning at 7 p.m. in Room 233/234 of the Parish Center. The next meeting will be on May 11. For more information, please e-mail Pamela White at pamela.larawhite@gmail.com.



Prime Timers Brown Bag Lunch: Celebrate National Apple Pie Day - May 13, 12:30 p.m. in Siena Hall

Come for the pie, stay for the laughter, and enjoy great company! The [Prime Timers](#) are celebrating National Apple Pie Day during their Brown Bag Lunch on Wednesday, May 13, at 12:30 p.m. in Siena Hall. There will be a Johnny Appleseed presentation by Richard Willis and fun trivia for prizes. Bring your lunch, Prime Timers will supply the beverages and pie. Life is short, eat the pie! For information, email primetimers20@gmail.com.



Prayer Shawl Ministry - May 14 at 1 p.m.

If you know of someone in need of prayer, (grieving, illness, new baby, etc.), please contact Heidi Langan at scprayershawl@stcatherine-austin.org or (512) 497-1082 for a complimentary prayer shawl. Our next meeting is on Thursday, May 14, 1 - 2 p.m. in the Parish Center, room 231/232. Experienced crocheters and knitters are always welcome.



Ladies Club Bake Sale May 16 - 17

After All Masses
Parish Courtyard



Krafty Ladies Craft Sale!

Sunday, May 17
After All Morning Masses
in the Parish Courtyard
Come and see all of the
beautiful handmade items!



Clerical Endowment Fund Mass Cards Available at St. Catherine's



Clerical Endowment (CEF) Mass cards are sold in parishes throughout the diocese, including St. Catherine's. The spiritual benefits of each Mass card enrollment include Masses offered monthly by the bishop and the CEF director, and the recipient of the Mass card is remembered in the prayers of the seminarians and the Carmelite sisters at the Our Lady of Grace Monastery in Christoval.

The CEF Mass cards make good gifts for birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, baptisms, First Holy Communions, confirmations, graduations, or for an ill family member or friend. They can also be given as a thank you gift or on Mother's Day, Father's Day and other special occasions.

The Mass cards may be purchased for \$2 or \$5 (individuals), \$25 (perpetual), \$50 for a family, or \$100 for a group. CEF Mass cards can be purchased at St. Catherine's parish office from Evelyn Amador or Monica Sanchez.

Amigos Club News

Amigos Club Outstanding Achievement Award

Scholarship Opportunity - Deadline: Friday, May 22 at 3 p.m.

The Outstanding Achievement Award sponsored by the Amigos Club recognizes academic achievement and provides financial support to qualified students completing 5th, 8th and 12th grades in the 2025-2026 school year. The deadline to apply is Friday, May 22, at 3 p.m. Completed applications can be dropped off at the parish office. [Click here for additional information and to download applications](#), or stop by the parish office to pick up a hard copy.

Amigos Club 2026 Outstanding Achievement Award Scholarship Applications Now Available



Scholarships for students completing 5th, 8th and 12th grades in 2025-2026.

Deadline:
Friday, May 22, at 3 p.m.

Applications available online:



Knights of Columbus News

Parish Blood Drive - Saturday, May 16, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Council 8156 is sponsoring a Parish Blood Drive on Saturday, May 16, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the west parking lot, where the We Are Blood Mobile Unit will be parked. Donors will receive a Kerbey Lane free appetizer voucher. [Please click here to register to donate](#). Eat prior to your donation and bring your photo ID.

**Saturday
May 16
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

The We Are Blood Mobile Unit will be in the west parking lot.

Eat prior to your donation and bring a photo ID.

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Register online:

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Attending college full time next fall? Have you been involved in the church and / or community over the last 4 years? Knights of Columbus Council 8156 has scholarships available to members of St. Catherine's and members of our Knights' council. Go to kofc8156.org for an application. Full rules and deadlines are in the application.

**Knights of Columbus Council 8156
College Scholarships**

Click or scan the QR code for rules and deadline.

Knights of Columbus 6th Annual Siena Car Show

Have a Classic Car? Like to show it off? The Knights of Columbus Council 8156 will hold its 6th Annual Siena Car Show on Sunday, May 31, 2026. The family friendly event benefits the Autism Society of Texas and Knights of Columbus Local Charities. The show, at Buck's Backyard at 1750 South FM 1626 in Buda, Texas, runs from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. In case of rain it will be moved to Sunday, June 7. Register for the show online at: <https://kofc8156.org/car-show>.



Masterworks Singers Spring Concert

Masterworks Singers Spring Concert "Aeterna Via" -

Thursday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Church

The Masterworks Singers and Orchestra, conducted by Dr. H. Morris Stevens, Jr. will perform the premiere of the commissioned work *Aeterna Via* by award-winning composer Elaine Hagenberg on Thursday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Church. This concert will feature the new 7-movement *Aeterna Via* plus other selections evoking emotions of hope, healing, and peace. The concert is free. There will be a free-will offering collected.

A few words from the composer...

"There is a road that winds through anticipation and wonder, exhilaration to disorientation, and ultimately — toward home. *Aeterna Via* (The Eternal Way) traces that journey across seven movements. With a cinematic flow, the music unfolds seamlessly from one movement to the next, as choir and orchestra share equally in the role of storyteller, and each movement is titled to mark a new stage of the journey. The texts are drawn from diverse sources, offering poetic reflections of our shared human experience, expressed through the ordered reason of the philosopher, the luminous vision of the mystic, and the raw human emotion of the psalmist."

The Masterworks Singers are honored to bring this new work to Paris, France, this June as part of the Hagenberg International Choral Festival.

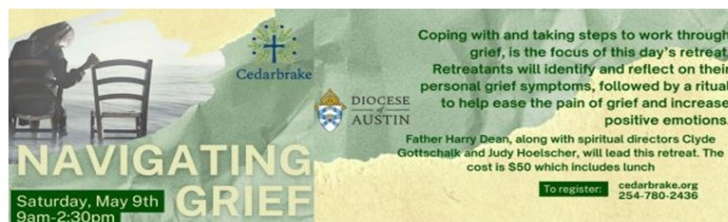
News Beyond Our Parish

Navigating Grief - May 9 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center

Navigating Grief, a day of reflection, will be presented May 9 at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Temple. Taking steps to work through grief is the focus of this day's retreat. Retreatants will identify and reflect on their personal grief symptoms followed by a ritual to help ease the pain of grief and increase positive emotions. Father Harry Dean, along with spiritual directors Clyde Gottschalk and Judy Hoelscher, will lead this retreat. The cost is \$50, which includes lunch. To register or for more information, visit www.austindiocese.org/cedarbrake or call (254) 780-2436.

Heart of Jesus: A Discernment Retreat for Men - May 20-22

Men of the parish, could God be calling you to be a priest? Join Fr. Greg Gerhart, the Vocation Director of the diocese, for *Heart of Jesus: A Discernment Retreat for Men*. The retreat will include time for prayer, spiritual conferences on discernment and vocations, and opportunities to speak with priests, seminarians, and other men discerning their vocation. The retreat will take place on May 20-22 at Cedarbrake Retreat Center in Belton, TX, and is open to single men who are 18-49 years old. Register today at www.austinvocations.com.



Cedarbrake
DIOCESE OF AUSTIN
Coping with and taking steps to work through grief, is the focus of this day's retreat. Retreatants will identify and reflect on their personal grief symptoms, followed by a ritual to help ease the pain of grief and increase positive emotions.
Father Harry Dean, along with spiritual directors Clyde Gottschalk and Judy Hoelscher, will lead this retreat. The cost is \$50 which includes lunch.
To register: cedarbrake.org 254-780-2436
NAVIGATING GRIEF
Saturday, May 9th
9am-2:30pm



Masterworks Singers

Aeterna Via

ELAINE HAGENBERG

Premiere Performance
New Commissioned Major Work

Thursday, May 7, 2026
7:30 pm
St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church
Austin, Texas

With the Masterworks Chamber Orchestra



PRIME TIMERS EVENTS

Celebrate National Apple Pie Day!

Date: May 13 Time: 12:30 p.m. Location: Siena Hall

Bring Your Lunch We'll provide drinks & apple pie dessert!

Johnny Appleseed Presentation

Trivia Time! Test your knowledge & win prizes!

Come for the pie, stay for the laughter, and enjoy great company!

More Info: primetimers20@gmail.com

Life is short—eat the pie!

★ Presentation by Richard Willis ★



First Communion Masses

April 18 and April 25, 2026



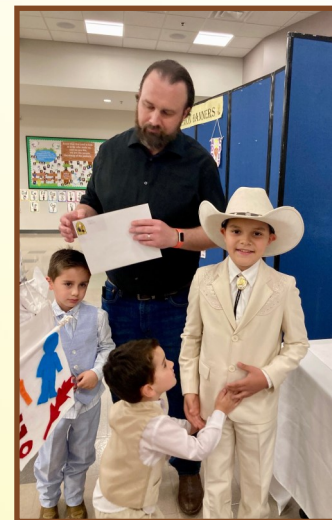
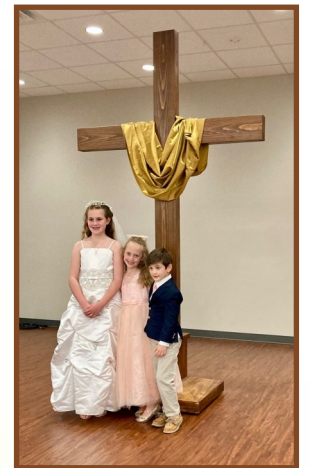
Congratulations to all of the children who received First Communion at Masses on April 18 and April 25!
May our Lord in the Eucharist bless them always!



Saturday, April 18, with Fr. Pat (Courtesy of Johnston Family)



Saturday, April 25, with Fr. Johannes





Pictures from the Parish

A glimpse into activities at St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church.

April 28, 2026

Lay Missionaries of Charity
Sandwiches for the Homeless

In Honor of the Feast Day
of St. Catherine of Siena



Photos courtesy of Alison Manzer

Thank You



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Preschool Ministries: Heather Riley
Religious Education (Adult):
..... Marti Salas, Jennifer Gamblin
Religious Education (Children & Youth):
Marti Salas, Sarah Pedrozo, Laura Bristow, Cynthia Rodriguez, Livia Telles-Rodriguez

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday..... 7:30 am, 9:30 am*
..... 11:30 am, 1:15 pm, 5:00 pm
Monday – Friday 12:00 pm*
Tuesday 7:00 pm
* Denotes online livestream Masses

Confession

Saturday 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Tuesday 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm
By Appointment..... (512) 892-2420

Adoration (Day Chapel)

Monday - Friday.....10:00 am – 11:50 am
Thursday 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Daily Rosary (Day Chapel)

Monday - Friday.....11:20 am – 11:45 am

Organizations

ACTS
Rod Whisnant, Actscoreteam@gmail.com
Amigos Sandra Soto 921-2740
Bridge ClubNancy Dobrinski 796-6688
K of C Auxiliary Pamela White 785-4086
K of C Council #8156
..... Arnold Auzenne 299-3527
Krafty LadiesRachel Lopez 565-1890
Ladies Club..... Brenda Mayes 791-8405
Lay Missionaries of Charity
..... Indra Arulraj (832) 875-9823
Prayer Shawl Ministry
..... Heidi Langan 497-1082
Prime Timers..... Juanita Josel 394-1254
St. Vincent de Paul ... Cathi Brown 826-7035
St. Vincent de Paul Assistance 550-1560
Scouts..... David Pesek 970-1218

Marriage: Contact Monica Sanchez at monica.sanchez@stcatherine-austin.org or (512) 892-2420 at least nine months prior to the wedding date.

Baptism: Contact Jennifer Gamblin at jennifer.gamblin@stcatherine-austin.org or (512) 892-2420.

Bulletin: Send email to Danielle Nepustil at danielle.nepustil@stcatherine-austin.org.

Updated EIM Compliance Information

The mission of the Diocese of Austin’s Ethics and Integrity in Ministry (EIM) program is to help protect people from abuse and unethical behavior through education, action, and reporting, and to listen to and learn from those who have experienced abuse in order to provide healing. **EIM compliance is required for persons active in most ministries in the diocese.** Looking for resources and information about safeguarding children and other vulnerable people? Do you want to volunteer and are new to the EIM process? Are you returning to ministry and already have an EIM account? Visit austindiocese.org/eim to learn more about EIM policies and procedures and how they keep our parishes and schools safer for everyone. Contact your parish or school’s EIM site administrator, [Evelyn Amador](mailto:Evelyn.Amador@stcatherine-austin.org) at [evelyn.amador@stcatherine-austin.org](mailto:Evelyn.Amador@stcatherine-austin.org), or eim@austindiocese.org for additional assistance. **Report Abuse:** Report abuse of a minor, elderly adult, or an adult with a disability to local law enforcement or the Texas Abuse Hotline at www.txabusehotline.org or (800) 252-5400 and the diocese at www.austindiocese.org/report-abuse or (512) 949-2447.

Stay Connected!

We want to communicate more effectively with you and make it easy for you to control the announcements you receive and how you are notified. We are now using a service called **CONNECT**. You can subscribe to regular e-mails from St. Catherine of Siena by [clicking here](#). It is totally free to use and it makes it easy for you to stay plugged in to the ministries or groups that you care about, as well as receive weekly updates with a direct link to our digital bulletin. Your information will be completely safe and secure. You can unsubscribe from any updates at any time! Thank you for being a part of our parish community!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

We are grateful to this community for giving so greatly and regularly at home through online and mail contributions. Please also try to include St. Vincent de Paul in your giving.

WAYS TO GIVE



Donate Online at stcatherine-austin.org/give-from-home



PayPal



venmo



SC eCatholic
(Parish website)



Call Erin Hummel (512) 892-2420 to set up online giving