Pentecost Sunday: Sequence

Come O Holy Spirit, Come!
And from your celestial home
Shed a ray of light divine!
Come, O Father of the poor!
Come, source of all our store!
Come, within our bosoms shine!
You, of comforters the best:
You the soul's most welcome guest:
Sweet refreshment here below.
In our Labor rest most sweet;
Grateful coolness in the hear;
Solace in the midst of woe.
O most blessed Light divine,
Shine within these heart of yours,
And our in most being fill!

Where you are not, we have naught,
Nothing good in deed or thought,
Nothing free from taint of ill.
Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
On our dryness pour your dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away.
Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.
On the faithful who adore
And confess you ever more
In your sevenfold gift descend;
Give them virtue's sure reward;
Give them your salvation, Lord;
Give them joys that never end.
AMEN, ALLELUIA!

Sunday, May 23, 2021

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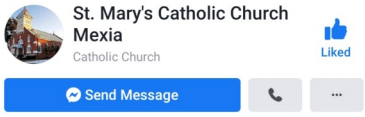

Pentecost Sunday
Domingo de Pentecostés

Saturday, May 22nd / *Sábado, 22º de Mayo*
6:00PM: St. Mary's Parishioners
Los Feligreses de Sta. María

Sunday, May 23rd / *Domingo, 23º de Mayo*
8:00AM: +Francis Kratochvil
10:00AM: +Roy Blackwell,
Tony & Therese Nguyen Family Intentions
12:00PM: +Catalina Barco Pérez, +Nieves Vega & +Agapita Pérez Sánchez

Tuesday, May 25th / *Martes, 25º de Mayo*
9:00AM: +Rosie Knapek

Wednesday, May 26th / *Miércoles, 26º de Mayo*
9:00AM: +Rosie Knapek

Thursday, May 27th / Jueves, *27º de Mayo*
9:00AM: VOCATIONS

Friday, May 28th / *Viernes 28º de Mayo*
9:00AM: ADORATION
10:00AM: In Thanksgiving of: Blair Davidson
Birthday

PRAYER LIST

Let us pray for the sick / Oremos por los enfermos: Jessica Recarte, Abraham Garcia, Jesse Villarreal Jr., Carol Matthews Dallas, Cathy Canterbury, Matt Wilson, Dcn. Daniel Ramirez, Gwen Luther, Jeanell Simmons, Rick Schlitt, Mary Rodriguez, Jim Keally, Jaime Gragg, Mary Schaefer, Layne Stetson Shields, Kristine McClinton, Dcn. Dwight Mahoney, Walter & Florence Smith. ***We pray to the Lord / Roguemos al Señor:***

Let us pray for the deceased/ Oremos por los difuntos: Francis Kratochvil, Sara Dian Frederick, Roy Blackwell, Albert Gallegos, Jean McCollough, Karen Jane Hughes and Michelle Parker. ***We pray to the Lord / Roguemos al Señor:***

Mass Attendance on
05/15/2021 & 05/16/21: 328

Catholic Social Teaching Corner

The Easter flame opens up this day to Pentecostal fire as we celebrate the sending of the Spirit who makes us God's new creation. There is no return to business as usual, through the action of the Holy Spirit we stand now, as Jesus did, proclaiming in word and deed the saving love of God and the coming of God's reign. Today is not the end of a season, but a celebration of the mission for which we were baptized. Let our alleluias continue to ring as we continue this great mission given us by God!

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Rincón de la Enseñanza Social Católica

La llama de la pascua abre paso hoy al fuego Pentecostal mientras celebramos el envío del Espíritu que nos hace la nueva creación de Dios. No existe un regreso a la vida usual, a través de la acción del Espíritu Santo, estamos ahora, como lo hizo Jesús, proclamando de palabra y de hecho el amor salvífico de Dios y la llegada del reino de Dios. Hoy no marca el final de la temporada, sino una celebración de la misión para la cual fuimos bautizados ¡Que continúen sonando nuestros aleluyas mientras continuamos esta gran misión que nos ha dado Dios!

Invite Someone back to Mass A Consistent commitment to attending Sunday Mass transforms us and others. All that is needed to help souls is for someone to show courage and reach out to them.

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Invite a alguien a regresar a la Santa Misa Un compromiso constante de asistir a la Santa Misa Dominical nos transforma a nosotros ya los demás. Todo lo que se necesita para ayudar a las almas es que alguien muestre valor y se acerque a ellas.

COLLECTION REPORT / INFORME DE COLECTA

Weekly average needed / Promedio semanal necesario:
$3,400.00
Offering Last Sunday / Ofertorio el Domingo Pasado:
05/15/2021 & 05/16/21: $3,441.00
Thank you for your generosity
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Please Note: These Amounts are reflective of many faithful cash contributions & do not necessarily reflect normal Sunday collection levels. Electronic Giving is available For those who would like to give electronically please sign up for e-giving on the church website: **https://stmarysmexia.org click on the donate tab.**

Everyone is welcome to help us clean our wonderful Church and Parish Hall. Mondays at 9:00 a.m. For any questions contact Mrs. Kathy Satsky at (254) 625-0511.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attention: First Communion Mandatory

- **Saturday, June 5th**, from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 1st Communion Retreat and 1st Reconciliation.
- **Wednesday, June 9th**- 1st Communion Rehearsal with Fr. Pius from 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. in the Church
  (Every child must attend!!!)
- **Saturday, June 12th**,- 1st Communion Mass 10:30 a.m. in the Church. **Children need to be in Church at 9:30 a.m. for pictures.**

Thanksgiving and Blessings Calling the Graduates 2020 - 2021 to give thanks to God for this achievement and to pray to God for your next chapter in life on **Sunday, June 13th, at the 10:00 a.m. Mass**. If you know somebody graduating this year, let them know. Seniors bring your graduation gown and cap. Call the church office to let us know that you will be attending.

Are you begin called to serve? Consider in serving Christ and His Church by being a Catechist or Aide or a CCE volunteer. CCE will begin the new year in the month of August. We are in need of Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Altar Servers and Ushers in all Masses. There are different parish organizations that needs you!!!

Annual Rummage Sale 2021 The Ladies Altar Guild will start collecting items for the rummage sale in August. You may drop off your donations **July 26th**, during regular office hours.

CELEBRATING PENTECOST & REFLECTING ON:

- Birthday of the Church
- Our Confirmation Day
- Family Faith Sharing
- Celebrate Diversity

Offer the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass Celebrating Mass is a great gift to your loved ones, living and deceased or for any other special occasion. Stop by the office for open dates.

How Should I Dress for Mass? With summer almost here, please remember that certain summer clothing is not appropriate for attending Mass. Please dress with respect for our Lord's house. From the Catechism of the Catholic Church, we know that "purity requires modesty" and "guides how one looks at others and behaves towards them in conformity with the dignity of persons and their solidarity" (CCC, 2521-2).

ANUNCIOS

Mayo el Mes del Rosario Se les invita a toda la comunidad estamos rezando el Santo Rosario todo los días a las 7 de la tarde En frente de la estatua de la Virgen María que esta atrás de la sacristía. Traiga a sus hijos/as para que compartan en este momento de Fe.

Atención: Primera Comunión Obligatorio

- **Sábado, 5 de Junio**, de 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
  Retiro de 1ª Comunión y 1ª Reconciliación.
- **Miércoles, 9 de Junio** - Ensayo de 1ªComunión con el Párroco Pio de 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. en la Iglesia
  ¡¡¡Todos los niños deben asistir !!!
- **Sábado, 12 de Junio** - Misa de Primera Comunión 10:30 a.m. en la Iglesia. **Los niños necesita estar en la Parroquia a las 9:30 a.m. para las fotos con la fotógrafa.**

Acción de Gracias y Bendiciones Llamando a Los Graduados 2020 - 2021 de la preparatoria a dar gracias a Dios por este logro y a orar a Dios por su próximo capítulo en la vida el **Domingo, 13 de Junio**, **en la Misa de las 10:00 de la mañana.** Si usted conoce a alguien que se gradúe de este año, avíseles. Por favor, venga con su capa de graduación. Llame a la al despacho parroquial con anticipación si va a asistir.

¿Comienzas a ser llamado a servir? Considere la posibilidad de servir a Cristo y su Iglesia siendo catequista o asistente o voluntario de catecismo. El catecismo comenzará el nuevo año en el mes de Agosto. Necesitamos Lectores, Ministros Extraordinarios, Monaguillos y Acomodadores en todas las Misas. Hay diferentes organizaciones parroquiales que te necesitan !!!

"Garaje Sale "de artículos usados Las Señoras del Altar comenzará a recolectar artículos para la venta de artículos usados en el mes de Agosto. Puede dejar sus donaciones a partir de del **26 de Julio**, durante el horario del despacho parroquial.

CELEBRANDO PENTECOSTÉS Y REFLEXIONANDO SOBRE:

- Cumpleaños de la Iglesia
- Nuestro Día de la Confirmación
- Compartir la Fe en familia
- Celebre la Diversidad

¿Cómo debo vestirme para la Santa Misa? Con el verano casi cercándose, por favor recuerde que ciertas prendas de verano no son apropiadas para asistir a la Santa Misa. Por favor, viste con respeto a la casa de nuestro Señor. Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica sabemos que "la pureza requiere modestia" y "guía cómo se mira a los demás y se comporta hacia ellos en conformidad con la dignidad de las personas y su solidaridad" (CCC, 2521-2).

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