

St. James Catholic Church

A living cell of the Catholic Diocese of Corpus Christi

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August 26, 2018 - Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass

WEEKENDS

Saturday 6:00 PM (Vigil)
Sunday 7:30 AM - Spanish
10:00 AM - English

WEEKDAYS

Monday, Wednesday,
Friday, Saturday
- 7:00 AM

Tuesday, Thursday
- 5:30 PM

Major Feast Days
(Holy Days): As
announced

CONFESSION

Saturday - 5:00 to 6:00 PM
and by appointment.

Warm welcome
NEW PARISHIONERS

St. James parish welcomes all newcomers.
Please contact the parish office to register.

OFFICE HOURS

Tues. - Fri. 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Closed 1:00 - 2:00 PM

PAROCHIAL TEAM

Administrator
Rev. PAUL KOTTACKAL

Deacon
Juan Vasquez

Parish Secretary
Juanita Cruz

Director of
Religious Education
Anna Castillo

Bookkeeper
Veda Lisa Blanton

Parish Council Chairman
Luis Hernandez

Finance Council Chairman
Carlos Salazar Jr.

Eucharist Ministry
Coordinator
Janie Maldonado

Altar Servers Coordinator
Roxanne Salazar

Lector Coordinator
Salvador Andrade

Knights of Columbus
Grand Knight #14064
Albert Garces

Guadalupeans
Pres. Juanita Martinez

Cursillistas Vocal
Angelita Garcia

Faith Ministry
Pres. Yolanda Maldonado

Spanish Choir
Tony De La Rosa

English Choir
Margaret Smith

Bulletin
R. Anthony Hinojosa

Website
Bonnie Salazar, Irene Moreno



MISSION STATEMENT:

The Catholic community of St. James Church is made up of loving and sensitive members seeking to meet their spiritual needs, strengthen their faith, and affirm their continued existence as the church of Jesus Christ today and tomorrow. In their quest to evangelize, it is their mission to assist everyone toward a more abundant experience of the riches of their liturgy and sacraments, and to convince all of Christ's sheep that the Lord's Day is indeed for all.



Pastor's Reflection

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

I have Changed My Boyfriend!

A woman told the salesperson: "My boyfriend does not like the color of the dress that I purchased the other day." The salesperson allowed the customer to make an exchange, and the woman took a dress with a different color. After two days, the customer returned the second one and purchased the first one. The salesperson asked, "What happened? Has your boyfriend changed his mind?" "No", replied the lady, "I've changed my boyfriend!"

In the modern time, there are plenty of choices around us. The persuasion to choose one from the other is very compelling. The customers are confused. This confusion is made use of by the marketers to mislead the buyers. In today's first reading Joshua convened his people and said, "If it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide today whom you will serve, the Gods your fathers served beyond the River or the Gods of Amorites.... As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

Joshua, the leader, observed that his people were not consistent and committed to the Gods whom they chose; hence this request. He is encouraging them to choose the Lord who liberated them from the Egyptian slavery. In order to persuade his followers, Joshua is making use of the most effective commercial. It was the living example of his life and that of his clan. People were so convinced with his example that they exclaimed, "Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God."

As Christians our choice is very limited; we have to choose either the teachings of Jesus or the other teachings that lead us to eternal damnation. Jesus, having said that his flesh and blood are the real food for eternal life, observed that people began to desert him. Then he turned to Peter and his companions asking, "Do you also want to leave?" Peter answered, "Master, to whom shall we go?"

Let us repeat what Peter said. Also let us say after Joshua, "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

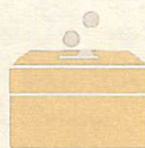
Have a blessed week.

Fr. Paul

Next Class September 11 BAPTISMAL REQUIREMENTS

Parents - need to be registered members of St. James.
Godparents - need to have received the sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation and, if married, need to have been married in the Catholic Church. To register for the Baptismal Class, please bring the birth certificate of the person being baptized.

WEEKLY COLLECTION



August 19, 2018

Envelope Collection	\$1,420.80
Loose Collection	539.78
Total	\$1,960.58

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday, August 25

6:00 PM + Londa Trial and Jeff Trial for His Health
By Paul Trial

Sunday, August 26

7:30 AM + Guadalupe G. Alaniz by Mr. & Mrs. Dan Karr
And Family
+ Isidro Cruz by His Family
+ Basilio Saucedo by Lidia Saucedo and Family
+ Jesus, Sr. and Maria Ramirez by Lidia Saucedo
And Family
+ Matthew Paul Normand by The Cruz Family
10:00 AM + Anita T. Perez by Hortencia Brooks



Pope Francis: The Eucharist is no mere symbol, but is in fact the true body and blood of Jesus Christ, which has the ability to transform our hearts and minds to be more like him.

CCE CLASSES

Classes will begin on September 9, 2018.

AUDITORS

Team III, Sunday, August 26

Rosalinda Orozco, Maria Servantes, & Margaret R. Mesquita

Team IV, Sunday, September 2

Teodora Galvan & Virginia Quintanilla

Team V, Sunday, September 9

Elfida Garcia, Juanita Cruz, & Angie Garcia

Team I, Sunday, September 16

Janie Maldonado, Sylvia Holmes, & Alice Sanchez

Team II, Sunday, September 23

Amy Gonzales & Diana Barrera

LECTORS

Saturday, August 25

6:00 PM Salvador Andrade

Sunday, August 26

7:30 AM Teodora Galvan

10:00 AM Albert Garces

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, August 25

6:00 PM Luis Hernandez

Juan Jimenez

Sunday, August 26

7:30 AM Juanita Cruz

Elena Garza

10:00 AM Luis Hernandez

Joe Gomez

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, August 25

6:00 PM Alizabeth Martinez

Sunday, August 26

7:30 AM Daniel Hinojosa

10:00 AM Brandon Guerrero

Krislynn Cuellar

PRAY FOR THE SICK



With caring and compassion, we pray for:

Jewelina Beth Gonzalez, Christopher Cardenas, Anthony Angel Cardenas, Guadalupe Benavides, Albert Cardenas, Jr., Jim Nelson, Joe Adrian Moya, Catherine McKeown, Kristina Elena Garcia, Eva Dominguez, Chris Ulmer, Roxann Gleason, Frank Riojas, Delfina Huerta, Jessie Riojas, Joe Anthony Martinez, Armando B. Perez, Lino Garcia, Katy Rendon, Denice Hadwin, Patty Stone, Ascension Carrizales, Lupe Abrigo, Lulu Martinez Watson, Tabitha Rendon, Mary Longoria, Jessie Martinez Jr., Jaime Salinas, Roman Flores, Santos Lopez, Caroline James Ries, Edward Silva, Dalia A. Salazar, Julia Ramos, Adrian Sampayo, Aurelio Guajardo, Tonya Sciba, Kenneth Sciba, Nieves Moreno Jr., Jessica Arrisola, Mary Carrizales, Norma Delgado, Juanita Maldonado, Dora Lopez Bernal, Richard Espinosa, Emo Aleman, Roger Cano, Robert Hernandez, Nieves Cardenas, Laurie Lawrence, Anselmo Garcia, Jr., Josefa Aleman, Crystal Arciba, Francisco Trevino, Juanita L. Martinez, Patricia Servantes, Raul Maldonado, Sr., Sylvia Longoria, Mary Guerrero, Alice Perez, Pete Soliz, Raymond Rorick, Jose Salazar, Anacleto Vidauri, Elisa Vidauri, Margaret, Joshua and Aaliyah Brook, Maria Serrano, David Dennis, Jose H. Guerrero, Genevieve S. Trevino and to all at Christus Spohn.

Please call the office to add or to remove names from the prayer list.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please submit all announcements for the bulletin to the office by Wednesday at noon.

FAREWELL TO OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

A farewell reception will be held at Our Lady of Victory Parish Hall at 7:30 P.M. on Sunday, August 26. There will be mariachis and Matachin dancers. Everyone is invited to come and say goodbye to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

COASTAL BEND COLLEGE NEWMAN CENTER

A free movie will be shown at the Newman Center on "The Documentary on the Fallout of the Free-Love Experiment Against the Backdrop of Pope Paul VI's 1968 Encyclical About Love, Sex and Marriage" at 7:00 P.M. on August 31. Everyone is welcome to attend. See the Flyer on the Bulletin Board in the back of the Church and in the CCE Building. See the insert for more information on Mass Schedules and activities at the Center.

FAITH CHOIR RUMMAGE SALE

The Faith Choir will be accepting household items (furniture, kitchen items etc.) for a Rummage Sale scheduled for 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, September 8 in the Parish Hall. Donated items may be dropped off at the CCE Building Tuesday through Friday. All proceeds will be used to defray the cost of the new sound system. Contact Margaret Smith for more information at 361-319-2270.

CCE REGISTRATION

CCE Registration applications for the school year 2018-2019 are now available on the table at the back of the Church and at the Parish Office. Please pick an application for each child and return it to the Parish Office as soon as possible. There is a donation of \$20 for the first child, \$15 for second child and \$10 for additional child. Please attach a copy of the child's baptismal certificate to the application. Classes will begin on September 9, 2018.

MARRIAGE REQUIREMENTS

Please call the Church Office at least six months before the date of wedding to meet with Pastor. For civil marriages, please make an appointment with Pastor and allow two weeks for preparation of the documents. All marriage documents need to be sent to the Chancery for approval.



Ruth A Gentile Woman

In the Genealogy of Jesus

The ancestry of Jesus consists of sinners and saints, rulers and ruled, priests and ordinary, chosen ones and gentiles. Ruth a gentile woman is one among them. (Mt. 1:5)

Ruth's story has all the elements of a romantic movie but it is down to earth, too. Elimelech and his wife Naomi, with their two sons, Mahlon and Chilion, who were Israelites, left Bethlehem their homeland for Moab a gentile region because of famine. Both sons married Moabite women but died without children. Elimelech also died: three widows in a foreign land. Naomi decided to go back to Bethlehem. On the request of the mother-in-law Orpah one of the daughters-in-law stayed back but Ruth insisted going with Naomi saying, "...your people shall be my people, and your God my God: where you die, will I die, and there will I be buried: the Lord do so to me, and more also, if ought but death part you and me." (Ruth 1: 15-18) They returned to their flock empty handed having nothing to live on. Naomi was emotionally despondent too; but her family and friends accepted her with joy. Ruth started working in the field for survival.

Out of sympathy one land owner, Boaz, asked his workers to be kind to Ruth and leave plenty of grains for her and her mother-in-law. At that time he did not know who Ruth was. Later Boaz realized that he was a near family member of Elimelech, the husband of Naomi. This led Boaz to take Naomi and Ruth into his care. Having instructed by the mother-in-law Ruth asked Boaz to become the kinsman-redeemer for them. But there was another man in the village who had the right to be their kinsman. This man was not willing to take up his responsibility, and consequently Boaz took Ruth as his wife. They became the great-grandparents of King David.

Christ's genealogy as a family tree has its proximate origin in King David. Joseph, the earthly father of Jesus came from the House of David.

What makes Ruth great, though a gentile, is what she said to her widowed mother-in-law: "...your people shall be my people and your God my God..." This shows how committed and faithful she was to family values and tradition.

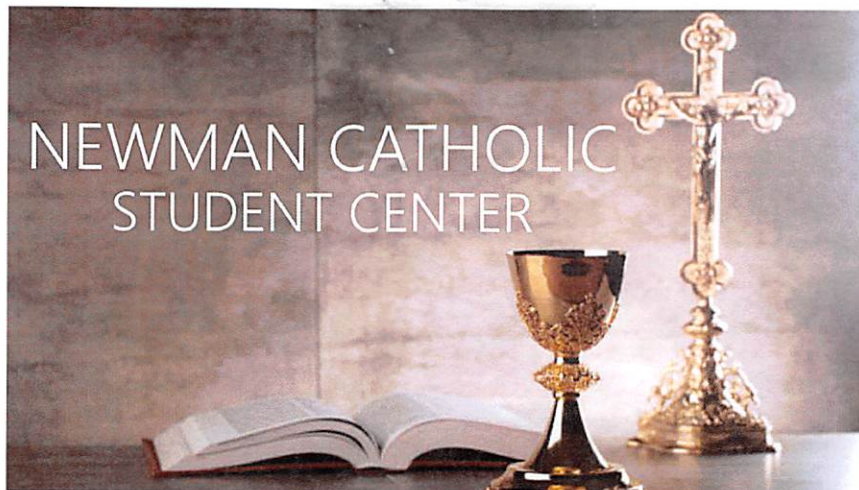
Fr. Paul Kottackal

She is funny!



A guy says to a vet, "Could you please cut my dog's tail off?" Having examined the tail the vet says, "There is nothing wrong. Why would you want this done?" The man replies, "My mother-in-law is visiting, and nothing in the house shall make her think, she is welcome!"

 <p>MY SISTER'S SHOPPE 327 North Washington Beeville, Texas 78102</p> <p>Linda Casarez Ruby Soliz (361) 358-6370</p>	 <p>American Medical Home Health & Hospice Care</p> <p>JULIE R QUIROGA PHYSICIAN & COMMUNITY LIAISON</p> <p>BETTER HEALTH AT HOME</p> <p>CELL: 210.860.8491 CORPUS: 361.887.9760 MATHIS: 361.547.5655</p>	 <p>GALLOWAY & SONS Families Serving Families Since 1919</p> <p>funeral • directors</p> <p>Phone: 361-358-2512 email: gallowayfuneralhome@gmail.com</p>	<p>En memoria de Arturo G. Gomez Sr. y Catarina P. Gomez</p> <p>Recuerdos de sus Hijos y Hija</p> <p>"Dios Los Bendiga"</p>	 <p>Valadez Lawn Care</p> <p>Residence & Commercial Mowing Fully Insured</p> <p>Francisco Valadez 361-350-0322 361-542-5740</p>
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<p>TREVINO FUNERAL HOME 358-1660 401 W. SPRINGER ST</p>	<p>In Memory of Concha and Lupe Garcia Arturo C. Garcia Carmen C. Garza Bobby A. Garcia Rosie Doyle Bene and Esther Carrasco By Lucy Garcia</p>	<p><i>In Loving Memory of</i> Jesus Gomez, Jr. and Juan Gabriel Gomez by wife and mother, Aurora Gomez, Children and Grandchildren</p>	<p>Susana G. Morón, CPA</p>  <p>Susana Morón Tax Preparation/Bookkeeping 507 S. St. Mary's St. Beeville, Texas 78102</p> <p>(361) 358-4700 (Office) (361) 358-0776 (Fax) (361) 343-2453 (Cell) Susana_moroneyahoo.com</p>	<p>In Loving Memory of My Wife Rachel A. Mendoza and My Daughter Mary Jane Mendoza By: David P. Mendoza</p>
 <p>Nifty 50's 301 S. Quinn Call Us For Your Next Party Social Event, or Meeting 361-358-6350</p>	<p>C.B.S. Grocery Drive Thru 801 W. Milam St. • 361-358-1003</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Now Accepting Bill Pay! A fast and convenient way to pay your bills. We cash payroll and government checks. Make Money Orders All this can be done through our Drive Thru. Window for your convenience and fast service We also accept W.I.C. 	 <p>St. James Knights of Columbus Council # 14064</p> <p>To Join Call Joe Gomez 361-542-6315</p>	<p>La Esperanza Adult Activity Center Owners: Gary & Rosie Coffeen Where Hope, Faith and Love brighten your Day. Activities • Meals • Transportation Veterans Welcome Ruben Montez - Representative 302 E. Moore • Beeville, TX • 361-362-4999</p>	<p>La Esperanza Adult Activity Center Owners: Gary & Rosie Coffeen Where Hope, Faith and Love brighten your Day. Activities • Meals • Transportation Veterans Welcome Ruben Montez - Representative 302 E. Moore • Beeville, TX • 361-362-4999</p>
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OPENING MASS

Wednesday, September 5 @ 6:15pm
for students, faculty and staff

OPERATING TIMES

Open from 8am-5pm on Mon-Thurs

MASS AND SOCIAL HOUR

Wednesdays starting with Mass
@ 6:15pm (starts Sept .12)

SATURDAY MASS (SUN. VIGIL)

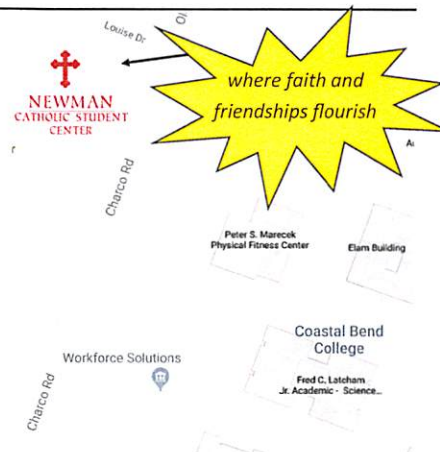
8pm @ Newman Center Chapel

ACTIVITIES

Bible Study, RCIA, Men's Group,
Women's Group, Study Groups,
Socials, Retreats, Community
Outreach & more.

AMENITIES

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Pool tables and Ping Pong tables.



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