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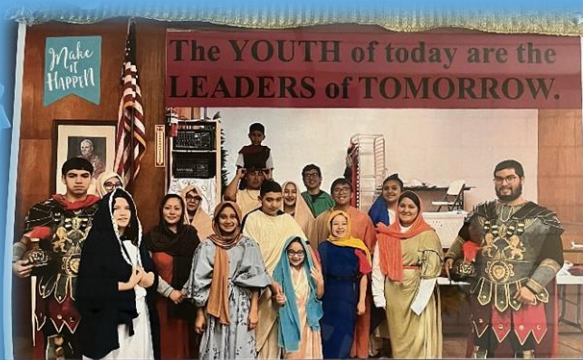
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September 17, 2023 – Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY



ANNOUNCEMENTS

SECOND COLLECTION

Today's second collection is for the Disaster Relief Collection. Next weekend is for the Religious and Spiritual Formation of the Parishioners. Your generous contributions are appreciated.

CCE REGISTRATION

CCE classes have begun, registration forms are available in the back of the church, the parish office, and our website at <https://stjamesbeeville.org/cce>. A list of upcoming CCE events can be found in the bulletin.

RAFFLE TICKETS

A reminder for those who purchased 2023 Fiesta Raffle Tickets, please turn in your tickets as soon as possible, the deadline is October 15th, please see Rosalinda Orozco more information.

FIESTA QUEEN CONTEST

St. James will have a Fiesta Queen this November. We wish our Fiesta Queen Contestants well and may God Bless them: Camila Padron, Judy Prado, and Avery Rose Trevino. This weekend Queen Contestant Camila Padron will have a bake sale after Mass. The deadline to turn in fundraising is October 27th. For more information see the bulletin or contact **Casey Ponce** at 361-318-0888. Thank you for supporting our Fiesta Queen Contestants.

WALGREENS

Walgreens will have a Vaccination Clinic at our Fiesta this November. For more information see the flyer in the back of the church.

CURSILLISTAS MASS

This Sunday, September 17, 2023 Bishop Mulvey will be celebrating the Mass for all the Cursillistas in the diocese. The Mass will be at the **Corpus Christi Cathedral** at 11:00 am. All Cursillistas and parishioners are invited and welcomed! For more information call **Mary Ortiz** at 361-319-8966. Thank you.

ST. JOSEPH KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The St. Joseph Knights of Columbus Council 1653 will have their annual Chicken BBQ plate sale on Sunday, October 1st beginning at 10:00am. Plates will be \$12 each and served by drive thru in front of St. Therese Hall, next to St. Joseph Church at 609 E. Gramman. Thank you.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY BINGO

Our Lady of Victory Church will have Prize Bingo in their parish hall on Sunday, October 8th from 4:00pm to 8:00pm. For more information call 361-358-0088.

RIGHTWAY IMAGING

Right Way Imaging will be coming on Saturday, October 14 and Sunday, October 15 to announce and answer questions about their health screenings scheduled for Saturday, October 28.

BAPTISM

Congratulations to Eleni Sage Salazar for receiving the sacrament of baptism. Welcome to becoming a child of God.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the Guadalupanas for providing breakfast for the Religious Education children last Sunday.

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

We would like to thank the **Castillo family** for cleaning our church this week.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 16

- 5:00 PM † **Ascencion "Chon" Carrizales** by Carrizales Family
 † **Domingo Ganceres** For his Anniversary
 By wife, children, & grandchildren
 † **Jesus Gomez, Jr.** by Patricia Gonzalez
 † **Frank Flores** For his Anniversary by Family
 † **Jose & Jesusa Andrade** by their daughter Cruz Muñoz
 † **Mr. & Mrs. Richard DeLeon** For healing of body, mind, & soul

Sunday, September 17

- 10:00 AM † **Alfonso Orozco** by Ernest & Rosalinda Orozco
 † **Charles & Carolina Trlica** by Gerald & Margaret Trlica
 † **Frank & Eva Rivera** For their 3rd Anniversary by Family
 † **Pablo Kala** by daughter Inez K. Amador
 † **Nicolas Ryan Aleman** by Yolanda Aleman & Family
 † **Mary Campos** by daughter & family
 † **Rachel Rodriguez** by her sons & daughters
 † **Hector Arrisola** For his Birthday by his Family
 † **Josefa Q. Guerrero** For her 52nd Anniversary by sons & daughters
 † **Ramon Elias Rodriguez**
 † **Raul Espinoza** In honor of his Birthday by Family

Monday, September 18

8:00 AM

Wednesday, September 20

8:00 AM

Thursday, September 21

8:00 AM

Friday, September 22

8:00 AM

PRAY FOR THE SICK

With care and compassion, we pray for:

Mary & Juan Antonio Gutierrez, Stella Sanchez, Danny & Dora Loya, Leon & Hilda Pharma, Rosario Cruz, Ruth White, Carolina Lopez, Adrian Musquez, Leticia Musquez, Rosa Perez Ortiz, Lupita Mata, Ralph Estrella, Licha Puga, Rachel Espinoza, Luiz A. Munoz, Manuel R. Martinez, Nieves & Olga Cardenas, Petra Rodriguez, Rogelia Silvas, Rosa Arredondo, Ruben Cuellar, Rene Paredes, Jonathan Paredes, Henry Guerrero, Maria Elena Guerrero, Senaida Hernandez, Minnie Arredondo, Martha Puerto, Alfredo Maldonado, Cruz Guerrero Sr., Cruz Guerrero Jr., Avry Garcia, Chris Baldillez, Maria G. Perez, Sally Garza Tovar, Lelano Waf, Semonea Garcia, Rosalinda Salazar, Gloria Maldonado, Stella Riojas, Eloise Paredes, Jorge Andres Garza, Leaño Waf Muñoz, Jose Salazar, Sr., Roxanne Salazar, Manuel & Shirley Martinez, Ramon Rodriguez, Terri Vidaure, Arthur Azucar, Clemente Hinojosa, Jeremy Mathew Hinojosa, Dora Molina, Sara Ochoa, Amelia Garcia, Martin Muñoz, Rosa Arrendondo, Raymond "Surfer" Rodriguez, Darlin Nichols, Austin Nichols, Anna Rodriguez, Ruben Contereas, Henry Villarreal, and to all at Christus Spohn.

➤ Please fill in names to be prayed for on the list in the folder in the back of the church or contact the parish office. Thank you.



NEXT BAPTISM CLASS – October 2, 2023



MASS SCHEDULE					
Date	Time	USHERS	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat., September 16	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Cristina Sanchez	Salvador Andrade	Araceli Hernandez, Andres Hernandez
Sun., September 17	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Casey Ponce	Susana Moron	Daniel Hinojosa, Rayleigh Guerra
Sat., September 23	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Mary Ortiz	Lisa Blanton	Krislynn Cuellar, Adam Garcia
Sun., September 24	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Elfida Garcia	Susana Martinez	Theresa Salazar, Arturo Martinez IV, Daniel Hinojosa

AUDITORS

September 17
 Rosalinda Orozco,
 Margaret Mesquita
September 24
 Janie Maldonado,
 Alice Sanchez
October 1
 Kimberly Cuellar,
 Anna Castillo
October 8
 Juanita Cruz,
 Elfida Garcia
October 15
 Rosalinda Orozco,
 Margaret Mesquita

OT XXIV [A] (September 17)
Sir 27:30—28:7; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

Our readings for this Twenty-Fourth Sunday concern forgiving those who wound us and being reconciled with them. All three readings today remind us of the path to forgiveness, mercy, and reconciliation and challenge us to walk this, the only Way to Life.

Scripture: Sirach, in the first reading, reminds his listeners that if they don't heal and forgive and show mercy, they can't expect to receive mercy from God in return. It is unwise to nurse grudges and wise to forgive because our life span is very short and our eternal destiny is decided by how we forgive, how we work for reconciliation with those who wound us, and how we render humble and loving service to them. In today's **Psalm**, (Ps 103), the Psalmist sings, "*The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness.*" In the second reading, Paul reminds us that we have to forgive others because we belong to Christ who, by his own example in forgiving those who killed Him, taught us how we must forgive in our turn. Since we humans are related to each other as brothers and sisters of Jesus, we are in the family of God, so hatred and bitterness toward anyone should have no place in our hearts. In today's Gospel, through the parable of the two debtors, Jesus teaches us that there should be no limit to our forgiveness and no conditions attached to our reconciliation. We represent the greater debtor in the parable because we commit sins every day and, hence, we need God's forgiveness every day. But we must forgive in order to be forgiven. Jesus explains, after teaching us the prayer *Our Father*, "*For if you forgive men their trespasses, your Heavenly Father also will forgive you.*"

Life messages: 1) We need to forgive, forget, and be reconciled: In the light of eternity and considering the shortness of our span of life, harboring old grudges is pointless. The forgiveness that we offer others is the indispensable condition which opens our hearts to love and makes it possible for us to receive God's forgiveness and to pray meaningfully: "*Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.*" What God expects from us, He offers us grace to accomplish in us: His Own limitless forgiving and a willingness to overlook faults and to keep on loving even in the face of insults.

2) We may never forget the hurt we have experienced, but we can, with His ongoing grace, choose to forgive and pray for our offenders. As life goes on and we remember an incident that was hurtful and roused great anger in us, we need to remind ourselves that, with God's grace, we have already forgiven the one that hurt us. Time does heal memories. Forgiveness finally changes us from being prisoners of our past to being liberated and at peace with our memories. Forgiveness allows us to move beyond the pain, the resentment, and the anger. When we forgive, we make the choice that heals. We can forgive the offender by wishing him God's blessings and by offering that individual to God by simply saying, "Help so-and-so and me to mend our relationship." When we withhold forgiveness, we remain the victim. When we offer forgiveness, we are doing it also for our own well-being.

A Prayer for Catechists

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists.
 We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.
 Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word.
 Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.
 Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them wisdom about what is important; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son.
 We pray this through Christ, our Lord.
 Amen

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CCE EVENTS

September 2023- Class Dates: 10th, 17th, 24th
 18th - Adoration Hour 7:00-8:00pm in the church
 October 2023- Class Dates: 1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th
 1st - Youth Sunday-Mrs. Padron's class
 15th - Living Rosary (during class)
 Confessions with Fr. Jacob
 16th - Adoration Hour 7:00-8:00pm in the church

ST. JAMES BISHOP'S STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2023 REPORT

St. James Bishop's Stewardship Appeal 2023 report as of September 8th is as follows: Our Goal is \$9,500, our Pledged Amount is \$7,413, our Amount Received is \$6,248, and our Balance is **\$3,252**. Please generously donate to fulfill our goal.



WEEKLY OFFERING

September 10th, 2023

Envelope Collection	\$1,561.61
Loose Collection	\$378.11
Total	\$1,939.72

Second Collection \$318.60

May God bless you for your selfless sacrifice

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH 2023 EVENTS OF THE YEAR

[Tentative]

September 16+17:	Queen Contest Bake Sale (Camila Padron)
	24: Queen Contest Bake Sale + Raffle (Judy Prado)
October	1: Queen Contest Bake Sale (Avery R Trevino)
	8: Queen Contest Bake Sale (Camila Padron)
	15: Queen Contest Bake Sale (Judy Prado)
	22: Queen Contest Bake Sale (Avery R Trevino)
November	4: Fiesta
December	10: Christmas Celebration
	12: Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast
	23: Posada

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