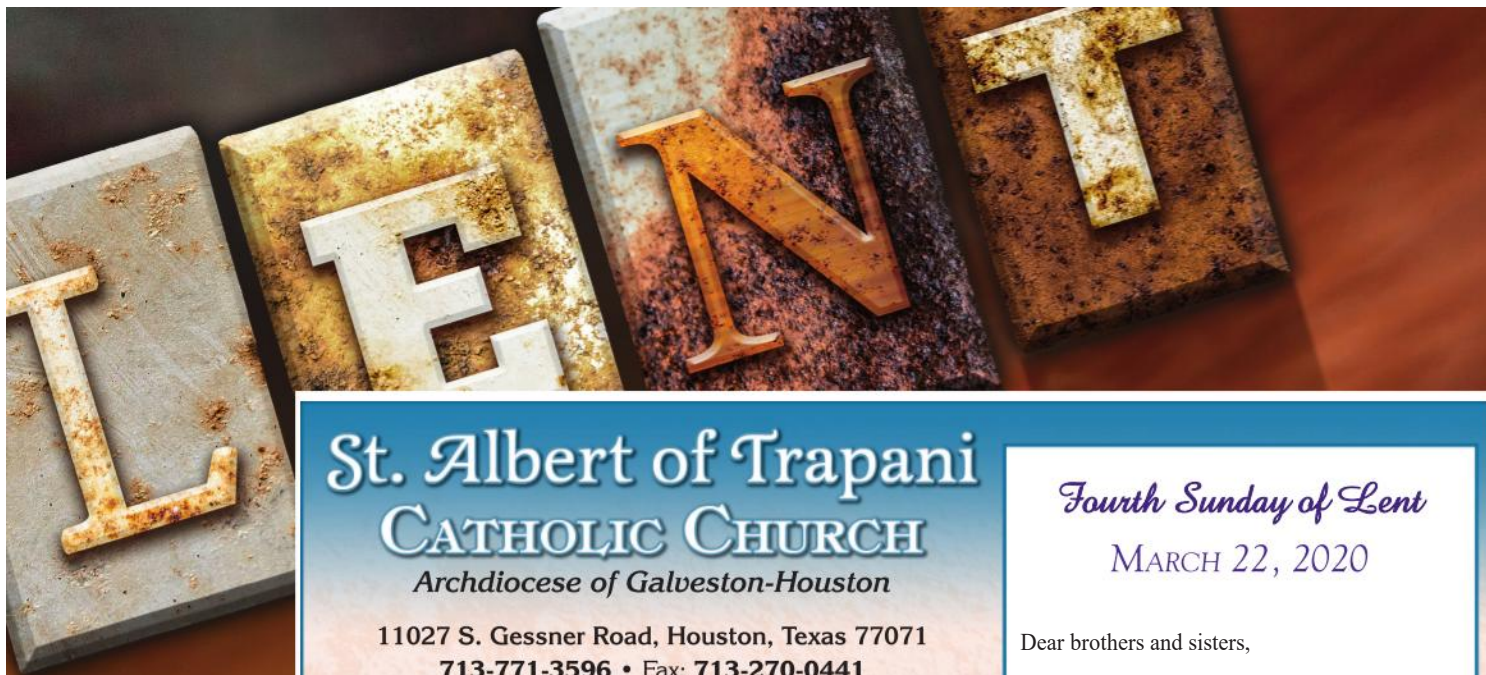




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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	9:00, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm (Español)
Daily Masses	Monday-Saturday 9:00 am

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Saturday	3:30 to 4:30 pm or Anytime by Appointment
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Our parish purpose is to use our faith in God and our personal experience and talents to Love, Teach and Inspire all people so that we follow and serve Jesus in word and deed to build up the Kingdom of God.

BULLETIN & PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE:

Monday, 9:00 am

Fourth Sunday of Lent

MARCH 22, 2020

Dear brothers and sisters,

During these days of the health crisis, let us pray more than ever:

Comfort us, O Lord, for we are like your disciples on the storm tossed seas, unsettled by what lies ahead. We turn to You, our Healer and Guide, to still our hearts in our time of need and hear our prayer: Heal those who are sick with the coronavirus and protect the elderly and most vulnerable. Give strength to all who tend to our health and wisdom to researchers who work toward a cure. Open our eyes and hearts that we may look beyond our immediate needs to care for others who need help. Through the Holy Spirit, guide our leaders to make wise decisions for the welfare of all the people they serve. Grant eternal rest to those who have died from the virus. May Mary, Our Mother, who has heard our pleas in the storms of our lives, intercede to her Son, that we may find healing and a prompt end to this illness. Mary, Star of the Sea, pray for us. Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior, heal us.

The blind man in the gospel today represents the human race that was born blind before having faith in Christ, and before being enlightened by "the light of the world". This blind man grew in faith and in the knowledge of Christ in this long gospel passage. His faith matured through questions, trials and even suffering. In our hearts, we know what our spiritual blindness is, we know what is that obstacle or a barrier within ourselves—those things that block us from seeing clearly the work of God in our lives. This blind man open his heart and trusted that Jesus could open his eyes to new light, to new life and thus to salvation. This is God's invitation to us to continue our Lenten journey in the remaining weeks ahead and may all of us open our eyes and hearts to this process, to welcome the true light of Christ. Be safe and have a blessed week.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Vincent

Linosna Rezando Ayuno
marisma
Almsgiving Praying Fasting

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

MON	Via Crucis Practice - Spanish	7:00 PM MC Hall
TUE	Truth & Life Bible Study	10:00 AM Rm 203
	Legion of Mary - Spanish	7:00 PM Rm 203
	Finale of the Lenten Season	7:45 PM Library
WED	God Is Love Choir	6:00 PM Rm 203
	Lenten Penance Service	7:00 PM Church
THU	Legion of Mary - English	10:00 AM Rm 203
	Danza Aquilera	7:00 PM MC Hall
	Via Crucis Practice - Spanish	7:00 PM P.Ctr.
FRI	God Is Love Meeting	6:30 PM Rm 203/204
	Chancel Choir - Spanish	7:00 PM Chapel
SAT	Choir Practice - Praise	4:00 PM MR
	Choir Practice - Spanish	7:00 PM MC Hall
	God Is Love Choir	7:00 PM Church
SUN	Convalidation Group - Spanish	8:00 AM MC Hall
	Choir Practice - Chancel	8:00 AM MR
	Choir Practice - Youth	10:00 AM MR
	Youth Ministry	2:00 PM MC Youth

**All activities
canceled
until further
notice.**



**Lenten Penance Service
Wednesday, March 25
Canceled**

**Stations of the Cross
Fridays during Lent**

Canceled until further notice.



MASS INTENTIONS

Mon/Lun	March 23
9 AM (Eng)	Mildred & Spencer Engelbrecht — †
Tue/Mar	March 24
9 AM (Eng)	Mary Puthur — SI
Wed/Miér	March 25
9 AM (Eng)	Everett Newsom — SI
	Philomina Tommy — †
	Concepción Viveros — †
Thu/Jue	March 26
9 AM (Eng)	Martin Nguyen — †
Fri/Vier	March 27
9 AM (Eng)	Charlene James — SI
Sat/Sáb	March 28
9 AM (Eng)	Francisco & Ignez Reigada — †
	5 PM (Eng) Barbara Gatian — SI
Sun/Dom	March 29
9 AM (Eng)	Joseph Okere — SI
11 AM (Eng)	St. Albert Parishioners — SI
	Harry Donato — SI
	Ildefonso Tadiar — †
	Consuelo Balli — †
1 PM (Sp)	Guillermo Carvajal — †

FELLOWSHIP

We encourage all to engage fully in the life of the parish community, both liturgically and socially, sharing friendship with all parishioners while celebrating and embracing our diverse cultural heritages, creating a welcoming and accessible environment for all.

CONTRIBUTIONS

5:00 PM Mass	\$1,752
9:00 AM Mass	\$1,879
11:00 AM Mass	\$1,420
1:00 PM Mass	\$1,125
Mailed in	\$1,428
Children's Collection	\$74
Subtotal	\$7,678
Debt Reduction Collection	\$1,490
Total	\$9,168
Budget Needed Weekly	\$17,431
Over or (Under) Weekly Budget	(\$8,263)

Original Loan	\$2,100,000
Principal Balance as of 02/2020	\$1,163,750

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TODAY'S READINGS

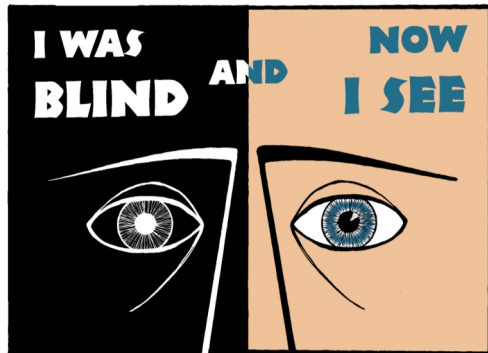
First Reading — As the prophet Samuel anointed David with oil, the spirit of the LORD rushed upon David (1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a).

Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — You who were once darkness are now light in the Lord (Ephesians 5:8-14).

Gospel — The man who had been blind from birth proclaimed: The one called Jesus made clay with his saliva, anointed my eyes with it, and told me to wash (John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]).

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DAILY READINGS

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jeffrey Smith, Cinthia Hernandez, Claudia Grimaldo, Sandra Medrano, Emir Zamudio, Fernando Guzman, Catalina Benito, Karen Jacob, Sr. Jo Marie, Donna Carter, Oralia Ramirez, Julia Martin, Cathey Stoessel, Jose Carballo, Jim Rountree, Rafael Garcia, and Ana Cecilia Garcia...*Lord, we place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servant to health again.*

LET US PRAY FOR THE SOULS

Concepción Viveros, Linda Rodriguez, Gilberto Delgado, Francis Chike Offor, Petronilla Okeke, Guillermo Carvajal, Victor Lopez, Luis Huerta, Jaime Hernandez, and Rosa Rocha...*eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

LET US PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

Leonardo Gutierrez, Noel Martinez, Gary Montoya, Ivan Morin, Miguel Rosas, and Tanner Robinson...*That the Lord may preserve the members of our Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Force from all harm.*

PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION

2020 Spring Break Sports Fest

**To all teens grades 8 thru 12
SPORTS FEST 2020 WILL BE CANCELLED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

**Thank you for your understanding during this time.
Contact Youth Coordinators Rachel and Rolando Jr.
if you have any questions.**



Religious Education News

**Due to the coronavirus health crisis there will
be no Faith Formation classes until April 19.**



Our Parish Vision: FELLOWSHIP

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March 17 Update

On March 17, Daniel Cardinal DiNardo officially suspended Mass. In a letter to the faithful, Cardinal DiNardo said: **"The public celebration of all weekday and Sunday Masses will be suspended in the Archdiocese,"** starting Wednesday, March 18. Churches are to remain open for individual and private prayer, observing normal hours, he said.

For more detailed information go to:

<https://www.archgh.org/news-data/latest-news/a-message-from-daniel-cardinal-dinardo-re-coronavirus-covid-19-and-mass/>

Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma 22 de marzo de 2020

El Señor es mi pastor, nada me falta. — Salmo 23 (22):1

Queridos hermanos y hermanas,

Durante estos días de la crisis de salud, oremos más que nunca:

Consuélanos, Señor, pues somos como tus discípulos en la tormenta que sacudió los mares, inquietos por lo que se avecina. Nos dirigimos a Ti, nuestro Guía y Salvador, para que calmes nuestros corazones en nuestros momentos de necesidad y escuches nuestra oración: Sana a todos quienes están enfermos con el coronavirus y protege a las personas mayores y a los más vulnerables. Dale fuerza a todos quienes cuidan de nuestra salud y sabiduría a quienes buscan y luchan por encontrar una cura. Abre nuestros ojos y nuestros corazones para que podamos ver más allá de nuestras necesidades inmediatas y ayudar a aquellos que necesiten ayuda. Por medio del Espíritu Santo, guía a los líderes a tomar decisiones sabias por el bienestar de todas las personas a las que sirven. Concede el descanso eterno a todos quienes han muerto por el virus. Que María, nuestra Madre, que ha escuchado nuestras suplicas en las tormentas de nuestras vidas, interceda ante su Hijo, para que encontremos la sanación y un pronto final para esta enfermedad. María, Estrella del Mar, ruega por nosotros. Jesucristo, nuestro Señor y Salvador, sananos.

El hombre ciego en el evangelio de hoy representa a la raza humana que nace ciega antes de tener fe en Cristo y antes de ser iluminada por "la luz del mundo". Este ciego creció en la fe y en el conocimiento de Cristo en este largo pasaje del evangelio. Su fe maduró a través de preguntas, pruebas e incluso sufrimiento. En nuestros corazones, sabemos cuál es nuestra ceguera espiritual, sabemos ese obstáculo o barrera dentro de nosotros mismos, esas cosas que nos impiden ver claramente la obra de Dios en nuestras vidas. Este ciego abre su corazón y confía en que Jesús puede abrir sus ojos a una nueva luz, a una nueva vida y, por lo tanto, a la salvación. Esta es la invitación de Dios para que continuemos nuestro viaje de Cuaresma en las próximas semanas y que todos abramos nuestros ojos y corazones a este proceso, para recibir la verdadera luz de Cristo. Cuidense mucho y tengan una semana bendecida.

De ustedes en Cristo,
Padre Vicente

HERMANDAD

Alentamos a todos a participar de lleno en la vida de la comunidad parroquial, litúrgica y socialmente, a compartir con todos los feligreses mientras celebramos y abrazamos nuestro legado cultural, creando un ambiente accesible y acogedor para la sociedad y el mundo.

ACTIVIDADES DE ESTA SEMANA

LUN	Vía Crucis - ensayo	7:00 PM Ctro.Parr
MAR	Región de María	7:00 PM salón 203
MIER	La Anunciación del Señor	7:00 PM Ctro.Parr.
JUE	Danza Aquetzalli	7:00 PM salón MC
VIER	Vía Crucis	7:00 PM Ctro.Parr.
SAB	Grupo Carismático	7:00 PM Capilla
DOM	Ensayo del Coro - Misa de 5 PM	4:00 PM MR
	Ensayo del Coro - Misa de 1 PM	7:00 PM salón MC
	Ensayo del Coro - Misa de 9 AM	8:00 AM MR
	Ministerio de adolescentes	2:00 PM salón MC Youth



Servicio de Penitencia Cuaresmal

miércoles, 25 de marzo

CANCELADO

Estaciones de la Cruz
los viernes durante la Cuaresma
SUSPENDIDO



CONTRIBUCIONES

Misa de las 5:00 PM	\$1,752
Misa de las 9:00 AM	\$1,879
Misa de las 11:00 AM	\$1,420
Misa de la 1:00 PM	\$1,125
Recibido por correo	\$1,428
Colecta de los Niños	\$74
Subtotal	\$7,678
Reducción de nuestra deuda	\$1,490
Total	\$9,168
Presupuesto Necesario Semanal	\$17,431
Sobre o (Bajo) el Presupuesto Semanal	(\$8,263)
Préstamo Original	\$2,100,000
Balance del Principal de 01/2020	\$1,172,500

Gracias por su contribución.

La Segunda Colecta
de la próxima semana es para:
el Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos
(por favor sea generoso)



¿Eres dueño de un negocio o conoce a alguien que es?
Por favor, considere anunciarse en nuestro boletín semanal.

1. Anuncie su negocio
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3. Solicite un anuncio personal:

- A memoria de un ser querido
- Oración por la Paz o el Rosario
- Una Intención especial

Si le interesa poner un anuncio en la contraportada de nuestro boletín, póngase en contacto con: Nelson De Los Santos a 210-243-2864 o NelsonDLS@Diocesan.com

Gracias por apoyar nuestro boletín.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Samuel ungió a David para ser rey (1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a).

Salmo — El Señor es mi pastor; nada me falta (Salmo 23 [22]).

Segunda lectura — Levántense de entre los muertos, hijos de la luz (Efesios 5:8-14).

Evangelio — De esto estoy seguro: Yo era ciego pero ahora puedo ver (Juan 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Is 65:17-21; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54
 Martes: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Sal 46 (45):2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
 Miércoles: Is 49:8-15; Sal 145 (144):8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
 Jueves: Ex 32:7-14; Sal 106 (105):19-23; Jn 5:31-47
 Viernes: Sab 2:1a, 12-22; Sal 34 (33):17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 Sábado: Jer 11:18-20; Sal 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53
 Domingo: Ez 37:12-14; Sal 130 (129):1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS: Jeffrey Smith, Cinthia Hernandez, Claudia Grimaldo, Sandra Medrano, Emir Zamudio, Fernando Guzman, Catalina Benito, Karen Jacob, Sr. Jo Marie, Donna Carter, Orlia Ramirez, Julia Martin, Cathey Stoessel, Jose Carballo, Jim Rountree, Rafael Garcia, y Ana Cecilia Garcia....*Señor, ponemos a nuestros enfermos bajo su cuidado.*

OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS: Concepción Viveros, Linda Rodriguez, Gilberto Delgado, Francis Chike Offor, Petronilla Okeke, Guillermo Carvajal, Victor Lopez, Luis Huerta, Jaime Hernandez, y Rosa Rocha ...*O Dios, concédeles que tu eterna luz los ilumine.*

OREMOS POR LOS MILITARES: Leonardo Gutierrez, Noel Martinez, Gary Montoya, Ivan Morin, Miguel Rosas, y Tanner Robinson...*Que el Señor preserve a los miembros de nuestras fuerzas militares contra todo daño.*

NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA



LA ARQUIDIÓCESIS DE
GALVESTON-HOUSTON

Noticias del 17 de marzo

El 17 de marzo, el cardenal Daniel DiNardo suspendió oficialmente la misa. En una carta a los fieles, el cardenal DiNardo dijo: "La celebración pública de todas las misas entre semana y domingo se suspenderá en la Arquidiócesis", a partir del miércoles 18 de marzo. Las iglesias permanecerán abiertas para la oración individual, observando las horas normales, dijo él.

Para obtener información más detallada, vaya a:

<https://www.archgh.org/news-data/latest-news/a-message-from-daniel-cardinal-dinardo-re-coronavirus-covid-19-and-mass/>

Debido a la crisis de salud del coronavirus, no habrá clases de Formación de Fe hasta el 19 de abril.



2020 Feria Deportiva Vacaciones de Primavera

CANCELADO HASTA AVISO ADICIONAL.

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