

THIS WEEK

SAT, July 26 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00PM Holy Cross People of Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann

SUN, July 27 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM San Luis Rose D. Respondek (d)
9:30AM Holy Cross Dec. mbrs of the Sturm & Syma fam. (d)

MON, July 28 Weekday
5:30PM San Luis Emerence Maron (d)

TUES, July 29 Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus
8:00AM Chapel Katherine Hill (d)

WED, July 30 Saint Peter Chrysologus
8:00AM Chapel Lt. William Christopher Picou (d)
No Evening Mass

THURS, July 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola
5:30PM Chapel Russell & Deason Jr. Delbert (d)

FRI, August 1 First Friday; Saint Alphonsus Liguori
8:00AM Holy Cross Herman & Eleanora Sturm (d)

SAT, August 2 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00PM Holy Cross Ernest Sertuche (d)

SUN, August 3 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM San Luis Agustin Jr. & Ortencia Serrano (d)
9:30AM Holy Cross People of Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann

Bright Nutrition will be in the Holy Cross parking lot on
Sunday, July 27, from 12 NOON to 1 PM

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Gen 18:20-32; Abraham Intercedes for Sodom
Palms: Ps 138:1-3, 6-8; Lord, on the day I called for help,
you answered me
Second Reading: Col 2:12-14; Sovereign Role of Christ
Gospel: Lk 11:1-13; The Lord's Prayer

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Jn 11:19-27
Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
or Ep 3:8-12; Ps 119:9, 10-14; Lk 6:43-45
Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4-6, 8, 11; Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Lev 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11;
Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Lev 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12

SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, Aug. 2 5PM Holy Cross
Lector: Angie Stephanski
Sacristan: Susan & Cindy
EMHC: Susan Rodriguez
Altar Servers: Caleb & Jax

Sunday, Aug. 3 8AM San Luis
Lector: Felix Arguellez
Sacristan & EMHC: Lupe Arguellez
Altar Server: Devin

Sunday, Aug. 3 9:30AM Holy Cross
Lector:
Sacristan: Philip & Lisa
EMHC: Ben Parma
Altar Servers: Rylie & Liam
Homebound: Angie & Loretta

Holy Cross Festival will be held September 14th

You are invited to be a part
of our upcoming festival!
If you're looking for a way to
contribute but are unsure where
your talents would be most helpful,
please contact the parish office.
Your assistance is invaluable to us!

To donate to the Auction call:
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Items may include:

*New, vintage, gently used items.
All items should be in good, clean
and working condition if they are
old or used.*

Country Store:

**Attention canners and
preservers!** Reserve a jar or two
of your goodies for this booth.
Other popular items include
*bonnets, aprons, handmade pot
holders, noodles, & baked goods.
Don't forget to pot those plants!*

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

July 20, 2025	Holy Cross	San Luis	St. Ann
Saturday/Sunday	\$ 3,122.00	\$ 579.00	\$ 50.00
Flood Relief	\$ 5,870.00	\$ 977.00	\$ 50.00

PRAYER LIST

*Please remember in your prayers the souls
of all who have passed away,
"Eternal rest grant unto them Lord
& let perpetual light shine upon them"*



Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of:
Sandy Janacek, Zimmerman Family, David Aide, Matthew & Amy
Rios, Larry Ortiz, Ramona Yanes, Auggie Hatfield, Myra Yeretsky,
Larry Mueller, Mary Helen Torres, Brandi Short, Norma Zielonka,
Barbara Kremling, Regina Riedel, Lin Migura, Margaret Wollny,
Anna Fay Olenick, Alice Perez, Mary Margaret Weischwill, Janice
Tiemann, Bertha Burda, James Rohan, Scott Watts, Gwenn
Stratmann Wolf, Gregory Uresti, Chante Slade, Charles Galbrith,
Brittney & Ray family, Rose Tam, Edwin & Patricia Kowalik, Bonnie
Gutierrez, Ema Green Kiser, Kaycee Flores, Mark Weischwill,
Bubba Campbell, Ruben Rios, Keefe & Donna Worley, Elaine
Hruska Malina, Joe D. Kozielski, Christy Lemke, Alex Gutierrez,
Sara Sertuche, Leo James, Kevin Wilson, Amber Gloor, Lillian
Kozielski, Danny R. Cruz, David Cruz, Ronnie Wolter, Nelda
Warzecha, Martin Sanchez, Matthew Worsham, Fred Elliff, Joan
Cahill, Fr. Frank Lenz, Estella Muschalek, Austin C. Gonzales, Willy
V. Gonzales, Wade Bolting, Charlie Perez, Ryan Neighbors,
Michael Ortiz and Mike Rios.

*If you have someone on the prayer list, they will stay on
the list for 3 months. Please call the office Tuesday-Thursday,
to put them back on the list. Thank you!*



Registration

Faith Formation

Sunday, August 24 at 10:30AM
in the Activity Center
Breakfast will be provided by the KC's

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 1: First Friday Mass** followed by Adoration 8AM, Holy Cross
- 2: Rosary & Guadalupana Meeting** 10AM, San Luis
- 4: First Monday Adoration, Reconciliation** 5PM, San Luis
& Mass 6PM San Luis
- 4: Knights of Columbus meeting** 6:30PM, Activity Center
- 5: Catholic Daughters meeting** 6PM, Activity Center

Pastoral Institute

Classes are weekly on Tuesdays
at 9:15AM in the Activity Center
in Victoria or online

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Q & A at Yorktown Chamber of
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Wednesday, July 30, 5:30 to 7PM

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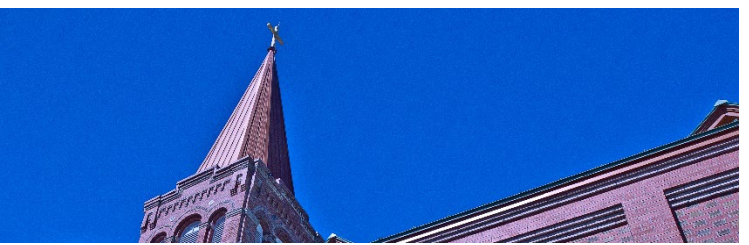
JULY 27, 2025

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Visio divina

Visio divina invites the viewer into "divine seeing." Visio divina shares roots with the ancient practice of lectio divina. (Lectio divina calls for a slow, careful interaction with scripture through meditation and prayer, allowing a word or phrase to rise in our consciousness, a holy word to savor and examine.) Similarly, visio divina invites us to encounter the divine through images. A prayerful consideration of and interaction with a photograph, an icon, a piece of art, or other visual representation allows the viewers to experience the divine in a unique and powerful way.

You may practice visio divina individually or in a small group or worship setting by using a piece of art as a focal point for prayer. You can also pair scripture with the image in order to reflect on the scripture through the art.



Try it:

- ✚ Pick out an image from a website: a photograph, painting, or icon.
- ✚ Look at the image and let your eyes stay with the first thing you see. Focus your attention on the part of the image that first catches your eye. Try to keep your eyes from wandering to other parts of the picture. Breathe deeply and let yourself gaze at that part of the image for a minute or so.
- ✚ Let your eyes now gaze at the whole image. Take your time and look at every part of the photograph. See it all. Reflect on the image for a minute or so.
- ✚ Consider the following questions:
- ✚ What emotions does this image evoke in you?
- ✚ What does the image stir up in you, bring forth in you?
- ✚ Does this image lead you into an attitude of prayer? If so, let these prayers take form in you. Write them down if you desire.
- ✚ Offer your prayers to God now in a final time of silence.

<https://www.upperroom.org/>

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday

8:30 AM -12:00 PM

1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Holy Cross

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:30 AM

Tuesday 8:00 AM

Wednesday 8:00 AM

Thursday 5:30 PM

Friday 8:00 AM

San Luis

Sunday 8:00 AM

1st Monday 6:00 PM

Monday 5:30 PM

Wednesday 5:30 PM

1st Saturday 9:00AM

ADORATION & RECONCILIATION

Holy Cross

First Friday 8:30-9:30 AM

San Luis

First Monday 5:00-6:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Holy Cross

Saturday 4:00 PM

Or by appointment

