

THIS WEEK

SAT, July 25 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00PM Holy Cross People of Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann

SUN, July 26 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM San Luis Debbie Alvarez (d)
9:30AM Holy Cross Wanda Rohan (d)

MON, July 27 Weekday
5:30PM San Luis Manuel Serrano (d)

TUES, July 28 Weekday
8:00AM Chapel Katherine Hill (d)

WED, July 29 Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus
8:00AM Holy Cross Clara Hawes and all moms (d)
5:30PM San Luis David Villarreal (d)

THURS, July 30 Weekday
10:00AM Yorktown Nursing & Rehab
5:30PM Chapel Janie Arguellez (d)

FRI, July 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola
8:00AM Chapel Herman & Eleanora Sturm (d)

SAT, Aug 1 First Saturday; Saint Alphonsus Liguori
9:00AM San Luis Victor Ibrom and deceased family (d)

SAT, Aug 1 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00PM Holy Cross People of Holy Cross, San Luis & St. Ann

SUN, Aug 2 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM San Luis Lou, Jo Nell & Brent Gips (d)
9:30AM Holy Cross Steven Yeretsky (d)

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12; Early Promise of Solomon's Reign
Psalm: Psalm 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130 Lord, I love your commands
Second Reading: Romans 8:28-30; God's Indomitable Love in Christ
Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52 Parables

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 13:1-11, Deut 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 13:31-35
 Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43
 Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18; Jn 11:19-27
 Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1-6; Mt 13:47-53
 Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58
 Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12
 Sunday: Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18; Ro 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, Aug 1 5PM Holy Cross
 Lector: Angie Stepanski
 Sacristan: Susan & Cindy
 OMHC: Deacon Mike Yeretsky
 Altar Server: Caleb, Jax & Jace

Sunday, Aug 2 8AM San Luis
 Lector:
 Sacristan: Lupe Arguellez
 OMHC: Deacon Mike Yeretsky
 Altar Server: Devin & Jayce

Sunday, Aug 2 9:30AM Holy Cross
 Lector: Danielle Robertson
 Sacristan: Philip & Lisa
 OMHC: Deacon Mike Yeretsky
 Altar Servers: Rylie & Liam
 Homebound: Angie & Loretta



Sunday, August 16

Blessing of
BACKPACKS
 At Mass at Holy Cross

Faith Formation REGISTRATION
Pancake Breakfast
 After Mass in the Activity Center

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WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

July 19, 2026	Holy Cross	San Luis	St. Ann
Saturday/Sunday	\$ 3,114.00	\$ 802.00	\$ 65.00

PRAYER LIST

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

Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of:

Erna Mueller, Joe & Lilian Kozielski, Margie Bolting, David Cruz, Susan Kroll, Elida Cruz, Noe Cantu, Erica Montelongo, Alice Perez, Jeanie Riedel, Robert Kaiser, Lindsey & baby Calamoneri, Karina Campbell, Francisca Vasquez, David Gorka, Tommy Moreno, Sylvia Naranjo, Mia Crawford, Ashton Sellers, Major Hahn, Blaise Hawes, Barbara Hill, Doug Audilet, Wade Bolting, Myra Yeretsky, Lin Migura, Anna Fay Olinck, Mary Margaret Weischwill, Janice Tiemann, Jude Paul Boudreaux, Judy Mozisek, Gloria Salinas, James Rohan, JoAnn Hoelscher, Randy Stauffer, Susan Rodriguez, Jenny, Trevor & baby, Marcus Talamante, Ellie Hinojosa, Amy Dailey, Steele Gibson, Priscilla Baros, Latoya, Michael Angel Rios, Charles Galbraith, Alex & Judith Mendoza, Andy Gonzales, Edwin & Patricia Kowalik, Austin Gonzales, Nichole Gonzales, Willie Gonzales, Sammy and Yolanda Naranjo, Laura Broll, Jose Campos, Norma Zielonka, Olivia Mikus, Keeling Blu Lee and James Broll.

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!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

26: Blood Drive 9AM to 2PM at Holy Cross
28: Giving Garden Meeting, 6PM
29: Parish office closed
August:
1: First Saturday Mass followed by the **Rosary & Guadalupana** meeting 9AM, San Luis
2: Encounter the Good Shepherd mini training
3: Adoration 5 to 6PM followed by **Mass** at San Luis
3: Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:30 PM, Activity Center
4: Catholic Daughters Officer Installation Mass 5:30PM.
CDA Meeting 6:30PM, Activity Center
15: Mass for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 9AM, San Luis

Encounter the Good Shepherd

For Catechists, parents and others interested in learning more about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and our Elementary Faith Formation program.

Join us Sunday, August 2, 6PM in the Activity Center.

Holy Cross Festival September 13th

If you would like to assist with the festival, contact
Chris @ 210-788-9822 or Sarah @ 210-618-5019

Make your contribution increase by donating to the festival.

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Ted @ 361-215-2272

or Vernell @ 361-816-7200

To donate to the Country Store
Parish Office @ 361-564-2893

OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

begins September 17, at 6:00 PM. These sessions are for those wanting to join the Catholic faith; OCIA is also designed for those needing to receive one or more of the Sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation).

Please call the parish office if you would like to register or want further information.



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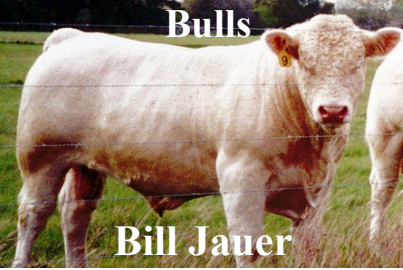
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In Hoc Signo Vincas

JULY 26, 2026
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From the Pastor's Desk,

First and foremost, I want to thank those who have been serving so faithfully in Holy Cross's funeral ministry. It is one of those thankless ministries that go on behind the scenes, everything falls into place with no one aware of the work that goes into it. I feel I am at the top of the list when it comes to assuming that all this is going to fall into place not being aware of the stress that falls onto a small number of people who work to make things go off without a hitch.

For that reason, I will be making some changes in the funeral ministry that will hopefully lessen the load on all who participate in this corporal act of mercy. My hope is to form two or possible three ministry groups who can work separately or intertwined with each other. I pray this will lessen the load of those taking part in this newly formed funeral ministry when it comes to ministering to a person or persons who have lost a loved one. The main / sole purpose of this corporal act of mercy is to provide a meal and offer comfort and support to those who have lost loved ones.

To make a long story short in the upcoming week/s I will be making phone calls searching for volunteers to serve in this ministry. So, I am putting this note out ahead of time to give everyone time to reflect and pray whether the funeral ministry is one you are called to serve in.

In concluding, once again I want to thank those who have served so diligently and will most likely be seeking your input as I try to get this new funeral ministry transition off and running. May God Bless you and keep you ever so close to His Most Sacred Heart.

fr. roger

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served; He came to serve"

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

Blood Drive
Holy Cross
Sunday, July 26
9 AM - 2 PM

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