

# ST. HYACINTH CATHOLIC CHURCH

*The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*January 23, 2022*

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“Let the Church Say Amen!”

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### Mass Schedule

*Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:00 PM*

*Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, and 12:00 Noon*

*Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 AM*

### Confessions

*Confessions: Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm, and after all  
weekday Masses, and by appointment*

### Office Hours

**Parish Office & Faith Formation Office**

**Monday 1 PM - 4:30 PM**

**Tuesday - Friday 9 AM - Noon &  
1 PM - 4:30 PM**

**Closed Saturday & Sunday**

### Pastoral Staff

***Pastor, Fr. Reginald Samuels***

***Deacon***

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***Director of Evangelization & Catechesis***

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### Parish Sacrament Information

**Annulments:** Fr. Reginald Samuels,  
Call (281) 479-4298 for an appointment

**Anointing of Sick:** Call parish office (281) 479-4298

**Baptism and Preparation:** Infant baptism preparation class currently on line. For more information call (281) 479-4298. Register on line at [sthyacinth.org](http://sthyacinth.org).

**Marriage Preparation:** Couples should contact the priest six months prior to the anticipated date for marriage preparation. Call the parish office to set an appointment with the priest.

**Safe Environment (CMG Safe Haven):** Volunteers are required to complete the CMG Safe Haven online training program or if it's been more than 5 years since Virtus training, a refresher course at CMG Safe Haven online. For information contact: John Rapacki at 281-479-4298 or [jrapacki@sthyacinth.org](mailto:jrapacki@sthyacinth.org).



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Gospel of Luke states: “God placed the parts, each one of them, in the body as he intended.” Each person plays a role in the body of Christ. It is our job to respond to the role that God has given us in our lives. When each person uses the gifts and skills that God has given them, then the entire body of Christ will benefit. However, if only a few respond to God’s vocation, then there is lack throughout the community. As we ponder upon our role in the body of Christ, think of how important your role is and how we are called to encourage others in their own roles before God.

One of our goals for 2022 is to increase the number of people using our electronic formats for the dissemination of information from our parish. We have our website: **[Sthyacinth.org](http://Sthyacinth.org)**, which I, along with the team, update almost daily with information about the activities that go on in the parish. There is **Flocknotes**, which is our information delivery service for the parish, in which we email and or text information about the activities of the parish. Go to the Flocknote tab on our website and join the group “Parishioners”. We are on **Facebook**, go and ‘like’ our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/StHyacinthchurch>. Our livestream masses and liturgies can be found on our website, Facebook and Vimeo.

Next, I want to challenge everyone to take time out of their busy schedule and go to the Prayer Garden and Stations of the Cross on the property of Church next to the police station. The rehabilitated area looks beautiful. Every year, the Confirmation class presents a live Station of the Cross, and this year will be special. Once again, I would like to thank Will Dever, Beth Dever, Howard Schaeffer, Mary Schaeffer, Jim Holdon, Steven Rodriguez, Raul Turner, Paul Arrigo, Don Zuckaro, Allan Konvicka, the members of the Catholic Daughters, the members of the ACTS Community and the men of the Knights of Columbus who have been assisting in the rehabilitation of the STHY prayer Garden and Stations of the Cross. Thank you for all your help.

The renovation of the main sanctuary has been spectacular. The Church looks beautiful. To cap off the renovation of the Church, there are a few items that are due in February and March. The new items include new water fonts, Stations of the Cross and two new Sanctuary lamps for the Altar. These items should arrive before the start of lent. All the items for the Church are import items from the manufacturer so keep your fingers crossed that they will be here in time for the celebration of the Lenten season.

Finally, preparations have started for the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Ministries retreat here at St. Hyacinth. The retreat will start on March 5<sup>th</sup> with Mass, and throughout the day there will be several presentations on the Liturgy from guests throughout the Archdiocese. We welcome everyone who is involved with our ministries to sign up for this important retreat, especially to develop an understanding as to why Liturgy is the work of the people. Sign up online at <https://sthyacinth.org/8th-annual-ministries-retreat-3-5-22>. Be on the lookout for more details online and in the bulletin.

God Bless,  
Fr. Reginald Samuels

## Reading 1 Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10

Ezra the priest brought the law before the assembly, which consisted of men, women, and those children old enough to understand. Standing at one end of the open place that was before the Water Gate, he read out of the book from daybreak till midday, in the presence of the men, the women, and those children old enough to understand; and all the people listened attentively to the book of the law. Ezra the scribe stood on a wooden platform that had been made for the occasion. He opened the scroll so that all the people might see it — for he was standing higher up than any of the people —; and, as he opened it, all the people rose. Ezra blessed the LORD, the great God, and all the people, their hands raised high, answered, “Amen, amen!” Then they bowed down and prostrated themselves before the LORD, their faces to the ground. Ezra read plainly from the book of the law of God, interpreting it so that all could understand what was read. Then Nehemiah, that is, His Excellency, and Ezra the priest-scribe and the Levites who were instructing the people said to all the people: “Today is holy to the LORD your God. Do not be sad, and do not weep!” — for all the people were weeping as they heard the words of the law. He said further: “Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared; for today is holy to our LORD. Do not be saddened this day, for rejoicing in the LORD must be your strength!”

## Responsorial Psalm Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15

**R\ Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.**

The law of the LORD is perfect,  
refreshing the soul;  
The decree of the LORD is trustworthy,  
giving wisdom to the simple. **R\**

The precepts of the LORD are right,  
rejoicing the heart;  
The command of the LORD is clear,  
enlightening the eye. **R\**

The fear of the LORD is pure,  
enduring forever;  
The ordinances of the LORD are true,  
all of them just. **R\**

Let the words of my mouth and the thought of my heart  
find favor before you,  
O LORD, my rock and my redeemer. **R\**

## Reading 2 1 Cor 12:12-30

Brothers and sisters:  
As a body is one though it has many parts,  
and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body,  
so also Christ.  
For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body,  
whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons,  
and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.

Now the body is not a single part, but many.  
If a foot should say,

“Because I am not a hand I do not belong to the body, “  
it does not for this reason belong any less to the body.  
Or if an ear should say,  
“Because I am not an eye I do not belong to the body, “  
it does not for this reason belong any less to the body.  
If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be?  
If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be?  
But as it is, God placed the parts,  
each one of them, in the body as he intended.  
If they were all one part, where would the body be?  
But as it is, there are many parts, yet one body.  
The eye cannot say to the hand, “I do not need you, “  
nor again the head to the feet, “I do not need you.”  
Indeed, the parts of the body that seem to be weaker  
are all the more necessary,  
and those parts of the body that we consider less honorable  
we surround with greater honor,  
and our less presentable parts are treated with greater propriety,  
whereas our more presentable parts do not need this.  
But God has so constructed the body  
as to give greater honor to a part that is without it,  
so that there may be no division in the body,  
but that the parts may have the same concern for one another.  
If one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it;  
if one part is honored, all the parts share its joy.

Now you are Christ’s body, and individually parts of it.  
Some people God has designated in the church  
to be, first, apostles; second, prophets; third, teachers;  
then, mighty deeds;  
then gifts of healing, assistance, administration,  
and varieties of tongues.  
Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers?  
Do all work mighty deeds? Do all have gifts of healing?  
Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret?

## Gospel Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Since many have undertaken to compile a narrative of the events that have been fulfilled among us, just as those who were eyewitnesses from the beginning and ministers of the word have handed them down to us, I too have decided, after investigating everything accurately anew, to write it down in an orderly sequence for you, most excellent Theophilus, so that you may realize the certainty of the teachings you have received.

Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news of him spread throughout the whole region. He taught in their synagogues and was praised by all.

He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up, and went according to his custom into the synagogue on the sabbath day. He stood up to read and was handed a scroll of the prophet Isaiah. He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written:

*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,  
because he has anointed me  
to bring glad tidings to the poor.  
He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives  
and recovery of sight to the blind,  
to let the oppressed go free,  
and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.*

Rolling up the scroll, he handed it back to the attendant and sat down, and the eyes of all in the synagogue looked intently at him. He said to them, “Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.”

## Prayers and Devotion

Please pray for these members of our parish family and all our loved ones who are ill.

Johnny Aguilar	Jacob Duchon	Geneva Hebert	Dora McLendon	Danuta Przybylan	Louis Thomas
Patricia Aguilar	Margarita Duron	Jeff Hebert	Bea McNabb	Rose Reho	Cassidy D. Thrash
Issac Aguilera	Juliana Elmore	Mollie Hickey	Sherry McNeil	Pauline Reimers	Jacob Tomlin
Jackie Anderson	Margaret Escobedo	John Holland	MaryAnn Melton	Narcie Reyes	Jan Townsend
Rosemary Antu	Eva Escuero	Vivian Hotcaveg	Danielle Mendiola	Johnny Rezendez	Natalia Trevino
Trini Arrington	Charles Faldyn	Charles Housewright	Beverly Miller	Belinda Reyes	Belinda Turner
Greg Belin	Alva Fossem	Joshua Howell	Deanna Miller	Amber Richards	Sid Turner, Jr.
Jill Belin	Scott Fossem	Tony Humphries	Diane Mogyorossy	Gladys Richards	Ariel Underwood
Mr. & Mrs. Benavides	Ester Galang	Mary Hutchins	David Moore	Leonard Riche	Jackson Vandevate
Charles Boudreaux	Juanita Garcia	Gonzalo Idalgo	Miriam Moore	Joyce Rios	Elsa Vargas
Bennie Bradley	Rafeal Garcia	Ana Iruegas	Tracy Moore	Juanita Risinger	Chris Vega
Dawn Brays	Robert Garcia, Jr.	John Janatsch	Patty W. Moreno	Liam Angel Romero	Mary Vera
Pam Callaway	Anne Garza	Ronald Johnston	Roberto Munoz	Paula Rosas	Starlie Verastegui
Yvonne CamunezGomez	Sandra Genoway	Donna Jones	Annie Myer	James Rose	Bernadine Wachel
Robert Carpentier, Jr.	Joe Gillen	Homer Jones	Jacinto Narvaez	Joanna Rubio	Clem Wachel
Logan K. Chavez	Claudio Gomez	Jean Knapia	Chuck Norris	Richard Rusnak	Michael Walla
Marsha Christjohn	Juanita Gomez	Michael Knight, Sr.	Lucille Obermueller	Angela Salcedo	Mary Ellen Walsh
Mitch Contreras	Georgia Gonzales	Lucy Koonce	Susan O'Keefe	Kathy Sample	Molly Walsh
Brian Cooney	Gilbert Gonzales	Riley Koonce	David Owen	Mary Sarlls	Mary Louise Welsh
Mario Cortez	Maria Gonzales	Jannice Kopeck	Joe Painter	Joseph Sarro	Eugene Williams
Nora Cortez	Patricia Gonzales	Jeanne Kopeck	Linda Peak	Geneva Sistrunk	Jason Williams
Carissa Cronan	Alicia Gonzalez	Belinda Pena Lara	Jorge & Elda Pedraza	Janet Smith	Easton Wilson
Sheila Crocker	Nicole Gonzalez	Christine Lopez	Angelina Pena	Janet Smock	Avery Wisdom
Michael Cruz	Billie Sue Gray	Cecilia Lyssy	Rosalinda Pena	Lynn Sorge	Jackie Wituski
Andrea Day	Kathy Green	Rita Macha	Sean Petty	Tommy Stacey	Joyce Womack
Frank S. De Leon, Jr.	James Griffen	Yvonne Maire	Steven Petty	Beth Stahl	Percy Zerinque
John Delgado	Velma Grimm	Louis Martinez	Gayle Phillips	Virginia Starnes	Elizabeth Zertuche
Nancy Delperdong	Michael J. Guadagnoli	Olivia Martinez	Mike Pigg	Nathaniel Su	Rodolfo Zertuche, Jr
Men Dinh	Amber Gulledge	Dan Maser	Ronald Piotrowski	Ada Thiems	
Hank Donovan	Amy Hazlett-Jones	John McCauley	Natalia Pizona	John Thomas	
Pat Dreiling					



Please pray for the active duty service members listed below and for all our troops and their families.

COL Kevin N. Buras, US Army	CTT3 Andrew J. Oliver, US Navy
MAJ Joseph A. Michna, US Army	Amn Steven A. McLendon, US Navy
MAJ Bryan Zesiger, US Army	PO2 Chance Boyd, US Navy
1LT Chad R. Littlejohn, US Army	PO3 Hannah Kloesel, US Navy
SGT Tony Chila, US Army	FR Rebecca Milliorn-Lenzo, US Navy
SGT Justin Perrone, US Army	EMN3 Justin T. Cain, US Navy
PV1 Alex Abrego, US Army	E2 Ian Alvarado, US Navy
PV1 Alazeu R. Avergonzado, US Army	MAJ Jesse Boyter, USAF
Lt. Col. Tony Nicolas, USMC	Cpt. Paxton Parker, USAF
Sgt. Jeremy Dane Sanders, USMC	1Lt. Nicholas Riascos, USAF
PFC Jack Milliorn, Jr. USMC	SMSGT Buddy Lee Russell USAF
Pvt. Bernardo Rodriguez-Tomas, USMC	MSgt Heather Cantu USAF

Send us the name of your active duty service member to be placed on this list in the weekly bulletin. The name must be sent in by a family member.  
Call 281-479-4298 or email  
[info@sthyacinth.org](mailto:info@sthyacinth.org)

TSgt Abraham Pulido, USAF  
SrA Daniel Poncio, USAF  
Amado Almazan, USAF  
Jacob Gonzalez, USAF  
BM2 Joseph Perrone, USCG

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Frances de Sales
Tuesday:	The Conversion of St. Paul
Wednesday:	Sts. Timothy & Titus
Thursday:	St. Angela Merici
Friday:	St. Thomas Aquinas

Condolences to parishioner, Richard Lopez and family on the recent passing of his sister, **Theresa Lopez**  
May she rest in peace.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Jan 24 - Jan 30

<b>Monday:</b>	No Mass
<b>Tuesday:</b>	8:00 am Mitchell Johnson
<b>Wednesday:</b>	8:00 am Allen & Ruby Faldyn †
<b>Thursday:</b>	8:00 am Randy Howell †
<b>Friday:</b>	8:00 am Diane Faldyn†
<b>Saturday</b>	5:00 pm Parish Intentions
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:00 am Bernardo Z. Escudero, Sr. †
	10:00 am Pete Montoya, IV † & Frank DeLeon, Jr. †
	12:00 noon Mickey Triola †

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Monday:</b>	2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26; Mk 3:22-30
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
<b>Wednesday:</b>	2 Tm 1:1-8 or 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:1-20
<b>Thursday:</b>	2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14; Mk 4:21-25
<b>Friday:</b>	2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11; Mk 4:26-34
<b>Saturday:</b>	2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mk 4:35-41
<b>Sunday:</b>	Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1 Cor 12:31 - 13:13 or 1 Cor 13:4-13; Lk 4:21-30

## Prayers and Devotion

### DAY OF ADORATION First Fridays of the Month

BEGINNING WITH 8 AM MASS FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY THE  
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, CONCLUDING AT 4:30 PM WITH  
BENEDICTION.

The Church will be open all day, from mass time through benediction, for adorers to come in and worship and pray. The Adoration Chapel adorers will be scheduled throughout the day. If you can help, contact John Holland - 713-459-8801 or Terry Kelley - 281-827-4232 to get scheduled in hour increments.

Day of Adoration will be live streamed for those who cannot attend in person.

Next scheduled Day of Adoration is Friday, February 4, 2022



### Chapel of Perpetual Adoration Is Open! Monday thru Friday 9 am - 4 pm

Except on the 1st Fridays of the month (usually)  
where adoration will take place in the Church after  
8 am Mass, closing with benediction at 4:30 pm.

To volunteer for an hour, contact  
John Holland - 713-459-8801 or  
Terry Kelley - 281-827-4232

BE ONE WITH JESUS  
*eucharistic adoration*

#### FORMED

FORMED, the revolutionary digital online platform that gives STHY parishioners unprecedented access to video-based study programs, feature films, audio presentations and eBooks from the Church's foremost presenters. Our parish Password to FORMED.org is **77GVZ3**. Not registered yet?

- Go to **formed.org**
- Click on Register
- Enter Parish Access Code **77GVZ3**
- Enter your email & create a password (needed to log in)
- Enjoy access to all of the above and more!

St. Hyacinth 8 am Sunday Mass  
Livestreamed.  
[Sthyacinth.org](http://Sthyacinth.org)

### Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston Prayer in the Time of the Coronavirus

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, as you did during Hurricane Harvey, 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.

#### A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the  
Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love you above all things and I desire to receive  
you in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment  
receive you sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace you as if you were already there and  
unite myself wholly to you.  
Never permit me to be separated from you.  
Amen.*



## Parish Stewardship

### Stewardship of our Treasures

**2021-2022 Weekly Budget**                      \$ 15,424.17

**Collection Week of Jan 16, 2022**            \$ 6,485.36

#### Faith Direct

Electronic Giving (12/16 - 12/31)    \$ 14,905.86  
visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) to securely enroll  
online by using our church code TX526.

#### Diocesan Service Fund 2021

St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 80,000.00
Total Amount Paid	\$ 87,796.05
Total Number of Participants	222
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ 7,796.05
Percentage Paid	110%

#### IGNITE Capital Campaign

St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 759,881.00
Total Amount Pledged	\$ 457,039.59
Total Amount Paid	\$ 246,011.83
Total Number of Participants	204
Average Participant Pledge	\$ 2,240.39
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ (513,869.17)
Pledged Over (Under Goal)	\$ (302,841.41)
Percentage Paid	32.37%
Percentage Pledged	60.15%

#### Capital Campaign Fund

Capital Campaign Pledge Goal	\$3,000,000.00
Total Amount Pledged	\$1,036,054.74
Total Amount Paid	\$1,039,714.72
Total Number of Participants	513
Average Participant Pledge	\$ 2,019.60

**Thank you for your pledges to the DSF, IGNITE and the Capital Campaign funds.**

**Second Collection This Weekend**  
**The Bishops Fund for Latin America**  
Please be generous.

*Easy on-line giving to collections,  
ministries and maintenance of our  
Spiritual Home.*

Give through Faith Direct or Text to  
Give, or if you prefer, Give on-line at  
<https://sthyacinth.org/online-giving>.



**May God Bless all of you**

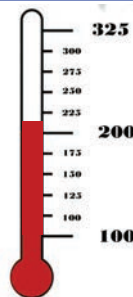
THE 2021  
DIOCESAN  
SERVICES FUND

### Walk in the Light of Christ

God bless each of you who have so generously  
responded in support of the  
2021 Diocesan Services Fund.  
We have reached our goal of \$80,000 for DSF for  
the year of 2021.  
Thank you for your generosity!



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-campaign/donatepledge/](http://www.archgh.org/about/ignite-capital-campaign/donatepledge/)



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**Is now open by Appointment Only!**  
**Call 281-479-4298 Ext 125 for details**

**Items need for the Food Pantry:**  
**Soup, Saltine Crackers, Spam, Spaghetti**  
**Sauce and Canned Vegetables.**  
**Thank you for your generosity!**

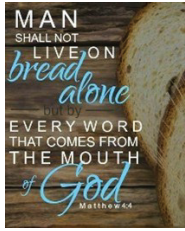
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## Parish Life



### 2022 St. Hyacinth Catholic Church 8th Annual Liturgical Ministries Retreat Saturday, March 5, 2022 Featuring Special Guest Speaker: John Angotti



#### Schedule

**8:00 am - Opening Mass**

**8:30 am - Check-in & Registration**

**9:15 am - 9:45 am - Opening Prayer & Address**

**10:00 am - 10:45 am - Session A**

**11:00 am - 11:45 am - Session B**

**Noon - 1 pm - Lunch**

**1:15 pm - 2:15 pm - General Session**

**2:30 pm - 3:15 pm - Session C**

**3:30 pm - 4:15 pm - Session D**

**Commissioning at all weekend masses - March 5th & 6th**

Registration forms  
available on line  
**@sthyacinth.org** or  
in the usher's sacristy or scan  
the QR Code below  
More information:  
Pamella Pitman  
**ppitman@sthyacinth.org**  
281.479.4298 Ext.121



The Ministry of Altar Serving is back!

Would you like to Altar Serve?

Contact the Office of  
Liturgy & Music

**Ppitman@sthyacinth.org**  
**281-479-4298**

Looking for a Ministry to Join?

Have you considered the **Hospitality Ministry?**

**The Ushers & Greeters**

Ministers of Hospitality should be warm, welcoming people who notice the stranger and are willing to be of service to those who need special assistance. They must also understand the flow of the liturgy, be able to adapt to special needs for various rites, and be full participants in the prayer of the assembly—not simply ushers and collection gatherers! (Office of Worship Galveston Houston)

For more information or to volunteer, contact Pamella Pitman, Director of Liturgy & Music, 281.479.4298 Ext. 121 or [ppitman@sthyacinth.org](mailto:ppitman@sthyacinth.org)



**Choir Practice**  
**Thursday, January 20th**  
**6 pm**  
**In the Sanctuary**

Interested in joining the choir? Contact Pamella Pitman  
**ppitman@sthyacinth.org** or 281-479-4298 Ext. 121

### St. Hyacinth Parishioners

With the new year just starting and preparing for end of the year statements (available after January 31st), please take the time to update your parish record.

Has your information changed?

Have you recently moved?

Have you changed phone numbers?

Do we have your e-mail address or have you started using a new e-mail address?

You can simply fill out a change of address form online at:

[www.sthyacinth.org/parishioner-update-form](http://www.sthyacinth.org/parishioner-update-form)

### Are you registered with the parish?

Just because you have been attending services at St. Hyacinth, received a sacrament, serve in a ministry or signed up for Faith Direct; you are not necessarily registered. There is a separate parish registration form that must be completed.

You can register on line at:

[www.sthyacinth.org/parish-registration-form](http://www.sthyacinth.org/parish-registration-form).

Like us on Facebook at  
**[https://www.facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com/StHyacinthchurch)**  
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## Parish Life

### *Catholic Daughters of the Americas* 2022 Women's Brunch **Hearts and Hands United**



February 12, 2022; 10 am-1pm  
St. Hyacinth Guyot Hall  
2921 Center St.  
Deer Park, Texas 77536  
Tickets \$20

Guest Speaker: Fr. Jim Sicho  
Fashion Show by Salted Hippie Boutique  
Delicious Food and drinks  
Raffle Baskets: Gift Cards, Beauty & Electronics

Tickets for sale **January 23, 30 &**  
**February 6** after all masses  
For info: Denise 361.522.4549

### Interested in Homeschooling?

Interested in joining a Catholic Homeschool Group?  
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### 2021 Contribution Statements

Contribution statements for the year 2021 are  
available upon request. To request your statement,  
e-mail your request to [mjhowell@sthyacinth.org](mailto:mjhowell@sthyacinth.org) or  
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### Bible Study

#### *Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom*

*Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom* traces how the gospel  
witness spread outward in waves from Jerusalem and reveals  
how the seed of Church structure and authority took root.  
It will help you to see your place in the Church as a disciple  
of Christ.

The Bible Study, Acts began on **January 11, 2022** from  
**9 am to 11 am** in Meeting Room 2, It is a **20 week session**.  
Questions, contact the Faith Formation office at  
281-479-8832



### St. Hyacinth Men's ACTS Retreat February 17 - 20, 2022

**ACTS Retreats** – Re-evangelizing Catholic Christians around  
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For information contact: Alex Guajardo 832-816-2211 or  
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### *Sisters in Christ*

Please join us on Thursday evenings 7:00-9:00 in  
room E for fellowship, bible study, worship, and  
service to our community. All women are welcome.  
Next Meeting is January 20, 2022

### RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The world seems crazy right now and it can be  
difficult to find our way through the chaos.

**Now is the time** our Catholic faith gives us strength  
and direction.

Have you ever considered becoming Catholic, or do  
you want to better understand your faith?

The RCIA team invites you join our study group.  
Please contact the parish Religious Education Office at  
281-479-8832 for details.

### You're Invited To Be a Catechist!

We are in need of volunteer catechists  
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Thank you for your interest in becoming a catechist.  
We want to answer all your questions as you  
prayerfully discern if this ministry is right for you.  
Contact us for more information.

Call or email: **Pamela Johnson**, Director Faith  
Formation/Religious Education  
(281) 479-8832 or [Pjohnson@sthyacinth.org](mailto:Pjohnson@sthyacinth.org). Pg 9

## *Archdiocesan Happenings*

### **Synod on Synodality for Young Adults**

All young adults are invited to join us for the upcoming Synod on Synodality discussion on Wednesday, February 16 at St. Dominic Chancery (2403 Holcombe Blvd.) from 7-9 p.m. Pope Francis is inviting all the People of God to participate in this synod process in order to discover where the Spirit is working in individual hearts and in the Church as a whole. Come share your thoughts on how the church has journeyed with you! No cost to attend. Registration is required. Please register by February 13. here:

<https://forms.gle/5evNWS2accWE4s9A>.

For more information contact the Office of Young Adult & Campus Ministry at 713-741-8778 or [yacm@archgh.org](mailto:yacm@archgh.org) or [www.archgh.org/yacm](http://www.archgh.org/yacm).

### **Texas Catholic Herald**

Check out the new digital edition of the Texas Catholic Herald! Read the latest issue online now at <https://www.archgh.org/digitaleditions>

### **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat**

The Office of Pro-Life Activities will offer the next Rachel's Vineyard retreat for post-abortion healing on the weekend of February 18-20. This retreat is part of Project Rachel's ministry. All inquiries and registrations are strictly confidential. To register or for more information, please contact the Office of Pro-Life Activities at 713- 741-8728 or email at [jkfritsch@archgh.org](mailto:jkfritsch@archgh.org).

### **Jerome's Hope Retreat**

The Office of Pro-Life Activities will offer the next 'Pierced by Sorrow, Released into Joy' retreat on Saturday, February 5. This is a single-day retreat for parents following miscarriage, stillbirth or early infant loss. This retreat is part of the Jerome's Hope ministry. To register or for more information please contact us at 713-741- 8728 or 713-440-3443 or you can email us at [jkfritsch@archgh.org](mailto:jkfritsch@archgh.org).

### **Assistance for Parishioners in Need**

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston continues to serve people in need during the COVID-19 pandemic through all of its programs. Food pantries are open for drive-through food distribution with hours each week at our three locations: Guadalupe Center in Houston; Mamie George Community Center in Richmond; Beacon of Hope Center in Galveston. For hours or other information, call the COVID Assistance Line at 713-874-6521.

### **Vocations: A Date with Jesus for High School Girls**

Jesus is eager to invite you to a date with Him! What a better way to spend Valentine's Day than with the One who loves you the most? Expect a beautiful evening of community, prayer, delicious food and interaction with religious sisters and consecrated women. February 14 at the Co-Cathedral Centre, 1701 San Jacinto St. For high school girls; cost: \$15. Flyer can be found here. Questions? contact us at 713-652-8239 or [vocations@archgh.org](mailto:vocations@archgh.org). Here is the link for event registration: <https://archgh.eventevents.com/AdatewithJesus>

### **Marriage Encounter Weekends**

All married couples are invited to live the Marriage Encounter experience. This is a live conference – typically held on a weekend – where three mentor couples and a priest provide tools, use examples, and help couples work through common themes we can all relate to. The experience helps participants to listen, share, and connect more deeply. Nine in ten couples who attend a Marriage Encounter recognize a long-lasting positive effect on their lives. For details, calendar, and registration, please visit the Marriage Enrichment section at [www.archgh.org/familylife](http://www.archgh.org/familylife)

### **2022 Oberammergau Passion Play:**

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