

ST. HYACINTH CATHOLIC CHURCH



"Let the Church Say Amen!"

May 21, 2023

The Ascension of Our Lord, Jesus Christ

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Mass Schedule

Current Schedule

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, and 10:00 AM

Confessions

*Confessions: Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm
and by appointment*

Office Hours

Parish Offices Hours

SUMMER HOURS

Monday 1 PM - 4:30 PM

Tuesday - Thursday 8:30AM - 4:30 PM

Closed Friday, Saturday & Sunday

Pastoral Staff

Pastor, Fr. Reginald Samuels

Deacon

Deacon Charles Pitman: cpitman@sthyacinth.org

Parish Administrator

Deacon John Rapacki: jrapacki@sthyacinth.org

Parish Secretary

Mary Jo Howell: mjhowell@sthyacinth.org

Director of Liturgy & Music

Pamella Pitman: ppitman@sthyacinth.org

Director of Evangelization & Catechesis

Pamela Johnson: pjohnson@sthyacinth.org

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 registration is on line. For more information call (281) 479-4298. Register on line at 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.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On the feast of the Ascension of the Lord, we remember Jesus' words to his friends and Disciples before he was taken up to heaven: "that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem." We have been all commissioned by Jesus to share the good news of the gospel. Now that the gospel has been entrusted to us, it is our duty to preach the healing love of Christ, perform acts of charity, plant the seeds of peace and be a blessing to our brothers and sisters in this world.

Due to the damage to the Church complex, the St. Vincent De Paul and the SVdP food pantry are working out of First Baptist Church of Deer Park on 8th Street. If there is a need for assistance, please call 281- 497 -3131. Since we are not longer able to collect food here at St. Hyacinth, we are asking parishioners to donate food to the Community Food Bank at First Methodist on Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00am to 2:00pm. Thank you for your generosity.

Next, we are currently providing livestreaming of the Masses here at St. Hyacinth. Please go to our website sthyacinth.org, St. Hyacinth Facebook page, St. Hyacinth YouTube channel or St. Hyacinth Viemo.com page to view the current livestream masses. The Livestream Mass can be seen through our website page. If there is a homily that you want to rehear, you can go to YouTube channel and look at the mass again.

One of our parish goals in 2023 is to increase the number of families supporting St. Hyacinth using Faith Direct and online giving. Currently we have only 208 families using Faith Direct. You can register in less than five minutes by logging on at sthyacinth.org and pressing the Faith Direct icon and entering our parish code of TX526 or by just simply going to the online giving page on our website and sign up for online giving at <https://sthyacinth.org/online-giving>.

Next, due to the rising inflation and the increase in the cost of running the church complex, we are modifying our parish office hours for the Summer. Beginning with Friday, May 26th, our parish offices will be closed on Fridays during the summer. We will resume regular Friday office hours beginning on September 8th.

Finally, as we head into the Memorial Day holiday and the start of Summer, I want us all to take the time to honor and mourn those who died while serving our country. Please take a moment and pray for all the men and women who serve our country and protect our freedoms.

God Bless,
Fr. Reginald Samuels

Reading 1

Acts 1:1-11

In the first book, Theophilus,
I dealt with all that Jesus did and taught
until the day he was taken up,
after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit
to the apostles whom he had chosen.
He presented himself alive to them
by many proofs after he had suffered,
appearing to them during forty days
and speaking about the kingdom of God.
While meeting with the them,
he enjoined them not to depart from Jerusalem,
but to wait for "the promise of the Father
about which you have heard me speak;
for John baptized with water,
but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

When they had gathered together they asked him,
"Lord, are you at this time going to restore the
kingdom to Israel?"
He answered them, "It is not for you to know the
times or seasons
that the Father has established by his own authority.
But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit
comes upon you,
and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem,
throughout Judea and Samaria,
and to the ends of the earth."
When he had said this, as they were looking on,
he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their
sight.

While they were looking intently at the sky as he was
going,
suddenly two men dressed in white garments stood
beside them.
They said, "Men of Galilee,
why are you standing there looking at the sky?
This Jesus who has been taken up from you into
heaven
will return in the same way as you have seen him
going into heaven."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

**R\ God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of
trumpets for the Lord.**

All you peoples, clap your hands,
shout to God with cries of gladness,
For the LORD, the Most High, the awesome,
is the great king over all the earth. **R**

God mounts his throne amid shouts of joy;
the LORD, amid trumpet blasts.
Sing praise to God, sing praise;
sing praise to our king, sing praise. **R**

For king of all the earth is God;
sing hymns of praise.
God reigns over the nations,
God sits upon his holy throne. **R**

Reading 2

Eph 1:17-23

Brothers and sisters:
May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of
glory,
give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation
resulting in knowledge of him.
May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened,
that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his
call,
what are the riches of glory
in his inheritance among the holy ones,
and what is the surpassing greatness of his power
for us who believe,
in accord with the exercise of his great might,
which he worked in Christ,
raising him from the dead
and seating him at his right hand in the heavens,
far above every principality, authority, power, and
dominion,
and every name that is named
not only in this age but also in the one to come.
And he put all things beneath his feet
and gave him as head over all things to the church,
which is his body,
the fullness of the one who fills all things in every way.

Gospel

Mt 28:16-20

Jesus said to his disciples:
"If you love me, you will keep my
commandments.
And I will ask the Father,
and he will give you another Advocate to be with you
always,
the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot
accept,
because it neither sees nor knows him.
But you know him, because he remains with you,
and will be in you.
I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.
In a little while the world will no longer see me,
but you will see me, because I live and you will live.
On that day you will realize that I am in my
Father
and you are in me and I in you.
Whoever has my commandments and observes them
is the one who loves me.
And whoever loves me will be loved by my
Father,
and I will love him and reveal myself to him."

Prayers and Devotion

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.
Body of Christ, save me.
Blood of Christ, inebriate me.
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.
Passion of Christ, strengthen me.
O good Jesus, hear me.
Within your wounds conceal me.
Do not permit me to be parted from you.
From the evil foe protect me.
At the hour of my death call me.
And bid me come to you,
to praise you with all your saints
for ever and ever.
Amen.

Open Dates Available for Altar Flower Donations



Donate toward altar flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one. E-mail the parish office, mjhowell@sthyacinth.org, to reserve your date.

The parish will handle the order to ensure that the flowers meet liturgical criteria and fit the space. Flowers range in price starting at \$75.

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 Access Code to FORMED.org is **77536**. Not registered yet?

- Go to **formed.org**
- Click on Register
- Enter Parish Access Code **77536**
- Enter your email & create a password (needed to log in)
- Enjoy access to all of the above and more!

Decade-A-Day for Vocations

Pray this prayer daily with a Decade of the Rosary for an increase in Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

Loving and gracious God, Father of all, You bless your people in every time and season and provide for their needs through your providential care.

Your Church is continually in need of Priests, Sisters and Brothers to offer themselves in the service of the Gospel by lives of dedicated love.

Open the hearts of your sons and daughters to listen to your call in their lives. Give them the gift of understanding to discern your invitation to serve you and your church. Give them the gift of courage to follow your call.

May they have the spirit of young Samuel who found fulfillment in his life when he said
"Speak Lord, for your servant is listening"

We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer.
Amen.

(Archbishop Joseph A. Fiorenza)



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.

**St. Hyacinth 8 am
Sunday Mass
Livestreamed
Sthyacinth.org**

Prayers and Devotion

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

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



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

COL Kevin N. Buras, US Army
 MAJ Joseph A. Michna, US Army
 MAJ Bryan Zesiger, US Army
 1LT Chad R. Littlejohn, US Army
 SGT Tony Chila, US Army
 SGT Justin Perrone, US Army
 PV1 Alex Abrego, US Army
 PV1 Alazeu R. Avergonzado, US Army
 Lt. Col. Tony Nicolas, USMC
 Sgt. Jeremy Dane Sanders, USMC
 PFC Jack Milliorn, Jr. USMC
 Pvt. Bernardo Rodriguez-Tomas, USMC

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

CTT3 Andrew J. Oliver, US Navy
 Amn. Gabriella L. Aragon, US Navy
 Amn Steven A. McLendon, US Navy
 PO2 Chance Boyd, US Navy
 PO3 Hannah Kloesel, US Navy
 FR Rebecca Milliorn-Lenzo, US Navy
 EMN3 Justin T. Cain, US Navy
 E2 Ian Alvarado, US Navy
 Lt. Col. Jesse Boyter, USAF
 Cpt. Paxton Parker, USAF
 1Lt. Nicholas Riascos, USAF
 SMSGT Buddy Lee Russell USAF
 MSgt Heather Cantu USAF
 TSgt Christopher Panalez
 TSgt Abraham Pulido, USAF
 SrA Daniel Poncio, USAF
 Amado Almazan, USAF
 Jacob Gonzalez, USAF
 BM2 Joseph Perrone, USCG

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
 Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Ascension of the Lord
 Monday: St. Rita of Casica
 Tuesday: Tuesday of the Seventh Week of Easter
 Wednesday: Wednesday of the Seventh Week of Easter
 Thursday: Venerable Bede; St. Gregory VII;
 St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi
 Friday: St. Philip Neri
 Saturday: St. Augustine of Canterbury

Condolences to the family & friends of parishioner, Marilyn Back, on her recent passing.

**Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.
 May she rest in peace. Amen**

Parish Stewardship

Stewardship of our Treasures

2022-2023 Weekly Budget	\$ 15,795.43
Collection Week of May 7, 2023	\$ 7,370.50
Second Collection	
Parish Maintenance Fund	\$ 1,152.00
Collection Week of May 14, 2023	\$
(unavailable - will be in 5/28 bulletin)	

Faith Direct

Electronic Giving (4/01 - 4/15) \$ 14,861.92
 visit www.faithdirect.net to securely enroll
 online by using our church code TX526.

Diocesan Service Fund 2023

St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 85,000.00
Total Amount Paid	\$ 26,651.89
Total Number of Participants	106
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ (28,348.11)
Percentage Paid	31.36%

IGNITE Capital Campaign

St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 759,881.00
Total Amount Pledged	\$ 454,590.63
Total Amount Paid	\$ 345,334.02
Total Number of Participants	219
Average Participant Pledge	\$ 2,075.13
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ (414,546.98)
Pledged Over (Under Goal)	\$ (305,290.37)
Percentage Paid	45.45%
Percentage Pledged	59.82%

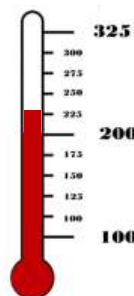
Thank you for your pledges to the DSF and IGNITE funds.

**GOD IS THE
STRENGTH OF MY HEART**



DSF is our opportunity as a community of faith to answer God's call, through His son Jesus Christ, to joyfully love and serve the needs of others.

Through your support of DSF, you proclaim the Gospel, help provide 64 ministries that no one parish can do alone and remind all around you that God is the strength of our hearts.



SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP
FOR ONLINE GIVING

At St. Hyacinth we appreciate your gifts, regardless of how they come. To enroll in **Faith Direct**, pick up an enrollment form in the parish office or enroll online at www.faithdirect.net using our church code: TX526.

FAITH DIRECT
inspiring secure giving

St. Vincent de Paul office

SVdP is currently working out of the First Baptist Church of Deer Park on 8th Street. We have a room where we can meet with Deer Park friends in need by appointment on Mondays or Wednesdays. We can assist with rent and utilities and are able to offer some assistance related to the tornado impact. **The new phone number to contact us is 281-497-3131.**

Since we are no longer able to collect food at the church right now, parishioners can donate food to the Community Food Bank at First Methodist which is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.

Thank you for your continued generosity and support!

**GIVE NOW!!
TEXT TO GIVE**



**TEXT \$ AMOUNT TO:
281-502-8199**

FOLLOW THE LINK TO COMPLETE A ONE-TIME PROCESS
THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. HYACINTH.

Parish Life

Seeking Liturgical Ministers for all ministries

All ministries are looking for new people to help serve the people of God here at St. Hyacinth; Acolytes, Altar Servers, Hospitality, Extra Ordinary Ministers, Sacristans, Readers, and Music Ministers.

For more information on the ministries, contact Pamella Pitman
[@ppitman@sthyacinth.org](mailto:ppitman@sthyacinth.org).

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2023
FIRST COMMUNION CLASS ON
MAKING THEIR FIRST COMMUNION
ON SATURDAY, MAY 20TH

RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Have you ever considered becoming Catholic, or do you want to better understand your faith? The RCIA team invites you join our study group.

RCIA CLASSES

Contact the Religious Education Office at
281-479-8832 for details.

Adult Confirmation Classes

Contact the Faith Formation office at
281-479-8832 or email at
Pjohnson@sthyacinth.org

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.

St. Hyacinth Parishioners

Has any of your information changed?
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 Parishioner Update form at: www.sthyacinth.org/parishioner-update-form

AYC 2023

July 28 - 30

St. Hyacinth parishioners can register for the upcoming Archdiocesan Youth Conference (AYC) on line at Sthyacinth.org. Click the Faith Formation tab for the link to the registration.

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SENIOR MASS
SUNDAY, JUNE 4TH
10 AM MASS

All graduating seniors (high school and college) are welcome. Please wear your caps and gowns!

Parish Life

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas

NOTICE

IF YOU PURCHASED
TICKETS FOR THE
LADIES' BRUNCH FOR
THIS PAST FEBRUARY,
PLEASE CONTACT
MICHELLE NORRIS
AT 713-906-8094 FOR A
REFUND.



THANK YOU

WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

The ACTS Community of St. Hyacinth Catholic Church extends an invitation from God to encounter His presence and hear His gentle whisper, a special message for you at the **Women's ACTS Retreat August 3-6, 2023.**

For more information please contact:
Patricia Saenz, Director - Phone: 713-385-0470 Email: saenzpr@gmail.com

Don't miss out on STHY information!

Sign up for **Flocknotes** today!

Text "hyacinth" to 84576,

Or go to

[Flocknote.com/sthyhouston](https://flocknote.com/sthyhouston),
then join the group "Parishioners"

Homeschooling?

Looking for affordable, group academic classes for your children with a Catholic emphasis and curriculum?

Since 2013, Queen of Saints Catholic Homeschool Co-op has offered classes for grades PreK-12.

Registration for 2023-24 is now open!

Contact Lori Fontenot

at loricfontenot@yahoo.com or 832-457-9929

or visit www.homeschool-life.com/tx/queenofsaints for more information.



MENS ACTS RETREAT

St. Hyacinth's Men's ACTS

welcomes any man desiring to take the next step in their relationship with God on this special weekend, June 1st -4th.

To register or more info, please contact: Robert Zapata - 281-884-2615 or bobbyz258@yahoo.com

*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

Like us on Facebook at
<https://www.facebook.com/StHyacinthchurch>

LOOK on the St. Hyacinth website for the current bulletin, mass times, updated calendars, sacraments, formation, parish events and much more.

Visit www.sthyacinth.org

Archdiocesan Happenings

Summer Sacred Music Choral Festival

The Office of Worship is excited to announce their first-ever Summer Sacred Music Choral Festival. The event will be on June 16-17 and will feature 200 singers. For more information, visit the Office of Worship's webpage:

<https://www.archgh.org/choralfestival>

Employment Opportunities

The Archdiocese has job openings in several departments and in parishes and schools across the Archdiocese. See the latest job postings online at

www.archgh.org/employment.

Pro-Life Activities

The Office of Pro-Life Activities offers various opportunities for healing after abortion. Interested individuals can attend one or all events depending on need and preference.

For more information or to register for any of these programs, contact the Office of Pro-Life Activities at 713-741-8728 or email jkfritsch@archgh.org.

Texas Catholic Herald

Check out the new digital edition of the Texas Catholic Herald!

online now at

<https://www.archgh.org/digitaleditions>

Office of Vocations – Upcoming Events

- July 7-16: Glimpse of Life in Community @ St. Patrick, Galveston For young women who are discerning or are open to religious/consecrated life.
- July 21-23: Men's Discernment Retreat @ St. Mary's Seminary, Houston This retreat is designed for young adult men, 18-35, to help you consider a vocation to the diocesan priesthood. .
- July 22-29: Rediscovering Charity in Daily Life @ St. Patrick, Galveston For young women who feel attracted to married life and are serious about the mission God is calling them to. .
- Sign up for Houston Vocation's quarterly newsletter here: <http://eepurl.com/gkTws1>

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

If our Lord Jesus was tempted by the devil, how much more will we be tempted in our marriage! The Marriage Encounter is a unique opportunity for married couples of any age who want to strengthen their relationship and grow together in all aspects of their lives. During the weekend experience, spouses learn how to improve their communication, discover more about each other, and work on areas of their relationship that need attention. There is no group discussion. With the guidance of three couples and a priest, each couple works alone in the privacy of their room. Live your best life in love!

Upcoming events: May 26-28

Information: Brian and Tina Little (281) 773-4014, email: btittle2@me.com and www.houstonme.org

13Day Pilgrimage To The Marian Shrines

Spain-Portugal-France

Lisbon Fatima Santiago de Compostela Avila
Zaragoza Lourdes Lisieux Paris





October 9 – 21, 2023

\$3,890.00 Per Person From Houston

Includes: Roundtrip Air Transportation From Houston, First Class Hotels, Double Occupancy, 2 Meals A Day – Breakfast & Dinner, Daily Sightseeing With English Speaking Tour Guides, Entrance Fees, Daily Mass, Inside Cabins On Cruise, Airport Taxes, And Fuel Surcharges - Which Might Subject To Change. Tips To Guides And Drivers Are Included.

Spiritual Director: Fr. Reginald Samuels
St. Hyacinth Catholic Church – Deer Park, TX

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