

ST. HYACINTH CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 12, 2023

The Parable of the Ten Virgins.

MATTHEW 25:1-13

“Let the Church Say Amen!”

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Mass Schedule

Current Schedule

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12 Noon

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 AM

Confessions

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

Office Hours

Parish Offices Hours

Monday 1 PM - 4:30 PM

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

Closed 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

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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

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.

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

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The Gospel of Matthew this week, tells us that the return of the reign of God is certain. The parable illustrates the coming of the bridegroom which represents Christ. The parables' teaching of the wise and foolish maids builds on the previous teaching of the wise and foolish servants in the Gospel of Matthew. Both parables illustrate the need to live in a manner that expects the return of the Lord, even when the return is delayed.

The parable of the ten maidens is a story about the importance of being prepared for the coming of Christ. The circumstances of the parable were taken from the marriage customs of the times and a metaphor for the great day of Christ's coming.

The weekly parish budget is \$16,233.08. This budget amount is the cost to run this parish on a weekly basis. One of the principal goals of 2023 is to increase the number of people that are contributing to the Church through our electronic giving platform. We have over 1100 registered families here at STHY that maybe giving to our parish in the Sunday collection; however, we don't have a record of them using their envelopes or electronic giving. You can enroll for online giving through <https://www.sthyacinth.org/online-giving>.

In celebration of our parish 58th anniversary, this year's parish project, the entire community of St Hyacinth is being asked to provide support for the renovation and restoration of the two main stain glass windows of the Church. To support this project, please go to <https://sthyacinth.org/stain-glass-renovation-project> to donate. We hope to raise \$75,000 for the renovation and restoration of our Holy Spirit Window and Christ the Good Shepherd window. Thank you for your generosity.

For 2023, Cardinal DiNardo has assessed our parish DSF goal at \$85,000. This year, as of the writing for this bulletin, our parish has collected \$57,840.32 towards our goal. We have until the end of the year to collect our goal. DSF supports more than 60 ministries and programs that serve the faithful of the Archdiocese and us here at St. Hyacinth. From Catholic chaplains at the hospitals and the Port of Houston, to religious education training for our teachers (who pass on their faith to our children), to outreach to seniors, to youth ministry, to soup kitchens, to Catholic Charities ministry to the poor and disenfranchised and to training for seminarians, Deacons and priests. There are only two months left until the end of the year to cover the \$ 27,159.68 deficit in DSF. **If we do not make our DSF goal for the year, the balance that is due will come directly out of the operating expense of the parish.** Thank you for your generosity.

For the Month of November, The Book of the Names of the Dead will be in the Baptistry area of the Church for those who want to write the names of deceased loved ones whom we can pray for. Through prayer, fasting and good works we offer on behalf of the deceased, we pray that God's purification will be granted to all of the faithful departed so that they can obtain their soul's desire, eternal life in heaven. In communion with the faithful departed as members of the Church, it is our responsibility and privilege to assist them with our prayers and holy works.

Finally, the 2023 SVDP Angel Tree project will be adjusted to accommodate the limited use of the Church plants. For this year we are asking everyone to donate \$25 gift cards from Walmart, Target or Marshalls only. Once you purchase the gift cards, bring them back to church and place them in the regular collection. Thank you for your generosity towards those in our community that are less fortunate. The Angel Tree gift card collection will end on Sunday, December 3rd.

God Bless,
Fr. Reginald Samuels

Reading 1

Wis 6:12-16

Resplendent and unfading is wisdom,
and she is readily perceived by those who love her,
and found by those who seek her.
She hastens to make herself known in anticipation
of their desire;
Whoever watches for her at dawn shall not be
disappointed,
for he shall find her sitting by his gate.
For taking thought of wisdom is the perfection of
prudence,
and whoever for her sake keeps vigil
shall quickly be free from care;
because she makes her own rounds, seeking those
worthy of her,
and graciously appears to them in the ways,
and meets them with all solicitude.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

R\ My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

O God, you are my God whom I seek;
for you my flesh pines and my soul thirsts
like the earth, parched, lifeless and without water.
R

Thus have I gazed toward you in the sanctuary
to see your power and your glory,
For your kindness is a greater good than life;
my lips shall glorify you. **R**

Thus will I bless you while I live;
lifting up my hands, I will call upon your name.
As with the riches of a banquet shall my soul be
satisfied,
and with exultant lips my mouth shall praise you.
R

I will remember you upon my couch,
and through the night-watches I will meditate on
you:
You are my help,
and in the shadow of your wings I shout for joy. **R**

Reading 2

1 Thes 4:13-18

We do not want you to be unaware, brothers and
sisters,
about those who have fallen asleep,
so that you may not grieve like the rest, who have
no hope.
For if we believe that Jesus died and rose,
so too will God, through Jesus,

bring with him those who have fallen asleep.
Indeed, we tell you this, on the word of the Lord,
that we who are alive,
who are left until the coming of the Lord,
will surely not precede those who have fallen
asleep.
For the Lord himself, with a word of command,
with the voice of an archangel and with the trumpet
of God,
will come down from heaven,
and the dead in Christ will rise first.
Then we who are alive, who are left,
will be caught up together with them in the clouds
to meet the Lord in the air.
Thus we shall always be with the Lord.
Therefore, console one another with these words.

Gospel

Mt 25:1-13


Jesus told his disciples this parable:
"The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins
who took their lamps and went out to meet the
bridegroom.
Five of them were foolish and five were wise.
The foolish ones, when taking their lamps,
brought no oil with them,
but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps.
Since the bridegroom was long delayed,
they all became drowsy and fell asleep.
At midnight, there was a cry,
'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!'
Then all those virgins got up and trimmed their
lamps.
The foolish ones said to the wise,
'Give us some of your oil,
for our lamps are going out.'
But the wise ones replied,
'No, for there may not be enough for us and you.
Go instead to the merchants and buy some for
yourselves.'
While they went off to buy it,
the bridegroom came
and those who were ready went into the wedding
feast with him.
Then the door was locked.
Afterwards the other virgins came and said,
'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!'
But he said in reply,
'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.'
Therefore, stay awake,
for you know neither the day nor the hour."



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

 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. Gabriella L. Aragon, US Navy
MAJ Bryan Zesiger, US Army	Amn Steven A. McLendon, US Navy
1LT Chad R. Littlejohn, US Army	PO2 Chance Boyd, US Navy
SGT Tony Chila, US Army	PO3 Hannah Kloesel, 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. Avergonzando, US Army	DCFR Tripp Austin Lucher, US Navy
Lt. Col. Tony Nicolas, USMC	Lt. Col. Jesse Boyter, USAF
Sgt. Jeremy Dane Sanders, USMC	Cpt. Paxton Parker, USAF
PFC Jack Milliorn, Jr., USMC	1Lt. Nicholas Riascos, USAF
PFC Anthony Perrone, 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	
	TSgt Christopher Panalez
	TSgt Abraham Pulido, USAF
	SrA Daniel Poncio, USAF
	Amado Almazan, USAF
	Jacob Gonzalez, USAF
	BM2 Joseph Perrone, USCG

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	The Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Frances Xavier Cabrini
Wednesday:	St. Albert the Great
Thursday:	St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
Friday:	St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Saturday:	Dedication of Churches of Sts. Peter & Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-10; Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday:	Wis 2:23 - 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday:	Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19
Thursday:	Wis 7:22b - 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25
Friday:	Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37
Saturday:	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8 or (for memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33
Sunday:	Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128:1-5; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]

MASS INTENTIONS

Nov 13 - Nov 19

Monday:	No Mass
Tuesday:	8:00 am Hattie Ryan †
Wednesday:	8:00 am Mike Walla †
Thursday:	8:00 am Melissa Rodriguez
Friday:	8:00 am Tracy Glover †
Saturday:	5:00 pm Ruben Zapata †
Sunday:	8:00 am Diane Faldyn †
	10:00 am Parish Intentions
	12:00 noon Joaquin, Rosie & Douglas D'Silva †

Prayers and Devotion

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!

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

DAY OF ADORATION



**BEGINNING WITH 8 AM MASS
FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY THE
EXPOSITION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT,
CONCLUDING AT 4:00 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 Terry Kelley - 281-827-4232 or Rita Flynn - 713-854-0430 to get scheduled in hour increments.

Next scheduled Day of Adoration is
FRIDAY, December 1, 2023

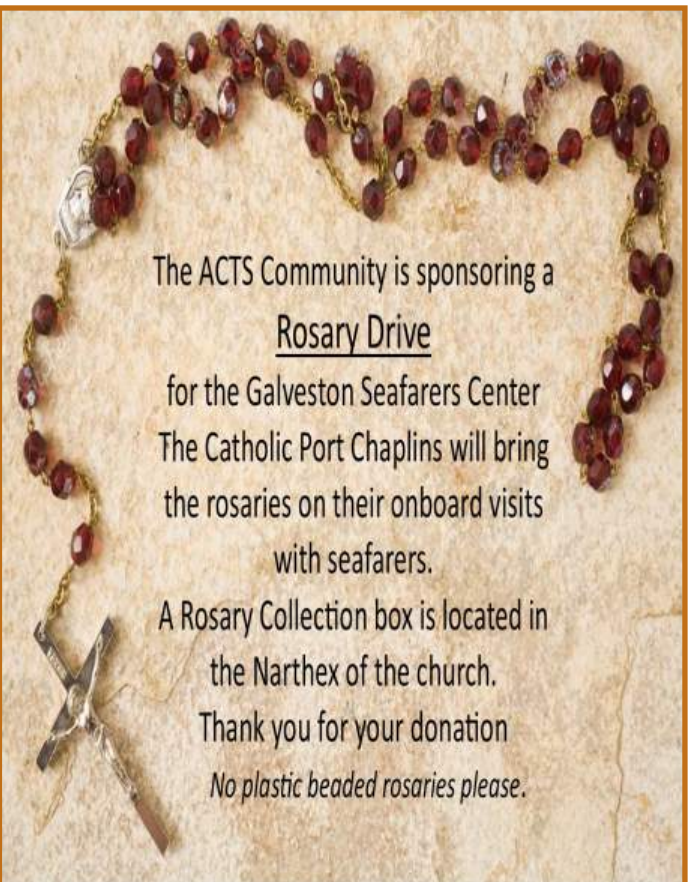
**St. Hyacinth 8 am
Sunday Mass Livestreamed
Sthyacinth.org**

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

**Don't miss out on
STHY information!**

Sign up for
Flocknotes today!
Text "hyacinth" to **84576**,

Or go to
Flocknote.com/sthyhouston,
then join the group "Parishioners"



The ACTS Community is sponsoring a

Rosary Drive

for the Galveston Seafarers Center
The Catholic Port Chaplains will bring
the rosaries on their onboard visits
with seafarers.

A Rosary Collection box is located in
the Narthex of the church.

Thank you for your donation

No plastic beaded rosaries please.

*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

2023 ST HYACINTH CHRISTMAS GIFT LIST

*** Any donation for the items below, in full or partially, is appreciated.**

St. Hyacinth Church:

Vestments (Green/ Purple/Rose/White) @ \$3,000 per set
Laptop with Microsoft Office @ \$1,500
Church Banners @ \$1,200 per set
(4) Television Monitors w/Stand @ \$800 each

Guyot Hall and Kitchen

(12) Rectangle /Round Tables @ \$650 for 4 pack
(5) Kitchen Utility Carts @ \$175 each
Video projection equipment (wireless projector and transmitter) @ \$3,000

Youth Ministry:

2024 Confirmation Retreat (materials, snacks, beverage) @ \$500
Snacks for 28 weeks of Youth Ministry Activities @ \$50 per week: Total @ \$1,400
Sofa and Chairs @ \$3,000
(3) Ultimate Sack Bean Bag Chair @ \$300 each

Liturgy and Music Ministry:

5 Wireless Mics @ \$650 each
Choir Sheet Music for the seasons @ \$800

CCE/ Religious Education (Faith Formation):

(200) Children's Bibles (enough for each classroom) @ \$28 each

Adult Education:

(40) New American Bibles @ \$25 each for both RCIA & Adult Confirmation candidates
(40) U.S. Catechism of the Catholic Church @ \$25 each for both RCIA & Adult Confirmation candidates
Laptop with Microsoft Office @ \$1,500

St. Hyacinth Stain Glass Restoration Project

\$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000 \$5,000 \$

St. Hyacinth Parish Improvement Fund

\$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000 \$5,000 \$

I/We would like to grant a full or partial wish for St. Hyacinth Catholic Church

Item(s) to be donated: _____

Donation Amount: \$ _____

Donation by: _____
(Full Name)

(Street Address; City/State/Zip)

I /We would like to make this gift anonymously

* If full amount is not raised for one item, then funds will be used to purchase another item on the Christmas List.



Parish Stewardship

Stewardship of our Treasures

2023-2024 Weekly Budget	\$ 16,233.08
Collection Week of Nov 5, 2023	\$ 8,612.76
Under/Over Budget	\$ -7,620.32
All Saints Day - Nov 1	\$ 1,128.00
All Souls Day - Nov 2	\$ 470.00
Second Collection	
Parish Maintenance	\$ 1,530.00
Diocesan Service Fund 2023	
St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 85,000.00
Total Amount Paid	\$ 59,821.32
Total Number of Participants	179
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ (25,178.68)
Percentage Paid	70.38%
IGNITE Capital Campaign	
St. Hyacinth Parish Goal	\$ 759,881.00
Total Amount Pledged	\$ 454,757.63
Total Amount Paid	\$ 364,413.72
Total Number of Participants	223
Average Participant Pledge	\$ 2,039.27
Paid Over (Under Goal)	\$ (395,467.28)
Pledged Over (Under Goal)	\$ (305,123.37)
Percentage Paid	47.96%
Percentage Pledged	59.85%
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**.

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**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.

Like us on Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/StHyacinthchurch>

St. Vincent de Paul Office

SVdP is back working out of the St. Hyacinth Campus. We have an area where we can meet with Deer Park friends in need **by appointment only**. We can assist with rent and utilities.

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 am - 2:00 pm.

“Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. God is able to make every grace abundant for you, so that in all things, always having all you need, you may have an abundance for every good work.” (2 Cor. 9:6,8)

Thank you for your continued generosity and support!

Parish Life

This week in your Parish

Tuesday, November 14

8:30 - 11:30 am - Bible Study (Guyot Hall)
6:30 - 9:00 pm - Men's ACTS Retreat Team Meeting (Meeting Room 1)
6:30 - 8:30 pm - SVDP Meeting (Room F)
7:00 - 8:30 pm - Liturgy Committee Meeting (Room H)

Wednesday, November 15

4:00 pm - Legion of Mary (Room H)
6:00 - 9:00 pm - Choir Practice (Church)
6:30 - 8:30 pm - Confirmation II Class (Guyot Hall)
7:00 - 9:00 pm - Catholic Daughters Meeting (Meeting Room 1)

Saturday, November 18

1:00 pm - Baptism (Church)

Sunday, November 19

2nd Collection - Campaign for Human Development
No Faith Formation Classes
8:30 - 11:30 am - KC Taco Breakfast



St. Hyacinth Men's ACTS Retreat
February 15 - 18, 2024

ACTS Retreats – An open invitation to enter a new or deeper relationship with our Lord.

For information contact: Juan Moreno 281-467-0848 or
Pat Perrone 713-303-0188 or Roland Venegas 832-468-8192

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Cordially invite you to be a visitor at our next meeting:
Wednesday, Nov. 15th
Guyot Hall - Food 6 pm
Business meeting = 7PM
Questions—Ada Fallon
832-236-4539



RCIA – the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

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

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

Evening Bible Study

"What Must We Do to Be Saved?"

The most important question a Christian can ask is: What must we do to be saved? Paul's letter to the Galatians provides the answer. And reveals the merciful love God the Father has for his children.

Galatians: Set Free to Live speaks of the extraordinary gift of salvation Jesus has won for us and explains how we can unite ourselves to Christ's redeeming sacrifice through faith and love.

Please join the **Evening Bible study** for an 8-week session. **Tuesdays, starting January 9th at 7:00 PM.**
Books are \$35. Call the Faith Formation office at 281-479-8832 to register.



CONFIRMATION

CONFIRMATION II CLASS
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH IN GUYOT HALL



Coats for Kids

presented by Knights of Columbus
Council 10574

Drop your coat donation in the collection box in the Narthex.

Collecting donations now through January 14, 2024
New or gently used coats & jackets, please.

This year the Angel Tree Committee can ONLY accept gift cards.

We are asking for \$25 gift cards to Target, Wal-Mart and Marshalls

Just drop the gift cards in the collection baskets.

We will be collecting these donations through December 3, 2023.

GIFT CARDS ONLY, NO CASH!

Be an Angel to someone in need and donate!

St. Hyacinth Catholic Daughters Court 2361 Poinsettia Fundraiser

Order your fresh Red or White 6.5" Poinsettia with Gold Foil - \$20 each
Pre-order Deadline November 13, 2023

Email christi.haas@yahoo.com
to request an order form.

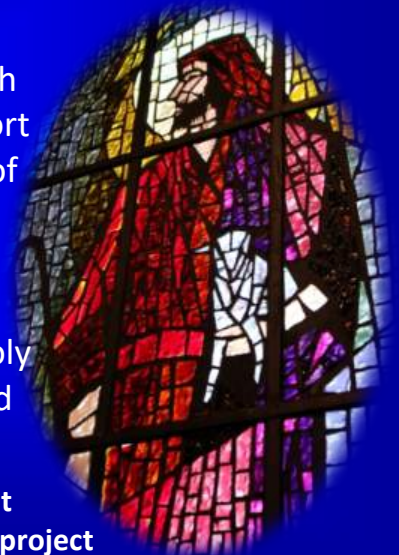
Parish Life

Stained Glass Renovation Project to Protect and Secure

In celebration of our 58th Parish Anniversary, for this year's 2023-2024 parish project we are asking the community of St Hyacinth to come together and provide support for the renovation and restoration of the stained glass windows of the Church.

We hope to raise \$75,000 for the renovation and restoration of our Holy Spirit and Christ the Good Shepherd

You can donate on line on our website at
<https://sthyacinth.org/stain-glass-renovation-project>



Archdiocesan Happenings



SERRA CLUB OF THE BAY AREA Annual Wreaths and More Sale

Order your fresh evergreen products **ONLINE ONLY** at GiftItForward.com

User ID: SERRATX001

Proceeds benefit our Serra Club.



In Memoria Sacred Music Concert

Sunday, November 19, Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart (1111 St. Joseph Parkway, Houston, TX 77002). Concert starts at 3 p.m. Doors open at 2:30 p.m. \$25 per person (discounts for seniors and students). Tickets are sold at the door. For more information, go to:

[Home - Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston \(archgh.org\)](http://Home-Archdiocese-of-Galveston-Houston.archgh.org)

Texas Catholic Herald

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

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Office of Vocations – Upcoming Events

Fall 2023 Opportunities:

Houston Archdiocesan Myriam Dinner – Friday, November 17 An evening for high school girls with religious sisters and consecrated women at Incarnate Word Convent, Houston.

Discovering God's Voice – Silent Retreat Sunday, November 5 at St. Mary's Seminary. Learn about the St. Ignatius Rules of Discernment with the opportunity for spiritual direction.

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For more information, contact the Office of Aging at 713-741-8712; visit their webpage at

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