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May

Month of Mary,

Our Blessed Mother

May 7, 2023
Fifth Sunday of Easter

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Rev. Mr. James Anthony Bello
Rev. Mr. Luis Torres
Rev. Mr. Valentin Acabeo

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BULLETIN

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY MASS IN THE CHURCH
SANTA MISA EN LA IGLESIA, SABADO
5:00pm (Vigil), 7:15pm (Spanish)

SUNDAY MASS IN THE CHURCH
SANTA MISA EN LA IGLESIA, DOMINGO
8:30am; 10:30am (Spanish); 12:30pm

DAILY MASS / MISA DIARIA
Monday - Saturday/ *Lunes - Sabado*
8am (English); 7:15pm (Spanish)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA
Monday - Friday/*Lunes - Viernes*
12pm - 7pm

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/
SACRAMENTO DE LA RECONCILIACIÓN

Saturdays in the Church
Sábados en la Iglesia
4:00pm - 5:00pm
Sundays Before Holy Mass
Domingos Antes de la Misa

Confessions are heard anytime upon request in the Rectory.

Confesiones a petición a cualquier hora en la Rectoría.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM/
SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO

Saturdays and Sundays, schedule varies monthly
Parents must attend Baptismal Class First Tuesday of the month (English)

Sábados y domingos, horario varía mensualmente.
Los padres y deben asistir a la clase bautismal el segundo martes del mes (en español)

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO

Couples contemplating marriage should contact the rectory six months in advance.

Parejas contemplando matrimonio deben comunicarse en la rectoría con seis meses de anticipación.

MASS INTENTIONS
INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

First Saturday - May 6, 2023
8:00a † Perpetual Mass
5:00p † Irma Montecel
7:15p Saturday Mass Intentions

Sunday - May 7, 2023
8:30a † Frank Gonzalez
10:30a Pro Populo
12:30p † Jessica Roman

Monday - May 8, 2023
8:00a Geriann Cappaso (Living)
7:15p † Andrew Jesus Guzman

Tuesday - May 9, 2023
8:00a Julianna Cappaso (Living)
7:15p Cursillo Intentions

Wednesday - May 10, 2023
8:00a † Iris Vega Concepcion
7:15p † Domingo Cepeda Taveras

Thursday - May 11, 2023
8:00a Fatima Rosary Society
7:15p Angel Sanchez

Friday - May 12, 2023
8:00a † Petra & Felicita Pontoja
7:15p † Aurea Claussell

Saturday - May 13, 2023
8:00a † Petra & Alejandro Pontoja
5:00p † Juanita Santiago
7:15p Saturday Mass Intentions

Sunday - May 14, 2023
8:30a Pro Populo
10:30a † Cruz Felix Medina
† Casta Rivera
† Iluminada Marrengo
† Providencia Perez
12:30p † Josefa Mateo

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IN ZION

Praise and Worship, Testimony, Preaching, Conversion, and Healing in the Power and Presence of Jesus

7 FRIDAYS
EASTER to PENTECOST
Friday 7:15 pm thru
Saturday 8:00 am

JESÚS
IN SION

Alabanza y adoración, testimonio, predicación, conversión y sanación en el Poder y la Presencia de Jesús

LOS 7 VIERNES
PASCUA a PENTECOSTÉS
Viernes 7:15 p.m. hasta
Sábado 8:00 a.m.

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WEDDING BANNS/ ANNUNCIOS MATRIMONIALES

FIRST NOTICE

EMILIO SALINAS & BLANCA PATRICIA GARCIA (SALINAS)

THIRD NOTICE

WASHINGTON OROZCO & MARIA TERESA FUENTES

TITHING REPORT

April 30, 2023

At the time of publication, this amount was not available. Please look in this section next week for current update. Thank you for your generosity to your parish.

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READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 14:5-18; Sal 113b:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
Martes: Hch 14:19-28; Sal 144:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31
Miercoles: Hch 15:1-6; Sal 121:1-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Jn 15:1-8
Jueves: Hch 15:7-21; Sal 95:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Viernes: Hch 15:22-31; Sal 56:8-9, 10-12; Jn 15:12-17
Sabado: Hch 16:1-10; Sal 99:2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Domingo: Hch 8:5-8, 14-17; Sal 65:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a, 16, 20; 1 Pe 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 7, 2023

"SIT SOMEWHERE ELSE" SUNDAY!

We hope you enjoyed sitting somewhere else in the Church this Sunday and that it allowed you to meet parishioners you hadn't met before and, perhaps, make a few new friends. Studies have shown that the more relationships a person has in a particular church, the less likely he or she is to leave that Church. The friendships we share with fellow parishioners can be among the most powerful and lasting - because they come from the Lord and help us grow toward Him.

REMEMBERING OUR MOMS

For nine consecutive days, the Mass intention for one Mass each day will be for all of the Moms (living and deceased) who will be enrolled in the Mothers Day Novena. Envelopes are available in the back of the church as well as in the envelope packets that are mailed to us to enroll our Moms.

BABY BOTTLE FUND DRIVE

With your continued support, Holy Cross Parish will help **Expectant Mother Care** provide pro-life counseling, ultrasounds and prenatal care to girls and women who otherwise might choose abortion. Expectant Mother Care Frontline Pregnancy Centers have helped more than 40,000 women choose life for over 36 years. Empty baby bottles will be available after **Masses on Saturday, May 13th and Sunday, May 14th** and will be collected on Father's Day, June 18th. Thank you for your generosity.

GOLDEN WEDDING JUBILEE MASS

Couples celebrating their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2023 are invited to attend the **Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at St. Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, June 4 at 2:30 PM.** Each couple may bring up to four (4) additional guests. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish to register. The closing date to register for the Mass is Monday, May 15, 2023 at 5:00 PM

DAUGHTERS OF MARY

The Association of the Daughters of Mary seeks to encourage and strengthen in girls and young ladies a strong devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Association seeks to encourage the virtues of humility and purity in our members. Through prayer, retreats, masses, religious activities and apostolic work, it seeks to establish a means to reach Jesus through Mary's guidance, teaching, and intercession. We will encourage other youth to learn about Jesus and Mary and to practice our Catholic Christian faith. We meet every First Sunday of the month in the 10:30am mass from September -June, girls ages 7-18.

WITH GRATITUDE FOR OUR SACRISTAN

Ms. Cynthia Maria Douglas has worked for many years in many different capacities for Holy Cross Church. Our parishioners know her tireless, selfless service most recently as our Head Sacristan. Though she will continue to volunteer once a week for our busy Saturday sacristy duties, Cynthia Maria is stepping down from the Monday through Friday responsibilities. Holy Cross wishes to express our deepest gratitude for Cynthia Maria's faithful and faith-filled service to our parish. Godspeed, dear Cynthia!

Quinto Domingo de Pascua
7 de mayo, 2023

¡DOMINGO DE SENTARSE EN OTRO BANCO!

Esperamos que usted haya disfrutado sentarse en otro lugar de la Iglesia este domingo y que le haya permitido conocer a feligreses que no conocia antes y, tal vez, hacer nuevos amigos. Los estudios han demostrado que cuantas mas relaciones tenga una persona en una iglesia lo menos sea probable que uno deje de asistir la Iglesia. Las amistades que compartimos con otros feligreses pueden ser de las mas poderosas y duraderas, porque vienen del Señor y nos ayudan a crecer hacia Él.

NOVENA DE MISAS PARA NUESTRAS MADRES

Durante nueve días consecutivos, la intención de la Misa de una Misa cada día será por todas las Madres (vivas y fallecidas) que se inscribirán en la Novena del Día de la Madre. Los sobres están disponibles en la parte posterior del templo, (También en los sobres que se envían por correo a casa) para inscribir a nuestras madres.

COLECTA DE FONDOS CON BIBERONES

Con su apoyo continuo, la Parroquia de Holy Cross ayudará a estos centros a brindar asesoramiento pro-vida, ecografías y atención prenatal a niñas y mujeres que, de otro modo, elegirían el aborto. **"Expectant Mother Care"** (Los Centros de Embarazo de Primera Línea de Atención de Madres Embarazadas) han ayudado a más de 40,000 mujeres a elegir la vida durante más de 36 años. Los biberones vacíos estarán disponibles después de las **Misas el sábado 13 y el domingo 14 de mayo**, y se recogerán el día del padre, 18 de junio. Gracias por tu generosidad.

MISA DEL JUBILEO DE BODAS DORADAS

Las parejas que celebran su 50 aniversario de bodas en cualquier momento durante 2023 están invitadas a asistir a la **Misa del Jubileo de Bodas Doradas con el Cardenal Dolan en la Catedral de San Patricio el domingo 4 de junio a las 2:30 p.m.** Cada pareja puede traer hasta cuatro (4) invitados adicionales. Se requiere preinscripción. Comuníquese con su parroquia para registrarse. La fecha límite para registrarse para la misa es el lunes 15 de mayo.

LAS HIJAS DE MARÍA

La Asociación de las Hijas de María busca fomentar y fortalecer en las niñas y señoritas una fuerte devoción a la Santísima Virgen María. La Asociación buscamos promover las virtudes de humildad y pureza en nuestros miembros. A través de la oración, retiros, misas, actividades religiosas y trabajo apostólico, busca establecer un medio para llegar a Jesús a través de la guía, la enseñanza y la intercesión de María. Animaremos a otros jóvenes a aprender acerca de Jesús y María y a practicar nuestra fe cristiana católica. Nos reunimos todos los primeros domingos de mes en la misa de 10:30 a.m., Septiembre a Junio, edades 7-18.

CON AGRADECIMIENTO PARA NUESTRA SACRISTANA

Cynthia Maria Douglas ha trabajado durante muchos años en diferentes capacidades para la Iglesia de Holy Cross. Nuestros feligreses conocen su servicio incansable y desinteresado más recientemente como nuestra sacristana principal. Aunque continuará siendo voluntaria una vez por semana para las tareas de sacristía de los sábados, Cynthia Maria dejará sus responsabilidades de lunes a viernes. Holy Cross desea expresar nuestra más profunda gratitud por el servicio fiel y lleno de fe de Cynthia Maria a nuestra parroquia. ¡Bendiciones, querida Cynthia!

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