



**April 22, 2018**

# Welcome to Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus, Friends of Jesus Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

**Pastor:** Rev. Msgr. Chester L. Borski, S.T.L.  
**Parochial Vicar:** Rev. Richard McNeillie  
**Parochial Vicar:** Rev. Michael Pham  
**Deacons:** Mr. Tony Cardella, Mr. Bob MacFarlane,  
Mr. Al O'Brien, Mr. Guy T. Puglia, Mr. John  
Schuster, and Mr. Gary Yepsen

*Baptized into Christ Jesus, we worship as one and reach out to all.*

**Parish Office hours:**

9 AM - 4 PM  
Monday-Friday

**Liturgy & Sacraments**

**Weekend Masses**

First Saturday (Pro-Life Mass): ....  
..... 8:30 AM  
Saturday Vigil: ..... 5:30 PM  
Sunday: ..... 7 AM, 9 AM, & 11 AM  
En Español ..... 1 PM  
Life Teen: ..... 5:30 PM  
*Nursery at 9 AM, 11 AM &  
1 PM Spanish Mass*

**Weekday Masses**

Monday: ..... 8:30 AM  
Tuesday: ..... 8:30 AM & 7 PM  
Wednesday: ..... 8:30 AM & 10 AM  
Thursday: ..... 6:30 AM & 8:30 AM  
Friday: ..... 8:30 AM

**Sacrament of Penance**

Tuesday:  
Church 6:15 - 7 PM  
Saturday:  
Church 10 AM - 12 PM  
Church 4:30-5:20 PM

**Perpetual Adoration**

Adoration Chapel 24 hrs.

**Anointing of the Sick**

Please call for a priest if you are seriously ill at home, about to enter the hospital, or if someone is close to death.

**Baptism**

Classes and Ceremony: Call the Parish Office to register

**Marriage**

Preparation at least six months before the wedding. Register to attend an information meeting by calling 281-358-6637.

**Funerals**

Call the Parish Office for more information, 281-358-6637.

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF

*Easter*

APRIL 22, 2018

I am the good shepherd,  
and I know mine and mine know me,  
just as the Father knows me and I know the Father;  
and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:14-15

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18
- Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10
- Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
- Wednesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20
- Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20
- Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
- Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
- Sunday: Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-28, 30-32; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### Mon./Apr. 23

8:30 AM †Aaron Anderson

#### Tues./Apr. 24

8:30 AM †Veneranda Ordonez

7 PM †Kenneth Guth+

#### Wed./Apr. 25

##### School Mass 8:30 AM

8:30 AM †Walter Hopkins

†Herman & Leona Berken

10 AM †Virginia Gaffney

†Rumaldo Liguay

#### Thurs./Apr. 26

6:30 AM The Stromme Family

8:30 AM †Mary Gard

†John Smith

#### Fri./Apr. 27

8:30 AM †Joseph Cannon

†Katherine Spensieri

†Claudette Tircuit

#### Sat./Apr. 28

5:30 PM †Rosa Maria Rocha

†Joseph Aloisio

†Bob Landvogt

#### Sun./Apr. 29

9 AM †Jesus Guzmán

†Byron Bertrand

†Robert W. McCabe

11 AM †Irene & Joseph Czackorowski

†Mary Callahan

1 PM †Dilce de Peralta

†Griselda Castillo

†Joseph Rodriguez

5:30 PM For the Parish



## LET'S PRAY TOGETHER IN REAL-TIME VIA FACEBOOK LIVE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

SUNDAY APRIL 22, 2018  
3PM - 3:30PM

Join us via Facebook live as we pray for a generous response to God's call on World Day of Prayer for Vocations at 3pm.

Like  our page at

[facebook.com/houstonvocations](https://www.facebook.com/houstonvocations)



**HOUSTON VOCATIONS**  
ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON

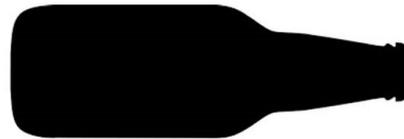


**SAVE THE DATE!!!!**

**FOOD FAIR AT ST. MARTHA'S**

**May 23, 11 AM—1 PM**

**4301 Woodridge Pkwy.**



**COME AND TASTE IT.**

🍷 **APRIL 28, 2018 7 - 10 PM** 🍷

**Saint Martha's FLC** -3702 Woodland Hills Drive, Kingwood, TX 77339

Come out for an evening of fun, food, and BEER with the Knights of Columbus as we raise funds for worthy local charities. Our Arts and Crafts Committee has chosen six local beers, each crafted with a food pairing to highlight the flavor of each beer. Each ticket will also include entry for door prizes, games, and commemorative pint glass filled with your choice of our beer selections!

**TICKETS: \$35** - Available online at: [www.kofcbeerfest.com](http://www.kofcbeerfest.com)

**100% OF NET PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT LOCAL CHARITIES**

## From the Pastor

### To the parish family of St. Martha,

Throughout the universal Church the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter has become known as **Good Shepherd Sunday**. The Scripture readings provide us with a powerful insight into the gift of salvation in Christ Jesus and also into the persons we are called to become because of this tremendous gift. In the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles St. Peter proclaims that “there is no salvation through anyone else.” We are reminded that our salvation was purchased at a great price --- through the horrific crucifixion of God’s only Son. However, God has raised Him from the dead and the rejected One has become the foundation of our faith and of our lives. The reading from the 1<sup>st</sup> Letter of St. John highlights our identity and mission because of this gift: “See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. Yet so we are!” The profound effect of the gift of salvation is beautifully summarized in the striking image in the Gospel account from St. John: “Jesus said, ‘I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.’” Quite appropriately the Church asks us to pray for the servant leaders that we currently have and for those we will need in the future to serve the flock of Christ.

As pastor I want to thank all of you for your wonderful support of us priests and our seminarians throughout the time I have served as pastor of St. Martha. About a month ago I hosted a festive meal at the rectory for many of the priests who have served at our parish as well as the priests who serve in the neighboring parishes. We did this on Holy Thursday and it was a great opportunity to celebrate the gift of the priesthood. A number of parishioners volunteered to cook the meal and help serve the food. Everyone commented on the importance of pausing to celebrate our sharing in the priesthood of Jesus Christ and recognizing the support we priests receive from our parish communities. It remains our responsibility as a parish family to pray daily for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. We have been blessed in recent years to witness several of our “native sons” be ordained to serve the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston as parish priests and choosing to model their lives after Jesus the Good Shepherd. I know that there are several others who are prayerfully discerning God’s call in their lives at this time. Please know that your prayers and encouragement may be what is needed for them to say “Yes” to the Lord.

**Fr. Chester Borski**



## In Our Prayers

**Please remember the recently deceased and their families in your prayers:**

Raymond H. Oviyach  
Gerardo Asiel Martinez  
Zandra Gurney  
Miriam “Yum” Catharine Mansfield  
Pannuda Sermpol  
Elizabeth “Betty” Huber

**Please remember the sick and their families in your prayers:**

Elizabeth Modenbach, Judy Miles, Noreen Stack, Josie Perez, Mary Silvers, Jo White, Maria Coronado, Millie Smaardyk, Larry Auman, Lynette Smith, Peggy O’Brien, Shannon Bosco, Mary Lou Sepulveda, Lisa Ferguson, Carlos Rodriguez, Efrén Martinez, Brodie Nikolai, Paula Seams, Victor Hugo Carbajal, Penny Gaido, Cornelio S. J. Obordo, Dennis R. Barker Jr., Denise McLeod, Dorothy Parker, Deacon John Schuster, Grant McTaggart, Richard Kuehler, Martha Busch, Joan Evans, Marie Hubbard, Rick Frantz, Lupe Renteria, Bruce Ward, Mark Phillips, Rod Schoelner, Aida Palmeri, Jason Whitcomb, Natalie Kapnick, Natacha Cooke Ramos, Ed Vergara, Jayne Haydel, Presley Roberts, Jack Mills, Clyde Francis, Sr. Maria Elena Lopez, Mindy Burns, Jean Craig, Corbin Owens, Jennifer and James Owens, Waldon Landry, Cathy Silk, India Geohegan, Rowan Mae Sullivan, Rev. Scott Dornbush, Jon Hegna, Barbara Bourgeois, Bernadette De Ocampo, Patrick Hosey, Michael Hosey, Brian Lyons, Geoffrey McEwan, David E. Smith, Mike Zotter, Stephanie Hyatt, Laura Trujillo, Grace Vinco, Susan De Ocampo, Sherry Ogata, Tyara Hall, Joey Tortorice, Hugo Sanchez, Jed Rose, Faith Ferreri, Keith Matthews, Catherine Casey, Susan Soderquist, Ella Mae Fontenot, Muriel Wyble, Leland Bourque, Pearl Guidry, Lee Bourque, Therese Oviyach, Deborah Lee, Rory Lindquist, Ernest Loera, Oscar Velasco

**Communion to the Sick:** If you or a loved one are in Kingwood Hospital or are homebound and would like a Communion Minister to visit, call the church office at 281-358-6637 to let us know.

**Military Wreath:** Please pray for our active military as seen on the wreath in the Narthex. To add a loved contact Jodi at 281-358-6637, ext. 201, or [jodis@stmartha.com](mailto:jodis@stmartha.com).

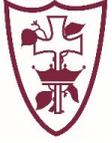
### ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS FOOD DRIVE NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend, April 28 & 29, we will be collecting donations of non-perishable food and personal care items. Donations will benefit St. John of the Cross Food Pantry in New Caney. Thank you for your continued generosity by contributing non-perishable grocery items to help those in need. *(Please place your Food Donation in the Rotunda before Mass. There will be a sign in the Narthex directing everyone to the Rotunda and a sign in the Rotunda showing where to place the food.)*



## Adult Organizations and Opportunities

St. Martha  
Catholic School



### St. Martha Catholic School Local Advisory Board Discernment

Each year we conduct a prayerful discernment process to select new members to serve on our parish School Advisory Board. This is a wonderful opportunity to exercise your stewardship gift of talent. The term of service is three years.

The date for the discernment process for persons considering a position on the St. Martha Catholic School Advisory Board is Tuesday, May 15, 6—8 PM in the Library of the school. Please contact the principal, Mrs. Munscher, at the school office at 281-358-5523 or by email at [munscherj@stmarthacs.org](mailto:munscherj@stmarthacs.org) by Monday, May 7 to have your name added to the list of interested candidates and receive additional information.

Registered parishioners in full communion with the Catholic Church are eligible to serve on our advisory board. If you have questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Jessica Munscher.



**YAS + M**  
**Young Adults of St. Martha**

[youngadults@stmartha.com](mailto:youngadults@stmartha.com)

PRAYER · SERVICE · FELLOWSHIP · FRIENDS · SPORTS · SPIRITUALITY

We are a group of young adults ages 18 to 35ish, both Kingwood natives and recent transplants, who share fellowship, prayer, meals, and laughs. We run a variety of events including bible studies, service events, potlucks and social outings. It is a great way to advance your spiritual life, make new friends and become part of a community. Here are some of our upcoming events:

- ◆ **Bible Study:** We host a bible study every Monday night at 7 PM in the church. It is a relaxed atmosphere. All are welcome to attend, it does not matter where you are at in your spiritual journey!
- ◆ **Camping:** We are planning on doing a late spring/early summer camping trip, as well as a fall camping trip. Please check back for more details!

Please subscribe to our email list via [Flocknotenew.flocknote.com/stmartha/YASStMYoungAdults/](http://Flocknotenew.flocknote.com/stmartha/YASStMYoungAdults/) or visit [www.facebook.com/groups/YASStM/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/YASStM/) to stay informed of upcoming events.

For questions about any events, please email [youngadults@stmartha.com](mailto:youngadults@stmartha.com).



### *Hurting?* *Healing after Abortion—* **PROJECT RACHEL**

Project Rachel is the confidential and compassionate outreach to women who have had an abortion or been involved in an abortion. Its purpose is to foster reconciliation and healing between the parent and Christ, His Church, the child, and all other significant relationships.

Questions? Call 713-741-8728.

*Check us out!* Join **NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES**, a ministry for singles ages 40 and older, on Wednesday, April 25, to talk/eat/drink at 7 PM at Pei Wei, 702 Kingwood Drive in Kingwood. For more info, contact Elizabeth Schields (281-441-2552 or [elizabeths2@peoplepc.com](mailto:elizabeths2@peoplepc.com)) or Peggy Broyles (281-359-4560 or [peggybmom4@gmail.com](mailto:peggybmom4@gmail.com)) or subscribe to us on Flocknote at St. Martha's or St. Mary Magdalene's website.

### YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON -

### "Spring Fling"

Young at Heart-ers - Spring has sprung, the flowers are blooming, and the birds are singing. Let the Spring season lift you up and join your friends on Wednesday, April 25 at St. Martha's Family Life Center for a "Spring Fling". Bingo begins at 11 AM, followed by lunch and fellowship that ends at 2 PM. If you are new to our community or have never been, try us out. Bring a friend and join the fun! We meet on the second, fourth and fifth Wednesday of each month for fellowship, bingo and lunch. If transportation is needed, contact Domenica Seitz at 713-899-1016. If you have any questions, please call Nancy Karpinski, 713-594-4430.



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### ST. MARTHA'S TEXAS TOURS

◆ **Yellowstone Paddlewheeler  
Tour—90 Minute Scenic  
San Bernard River Ride with  
a Docent**

**Tuesday, June 12, 8 AM - 5 PM**

◆ **Hemi Hideout & Brookwood  
Community Tour – Brookshire, TX  
“Tour a Texas-size Man Cave &  
60s & 70s Car Museum”**

**Tuesday, Aug. 14, 8 AM - 5:30 PM**

*Benefitting St. Martha's Catholic  
Church*

Bus Transportation provided by  
Harris County Precinct 4 –

**All passengers must be 50 years of  
age or older!**

**Cost of each Tour: \$35\***

**Limited number of seats!**

The tour bus will depart from Build-  
ing 3 on the St. Martha Faith For-  
mation Campus at 8 AM.

\*Please note that meals are not in-  
cluded in the tour price.

Please register and pay for the tours  
at the Parish office between 9 AM—  
4 PM, Monday-Friday. For more in-  
formation, please contact Annunciata  
Hopkins at 281-360-1258 or 713-665-  
9583.

### PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY – LEVEL 2

Ministry to the sick at home,  
in nursing homes, and in hospitals

**Location:** Here at St. Martha

**Time:** 7–9:30 PM Monday evenings

**Dates:** 12 weeks from Aug. 20 to  
Nov. 12

**Cost:** \$150 per person

Application and interview by the  
Chaplain Corp for admittance.

Pick up application form at kiosk in  
the Narthex.

For more information, contact  
Sheila Yepsen at 281-782-4078

### Catholic Chaplain Corps



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF  
GALVESTON-HOUSTON

St. Martha's 2<sup>nd</sup> Family Ministry consists of a group of volunteers who provide personal presence and assistance to make life better for the weak and vulnerable and for those who serve them.

Through simple acts of kindness, team members enable care “partners” to retain their independence and self-esteem while offering primary caregivers respite from the demands of caring for a loved one. If you or someone you know could benefit from 2<sup>nd</sup> Family Ministry, please contact Sharon Voorhes at [StMartha2ndfamily@gmail.com](mailto:StMartha2ndfamily@gmail.com).

**This ministry is also looking for additional  
volunteers.**



*Martha's Quilters makes and gives blessed af-  
ghans and quilts to parishioners who are sick or un-  
dergoing surgery. Please help us find our parishion-  
ers who need this comfort and our prayers.*

*Call or text Helaine Parks at 713-824-7730 or  
email Sally Wasserman at [salmwass@aol.com](mailto:salmwass@aol.com)*

### LIFE AFTER LOSS

St. Martha's grief program, Life After Loss, will begin a new support session beginning Wednesday, May 2 through Wednesday, June 27. The group will meet on the Woodland Hills campus in Room 2. Meeting time is 10 AM—12 PM. Everyone is welcome to join us. Please call 281-360-2714, or e-mail [lauriecardella@outlook.com](mailto:lauriecardella@outlook.com) to register, or for more information.

### Pro-Life Prayer Opportunities—

Would you like to meet with other St. Martha parishioners to pray for an end to abortion and to offer real support to the young women in the Houston area struggling with an unplanned pregnancy? Please join us!

**Daily:** After each 8:30 Mass, meet at the back of the sanctuary for a Pro-Life rosary in front of the Blessed Virgin Mary statue.

**Weekly:** After the Thursday rosary, carpool for a light breakfast locally, then for an hour of prayer outside the Planned Parenthood in downtown Houston. Questions? Please call Joseph Winslow: 832-412-8765.

### For Survivors of Abuse—Maria Goretti Network (MGN)

A peer to peer self help support group for women and men focusing on healing and forgiveness. For information on monthly meetings e-mail: [stmarthamgn@gmail.com](mailto:stmarthamgn@gmail.com) or call 713-775-9213.



### St. Martha Rosary Guild

Enjoy an afternoon of fun, fellowship and making rosaries. We can teach you how to make a rosary and you can make rosaries at our regular meetings or/and you make them at home.

*April 2018 Meetings at St Martha Woodland Hill Campus, Room 2:  
Second Sunday, 1-3 PM and fourth Wednesday, 11:30 AM-3 PM*

Please contact Gilda Womack, at 281-989-4241 or [gawomack@hotmail.com](mailto:gawomack@hotmail.com) for more information, membership, rosary supplies, and rosary requests.



## Adult Opportunities

### Ministry Handbook Advertising Opportunity

We are in the process of updating our annual Ministry Handbook for the church. This book will contain everything pertinent to our church: the various ministries, organizations, committees, activities, functions. This book is being provided and direct-mailed to each family at no cost to our church, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please contact Jodi at 281-358-6637, ext. 201 or e-mail [jodis@stmartha.com](mailto:jodis@stmartha.com).



### Together in Holiness Marriage Conference

Saturday, May 5, 8:30AM - 3:30PM

Two Locations: St. Laurence in Sugar Land, and St. Anthony of Padua in The Woodlands

The St. John Paul II Foundation presents the fourth annual *Together in Holiness* conference, in collaboration with the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. This one-day event includes dynamic presentations, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Featured speakers are Father Mitch Pacwa S.J. and Patty Schneier, and a third session will feature local leaders in a panel discussion on parenting and virtue for men and for women. On-site childcare is available (two-12yrs), **pre-registration required**. Cost: \$59/couple or \$35/individual. Scholarships are also available. For more information, please visit: [togetherinholiness.org](http://togetherinholiness.org) or email Houston conference coordinators at [th@forlifeandfamily.org](mailto:th@forlifeandfamily.org).

### Home Missions Appeal—

Right here in the United States, some dioceses are unable to provide fundamental pastoral care for their faithful. These “home mission” dioceses cannot support an adequate number of priests. They cannot afford funding for youth ministry programs or religious education. This weekend we take up a collection for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Help strengthen the Church at home with a generous donation.

## Vocations Corner

### CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS:

Please join the **BERKOVSKY FAMILY** in prayer this week as they host the Chalice and pray for Vocations. Interested? Please contact Karen Ehlig at 281-361-7127 or by e-mail at [karenehlig@gmail.com](mailto:karenehlig@gmail.com) to schedule a week.



### PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

**OPEN HOURS:** SATURDAY 1-2 AM, 7-8 PM WEDNESDAY 4-5 PM

**SECOND ADORERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING HOURS:**

Monday: 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 5-6 AM

Tuesday: 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, MIDNIGHT -1 AM

Wednesday: 2-3 AM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 11 PM - MIDNIGHT

Thursday: 12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 6-7 AM, 8-9 AM, 1-2 PM, 4-5 PM

Friday: 2-3 AM, 6-7 AM, 4-5 PM, 12 - 1 PM, 10-11 PM

Saturday AM: 1-2 AM, 5-6 AM, 9-10 AM, 10-11 AM, 11AM – NOON

Saturday PM: 2-3 PM, 3-4 PM, 4-5 PM, 7-8 PM, 9-10 PM, 10-11PM

Sunday: 1-2 AM, 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, 10-11AM, 2-3 PM

If you are interested in participating in this ministry or would like more information, please contact: Carmen Ogando at 832-767-8826 or at [carmenogando@yahoo.com](mailto:carmenogando@yahoo.com).

If you need a substitute, please call your division leaders: Robyn Laumbach for Midnight to 6AM (713-851-8768)

Karen Ehlig for 6AM to Noon (281-361-7127)

Annunciata Hopkins for Noon to 6PM (281-360-1258)

Beth Beckham for 6PM to Midnight (281-435-1439)



### Serra Club Northeast of Houston Invites You To Their Monthly Dinner and Meeting

Monday, April 23

6:30 PM Social, 7 to 8:30 PM Dinner and Program

Italiano's Restaurant

217 FM 1960 at Bypass Road East in Humble, Texas

The cost for dinner is \$15 per person

Membership is open to all Catholics

### Our guest speaker for April will be:

Fr. Jude Edenedilchukwu Ezuma.

Fr. Jude was born in Lagos Nigeria and ordained as a priest for the Archdiocese of Galveston Houston on June 4, 2011. He is currently assigned as the Pastor of the Holy Family Parish of Galveston and Bolivar.

RSVP: Eileen Benvegna

[eileenbenvegna@yahoo.com](mailto:eileenbenvegna@yahoo.com) or (713) 826-4943

*Serra Clubs fosters and promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life; encourages and affirms vocations to the consecrated life and nurtures the spiritual growth and formation of its lay members.*



### Holy Hour of Adoration for Vocations Exposition & Benediction

- Second Tuesday: 7:30 - 8:30 PM
- Second Friday: 9 - 10 AM

*Sponsored by Serra Club Northeast of Houston*

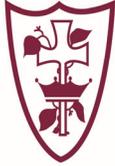
## Parenting and Youth

### ST. MARTHA SUNDAY NURSERY

**Sundays- 9 AM, 11 AM and 1 PM**

*Open every Sunday, with the exception of Thanksgiving weekend, Christmas, New Year's Day and Easter.*

St. Martha  
Catholic School



## St. Martha School

St. Martha Catholic School  
is **hiring** for the

2018-2019 school year!

Interested candidates

should visit [choosecatholicsschools.org](http://choosecatholicsschools.org)  
to apply online.



## MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION WEEK

**June 11-15, 2018**

**[12:45 – 4:45 pm]**

*A service experience for students entering 6th-8th grade [Fall 2018] filled with fellowship, faith, and fun!*

Students will serve in the Kingwood-Humble-Atascocita area  
and then come back together at St. Martha for time in  
fellowship and prayer with peers.

Registration now available ONLINE

<https://membership.faithdirect.net/events/details/1500>

Spots are limited to the **first FIFTY** students to sign up!

Lisa Hartsfield: [lisah@stmartha.com](mailto:lisah@stmartha.com)



**Catholic Daughters of the  
Americas  
Court St. Martha #2504  
2018 Annual Scholarship**

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas  
2018 annual scholarship will be awarded to a  
college-bound, service-oriented, high school  
senior at St. Martha's.

Applications are available at the Parish office.  
Application & requested documents must be deliv-  
ered or postmarked by Monday, April 30, 2018.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Council #12320



### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS



*Two scholarships will be awarded this year.  
All college bound or currently enrolled  
undergraduate college students are eligible  
One in the amount of \$1,500.00 and  
another in the amount of \$1,000.00.*

*Applications are available at the Parish office or  
on line from Marty Krupp - [martybk@gmail.com](mailto:martybk@gmail.com)*

*These documents must be delivered or  
postmarked by April 27, 2017*

### Calling moms of all ages! St Martha's Moms Group

Next meeting -

Tuesday, May 22, 6-9 PM in Room 3.

Be sure to join our Facebook group:

St. Martha's Moms (Kingwood, Tx)

Email Katie D'Windt for more information at  
[stmarthasmoms@gmail.com](mailto:stmarthasmoms@gmail.com)

### Children's Adoration Hour Every Tuesday— 10 AM in the Chapel

Bring your children and grandchildren to a special hour  
with Christ. They will learn to offer prayer intentions,  
grow in their love for Christ, his mother Mary, and our  
Church and the Pope. We have time for silent prayer, a  
decade of the rosary, we talk about saints and reflect on  
gospel passages and sing songs. Parents and kids receive  
many graces from spending an hour a week with Christ.  
We hope you will come and see what it's all about. Contact  
Kristen Johnson at [Kristen\\_alley@yahoo.com](mailto:Kristen_alley@yahoo.com) or 281-713-2518  
if you have any questions.

## Vacation BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Available online and in  
the Faith Formation office

Check the St. Martha webpage for the links.  
For more information call 281 713-8969 or visit  
[stmartha.com](http://stmartha.com)



## Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops

THE PUBLIC POLICY VOICE OF THE CHURCH

### Parish Advisory on Texas Right to Life

The organization Texas Right to Life at times seeks volunteers from parishes and Catholic schools to participate in their efforts. We write to inform you of our concerns with Texas Right to Life and we urge parishes not to participate in their activities or allow the organization to use parish sites. ([Texas Right to Life](#) is not to be confused with [Texas Alliance for Life](#) or [Texans for Life Coalition](#), which are separate organizations and remain consistent with the bishops' positions.)

1. **Conflicts on pro-life reform.** Texas Right to Life often opposes the Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops and has implied that the bishops do not faithfully represent Church teaching. Part of the dispute is rooted in Texas Right to Life's rejection of incremental pro-life reforms, which bishops support following the guidance of St. John Paul II's *Evangelium Vitae*. An incremental reform is one which improves the current situation but does not reform the status quo as much as we might desire. It is "incrementally" better than the status quo. *Evangelium Vitae* states:

A particular problem of conscience can arise in cases where a legislative vote would be decisive for the passage of a more restrictive law, aimed at limiting the number of authorized abortions, in place of a more permissive law already passed or ready to be voted on... This [vote] does not in fact represent an illicit cooperation with an unjust law, but rather a legitimate and proper attempt to limit its evil aspects. (EV, 73)

2. **Conflicts on end-of-life reform.** The bishops have been compelled to publicly correct Texas Right to Life's misstatements on end-of-life care and advance directives, in which Texas Right to Life implied that the legislation the bishops were supporting allowed euthanasia and death panels rather than the reality

that the legislation reflected the long-standing Church teaching requiring a balance of patient autonomy and the physician conscience protection.

3. **Texas Right to Life's voter guide.** Finally, Texas Right to Life publishes a scorecard that purports to show which Texas legislators are pro-life. We believe this publication is not based on a fair analysis of a legislator's work, but rather upon whether the legislator has followed voting recommendations of Texas Right to Life. Unfortunately, a number of legislators who have consistently voted for pro-life and end of life legislation have been opposed by Texas Right to Life.

Catholics must continue to engage. This guidance should not be used to discourage pro-life ministry or advocacy in any way. To this end, we strongly recommend that Catholics volunteer at and contribute to their local:

- diocesan Respect Life office,
- Gabriel Project,
- Project Rachel,
- 40 Days for Life, and
- pregnancy resource centers, which can be found by visiting the Texas Pregnancy Care Network's [Find a Provider](#) page.

We encourage all Catholics to engage in pro-life legislative advocacy by engaging with the Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops, joining the [Texas Catholic Advocacy Network](#), and by supporting pro-life groups which engage in respectful legislative advocacy.

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## Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops

THE PUBLIC POLICY VOICE OF THE CHURCH

### Comunicado Parroquial sobre los Derechos a la vida de Texas

La organización Derecho por la vida de Texas, a veces busca voluntarios de las parroquias y escuelas católicas para participar en sus esfuerzos. Le escribimos para informarle de nuestras preocupaciones con la organización Derecho a la vida e instamos a las parroquias a NO participar en sus actividades o permitir que dicha organización utilice los sitios parroquiales. (***Derecho a la Vida NO*** se debe confundir con la organización de ***Alianza por la Vida de Texas*** o por la organización ***Tejanos por Life Coalition***. Estas organizaciones, *Alianza por la vida de Texas* y *Tejanos por Life Coalition*, son independientes y son coherente con las posiciones de los obispos católicos.)

1. **Los conflictos sobre la reforma pro-vida.** La organización Derecho a la vida de Texas a menudo se ha opuesto a la Conferencia de obispos Católicos de Texas y ha implicado que los obispos no representan fielmente la enseñanza de la Iglesia. Parte de la disputa tiene sus raíces en que dicha organización, Derecho a la Vida de Texas, ha rechazado las reformas incrementales pro-vida, que los obispos apoyan siguiendo la orientación del Evangelium Vitae de Juan Pablo II. Una reforma gradual es una que mejora la situación actual, pero no se reforma el status tanto como podríamos desear. Es “incremental” mejor que el statu quo. El Evangelium Vitae afirma:

Un problema particular de conciencia podría darse en los casos en que un voto legislativo sea decisivo para aprobar leyes con más restricciones, con el objetivo de limitar el número de abortos autorizados, en lugares donde la ley es más permisiva o están listos para votar en leyes ya aprobadas para votar. Este [voto] de hecho no se presta a una colaboración ilícita o a una ley injusta, sino más bien un intento legítimo y obligado de limitar sus aspectos malévolos. (EV, 73) 2.

2. **Los conflictos sobre la reforma de la eutanasia (end-of-life) fin de la vida.** Los obispos se han visto obligados a públicamente corregir a la organización Derechos por la Vida de Texas, sobre su opinión errónea sobre la posición de los obispos en relación al cuidado para las personas en sus últimos días de vida y en la directivas avanzadas, la cual Derecho por la Vida de Texas implicó que la legislación de los obispos estaban apoyando la eutanasia y la plataforma de muerte. Sin mencionar la verdadera posición de los obispos y la enseñanza de la Iglesia la cual, en realidad, es que dicha legislación refleje la siempre y larga posición de la Iglesia la cual requiere un equilibrio de la autonomía del paciente y la protección médico conciencia.

3. **Derecho a la vida y su guía al votante.** Por último, la asociación Derecho a la Vida ha publicado un cuadro de mandos que pretende mostrar que legisladores de Texas son pro-vida. Creemos que esta publicación no se basa en un análisis objetivo y justo de los trabajos y esfuerzos de los legisladores, sino más bien si el legislador ha seguido las recomendaciones de voto de la asociación Derecho a la Vida de Texas. Por desgracia, varios legisladores que han votado sistemáticamente pro-vida y las leyes de final de la vida han sido opuestos por Derechos a la Vida por Texas.

Los católicos deben de continuar su labor pro-vida. Esta guía no debe de interpretarse como un desaliento para los voluntarios pro-vida o los ministerios pro-vida. Con este fin, se recomienda encarecidamente que los católicos sean voluntarios en estos ministerios y a su vez apoyen los centros locales pro-vida.

- Oficina de Respeto a la Vida diocesana,
- Proyecto Gabriel, • Proyecto Raquel,
- 40 Días por la Vida, y
- Los centros de recursos para el embarazo, que se pueden encontrar visitando el el Centro de Cuidado de Embarazo en Texas Network. Favor de encontrar una página de los proveedores.

Queremos animar a todos los católicos a participar en la defensa legislativa pro-vida mediante la participación en la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de Texas, uniéndose a la Red de Defensa Católica de Texas, y mediante el apoyo a grupos pro-vida que se dedican a la defensa legislativa de una manera respetuosa.

*La Conferencia Católica de Obispos de Texas es una federación de todas las diócesis Católicas Romanas y ordinariatos ubicadas en el estado de Texas. Para obtener más información, por favor llame al 512-339-9882, visite nuestro sitio web [txcatholic.org](http://txcatholic.org), o por correo electrónico [jennifer@txcatholic.org](mailto:jennifer@txcatholic.org)*

## Ministerio Hispano

### A la familia parroquial de Santa Marta,

En toda la Iglesia universal, el 4º domingo de Pascua se conoce como el **Domingo del Buen Pastor**. Las lecturas de las Escrituras nos proporcionan una visión poderosa del don de la salvación en Cristo Jesús y también en las personas que estamos llamados a ser, debido a este tremendo don. En la primera lectura de los Hechos de los Apóstoles, San Pedro proclama que "no hay salvación por medio de nadie más". Se nos recuerda que nuestra salvación fue comprada a un gran precio, mediante la horrible crucifixión del único Hijo de Dios. Sin embargo, Dios lo ha resucitado de entre los muertos y el Uno rechazado se ha convertido en el fundamento de nuestra fe y de nuestras vidas. La lectura de la Primera Carta de San Juan resalta nuestra identidad y misión debido a este don: "Mira qué amor nos ha otorgado el Padre para que podamos ser llamados hijos de Dios. ¡Sin embargo, así somos!" "El efecto profundo del regalo de la salvación se resume hermosamente en la impactante imagen del relato evangélico de San Juan:" Jesús dijo: 'Yo soy el buen pastor. Un buen pastor da su vida por las ovejas' ". Muy apropiadamente, la Iglesia nos pide que oremos por los líderes siervos que tenemos actualmente y por aquellos que necesitaremos en el futuro para servir al rebaño de Cristo.

Como pastor, quiero agradecerles a todos ustedes por su maravilloso apoyo a nosotros, los sacerdotes y nuestros seminaristas, durante todo el tiempo que he servido como pastor de Santa Marta. Hace aproximadamente un mes organicé una comida festiva en la rectoría para muchos de los sacerdotes que han servido en nuestra parroquia, así como para los sacerdotes que sirven en las parroquias vecinas. Hicimos esto el Jueves Santo y fue una gran oportunidad para celebrar el don del sacerdocio. Varios feligreses se ofrecieron para cocinar y ayudar a servir la comida. Todos comentaron la importancia de hacer una pausa para celebrar nuestra participación en el sacerdocio de Jesucristo y reconocer el apoyo que recibimos de las comunidades parroquiales. Sigue siendo nuestra responsabilidad como familia parroquial orar diariamente por las vocaciones al sacerdocio y la vida religiosa. Hemos sido bendecidos en los últimos años al presenciar que varios de nuestros "hijos nativos" sean ordenados para servir a la Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston como párrocos y elegir modelar sus vidas después de Jesús, el Buen Pastor. Sé que hay muchos otros que están discerniendo en oración el llamado de Dios en sus vidas en este momento. Por favor, sepan que sus oraciones y aliento pueden ser lo que necesitan para decir "Sí" al Señor.

Fr. Chester Borski



### RETIRO DE HOMBRES DE ACTS

3 al 6 de Mayo, 2018

Las Inscripciones para el Retiro de ACTS en Español estarán abiertas a partir del 4 de Abril. Estaremos a sus órdenes los domingos en el Narthex después de la misa de Español.

El retiro de ACTS es una experiencia de 3 días y 3 noches que se enfocan en la Adoración, Comunidad, Teología y Servicio.

Para registrarse, hay que presentarse en el Narthex después de la misa en Español y dejar un depósito de \$50 al momento de llenar la solicitud. El costo completo del Retiro es de 190. Por favor no deje pasar esta oportunidad, si necesita ayuda con el costo del Retiro o para preguntas contactar a cualquiera de los directores del Retiro.

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Del 7 al 10 de junio de 2018

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## Ministerio Hispano

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Si usted está interesado en participar en este ministerio o desea obtener más información, porfavor contactar a : Carmen Ogando, 832-767-8826, [carmenogando@yahoo.com](mailto:carmenogando@yahoo.com) Coordinadora



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Somos una organización apostólica de laicos en la iglesia Católica, aprobada por los últimos tres Papas y endorsada por el Concilio Vaticano II.

Realizamos reuniones semanales en donde se reza el Santo Rosario, se asignan trabajos legionarios y se estudian temas informativos para hacer más eficaz el apostolado. Nuestros trabajos consisten en evangelizar y santificar hombres mediante visitas a: familias, cárceles, toques de puertas, llevando a la Virgen peregrina a los hogares, entre otras actividades recomendadas por la parroquia.

Les invitamos a que conozcan más y formen parte de este hermoso ministerio que se reúne todos los viernes a las 7PM. En el salón #2 de la antigua iglesia Sta. Martha en el 3702 Woodland Hills Dr. Para más información pueden contactar a estos números 281-728-9843 Verónica Reyes ó 859-250-3687 Mildred Garcia

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## FOR THE WEEKEND OF APRIL 14 & 15 YOUR GIFTS OF TREASURE RESULTED IN:

Weekly Budget	\$	76,735
Sunday Collection	\$	44,432
Faith Direct-Offertory	\$	76,351
Easter	\$	3,636
Over/(Under)	\$	47,684
<b>Year To Date:</b>		
Weekly Budget	\$	3,222,870
Sunday Collection	\$	3,188,951
Over/(Under)	\$	(33,919)
<b>Special collections:</b>		
Capital Campaign	\$	27,982
Martha's Kitchen	\$	7,228
Holy Land/Good Friday	\$	150
Catholic Home Missions	\$	1,255
<b>2018 DSF Goal</b>	\$	305,000
Payments to Date	\$	209,062

**Current Loan Debt:**

\$ 8,955,655