

SAINT FERDINAND & GOOD SHEPHERD
Catholic Churches
 Saint Mary Help of Christians Chapel & Cemetery



PARISH BULLETIN | November 2, 2025, The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

WEEKEND MASSES:

St. Ferdinand

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 7:00 p.m. (Español)
 Sunday: 11:00 a.m.

First full weekend of each month:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 11:00 a.m. (Bilingual Mass)

Good Shepherd

Sunday: 9 a.m.

For a complete weekday
 Mass Schedule and Mass Intentions,
 please see the next page

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
 (CONFESSION):**

St. Ferdinand

Wednesday: 7:15 a.m.-7:40 a.m. (Chapel)
 Saturday: 3:45 p.m.-4:40 p.m. (Church)

Good Shepherd

Thursday: 5:15 p.m.-5:40 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:15 a.m.-8:40 a.m.

(or by appointment)

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Friday
 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.

CHAPEL HOURS:

Monday: 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.
 Tuesday/Thursday/Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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Welcome Visitors & Guests

Thank you for celebrating the Mass with us. We are glad that you are here. If you have any questions about our parish or joining the Catholic faith, please contact the Church office. For information concerning reception of Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, Confirmation, Matrimony and Anointing of the Sick, contact the Church office. Parent interviews for Baptism need to be scheduled with the priest six weeks in advance. Marriage and Quinceañera arrangements need to be made with the priest at least nine months in advance. Holy Communion can be brought to the sick on request. If you know of anyone in need, please call the office. *Church Office: 830-833-5227.*



Due to unforeseen circumstances, when a mass is subject to cancelation, the mass intentions will be reset accordingly.

(For other Mass and Confession Times in the area, visit masstimes.org.)

Masses for November 1, 2025 – November 9, 2025

Saturday, November 1st (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Evelyn Wagenfehr Peper by John L. and Linda Dechert	5:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 1st (SF) <i>No 7pm Mass</i>	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 2nd (GS) (with incense) Parishioners of Good Shepherd and St. Ferdinand	9:00 a.m.
Sunday, November 2nd (SF) (with incense) Abundant Rainfall by John L. and Linda Dechert	11:00 a.m.
Sunday, November 2nd (St. Mary's) †Repose of the Soul of Donald Boumans by Debra DuPont	3:00 p.m.
Tuesday, November 4th (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Sister May Ann Sepulvado by Bill and Janie Cain	8:00 a.m.
Wednesday, November 5th (SF) Ladies of St. Anne's Altar Society	8:00 a.m.
Thursday, November 6th (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Lucille and Noe Rodriguez by Yolanda Davila	8:00 a.m.
Thursday, November 6th (GS) †Repose of the Soul of Fr. Brad Schoeberle	6:00 p.m.
Friday, November 7th (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Joe Zapata by Bill and Janie Cain	8:00 a.m.
Saturday, November 8th (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Sandi Immel by Bill and Janie Cain	5:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 8th (SF) †Repose of the Soul of Fr. Brad Schoeberle	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 9th (GS) Parishioners of Good Shepherd and St. Ferdinand	9:00 a.m.
Sunday, November 9th (SF) Parishioners of St. Ferdinand and Good Shepherd	11:00 a.m.

Masses at St. Mary Help of Christians Chapel, Twin Sisters

Sunday, November 2nd, 3:00 pm
Tuesday, February 17, 2026, 8:00 am
Saturday, May 23, 2026, 8:00 am

Cemetery Council: Miller Crawford, John Duran, Carole George, Gina McKinney, Sara Sweeney



We would like to welcome our new parishioners to
St. Ferdinand Church:
Tait and Emily Garrett



Please continue to pray for comfort and healing for the sick in our parish community. In addition, please ask the Lord for wisdom for their doctors and nurses, rest for their caregivers, and peace and strength for their family and friends.

Esperanza Amezcua
Chris Berryhill
Brady Burch
Lucia Carbary
Gloria C. Cardenas
Maribel Chapa
Paul Deringer
Roselle Fischler
Pete Garcia
Jim Gronke
Derek Haltom
Janice Hambright
Joe Hancock
Myles Harris
Tim Ivy
Charles Jennings
Randall Jones
Robbie Llanos
Jane Martin
Camila Martinez
Jonah Martinez
Juan Martinez
Segunda Martinez
Tim Nance
Coleman Nelson

Devin Newsome
Ruth Nieto
Lacy Peterson
Tim Polster
Charles Reinert
Sid Reinert
Brenda Robinette
Buddy Roessler
Lupe Ruvalcaba
Sandra Rodriguez
Josie Salazar
Darryl Seidel
Geneva Sepeda
Santiago Sepeda
Josh Strodbeck
Tracy Strube
Antonio Tapia
Olivia Tapia
Barbara Turley
Jacob Umanzor
Juan Vargas
Pedro Villegas
Aleigh Wessels
Daniel Zamora
Polo Zamora
Susie Zamora



We are proud of all those in our parish who are serving and protecting our country. Thank you and God bless all of you.

If you or someone you know needs prayer in a special way, please email: admin@stferdinandblanco.org. Unless you are an immediate family member, please obtain permission from the person whose name is being placed on the list prior to submission.



If you know of someone who is in need of **Anointing of the Sick** (Last Rites), call the parish office at 830-833-5227. If you are out of the area, find the closest Catholic Church and ask for a Priest. Asking the hospital chaplain's office is not recommended.



Communion for the Homebound

If you know of someone who is unable to get to Mass but would like to receive Communion, call the parish office at 830-833-5227. We will contact an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion who will bring Communion to the parishioner's home.



Weekend of October 26

Thank you for your generosity!

St. Ferdinand:

Regular Collection	\$5,803.50
Building Fund	\$250.00
World Mission Sunday	\$10,010.00

Good Shepherd:

Regular Collection	\$815.00
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The second collection today is for the Building Fund.

Calendar of Events
St. Ferdinand

Nov 1 – No 7pm Mass
 Nov 2 – 11am Bilingual Mass (with Incense), **No Pot Luck Meal this month**
 Nov 2 – Men’s Club Communal Rosary
 Nov 2 – All Souls’ Day Mass at St. Mary’s Cemetery at 3:00pm
 Nov 7 – First Friday Adoration, 8:30am to 6:00pm
 Nov 8-9 – Catholic Services Appeal
 Nov 23 – Christ the King Procession following the 11:00am Mass
 Nov 23 – Blanco Ministerial Alliance Turkey Dinner, 7:00pm
 Nov 27-28 – Parish Office Closed
 Nov 27 – Thanksgiving Mass, 8am in the Main Church
 Nov 28 – **No 8am Mass**

Calendar of Events
Good Shepherd

Nov 2 – All Souls’ Day Mass at St. Mary’s Cemetery at 3:00pm
 Nov 6 – First Thursday Adoration, 10:00am to 5:30pm
 Nov 8-9 – Catholic Services Appeal
 Nov 23 – Christ the King Procession following the 11:00am Mass at St. Ferdinand
 Nov 23 – JC Ministerial Alliance Thanksgiving Celebration, First Methodist Church, 7:00pm
 Nov 27-28 – Parish Office Closed
 Nov 27 – Thanksgiving Mass, 8am in the Main Church, St. Ferdinand

St. Ferdinand’s Men’s Club Monthly Communal Rosary Sunday, November 5th

The St. Ferdinand Men’s Club would like to invite all members of our parish to a communal reciting of the Holy Rosary **after the 11am Mass on Sunday, November 5th**. The Rosary will take place in the area between the Parish Hall and the Chapel. Our goal is to have enough families participating that each Hail Mary and Our Father would be led by a different member of the parish.

If you would like to volunteer to help lead a portion of the Rosary, or would like more information, contact John Duran at 830-431-8088.

Bulletin Archives

Are you looking for information from a past bulletin? Visit our website for a complete list of all past bulletins. for St. Ferdinand: www.stferdinandblanco.org or for Good Shepherd: www.goodshepherdjctx.org

Parish Organizations & Meeting Times

GS and SF Grief Support Ministry

If you have lost a loved one or are going through a sickness or ailment and are having a hard time processing or feeling supported through this difficult time, we have services and resources to help you both process and heal spiritually and mentally. Next Class to start Sept. 23rd – Meet every Tuesday at 6:30 pm. If you would like to attend, please contact the parish office or email Margie@stferdinandblanco.org.

Good Shepherd Bible Study

Meets every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. If you’re interested in joining, please contact Cheryl Todd at 630-294-0230 or email at crozy@icloud.com.

Good Shepherd Contemplative Prayer

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month for April through October at 6:00 p.m. in the Church, Contact: Katie Shafford at 512 925-4472.

Good Shepherd Men’s Club

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Contact: Gary Reeves, 281-387-9547.

Good Shepherd Rosary

The Holy Rosary is recited every Wednesday in the Church at 11:00 a.m. If you have any questions, please contact Ed Harry at 936-293-0064.

Good Shepherd Women’s Circle

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Education Center. Contact: Cindy Wiggins, 830-290-3033.

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA)

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or helping out, please contact the parish office at 830-833-5227.

St. Anne’s Altar Society

Meets the 1st Wednesday of the month following the 8:00 a.m. Mass in the St. Ferdinand Parish Hall. **The next meeting will be on November 5th (9am).**

St. Ferdinand Altar Server Training

Meets the third Sunday of the month at St. Ferdinand at 8:30 a.m. (following school schedule).

St. Ferdinand Men’s Club

Meets the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Ferdinand Parish Hall.

St. Ferdinand Parish Choir

Meets Wednesday nights at 4:00 p.m. Call 713-562-0228 for more information.

St. Ferdinand RENEWAL Retreats

If you would like information about our RENEWAL Retreats, please email Renewal.St.Ferd@gmail.com.

Estudio Biblico

Todos los martes de 6-8:30pm en el RICH house (trailer juvenil) de la iglesia de San Fernando. Llama al 512-563-3146 para mas informacion.

Santo Rosario

Primer lunes de cada mes a las 6pm en la Capilla. Llama al Rosa Vargas 210-800-3453 para mas informacion.

Mass Preparation
November 9, 2025, Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

First Reading: Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12
I saw water flowing out from beneath the threshold of the temple toward the east.

Psalm: 46:2-3,5-6,8-9
God is our refuge and our strength.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:9-11,16-17
You are the temple of God.

Gospel Reading: John 2:13-22
He spoke about the temple of his own body.



In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us it's his Father's will that "everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life" (John 6:40). Everyone who believes in Jesus! God the Father, who created us in love, wants us to experience his love forever. He deeply desires that everyone be saved. Today, on All Souls' Day, the whole Church prays in accord with the expressed will of God: that all the souls in purgatory will see Jesus and finally be received into the perfect joy of heaven. How much hope this can give us!

How encouraging, too, that our Father's mercy extends beyond our comprehension. He is so merciful that he even allows everyone who dies "in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified" to continue to undergo purification—all so that we can receive eternal life (Catechism, 1030)!

God wants us to have this hope of eternal life both for ourselves and for our loved ones. As St. Paul writes in our second reading, "Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit" (Romans 5:5). Our hope is rooted in our faith in a loving, merciful God. We know that Jesus died and rose for us so that everyone could be saved (5:10). So we trust in that same love and mercy for our loved ones, just as we do for ourselves.

As you pray for all the souls in purgatory at Mass today, ask God to fill you with hope. Let him remind you of his everlasting love for you and for all those who have already passed away. As the celebrant lifts up the host and chalice, thank God for sending Jesus so that "everyone" may see him and believe in him. He has promised to raise us "on the last day" (John 6:40)—and that's a promise we can put our faith in!



"Lord Jesus, Savior of the world, I place my hope in you!"

ST. THÉRÈSE IS COMING TO TEXAS!

October 31 to November 4

LITTLE FLOWER BASILICA



2025 is the Centennial of St. Thérèse!

Celebrate with us as we host the major relics of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, our beloved "Little Flower."



SEE THE FULL SCHEDULE AND LEARN MORE
littleflowerbasilica.org/relics-2025

Cedarbrake Retreats

Pathways to Forgiveness will be offered **Nov. 20** at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Temple. Discover the meaning and myths related to forgiveness with practical how to steps to reach forgiveness. Forgiveness sets our hearts free. This retreat will be led by Cindy Isaacson, a gifted retreat leader and parishioner of St. Theresa Parish in Austin. The cost is \$50, which includes lunch. For more information, visit austindiocese.org/cedarbrake or call (254) 780-2436.



Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center will host a Silent Advent Retreat **Dec. 5-7**. St. Teresa of Calcutta said, "God speaks in the silence of our heart, and we listen. Then we speak to God from the fullness of our heart and God listens." This retreat is a time to reflect on a few talks by Father Harry Dean and Brian Egan. Come encounter God in silence through the Mass, Eucharistic adoration and the sacrament of reconciliation. The costs are \$310 for a private room, \$265 for a shared room and \$165 for commuters. For more information, visit austindiocese.org/cedarbrake or call (254) 780-2436.

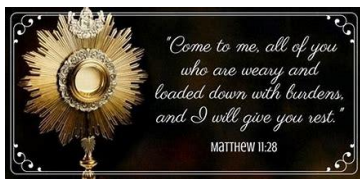


Next weekend is the Catholic Services Appeal, during which you can support the more than 100 ministries and programs of the Diocese of Austin. This year's theme is Together we bring hope. Your gift is a powerful testament to what can be accomplished when we work together to make a difference. As Scripture reminds us, "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds." (Hebrews 10:24) Your gift to the CSA is combined with others to have a greater impact than any single gift could. Please prayerfully consider making a gift so you can be a miracle to those in most need. To learn more and make your gift today, visit austindiocese.org/give.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday, November 7th
8:30 am to 6:00 pm in the
St. Ferdinand Chapel
(with Incense)
Confessions: (8:30-9:30am; 5-6pm)

You are invited Friday, **November 7th**, to come and receive the graces promised from the source of ultimate love, Jesus Christ.



Won't you set aside time this Friday to go to Adoration?

Drop off your Baby Banks today!

Thank you for being so committed to Life! Your donation will help pro-life efforts in our parish and throughout the diocese. Walking with Moms in Need initiative, the Gabriel Project, Project Rachel, Sidewalk Ministry, Pro-Life Help Line, and more will receive funds from this campaign. You can also donate online on our website page. If you forgot your Baby Bank, please drop it off at the parish office this week. For more information or to volunteer, please contact the parish office at 830-833-5227.



End-of-Life Documents

Dear sons and daughters,

In reflecting with the subject of death on and around All Souls' Day, it is a helpful thing to consider the end of our own life not only spiritually, but materially and practically as well. **It is incredibly beneficial to your family to have everything documented for them ahead of time.**

By way of example, here are the ones I have on file with my family and the Diocese:

- Last Will & Testament (visit <http://freewill.com/austindiocese> for help!)
- Funeral & Final Resting Place Instructions (visit with your Church and/or preferred funeral home for help)
- Statutory Durable Power of Attorney (could be part of your will)
- Advance Directive to Physicians & Family or Surrogates (visit with your doctors for help)
- Medical Power of Attorney (visit with your doctors for help)
- (Additional might be a Do Not Resuscitate order, if desired)



Basically, you can just fill the forms out as normal, but with this something like this added: "Nutrition and hydration must be provided, either naturally or artificially; death must not be hastened by overuse of medication." Obviously, you are welcome to add other wishes, but this should cover the minimum of Catholic teaching.

Another helpful resource is the National Catholic Bioethics Center: <https://www.ncbcenter.org/>. They have lots of information and take questions as well. We also have a few bioethicists in our Diocese as well, so you could contact them, too.

These aren't always comfortable subjects to think about, but we have no reason to fear! **I personally have seen far too many families who are unprepared for the death of a loved one – learn from them, and don't let that be you.**



Pax et bonum,
Fr. Kyle

WANT TO GET CLOSER TO THE ONE YOU ARE MARRIED TO?

Attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend, a romantic, faith-filled working weekend with the purpose of enriching already strong marriages. You'll like the difference a Marriage Encounter weekend can make. Upcoming weekends are scheduled for **November 8-10** at the Wyndham Garden Hotel in South Austin or **April 17-19, 2026** at Cedarbrake Renewal Center in Belton. To apply online visit: austinme.org or contact Zeb & Geraldine Evans: 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com. Call early to ensure a space. Para información en español llamar al 512-825-7261.



Rosary Makers



Calling all Rosary Makers and Prayer Warriors

Do you belong to a Rosary Guild, parish ministry, or simply love making rosaries? Can you donate or help craft rosaries for this beautiful cause? The diocesan Hispanic Ministry Office is preparing for the **Hispanic Family Congress on Nov. 22**, and we need your help to provide 1,200 rosaries — three per family — to encourage family prayer and help create sacred spaces in their homes.

Every rosary will help a family grow closer in faith and prayer. To help or learn more, contact Dora Tobar, director of Hispanic Ministry, at dtobar@austindiocese.org or (512) 949-2426.

Did you know?

Texas has launched a new School Choice program called the Education Savings Account (ESA), which provides eligible families with \$10,000 per student, per year to support their children's education.

For Catholic families, this is an incredible opportunity to make Catholic schools more accessible, helping cover tuition and other approved expenses so that more children can receive a faith-filled education rooted in academic excellence and Gospel values.

The Church reminds us that parents are the first and primary educators of their children. The ESA program supports you in that sacred role, giving families the freedom and resources to choose Catholic education with confidence.

We'll continue sharing updates as more information becomes available. Visit csdatx.org/schoolchoice to learn more and join our mailing list so you won't miss important details.



Beloved, we are God's children. (1 John 3:2)

Here's a question: who are you? You might answer, "I'm a homeschooling mom." "I'm a construction worker." "I'm a student." Or you might point to your relationships: "I'm so-and-so's father." "I'm a pastor of my parish." "I'm so-and-so's child." These answers explain important things about us. As we celebrate All Saints' Day, St. John is asking us to consider another more fundamental answer.

"See what love the Father bestows on us," John writes, "that we may be called the children of God" (3:1). You can almost hear the amazement and wonder in his voice! We seem so small compared to the majesty of God. Not to mention, we are sinners. And yet God has chosen to make us his own children. And why? Simply because he loves us. He loves us so deeply, so passionately, that he has given us his only Son to forgive us, to reconcile us with himself, and to make us members of his family.

You won't always have the same role you have now. You won't always have the same relationships, either. But you will always be a child of God. That's who you are deep, deep down—because your heavenly Father loves you and has called you into his family.

What does this have to do with the feast of All Saints? Everything! The All Saints' Day celebration honors all the saints, both the ones whose names we know and those unknown, hidden saints. All these men and women treasured their identities as children of God and lived lives of holiness in countless heroic ways. They all held tightly to the Lord, even if it meant giving up everything else they valued—even if it meant giving up their lives.

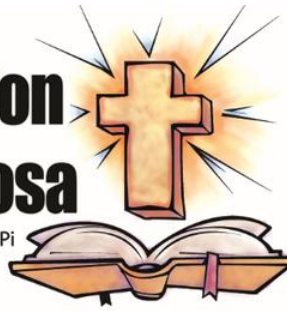
Who are you? You are a child of God. You are beloved of Christ. That means that even you can press on to become a saint!



"Jesus, thank you for giving me such a high calling!"

Religious Education Educación Religiosa

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Every Sunday: PreK - 8th Grade 9-10:30 AM classes at the RE building and the parish hall.

Are you interested in volunteering by being a sub or a class assistant in RE Sunday mornings? Please come help with special crafts and activities with RE. If this is something you would like to help in, please contact the DRE. Also, please sign up for an EIM workshop. All volunteers must participate in EIM. Information and instructions on how to sign up for an EIM workshop are below.

***Those receiving the sacraments of 1st Holy Communion or Confirmation please sign in to track mass attendance at the narthex. Ask the greeters for the sign in log.**

If you have any questions on registration or sacrament preparation or would like to volunteer in RE please contact Monica Villegas at 830-833-0444 or at dre@stferdinandblanco.org.

EIM COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

The mission of the Diocese of Austin's Ethics and Integrity in Ministry (EIM) program is to help protect people from abuse and unethical behavior through education, action, and reporting, and to listen to and learn from those who have experienced abuse in order to provide healing. EIM compliance is required for persons active in most ministries in the diocese. Looking for resources and information about safeguarding children and other vulnerable people? Do you want to volunteer and are new to the EIM process? Are you returning to ministry and already have an EIM account? Visit austindiocese.org/eim to learn more about EIM policies and procedures and how they help keep our parishes and schools safer for everyone. Contact your parish or school's EIM site administrator, or eim@austindiocese.org, for additional assistance. Please note that when your compliance is 60 days away from its expiration, you will receive an email from system@virtus.org prompting you to login and complete the required action per the email.

RE Resources for Families

Families, you can access <https://formed.org> and access resources that can help you and your family throughout their faith formation and even find suitable programs or podcast for adults.



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Good Shepherd Johnson City

Religious Education Classes:

PreK - 5th Grade: Wednesdays from 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the RE Building.

First Communion Class (2nd Grade): Wednesdays from 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the RE Building.

Middle School Youth Ministry (6th - 8th Grade): Middle School classes are held in the summer (2-week Summer Camp).

8th Grade (Pre-Confirmation): Classes are held once a month on the third Sunday of each month from 10:00 am to 11:30 am.

OCIA and Sacrament Preparation Classes: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults and Adapted for Children is offered at Good Shepherd. If someone needs to discuss Sacrament preparation for adult or child classes, please schedule an appointment with Margie Vasquez to discuss the process and class times. Classes are offered in Spanish or English.

2025-2026 Confirmation Classes:

Students interested in registering for Confirmation class for 2025-2026 must be enrolled in RICH Youth Ministry Classes. Students must also have completed 1 year of pre-confirmation or 8th grade classes prior to enrolling. Students must be at least 14 years of age at the time class starts.

If you would like to register your child for Religious Education, Please contact Elissa Malinovsky at cre@stferdinandblanco.org.

Looking to get involved?

If you are interested in helping the religious education program in any way, please reach out to Elissa Malinovsky at cre@stferdinandblanco.org. There are many ways to serve!

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Blanco & Johnson City Catholic Youth Ministry

Romans 12:2

“Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God what is good and acceptable and perfect.”

Transformation NOT information

This is our theme of the year. Our goal for this ministry is for it to be about true spiritual transformation, not just information about our faith.

**St. Carlo Acutis,
pray for us!**

Confirmation

Registrations for 2026 teen Confirmation is closed.

However, teens are still encouraged to sign up and attend RICH! We meet Sundays at 5pm in the RICH house.

Sponsor a Meal

Want to sponsor a meal for one of our RICH nights? Email us at youth@stferdinandblanco.org and we'll send you more information!

Upcoming Events

- Nov. 16 - Next Confirmation class starting at 4:30 pm
- Nov 30. - No RICH (Thanksgiving)

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**MARVELOUS
THINGS**

**Jan. 30-Feb. 1, 2026
Waco Convention Center**

Registrations open 11/16

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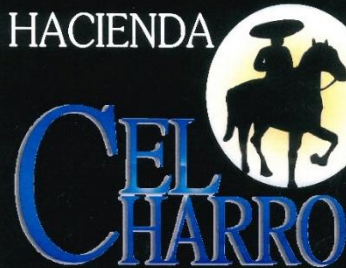
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