

Christ Our Light Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston
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Monday-Thursday

9:15am - noon & 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Friday 9:15am- noon

Other times by appointment

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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: (English) 8:00am

Sunday: (Spanish) 1:00pm

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

First Saturday 9am

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30am

Tuesday 6:00pm (English)

Thursday 6:00pm (Spanish)

ROSARY PRAYED IN COMMON

Tuesday & Thursday: 5:40pm

Wednesday & Friday: 8:10am

Saturday: 5:15pm

Sunday: 7:15am & 12:15pm

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Tuesday, Thursday and

2nd & 4th Saturdays 5:00-5:45pm

and by appointment 936-825-3920

RECONCILIACION/CONFESIONES

Los Martes, jueves y el

segundo y cuarto sábado a las 5:00-5:45pm

y por cita 936-825-3920

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time : August 30, 2020

Christ Our Light Catholic Church • Navasota, Texas

August 29 & 30, 2020

Under the Patronage of St. Patrick and Our Lady of Guadalupe

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTION

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

No Mass

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 01

6:00 PM Poor Souls in Purgatory



WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 02

8:30 AM Debra Alwell, Recovery of Health

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 03

8:30 AM Sam † and Catherine † Pry

6:00 PM* Grasielan Zavala † and Solomon Corona †

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 04—FIRST FRIDAY

8:30 AM Sp. Legion of Mary, Living & Deceased

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 05—FIRST SATURDAY

9:00 AM Eng. Legion of Mary, Living & Deceased

6:00 PM Joe Pasket †

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 06

8:00 AM Benefactor's of Memorial Fund

1:00 PM* Martin Ruiz, Jr. †

*Spanish

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

4:00 PM Mandatory Parent Meeting for Confirmation
1 Students, SPH. Parents must attend for
their children to be enrolled in Confirmation
Preparation

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM, Confession, CH

7:00 PM Bazaar Meeting, SPH

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 02

6:00 PM Mandatory Parent Meeting for Confirmation
1 Students, SPH. Parents must attend for
their children to be enrolled in Confirmation
Preparation

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 03

12:00 PM English, Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM, Confession, CH



The parish thanks Alicia and Kevin Ramos for the Altar Flowers this past weekend.

COL Church Dedication Anniversary Weekend of September 19th and 20th

We will celebrate the anniversary of our Church Dedication on the weekend of September 19th and 20th at all of the Masses.

E-Mail Addresses for the Parish

To e-mail Fr. Elias...fr.eli@christourlight.org

To e-mail Nelda: nelda@christourlight.org

To e-mail RE Board: reboard@christourlight.org

Christ Our Light web-site: www.christourlight.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE TUESDAY 12:00 NOON

Announcements and or articles are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office, or faxed to 825-7612 or e-mailed nelda@christourlight.org.

Events, meeting etc. for the Parish Calendar are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office in advance.

AFTER MASS WEEKLY PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline Tuesday, 12:00 Noon. Announcements are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office. The Pastor reserves the right to pick and choose which announcements are made in this forum as there is a need to keep these to a minimum.

Todos los anuncios deben ser presentados por escrito en la oficina de la parroquia no mas tarde que los martes al mediodía. El Pastor decidirá si las noticias son de importancia para ser pronuncia das.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To our new parishioner, we welcome you to Christ Our Light Parish. Please register at the parish office or ask one of the Hospitality Ministers to help you. For parishioners moving out of the parish or changing your address or phone number, **please** notify the parish office, 825-3920.



Sacrament of Baptism Schedule

English Baptism Class Schedule for 2020: 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM July 11th and Oct. 10th., 2020 **PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER AT LEAST 1 WEEK PRIOR TO CLASS.** To register please contact Deacon Grant Holt at 936-825-6448 or Lucy Coronilla at 936-419-9296.

Spanish Baptism Class Schedule for 2020: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM, July 18th and Oct. 25th. For Information, call Rosa Torres at 936-419-8974

ALL DOCUMENTS AND FORMS must be completed and turned in before Baptism Date. **SCHEDULED** Baptism will be celebrated once a month at 12 noon every 3rd Saturday following completion of the baptismal classes the prior month and Fr. Elie has been informed in advance. The Sacrament of Baptism is a communal celebration. Therefore, private baptisms are not celebrated here.

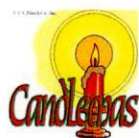


**PRAY for THE CONTINUING
RECOVERY OR COMFORT OF
the infirmed and homebound
members of our community.**

Debra Alwell, Sarafina Alo, Jo Ann Clepper, Frank Crouch, Herman Culmer, Eva Estrada, Liz Estrada, Lois Finke, Jerry Flores, Liz Johnson, Mary Ann Knowles, Liz Kubricht, Glenda Lawrence, John Lawrence, Christian Mills, Leslie Mills, Leon Nowak, Victor Ostiguin, Leona Pasket, Cecelia Pearson, Angelina Peterson, Wallace Peterson, Irene Ramirez, Lucila Rivera, Rosalinda Salazar, Josh Sechelski, Dana Sowell, and Krysten Sowell, Jessie Valadez, III, Crystal Winkler.

Call the parish office when a member of our community has a need to be remembered in prayer, 825-3920.

Also, if you have added a name to the prayer list, please call to let us know when to remove the name from the list. Thank you.



New Memorial Candles

The new Candle Stands are electrical. Anyone wanting to light a candle may do so by pressing the red button and give an offering. The candle will burn for 12 hours. Memorial Candles burning for one year are \$150.00 each. Come by the parish office to schedule and pay your offering of \$150.00 for your Memorial candle.



**YOUR PARISH
SUPPORT
SU APOYO
PARROQUIAL**
**TRESASURE YOU HAVE
SHARED:**

GIFTS FOR GOD — YOUR TITHE RESPONDS

August 22 & 23, 2020

(57) Offertory Envelopes/Loose Checks
On Live Giving, Mail Ins, & Drop Ins 3,361.50
Maintenance Fund 90.00
Infirm Priest 10.00

Thank you thank you for Mailing, Bringing In, and On Line Giving your Offertory. Baskets will not be passed during the Offertory. You will be able to place your weekly gift in a basket by the Baptism Font before or after Mass.

**JULY 16, 2020
DIOCESAN SERVICE FUND—2020**

Goal: \$24,940.00
Pledged: \$15,670.00
Paid: \$12,655.00
Total Registered Families: 675
Number of Participant: 53
Percent Paid: 50.74%
Paid Over (Under) Goal: (\$12,285.00)
Pledged Over (Under) Goal: (\$9,270.00)

In Our Prayers

We remember in prayer our friends and loved ones in active military duty, both in and out of harms way, in the service of their our country. Pray for peace in the world and for our leaders.

SSG Jorge Aguilar, Jr., Alexander Cortez,
Jesus Cortez, SFC Antinia Franco, 1SG
Jason Malek, Antonio Magallon, Jose Rene Milan
Christopher Munoz, Javier Salinas,
Sgt. Kevin Seigler, SSgt Allen Thane

**OUR HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS
FOR AUGUST**

General Intention — The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.



**P.E.R.A. (Perpetual Eucharistic
Reparative Adoration)**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament has resumed on Thursdays throughout the Summer following the 8:30 AM Masses on Thursdays and will be reposed before the 6:00 PM Spanish Mass.

The "Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to make amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease."

Please call Mary Rangel @ 936-419-9024 to sign up for a time slot on Thursdays.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND
Web site is FORMED.ORG
The Parish Code to access the website is
MVMZKF

Then register to create an account.

There are 2 easy ways to connect to
FLOCKNOTE (pick one):

NOTE: Do not use Mozilla Firefox browser.

1. Visit our church at: www.flocknote.com/christourlightchurch
2. Text SPOLG to 84576 from your phone to subscribe to updates.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6 8am St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 8am COL Fr. Eli 10am St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 1pm COL Fr. Eli	7 Labor Day	8 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli	9 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	10 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 6pm COL Fr. Eli	11 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	12 4:15pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli
13 Grandparents Day NO 8am MASS at St. Stanislaus 8am COL Fr. Eli 10am St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 1pm COL Fr. Eli	14	15 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli	16 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	17 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 6pm COL Fr. Eli	18 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	19 Rosh Hashanah 4:15pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli
20 8am COL Fr. Eli 8am St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 10am St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 1pm COL Fr. Eli	21 6pm HEALING MASS St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	22 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli	23 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	24 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 6pm COL Fr. Eli	25 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli	26 4:15pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Paul 6pm COL Fr. Eli
27 8am COL Fr. Eli 8am St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam 10am St. Stanislaus Fr. Adam	28 Yom Kippur	29 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli 6pm COL Fr. Eli	30 8:30am COL Fr. Eli 12pm St. Stanislaus Fr. Eli			
COL Homecoming Bazaar						
Notes September 19-20 COL Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church						



Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 30, 2020

Be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect.
— Romans 12:2

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Every 1st weekend of the month (Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses) blessing of all who have a birthday or Wedding Anniversary during the



PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS
to the Priesthood and Religious Life
especially in our Archdiocese.

MEMORIALIZING THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

If you are interested in memorializing the Sanctuary candle, in memory of, in personal reverence and petition or Special Intention for the week, stop by the parish office for more information.

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Giving

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Sign Up for Christ Our Light
Online Giving Now

Christ Our Light now accepts online giving. Parish Soft is our parish's online giving program. Enroll at the link below. It is secure and easy to use. You will be able to use Parish Soft for normal tithing and special collections throughout the year. Apps are available, so your cell phones/tablets can be used for online giving.

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/dl?uid=chri510191>

CELEBREMOS/LET US CELEBRATE **MISSALETTES**

Missalette's starting August 9th to November 28, 2020 are available to purchase for \$5.00. Do not leave them in Church. Take them home with you, bring with you each weekday or weekend Masses you will be attending.

MONTHLY REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASSES

Refreshment will be served after Masses the first Sunday of each month. The refreshments and service will be provided by the following:

Altar Society—January and July
Pastoral Council—February and October
Finance Council—March and September
R.E. Board—April and August
Stewardship—May and November
Choir—June and December

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

22nd Sunday of Ordinary Times — "*What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?*" **Matthew 16:26** St. Francis of Assisi once said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, nothing else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent and treasure to gain more of the world's riches. We need to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world.

Boletín de Mayordomía—Reflexiones

22º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario — "*¿Qué beneficio tendrá [ara] imp[er] ganar el mundo entero y perder su vida?*" **Mateo 16:26** San Francisco de Asís dijo una vez: "Recuerda, eres lo que eres a los ojos de Dios, y nada más". A menudo olvidamos esta sabiduría de corresponsabilidad cuando gastamos todo nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoros para obtener más riquezas del mundo. Necesitamos establecer nuestras prioridades asadas en los valores de Dios y no en los valores del mundo material.

CCE CLASSES

Will start on September 9th. Get your students registered by August 31st. The RE Office will be open on Wednesday and Thursday from 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Bring your child's Baptism Certificate if they are enrolling in a Sacramental Prep Class. Thank you!

CCE TEACHERS AND ASSISTANTS

are needed. Please consider how you can help in educating our children in the Catholic faith. You may contact the RE Office or any of our RE Board members for more information.

IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission

Summary Report: July 16, 2020

Parish Goal: \$208,632.00

Total Pledged to Date \$100,527.00

Paid—Undesignated \$51,265.64 24.57%

Over/(Under) Goal (\$108,105.00)

% of Parish Goal Pledged 48.18%

Number of Participation 38

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"TEACHING, EVANGELIZING AND WORSHIP"

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Your Gift Touches Many Lives Throughout the Archdiocese

DSF programs served our local Church in many ways this past year
with your help:

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CHRIST OUR LIGHT BAZAAR SEPTEMBER 27, 2020 CHRIST OUR LIGHT CHURCH GROUNDS

11:30 AM UNTIL

MASS TIMES: 6:00 PM VIGIL MASS AND 8:00 AM MASS

WE NEED YOUR



Our Bazaar on September 27, 2020 held at Christ Our Light Church Grounds will have a different look due to the location and social distance. Please know we are taking all safety precautions to keep everyone safe. We hope to see you there.

POP UP TENTS FOR OUR BAZAAR

We need 6 Pop Up Tents for our Bazaar Booths. Anyone who has one, that we can use at our Bazaar, please call the parish office at 936 825-3920.

OUR NEXT BAZAAR MEETING

WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST AT 7:00 PM IN ST. PATRICK HALL
ALL BOOTH CHAIRPERSONS ARE REQUESTED TO COME TO THE MEETING

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Sunday August 30th at 4:00 PM and Wednesday, September 02 at 6:00 PM

Mandatory Parent Meeting for Confirmation 1 Students will be held in St. Patrick Hall. Parents must attend for their children to be enrolled in Confirmation Preparation.

August 30, 2020

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 20:7-9 | Rom 12:1-2 | Mt 16:21-27

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

I missed baseball this past spring and early summer. Perhaps it's because I am a Cubs fan, but I'm amazed at how humbling the game can be. It's not uncommon to see yesterday's MVP strike out with the bases loaded or an ace relief pitcher blow a save. I wonder if that's how Peter felt when Jesus rebuked him. In last week's Gospel, Peter recognizes Jesus as the Son of the Living God. Jesus blesses him and tells him, "Upon this rock I will build my Church." However, today, after Jesus tells the disciples that he must suffer and die, Peter argues with him. Jesus knocks Peter down a few notches when he calls the would-be rock "an obstacle." But the winning line here is: "You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." Imagine how incomprehensible it was to Peter that Jesus would suffer, die, and rise on the third day. Like Peter, we will have days when we "get it right" and feel in sync with Jesus, and days when we feel like we're chasing the ball in the sun, and yesterday's peace and certainty seem out of reach. In both instances, Jesus reminds us that God really does know best. Whether we're at the top of our game or struggling, it's reassuring to know that God is our rock — and has a plan.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Sometimes my prayers get pretty specific. Please make the chemo obliterate my friend's cancer. Help my husband find a job. Show my son which career path he should choose and help him succeed. When I'm not making God an oncologist, recruiter, or career counselor, I am known to ask him to be a divine meteorologist (Please no rain tomorrow, thank you!). There is nothing wrong with asking for what we desire, or need. But today's Gospel alerts us of the temptation to tell God how to be God. For Peter, it was saying, "Surely you need not suffer and die." Jesus reminds Peter, and us, that we don't know how best to accomplish our salvation. God does. And so, in our prayers and our approach to life, we can ask for God's healing and help, but we also need to trust in God's plan and understand that his answers may not be what we have in mind.

PRAY/REFLECT It's OK to bring God our to-do list! I'm reminded, however, of a spiritual director who suggested I try to talk less and listen more. It may mean carving out some quiet time each time we pray. Another way to give ourselves over to God's wisdom is by simply reciting the Our Father and paying close attention to the words: "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven."

Thy
KINGDOM
COME.

Thy
WILL
BE DONE



ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Plantersville, TX
126th Labor Day Weekend
Homecoming & Country Bazaar
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2020
8227 CR 205, Plantersville, TX

We will be following **ALL SAFETY GUIDELINES** to make this
the most unique bazaar ever!

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**Safe fun for all ages begins at 11am**

Safely served BBQ Dinner – Great Family Fun & Games  
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**(Please know that we take the safety of all our attendees  
very seriously.)**

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St. Mary's is located on FM 1774, 2-1/2 miles north of
Hwy. 105 on CR 205.

For more information, call the parish office at 936-894-2223 or
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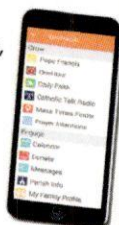
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