

# Co-CATHEDRAL of the SACRED HEART



*Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston*

September 16, 2018



1111 St. Joseph Parkway at San Jacinto / Fannin St.

Church Hours — M - F: 6:30 am - 6 pm; Saturday: 9 am - 8:30 pm; Sunday: 6:30 am - 9 pm

## Weekend Mass

**English:** Saturday Vigil 5 pm

Sunday 7 am, 9 am, 11 am, 5:30 pm

**Vietnamese:** Saturday Vigil 7 pm

Sunday 1 pm

**Spanish:** Sunday 7:30 pm

## Weekday Mass

7 am, 12:10 pm Monday - Friday

8 pm, First Fridays & Fridays during Lent:

Vietnamese Mass

## Sacrament of Penance (Confessions)

Monday - Friday: 30 minutes prior to Mass

First Thursday of the month: 4:30 - 5:15 pm

(Weekdays: Confessional near the Sacred Heart transept)

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:15 - 8:45 am (between 7 & 9 am Masses)

10:15 - 10:45 am (between 9 & 11 am Masses)

4:30 - 5:00 pm

**Vietnamese and Spanish** 30 minutes prior to Mass

(Weekends: Confessional near entrance way on the right)



## CATHEDRAL CENTRE

The Parish office is located in the Cathedral Centre

**1701 San Jacinto at Jefferson St.**

**Houston, TX 77002-8215**

(Parking behind the Centre)

**Phone: 713-659-1561 Fax: 713-651-1365**

**Office hours: Monday - Friday 8 am to 5 pm**

**(Closed: 12 noon - 1 pm)**



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## Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

His Eminence Daniel Cardinal DiNardo, D.D., S.T.L.  
Archbishop of Galveston-Houston

The Most Reverend George A. Sheltz, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop  
The Most Reverend Joseph A. Fiorenza, D.D., Archbishop Emeritus  
The Most Reverend Vincent M. Rizzotto, D.D., J.C.L., Retired Auxiliary Bishop



## Co-Cathedral Clergy

The Very Reverend Lawrence W. Jozwiak, J.C.L., Pastor / Rector

The Reverend Alfonso Dat-Nhan Tran, Parochial Vicar

Deacons: Leonard Lockett, John Carrara, Daniel Addis, Lynn Carney and Vincent Thinh Tran

## Co-Cathedral Staff

**Selma DeMarco** - Director of Evangelization & Faith Formation; **Carmen Benitez** - Faith Formation Associate & Youth Minister

**Dr. Crista Miller** - Director of Music / Co-Cathedral Organist; **Patrick Schneider** - Assistant Choir Director

**Dr. Jeong-Suk Bae** - Co-Cathedral Assistant Organist; **Mary Joy Silmaro** - Organ Scholar

**Natasha Manley** - Associate Director, Music Operations

**Bree Delphin** - Secretary for Weddings and Bulletin Editor

**Deacon John Carrara** - Business Manager; **Gwenne Buck** - Facilities and Project Coordinator

**Chris Felix** - Building Engineer; **Shannon Wesley** - Parish Accounting

**Jordyn Woods** - Parish Outreach Coordinator; **Katherine Buck** - Baptismal Secretary / Receptionist

**Ruben Valenzuela, Trong Pham** - Maintenance; **Guillermo Herrera, Ray Garcia** - Sextons

### New Parishioners:

Register online or with the parish office: ext. 101.

### Church Certificates:

For all sacramental certificates: ext. 131.

### Baptism:

- For infants & children under age 7—713-337-3570.
- Best to take baptismal classes while pregnant.
- For 7 years & older (Rite of Christian Initiation adapted for Children): ext. 142.

### Children's Catechesis & Evangelization (CCE):

For pre-K through high school: ext. 142.

### First Penance & First Holy Communion:

For 2nd through 12th grade: ext. 142.

### Confirmation:

- For high school youth: ext. 142.
- For adults: ext. 141.

### High School Youth Ministry: ext. 142.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

For adults inquiring about becoming Catholic and baptized Catholics who lack Confirmation and Holy Communion: ext. 141.

### Evangelization & Adult Faith Formation: ext. 141.

### Music Ministry: ext. 152.

### Young Adults: cocathedralalya@gmail.com

### Marriage:

Contact ext. 131 at least 9 months prior to wedding date.

### Vocations for Priesthood and Religious Life:

Contact the Office of Vocations: 713-652-8239 or [www.houstonvocations.com](http://www.houstonvocations.com)

### Holy Communion to the Sick/Homebound: ext. 101.

### Anointing of the Sick:

Any Catholic who is to have surgery due to a serious illness; any Catholic whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age should be anointed ASAP, preferably before going to the hospital. Contact the parish priest to be anointed: ext. 101.

### Funerals: ext. 143.

### Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help:

Wednesday before 7 am & 12:10 pm Mass

### Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus:

Friday during 7 am & 12:10 pm Mass

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

- First Thursday of the Month (English)
- Conclusion of 12:10 pm Mass until 6 pm
- First Friday of the Month: 6:30 pm - 8 pm
- 8 pm Mass (Vietnamese)

### Parish Outreach: [outreach@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:outreach@sacredhearthouston.org)

### Tours of the Church: ext. 143

# Message from the Pastor

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September 16, 2018

Dear Friends in Christ:

Quí Ông Bà và Anh Chị Em thân mến trong Chúa Kitô:

Estimados Amigos y Amigas en Cristo:

I am most pleased to announce that Cardinal DiNardo has assigned another permanent deacon to the staff of the Co-Cathedral. His name is Deacon Lynn Carney, ordained in 2011. He and his wife, Anne, have one daughter, and they have one granddaughter who attends St. Agnes Academy. Deacon Lynn will be offering his ministry as needed and as his time allows. Like most permanent deacons, he will not be here full time. Both Deacon Lynn and I are still discussing his ministerial agreement with the parish. I will let you know when he will start serving here.

Deacon Lynn has served in Holy Family Church in Missouri City from 2011-2017 and Sacred Heart Church in Conroe since July 2017 when they moved to The Woodlands. Deacon Lynn has retired recently and has so graciously agreed to serve the Co-Cathedral even though he lives further away. But many of you parishioners choose to drive a longer distance to attend here. For that, I am most grateful for your commitment.

To keep you informed, you may or may not have noticed last weekend “something different” about me. I have been diagnosed with Bell’s palsy, an unexplained medical condition that affects the muscles only on one side of your face that become weak or paralyzed, causing it to droop or become stiff / numb on that side. It’s caused by some kind of trauma to the 7th cranial (facial) nerve. Bell’s palsy can happen to anyone. It occurs most often in pregnant women, and people who have diabetes, influenza, a cold, or another upper respiratory ailment, even if dormant. Bell’s palsy affects men and women equally. It is less common before age 15 or after age 60. Additional stress can activate Bell’s palsy.

I noticed something was wrong when I was celebrating the Tuesday, 12:10 pm Mass on Sept. 4. After Mass, one of my staff members informed me that the right side of my face was drooping slightly. Deacon Daniel Addis drove me to the Emergency Room, and the ER doctors took me in immediately because they feared I might have been having a

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stroke, which I was not. After many tests and being confirmed with Bell’s palsy, I was released from the ER.

Currently, there is no known cure for Bell’s palsy. Recovery usually begins 2 weeks to 6 months from the onset of the symptoms. Most people with Bell’s palsy recover full facial strength and expression. Treatment includes some prescribed medicine for a week’s time, facial exercises, rest and if possible, less stress. There are no specific job or gym restrictions other than using common sense when one is tired. I was instructed to go to my primary care doctor as a follow up, which I have done.

For me, it seems like I have a “milder” case, but it does sound like my speech at times is slurred and there is some right side drooping of my face. This medical condition is all very humbling when one thinks one is healthy. But this experience has challenged me to reflect on health issues. It is “alarming” when you do not know what is going on, experiencing various tests in the ER, etc. But what I have pales in comparison to those who are seriously ill. Can you only imagine when people are diagnosed with life threatening illnesses or told there is no medical cure for an illness? We know so many family members, friends, parishioners, co-workers, etc., who live with such situations.

I am rather “self-conscious” with my speech and the slight drooping of the right side of my face, but in all honesty it is only slight and some people may not even notice it. Can you imagine how people, especially women, feel when their hair falls out from cancer treatment, or when one suffers from a severe paralysis from a stroke or other illness? How they might feel self-conscious being “stared at”? Can you imagine how people feel who are aging naturally without any serious medical issue but can no longer do what they used to do? It is very humbling when we realize our health can be so fragile, even when we think we are fine. Let us pray for those who are indeed seriously ill, aging, etc. Remember our clergy who are ill and/or aging, both active and retired. Remember in your prayers Fr. Richard Hinkley, one of our younger priests in his early 30’s, who has a severe form of leukemia. Let us pray for one another. Thank you for your support.



Praised be the Sacred Heart of Jesus!

Hãy chúc tụng Thánh Tâm Chúa Giêsu đến muôn đời, amen!

¡Alabado sea el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús! ¡Por siempre, amen!

*Lawrence W. Jozwiak*

Fr. Lawrence W. Jozwiak,  
Pastor / Rector

Now and forever, amen!



## WELCOME to the Co-Cathedral!

We are a community of faith where all people are welcome! Visitors, please come back as often as possible. If you do not have a parish home, consider joining our parish, sharing your time and talent with us. For any questions, ask the Greeters in the narthex. Participate as fully as you are able to do so, using these pages. Silence all cell phones please!

### 7 am Mass Antiphons

**Entrance:** Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

*Cf. Sir 36:18*

**Communion:** How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

*Cf. Ps 36 (35): 8*

## MUSIC for MASS

### Gathering Hymn:

**#487 When the King Shall Come Again**

### Offertory Hymn:

**Motet:** Verleih un Frieden—Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

**#572 My Song Is Love Unknown**

### Communion Music:

**Antiphon:** Qui vult venire (Mode I): Whoever wishes to come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me.

**Motet (9 a.m.):** Sicut Cervus—Giovanni Palestrina (1525-1594)

**(11 a.m.):** Ave Verum—Camille Saint Saens (1835-1921)

**Hymn: #808 Take Up Your Cross**

### Recessional Hymn:

**#651 I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light**

## Order of Mass

### Gathering Hymn

### Introductory Rites

### Penitential Rite

*Lord have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have mercy.*

### Gloria

### Liturgy of the Word

### First Reading

Readings: #1141

### Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 116

R: I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

### Second Reading

### Gospel

### Homily

### Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from Heaven,

(We all are to make a bow of the body during the next 2 lines.)  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the  
Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken  
through the Prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church.

I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

### Universal Prayer / Prayer of the Faithful

### Offertory Music

### Liturgy of the Eucharist

### Preparation of the Altar and Presentation of the Gifts

P. Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

C. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

### Eucharistic Prayer

P: The Lord be with you. C: And with your spirit.

P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C: It is right and just.

### Holy, Holy, Holy / Sanctus (see pg. 6)

### The Mystery of Faith / Mysterium Fidelis (B)

Amen

### The Communion Rite

### The Lamb of God / Agnus Dei

P: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

C: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

### Reception of Holy Communion:

For those who are practicing actively the Catholic Faith.

Please bow before receiving the Body and/or Blood of Christ.

### Communion Music

### The Concluding Rites

### Recessional Hymn

# Sung Mass Settings

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## SIGNIFICANCE of BOWING

A bow signifies reverence and honor shown to the names or event being mentioned. We are to do the following:

- 1) A **bow of the head** is made when the three Divine Persons (the Trinity) are named together and at the names of Jesus, of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the Saint in whose honor Mass is being celebrated.
- 2) A **bow of the body** (a profound bow) is made during the Creed with the words (and by the Holy Spirit...and became man—highlighted in red words in the Creed).  
—General Instruction to the Roman Missal, #275

Mass of St. Ignatius

Russell Weismann

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to peo - ple of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you,  
we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav'n ly King,  
O God, al - might - y Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son \_\_\_\_ of the Fa - ther,  
you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us;  
you take a - way the sins \_\_\_\_ of the world, re - ceive our prayer;  
you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.  
For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,  
you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly - Spir - it,  
in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## Upcoming Fall Music

Later this month we will resume the sung ordinary by Kevin Vogt, The St. Michael Mass. You'll be able to practice and refresh your memory on this setting by checking out the Co-Cathedral music website at <http://www.cocathedralmusic.org>

## CCE MUSIC UPCOMING DATES

If you missed the CCE Music Information Meeting, please visit [sacredhearthouston.org](http://sacredhearthouston.org) for information

~ September 16, 2018 ~  
Choral Track resumes for Fall

~ September 24, 2018 ~  
FINAL DAY to register!

CCE Music Students will sing with the adult choir at the 11 a.m. Mass on the following dates

- ◊ September 23, 2018
- ◊ October 21, 2018
- ◊ December 9, 2018 Advent II
- ◊ March 2, 2019
- ◊ April 14, 2019 Palm Sunday
- ◊ May 5, 2019 Ribbon ceremony

## Special Singing Events for CCE Music Students

Pueri Cantores  
Mar 30, 2019

Opportunity to attend a summer choral camp-TBA

## Want to join the adult choir for the Fall?

Wednesday Rehearsals:  
7-9 pm (required)

Contact:  
Patrick Schneider: [pschneider@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:pschneider@sacredhearthouston.org)  
Crista Miller: [cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org)

# Co-Cathedral Music

**Sanctus**

Russell Weismann

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord - God of hosts.  
Hea - ven and earth are full - of your glor - y. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is he who comes - in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

**Mysterium Fidei - B**

Russell Weismann

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro - calam your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

**Amen**

Russell Weismann

A - men, a - men, a - men.

**Lamb of God**

Russell Weismann

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us. grant us peace.



### **St Margaret Mary Alacoque Childrens Choir**

will again convene for 2018-19, meeting Wednesdays 5:30-6:30pm beginning September 19. This treble chamber choir sings Gregorian chant and advanced selections from our Catholic Sacred Music repertoire, sometimes alone and sometimes in polyphony with our adult singers.

New treble (girls or boys with unchanged voices) members ages 8-14 are welcome. As this group is our longest-running children's group, prior musical experience such as singing in our Co-Cathedral CCE choral track, one's school choir, instrument lessons, etc. is required, and will be checked by audition. Contact Dr. Crista Miller at email: [cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org) for more information and meeting times.

And, if your children are interested in participating in music ministries and education, and don't -yet- have the experience to do so, we do have skill-building opportunities for them so they can join next year! Please reach out so we can help you form an action plan. If you have a child K-6 who has never sung before, the RSCM Choral track is a great place to start!

### **Upcoming!**

Mass Ordinary change coming soon! At the Co-Cathedral we typically note the seasons by periodically changing the music for the "Mass Setting." Upcoming is the Mass of St. Michael by Kevin Vogt, which our parish has been periodically singing since 2011. As we sing, we ask the intercession of St. Michael the Archangel, patron of warriors, the sick, and the suffering. How can you sing? You can find a parish practice video on our website. You can come early to participate in the practice sessions before Mass. You can follow along with the music notation in the bulletin. And, in the mornings, the choir will join you in the aisles to help you. May God bless your good work as the most important choir (the assembly) and for being an assembly open to singing a new song in the form of seasonal Mass Ordinaries!



### **Cor Jesu**

Our Cor Jesu Choir is back "in season!" It's not too late to join us! Attendance on Wednesday nights from 7-9 pm is required, and is a lot of fun. Contact Patrick Schneider at [pschneider@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:pschneider@sacredhearthouston.org) or Crista Miller at [cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:cmiller@sacredhearthouston.org) for more info.



**WELCOME ALL VISITORS to the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart!**

## **MASS INTENTIONS**    **DECEASED †**

### **Saturday**

#### **Sept 15**

(Eng) 5:00 pm Christian Renewal Center  
 (Viet) 7:00 pm For Community Intentions

### **Sunday**

#### **Sept 16**

(Eng) 7:00 am The Ocloo Family  
 (Eng) 9:00 am Juanita Kasauage †  
 (Eng) 11:00 am For the People of the Parish  
 (Viet) 1:00 pm For Community Intentions  
 (Eng) 5:30 pm Monsignor Albert Beck †  
 (Span) 7:30 pm Alfred † & Adela † Tello

### **Monday**

#### **Sept 17**

(Eng) 7:00 am Ramon † & Amelia † De La Garza  
 (Eng) 12:10 pm O'Brian & Jordyn Woods

### **Tuesday**

#### **Sept 18**

(Eng) 7:00 am Raul † & Porfidia † De La Garza  
 (Eng) 12:10 pm Irene Richard †

### **Wednesday**

#### **Sept 19**

(Eng) 7:00 am Yolanda Assef  
 (Eng) 12:10 pm Charla Pratt

### **Thursday**

#### **Sept 20**

(Eng) 7:00 am Mrs. Maria Campos †  
 (Eng) 12:10 pm Bernadine † & F.R. † Pizzitola

### **Friday**

#### **Sept 21**

(Eng) 7:00 am Karen Ghormley  
 (Eng) 12:10 pm Steve & Charla Pratt

### **Saturday**

#### **Sept 22**

(Eng) 5:00 pm Trini Mendenhall & Family  
 (Viet) 7:00 pm For Community Intentions

#### **Sept 23**

(Eng) 7:00 am Jose A. Urdanivia, Jr.  
 (Eng) 9:00 am Frank Konieczny, Jr. †  
 (Eng) 11:00 am Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Waneck †  
 (Viet) 1:00 pm For Community Intentions  
 (Eng) 5:30 pm For the People of the Parish  
 (Span) 7:30 pm Corine G. Dixon †

### **Pray the Rosary daily:**

- \* For all Life Issues and Marriage.
- \* For just solutions to our society's problems.
- \* For healing for all who have been affected



## **Weekend Readings: # 1141**

### **READINGS for the WEEK**

Mon: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10  
 Tue: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17  
 Wed: 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22; Lk 7:31-35  
 Thur: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50  
 Frid: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13  
 Sat: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15  
 Sun: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 — 4:3; Mk 9:30-37

## **Prayer for Healing Victims of Abuse**

God of endless love, ever caring, ever strong, always present, always just: You gave your only Son to save us by the blood of his cross.

Gentle Jesus, shepherd of peace, join to your own suffering the pain of all who have been hurt in body, mind, and spirit by those who betrayed the trust placed in them.

Hear our cries as we agonize over the harm done to our brothers and sisters.

Breathe wisdom into our prayers, soothe restless hearts with hope, steady shaken spirits with faith:  
 Show us the way to justice and wholeness, enlightened by truth and enfolded in your mercy.

Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts, heal your people's wounds and transform our brokenness.

Grant us courage and wisdom, humility and grace, so that we may act with justice and find peace in you.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## **Pray for the Deceased**

### **For the repose of the soul of our dearly departed:**

Anna Quan Ho †, Fr. Alfonso's grandmother; Vincent Lochetto †, Dolores Lopez Nerie †, wife of Eliseo C. Nerie  
 Wanda Duncan †, mother of Thomas Duncan,  
 Marcella Borski Clampitte †, sister of Msgr. Chester Borski  
 Fr. Jack Solarski †, Prelature of Opus Dei for Texas

**Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.**

**—And let perpetual light shine upon them**

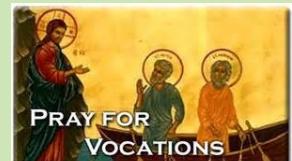
May they rest in peace. —Amen.

May their soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. —Amen.

For consolation and God's healing graces upon the family and friends of the deceased. Heal their pain and dispel the darkness and doubt that comes from grief. —Amen.

### **PRAY for ...**

- peace in our world, especially in the Holy Land, for an end to terrorism and civil strife; for all hostages, refugees & immigrants.
- the safety of all those who protect us: military personnel, police officers, fire fighters and all others.
- a transformation of mind and heart for those who do not believe in the sanctity of human life.
- for all healthcare professionals to make wise and ethical decisions to promote health.
- the spread of the Gospel and the sanctity of all marriages and families.
- an end to all discrimination, prejudice and hatred.
- all the sick and suffering, the dying and the faithful departed †.



### **Pope's Prayer Intention: Universal – Young People In Africa**

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

# Children's Catechesis & Evangelization (CCE)



## Faith Formation for Children and Youth

*Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston*

The goal of Children and Youth Faith Formation here at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart is to provide a comprehensive process of the highest possible quality of Catholic Christian Education and Spiritual Formation for the Children and Youth of our Parish. We do this in a safe, welcoming, caring, and hospitable environment while enabling their parents and guardians to successfully accept and perform their role as the primary teachers and role models of their children.

## **Faith Formation 2018-2019 resumes TODAY!**

**Sunday, September 16      9 am - 10:30 am**

**All sessions will begin promptly at 9 am with morning prayer.**

**Focus: Community build up!**



### Children and Youth Continuing Christian Education 2018-2019

Note that registration forms for the CCE process being offered here at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart for our Children and Youth in 2018-2019 are now available in the Narthex of the Church, the Cathedral Centre, and on our Website.

Online Information and "Registration Form for 2018-2019": <http://www.sacredhearthouston.org/>

## **Faith Formation Sundays**

To **equip**, **unite**, and **strengthened** Catholic Families.

### Goals:

1. To **equip** families to better serve God through their relationships with one another.
2. To **unite** families together to serve, know, and love God through activities, worship, and fellowship with other Catholic Families.
3. To **strengthened** families in their Catholic Faith and unite them to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

### How:

1. Focusing on the Mass and Sunday Readings.
2. Following the Liturgical Calendar and incorporating the various Feast days of the Church.
3. Utilizing the conformity Pflaum Gospel Weeklies and Handbook
4. Incorporating the Archdiocesan Catechetical Framework
5. Family Connect Sundays - (CCE Track 1, K-12): Opportunities for the whole family to come together as one and in community to grow in faith.

## Immediate Sacrament Preparation Sessions

Requirements for a child/youth to enter into Immediate Preparation for the celebration of the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion, and Confirmation are the following:

### First Reconciliation 2018 & First Communion 2019

1. Your family is participating in our Co-Cathedral parish community, and
2. Your child is at least in 2nd grade in school, and
3. Your child was last year and is currently this year registered and participating in our Co-Cathedral's CCE process OR attending a Catholic School.

### Youth Confirmation 2019

1. Participating in our Co-Cathedral parish community;
2. Registered and participating in the Co-Cathedral's CCE process OR attending a Catholic School.
3. In the 10th grade or above
4. In their 2nd consecutive year of H. S. Faith Formation

**\*\*\* A baptismal certificate must be turned in prior to beginning Immediate Sacrament Preparation.\*\*\***

For the safety of our children all Parents and Adults of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart are encouraged to register and take VIRTUS training. To Register go to: [https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg\\_0.cfm?theme=0](https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg_0.cfm?theme=0)

## What is VIRTUS?

VIRTUS is the brand name that identifies best practices programs designed to help prevent wrongdoing and promote "rightdoing" within religious organizations. The VIRTUS programs empower organizations and people to better control risk and improve the lives of all those who interact with the Church. To learn more about VIRTUS, visit their website at

[https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/virtus\\_description.cfm](https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/virtus_description.cfm)

## **CAN YOU SUPPORT A CHILD or YOUTH'S FAITH FORMATION HERE IN YOUR PARISH**

**So we can continue to ensure Faith Formation for all, please consider**

**Sponsoring a child or youth through our Parish Faith Formation Scholarship Program.**

**For information on how contact Carmen Benitez— [cbenitez@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:cbenitez@sacredhearthouston.org)**

Contact: Carmen Benitez, Faith Formation Associate & Youth Minister - [cbenitez@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:cbenitez@sacredhearthouston.org)

**JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON  
OF LAUGHTER, GAMES, FOOD,  
AND FELLOWSHIP WITH  
NEXT MEETING: Sat., Sept.  
22 2:30 pm- 4:30 pm  
Cathedral Centre - Youth Room**



**The Co-Cathedral Youth Ministry is  
here to serve you, to create an ambiance  
where the Holy Spirit can work and  
transform your life!**

We are in need of volunteers who are willing to share their faith and love for Christ with our High School Youth. Come and be part of our Team! Contact: Carmen Benitez, Youth Minister—cbenitez@sacredhearthouston.org

## Young Adults

### Are You a Single, Engaged or Married Young Adult, 18-30's?

Do you regularly attend the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart and would like to get to know other single, engaged, or married young adults, who are choosing to make this their Parish home also? Then you may be interested in the ["Co-Cathedral Young Adults"](#)

Contact us at [cocathedralalya@gmail.com](mailto:cocathedralalya@gmail.com) to get connected and to start receiving our Newsletter to learn about [upcoming events](#)

**CYA Mass & Lunch Date:** THIS SUNDAY: Sept. 16

**Time:** Immediately Following 11 am Mass

**Place:** Cathedral Centre - Fourth Floor

**CYA Movie Night -Black Panther Date:** September 29

**Time:** 7:00 pm, Movie to begin by 7:15pm

**Place:** Cathedral Centre - 2nd Floor

**Bayou Awakening** is a retreat for college-age young adults (18-25), led by young adults, that focuses on deepening your relationship with Christ. There will be talks, small group conversations, quiet prayer time, Mass, and confession. **Bayou Awakening will be held October 5-7,** at Camp Kappe Retreat Center (7738 Camp Kappe Rd., Plantersville).

**Register by September 24; cost is \$70.** For more information or to register visit [www.bayouawakening.org](http://www.bayouawakening.org), email [Bayouawakening@gmail.com](mailto:Bayouawakening@gmail.com) or call 713-741-8778.

## Adult Faith Enrichment & Educational Opportunities

### Marriage Preparation:



Advance approval required to begin sessions.

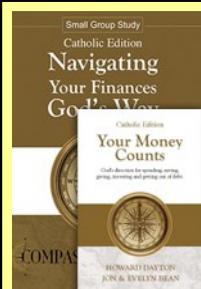
- **Sunday, September 16: Session B**
- **Sunday, October 7: Initial**
- **Sunday, October 21: Session C**

**Location:** Cathedral Centre—1701 San Jacinto

Please check White Board for room assignment each time.

**Time:** Sign-in: Noon-12:30 pm/**Session:** 12:30-2:30 pm

**Marriage Guidelines:** Visit [www.sacredhearthouston.org](http://www.sacredhearthouston.org)



### Navigating Your Finances God's Way” Bible Study

**New Class starting Tuesday, Oct. 2**

If you would like to attend  
email: Selma DeMarco at  
[sdemarco@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:sdemarco@sacredhearthouston.org)

### Christian Meditation: Wednesday Evenings

**6:30 PM Parish Library  
1st Floor of Cathedral Centre**



### A Baptism Preparation Information Session

is the required **first step for Infant Baptisms** at the *Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart*.

**(RSVP for Initial Session Needed: See Below)**

#### Initial Information Sessions 2018:

**Sunday – October 14: 2:15pm-5:15pm**

Sunday - December 9: 2:15pm-5:15pm

Sunday - January 27, 2019: 2:15pm-5:15pm

**In the Cathedral Centre—1701 San Jacinto**

1. **Being on time is absolutely essential:**

*No one will be admitted after 15 minutes into a session.*

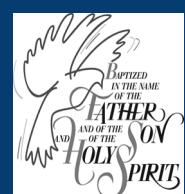
You are welcome to arrive as much as 30 minutes early.

2. We need your **undivided attention for both**

- the *Initial Information Session* and  
- the *Core Topics Session*.

Therefore **no children will be admitted into either of these sessions.**

*Plan Ahead. No exceptions.*



**For more information and to RSVP  
for one of these Initial Sessions go to  
<https://www.sacredhearthouston.org/baptism>**

Parish Men's and Women's Groups of the Co-Cathedral:



**Next Gathering: Friday, September 21**  
Cathedral Centre - Potluck starts at 7pm

**Make Friends!**  
**Build Parish Community!**  
**Learn God's Will! Have Fun!**

For more information contact:

Larry Monks: [ipmonks@gmail.com](mailto:ipmonks@gmail.com) or 713-459-8009  
Celina Monks: [42celina@gmail.com](mailto:42celina@gmail.com) or 832-544-6491



### **Maria Goretti Network** For Recovery and Forgiveness

Support Group for the Abused  
<http://www.mgoretti.org/>

Regular monthly meetings at the Cathedral Centre:  
Abused physically, sexually, spiritually or emotionally  
For Recovery and Forgiveness, *normally* every  
3rd Monday of the month at 7 pm:

**Our Next Meeting is Monday, September 17 at 7 pm**

For meeting info, send a confidential email to  
[sacredheartmgn@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartmgn@gmail.com) or call 832-544-6491.

## **SAVE THE DATES!**

### **10 am Saturday, Oct. 6th** **Blessing of the Animals**

*God's care extends beyond the human family to the whole of creation!*

Side Driveway on Fannin next to Co-Cathedral

Celebrate the Feast of St. Francis, the loving friend to all creatures. Bring your animals (gerbils, hamsters, goldfish, rabbits, horses, etc.) and pets (dogs and cats properly restrained) for a special blessing. People of all faiths are welcome! For more info, contact parish office.



### **Court Our Lady of Victory #234** **Fall Fundraiser** **Saturday, October 27**



**Location: 1701 San Jacinto**  
**Cathedral Centre, 3rd Floor**  
**Donation: \$10**  
**Time: 1:00pm-4:00pm**



For tickets, see your CDA #234 members.  
Tickets will also be available at the door or  
call Antonia Ledesma at (713)882-6072.

All proceeds to benefit local, state, and national charities.

Join us on Sundays in the Cathedral Centre to  
**Open the Word of God together!**

**Sunday, September 16: 12:30pm-1:30pm AND**  
**9:05am—10:25am in Room 315/316**



**Available on "FORMED"**  
Register at <http://formed.org>  
Parish Code: 0be7ec  
(first digit is the number 0)



**AND *Mass Readings Explained***  
By Dr. Brant Pitre

### **DID YOU KNOW:**

**You can now listen to our homilies on-line?**

Simply go to our website:

[www.sacredhearthouston.org](http://www.sacredhearthouston.org)

and click on "Homilies" at the top of the home page. This will take you to our "Pastor's Weekly Message" page, where you can click to listen. You will then be taken to Sound Cloud, where you can listen to some of the past homilies of:

Our Pastor,  
Fr. Lawrence Jozwiak



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Click here to listen to the homilies

If you would like to learn more about the **Knights of Columbus** and the amazing group of men who make up its membership, contact Robert Horan GK of Council 803 at [HoranKC.GK2017@gmail.com](mailto:HoranKC.GK2017@gmail.com). If you would like to become an associate member of Council 803 of the Knights of Columbus you can sign up at [KofC.org/JoinUs](http://KofC.org/JoinUs).



	Sept. 8/9	Year to Date
Actual Collection:	\$32,577*	\$322,925
Budgeted Collection:	<u>\$32,250</u>	<u>\$335,918</u>
Amount over (Under):	\$ 327	(\$12,993)

\*Includes \$14,200 from Faith Direct  
 Catholic University of St. Thomas \$4,265\*\*  
 \*\*Includes \$1,158 from Faith Direct

## Second Collections

Sept. 23: Parish Debt Reduction

Thank you for being a part of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart! As you prepare for the end of summer and the start of a busy autumn, consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot. Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: TX363.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!  
 May God Bless You!

Fr. Lawrence W. Jozwiak



## Stewardship Reflection

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time: September 16

Remembering that absolutely everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God.

*"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."*  
 (Mark 8:34)

When we truly believe that all we have is a gift from God, then we must be willing to give up some things so that we can share our blessings as God intended. Living a stewardship lifestyle means not only being responsible for our own life, but the lives of others as well.

### 10% Tithing of gross income

- 5% to the parish (2 hours of weekly income)
- 4% to 2nd collections and other worthy charities
- 1% to Diocesan Services Fund (DSF)

## IGNITE: Our Faith, Mission Begins!

### Invitations have been mailed!

The Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston has launched the **IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission** Campaign in an effort to meet present and future archdiocesan and individual parish needs. Through the campaign, parish leaders and volunteers will reach out to all members of our parish to communicate our vision for our Archdiocese and parish, and to affirm our commitment to our Catholic faith, parishes, schools, seminaries, and neighbors throughout our community.

Our first step in sharing information is to invite all parishioners to attend an informational campaign reception. Receptions are informational gatherings that provide an opportunity to learn about the **IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission** Campaign. They emphasize the personal nature of giving, allow for a thorough presentation of the campaign needs and give parishioners an opportunity to ask questions.

Due to the unique nature of our parish, you may have received an invitation to attend a reception at a fellow parishioner's home, space is limited so to secure your spot RSVP as soon as possible.

Additionally, there will be 2 receptions at the Cathedral Centre on:

Tuesday, September 25th at 6:30 pm  
 Hosted by Lenny & Mary Morley  
 R.S.V.P. by September 18th

Wednesday, October 10th at 6:30 pm  
 Hosted by Dan & Suzanne O'Neil  
 R.S.V.P. by October 3rd

Every registered household has been mailed an invitation to attend one of these gatherings where they will receive campaign materials in a social setting. Refreshments will be served.

RSVP at your earliest convenience!



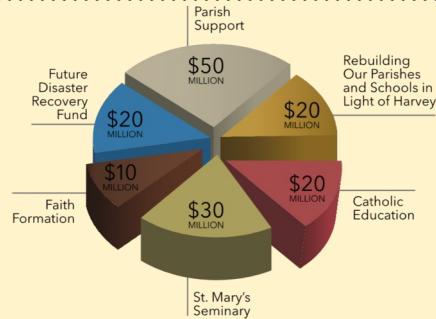
Our Time to Ignite  
 Our Faith  
 Our Mission  
 and Our Future!



### Co-Cathedral's Threshold: \$1.3 million

Of the funds collected, 33% will be returned to the Co-Cathedral for our needs. Once we reach our threshold, 67% of the funds exceeding our goal will be returned to the parish.

### Archdiocesan Goal: \$150 million





## ★ A Perfect Gift

Soon after the birth of my son Charlie\*, who has Down syndrome, a visitor asked whether he was “mild, moderate, or severe”—referring to his level of cognitive impairment. I knew the terminology, but the question shocked me. In my arms I held my beautiful baby boy, who defied easy categorization. Clinical labels may describe some aspects of an individual’s “functioning,” but they don’t tell the whole story. Labels could not describe how Charlie’s smile lit up a room or how the sweetness of his soul had captured our hearts so completely.

## ★ Relationship Changes Everything

I have since come to understand that clinical categories also miss another important dimension of personhood: we are created to be in relationship with others. As Pope Saint John Paul II said in his encyclical *Evangelium vitae* (*The Gospel of Life*), “Within the family each member is accepted, respected and honored precisely because he or she is a person; and if any family member is in greater need, the care which he or she receives is all the more intense and attentive.”<sup>1</sup>

Charlie does well because we love him and attend to him out of that love. We make accommodations to compensate for the challenges that arise, and his strengths become more apparent. He plays an integral role in our family’s happiness. For example, he is our most empathetic child—the first to notice and offer comfort when we are hurt.

People often say, “I could never handle a child with a disability.” But the beauty of parenting is that you aren’t given *a* child with a disability. You are given *your* child with a disability. Your child enters the world in a relationship with you, and that changes everything. You are not called to “handle” a disability. You are called to love a particular person, and caring for him or her grows out of that love. The challenges that come with his diagnosis make up only a small part of life with our wonderful little boy.

## ★ Stained Glass

I once read an article in which a woman discussed the reasons for aborting her child with Down syndrome. The deal-breaker was watching a boy with Down syndrome at a restaurant with his parents: they had to hand-feed him a slice of pizza and wipe his face with a napkin.

This hit home for me. We weaned Charlie off a feeding tube when he was seven, spoon-feeding him and often wiping his face afterwards. I wonder how many people saw us and decided a life like his isn’t worth living. Had anyone asked, I would have said, “It might look a little crazy from the outside, but he’s an amazing little boy, and it’s a good life.”

It’s like looking at a stained-glass window from the outside: the colors look dark, and you can’t quite make out the figures. From the inside, however, with the sun shining through it, the effect can be brilliant. From inside our family, love illuminates our life with Charlie. What may seem dreary to others, perhaps even unbearable, is actually filled with beauty and color. We know, for instance, that Charlie worked hard to gain basic feeding skills that most people take for granted, and we are so proud of his valiant efforts.

## ★ Perfection

Many parents want perfect children, and our culture is obsessed with superficial perfection. Photos are airbrushed, and social media depicts seemingly perfect lives. However, God calls us to seek perfection not in appearance or abilities, but in love.

Christians know what perfect love looks like—Jesus offering himself on the Cross. Love in a family where one member has a serious disability may look unappealing from the outside. Indeed, love in *any* family is messy; there are faces to wipe and sacrifices to make. It's natural to fear that such sacrifices will require too much, but this is where the deep mystery of sacrificial love becomes apparent.

In our family, we have found that our hearts, rather than being weighed down, have become larger. Caring for Charlie has given us more patience, more compassion, and more love for others—especially those on the outskirts of society, whom Pope Francis so often calls us to care for.

## ★ A Fundamental Truth

Perhaps this is why so many families of children with disabilities, despite difficulties, often radiate joy. When I meet another parent of a child with Down syndrome, there is usually a moment of instant recognition and understanding. Our eyes meet, and we smile conspiratorially, as if we're in on the same secret: the fundamental truth that every life is a good and perfect gift. Many know this on an intellectual level, but those who love someone with a disability see it in their loved one's face in a particular way. Our love for our children has nothing to do with their abilities. We love them simply because of who they *are*, and understanding this teaches us how to truly love everyone. We also begin to understand our own worth, which depends not on our skills or appearance, but solely on the fact that we are created in the image and likeness of God and loved by Him. Our lives—all our lives—are worth living.

\*Name changed for privacy.

\*\*The author has a Ph.D. in developmental psychology and has been advocating since the birth of her son Charlie\* for children who are prenatally diagnosed with disabilities.

<sup>1</sup>Pope St. John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae (The Gospel of Life)* (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 1995), no. 92.

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*Our love for our children has nothing to do with their abilities.  
We love them simply because of who they are.*

### Prayer for Respect Life

God of life and love,  
you created us in your image  
and sent your Son to bring us life.  
Instill in us a respect for all life,  
from conception to natural death.

**Empower** us to work for justice for the poor.  
**Nourish** us that we may bring food to the hungry.  
**Inspire** us to cherish the fragile life of the unborn.  
**Strengthen** us to bring comfort to the chronically ill.  
**Teach** us to treat the aging with dignity and respect.  
**Bring** us one day into the glory of everlasting life.

We ask through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Cathedral Centre Office Volunteers Needed!

Help needed to answer phones, greet visitors, accept packages, file, and light paperwork

**Tuesdays/Wednesday/Fridays**  
**8am-Noon**  
**1pm-5pm**

Email: [outreach@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:outreach@sacredhearthouston.org)



### Our Gabriel Project welcomed a baby boy and girl last month!

We are currently waiting on the arrival of one boy in October! Keep Mom and baby in your prayers!

To be one of our Angels email:  
[outreach@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:outreach@sacredhearthouston.org)

### THANKSGIVING MEAL BASKET PROJECT COMING SOON!



Our Outreach Ministry is currently looking for individuals interested in serving

Before and after each mass for the Thanksgiving Meal Baskets.

If you would like to help please contact our Outreach at:  
[outreach@sacredhearthouston.org](mailto:outreach@sacredhearthouston.org)

Text **CCSHOUTREACH**  
to **22828**  
to sign up for Outreach opportunities!



[@ccsh.outreachministry](http://@ccsh.outreachministry)

## Liturgia

### -Antífona de Entrada:

A los que esperan en ti, Señor, concédeles tu paz, y cumple así las palabras  
de tus pro-fe-tas; Es-cu-chame, Señor, y atiende a las plegarias de tu pue-blo.

### -Entrada: Entre Tus Manos (#671)

### -Gloria (Misa San José, #5)

**-Salmo:** Caminaré en presencia del Señor, en el país de la vida.

### -Canto de Ofertorio: Pues si Vivimos (#672)

### -Santo (Misa Melódica, #109)

### -Anunciamos Tu Muerte (Misa Melódica, #110)

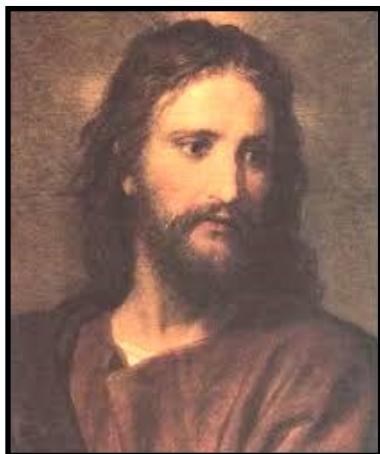
### -Amen (Misa Melódica, #111)

### -Cordero de Dios (Misa Melódica, #112)

**-Antífona:** [Tollite] Señor Dios, que preciosa es tu misericordia. Por eso los hombres se acogen a la sombra de tus alas. (Cfr. Sal 35, 8)

### -Comunión: Una Espiga (#597)

### -Salida: Id y Enseñad (#684)



*En aquel tiempo, Jesús y sus discípulos se dirigieron a los poblados de Cesárea de Filipo. Por el camino les hizo esta pregunta: "Quién dice la gente que soy yo?" Ellos le contestaron: Algunos dicen que eres Juan el Bautista; otros, que Elías; y otros, que alguno de los profetas." Entonces él les preguntó: "Y ustedes ¿quién dicen que soy yo?" Pedro le respondió: Tú eres el Mesías." Y él les ordenó que no se lo dijeran a nadie. Luego se puso a explicarles que era necesario que el Hijo del hombre padeciera mucho, que fuera rechazado por los ancianos, los sumos sacerdotes y los escribas, que fuera entregado a la muerte y resucitara al tercer día.*

## Ministerios Espirituales

**Estudio Bíblico:** Conozca al Señor mejor a través de nuestro plática de Biblia, cada martes a las 6:00 pm en la biblioteca del Centro Catedral, conducido por el Diacono Daniel.

**La Legión de María:** Cultive su relación con Cristo debajo del liderazgo de María cada martes a las 7:15 pm en la biblioteca del Centro Catedral, por medio de rezar el santo rosario, reflexionar sobre las enseñanzas de Jesús, y servir al Señor.

## Anuncios

**Reunión de la Comunidad Hispana:** el día miércoles, 19 de septiembre en el Centro Catedral. Todos están invitados para hablar sobre temas importantes de la comunidad hispana de nuestra parroquia.

**La Palabra entre Nosotros** para el mes septiembre por una donación de \$2.00. Con sus lecturas, comentarios espirituales y oraciones, *La Palabra entre Nosotros* nos ayuda a mejorar nuestra relación con el Señor.

**La Santa Biblia** por una donación de \$7.00.

**Monaguillos:** Niños, si han recibido la Primera Comunión, pueden ser monaguillo. Hablen con el Diacono Daniel después de la Santa Misa.

**Coro:** Denle gloria a Dios por medio de su voz, cantándole y alabándole, como miembros del coro. No necesitan experiencia, solo su voluntad para alabarle con himnos hermosos al Señor. Practicamos cada domingo a las 6 de la tarde en la Co-Catedral.

**La Forma Escrita de las Homilías del Diacono Daniel** se encuentran a: <http://diaconodanieladdis.blogspot.com/>

## Palabras del Papa Francisco

### Jesús Nos Pregunta: "Quien Soy Yo"

El Evangelio de hoy nos presenta a Jesús que, en camino hacia Cesárea de Filipo, interroga a los discípulos: «¿Quién dice la gente que soy yo?». Ellos respondieron lo que decía la gente: algunos lo consideran Juan el Bautista, redivivo, otros Elías o uno de los grandes profetas. La gente apreciaba a Jesús, lo consideraba un «enviado de Dios», pero no lograba aún reconocerlo como el Mesías, el Mesías preanunciado y esperado por todos. Jesús mira a los apóstoles y pregunta una vez más: «Y vosotros, ¿quién decís que soy yo?». Esta es la pregunta más importante, con la que Jesús se dirige directamente a aquellos que lo han seguido, para verificar su fe. Pedro, en nombre de todos, exclama con naturalidad: «Tú eres el Mesías». Jesús queda impresionado con la fe de Pedro, reconoce que ésta es fruto de una gracia, de una gracia especial de Dios Padre. Y entonces revela abiertamente a los discípulos lo que le espera en Jerusalén, es decir, que «el Hijo del hombre tiene que padecer mucho... ser ejecutado y resucitar a los tres días». Al escuchar esto, el mismo Pedro, que acaba de profesar su fe en Jesús como Mesías, se escandaliza. Llama aparte al Maestro y lo reprende Y, ¿cómo reacciona Jesús? A su vez increpa a Pedro por esto, con palabras muy severas: «¡Aléjate de mí, Satanás!» —le dice Satanás— «tú piensas como los hombres, no como Dios». Jesús se da cuenta de que en Pedro, como en los demás discípulos — ¡también en cada uno de nosotros! — a la gracia del Padre se opone la tentación del Maligno, que quiere apartarnos de la voluntad de Dios. Anunciando que deberá sufrir y ser condenado a muerte para después resucitar, Jesús quiere hacer comprender a quienes lo siguen que Él es un Mesías humilde y servidor. Él es el Siervo obediente a la palabra y a la voluntad del Padre, hasta el sacrificio completo de su propia vida. Por esto, dirigiéndose a toda la multitud que estaba allí, declara que quien quiere ser su discípulo debe aceptar ser siervo, como Él se ha hecho siervo, y advierte: «El que quiera venir en pos de mí, que se niegue a sí mismo, que cargue con su cruz y me siga».