

CO-CATHEDRAL OF THE SACRED HEART

WEEKENDS

Saturday

Hours: Noon-6:00pm

Mass

5:00pm (English)

Confessions

3:30-4:45pm

Sunday

Hours: 6:30am-7:00pm

Masses

7:00am (English)

9:00am (Vietnamese)

11:00am (English)

1:00pm (Spanish)

5:30pm (English)

Confessions

8:15-8:45am

10:15-10:45am

12:15-12:45pm

4:30-5:15pm



WEEKDAYS

Monday

Hours: 9:00am-2pm Mass:

12:10pm (English)

Confessions: 11:30am-Noon

Tuesday

Hours: 6:30am-2pm Masses:

7:00am & 12:10pm

Confessions:

6:30am-6:50am

& 11:30am-Noon

Wednesday-Thursday

Hours: 6:30am-6pm Masses:

7:00am & 12:10pm

Confessions:

6:30am-6:50am

& 11:30am-Noon

Friday

Hours: 9:00am-6pm

Mass: 12:10pm

Confessions:

11:30am-Noon

*“I am the way
and the truth and the life.”
-John 14:6*

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 7, 2023

RECTOR'S CORNER

May 7, 2023
Milestones

Dear Friends in Christ:

Anh chị em thân mến trong Chúa Kitô:

Estimados Amigos y Amigas en Cristo:

On Wednesday, representatives from parishes across the Archdiocese gathered at the Co-Cathedral for a special Mass with Cardinal DiNardo closing the 175th Anniversary celebration for the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. We were represented by our clergy and some members of the Pastoral Council. Others from across the Archdiocese were able to gather at the special anniversary gala held at the Hilton Americas in late April where we looked not only at the history of our local church but also acknowledged some of the key leaders and legacies in our midst.

Milestones are important for recognition because they not only allow for looking back to origins but for a reminder in the present of who we are, where we come from, and where we are called to go. The legacy of the church of Galveston-Houston is in fact the legacy of the church in Texas, dating back to the establishment of the Diocese of Galveston on May 4, 1847, which at that time encompassed all of the current state of Texas and significant territory beyond the modern borders.

Our parish's part of that story began in 1896 when Sacred Heart was established as the fifth parish in Houston. In 1959, when Pope John XXIII established Houston itself as an episcopal see and redesignated the Diocese of Galveston as the Diocese of Galveston-Houston, the humble Sacred Heart parish church became a co-cathedral alongside St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica in Galveston. The original church, school, and rectory were all eventually replaced by the structures standing on the original property now, which are in the process of being demolished themselves. Our current beautiful Co-Cathedral church was dedicated on April 2, 2008 and is celebrating its 15th anniversary this year (how time flies!).

Aside from remembering origins, history, and mission, milestones also give us the opportunity to stop and pause in gratitude. Too often, we get caught up in the events of the present in a granular, episodic manner and lose sight of the overall picture. As the author Tom Clancy once said, "The good old days are now." We have had a lot of good days in the past for which we should pause and give thanks. But we should also remember that the good old days are happening right now if we can be present to the Lord and one another and live lives of perpetual gratitude.

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all our trust in you! Amen!

Yours in Christ,



Very Rev. Jeffrey L. Bame
Pastor & Rector



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TO PROTECT
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WORSHIP



WORSHIP is the beginning and end of all things for a Catholic—our Catholic life begins in baptism. It is the source and summit of Catholic life, including that of a parish. We receive from God, and we make offering to God, with our joint participation with Christ in the ultimate offering to God the Father in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. For many, this is all that there is to Catholic life—go to Mass—but it is merely the beginning. By our **WORSHIP** and by our baptism, we **BELONG** to the Body of Christ, are called to **GROW**, to **GIVE** back, and **GO** forth in authentic discipleship. Of course, all of this leads back to **WORSHIP**.

Mass Intentions & Special Intentions: May 6– May 12

Saturday, May 6

5:00pm Edward P. White Family

Sunday, May 7

7:00am Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Schoepper †

9:00am For Community Intentions

11:00am For the People of the Parish

1:00pm For the Intentions of Benjamin
Garrett Johnson

5:30pm Bernadine & F.R. Pizzitola †
& For Deceased Clergy of the Archdiocese
(See “Requiescat in Pace” on Page 8)

Monday, May 8

12:10pm Marilyn L. Smith †

Tuesday, May 9

7:00am Mairan H. Chaput †

12:10pm Terry Parrett

Wednesday, May 10

7:00am Antonino Deleza †

12:10pm Frank Rynd

Thursday, May 11

7:00am Jonas Deverson †

12:10pm Randy Kelley Family

Friday, May 12

12:10pm Rosalie Marie Cipollina †

For upcoming weddings: Elias Antonio
Lainez & Christin Nicolle Vogel (6/24)

+ FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER +

Today’s Introit, **Cantate Dómino**, comes from Psalm 98. Our motet during Holy Communion, by Italian baroque composer **Giuseppe Pitoni**, takes its text from another psalm which starts exactly the same way: Psalm 149. The Introit and Offertory antiphon (the latter not heard today) are full of rejoicing, which is reflected in today’s hymnody, but the Gospel reading and Communion antiphon are more meditative; from Christ’s “Farewell Discourse” at the Last Supper, these texts invite us to reflect on our trust in Christ. **John Ireland’s** deeply affecting opus **Greater Love Hath No Man**, heard at the Offertory, takes part of its text from today’s second reading. Note how throughout the anthem, Ireland quickly changes between both of the “moods” we are exploring today.

Readings: #1052

Prelude: Gelobt Sei Gott

Healey Willan (1880-1968)

Introit: Cantate Dómino canticum novum (mode VI)

Gregorian Chant

Sing to the Lord a new song, alleluia; for the Lord has accomplished wondrous deeds, alleluia; he has revealed his justice in the sight of the Gentiles, alleluia, alleluia.

Processional Hymn: #586 Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing

GELOBT SEI GOTT

Kyrie (Mass of St. Benedict)

Robert LeBlanc (b. 1948)

Cantor: *All:*

1,3. Ky - rie e - le - i - son. Ky - rie e - le - i - son. Ky - rie e - le - i - son. - son.
2. Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son.

Gloria (Mass of St. Benedict)

Robert LeBlanc

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,

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Lord God, heav-en - 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, a - men, a - men.

First Reading

Acts 6:1-7

Psalms 33

Owen Alstott (b. 1947)

Lord, let your mer - cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Second Reading

1 Peter 2:4-9

Gospel

John 14:1-12

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,
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.

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Offertory

#582 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

DUKE STREET

11 AM: Greater Love Hath No Man

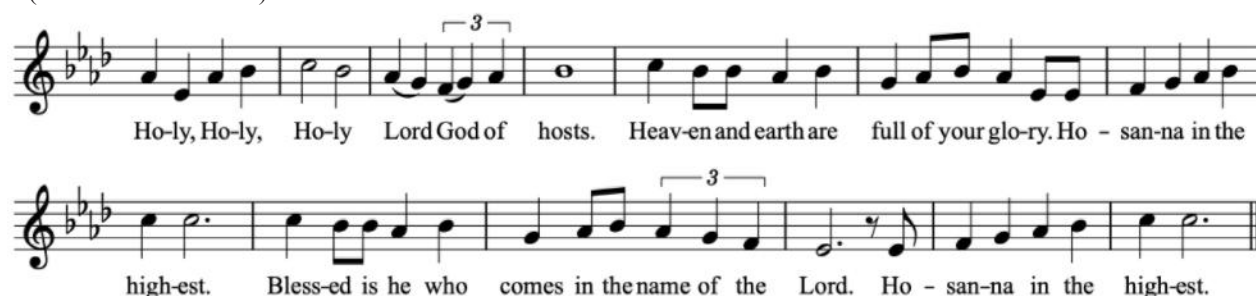
John Ireland (1879-1962)

Many waters cannot quench love,
neither can the floods drown it. Love is strong as death.
Greater love hath no man than this,
that a man lay down his life for his friends.
Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree,
that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness.
Ye are washed, ye are sanctified,
ye are justified in the name of the Lord Jesus.

Ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood,
a holy nation;
that ye should show forth the praises of him who hath called
you out of darkness into his marvelous light.
I beseech you brethren, by the mercies of God,
that you present your bodies, a living sacrifice,
holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.
Canticles 8, St John 15, 1 Peter 2, 1 Corinthians 6; Romans 12

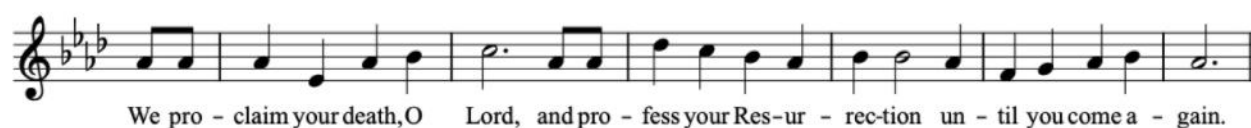
Sanctus (Mass of St. Benedict)

Robert LeBlanc



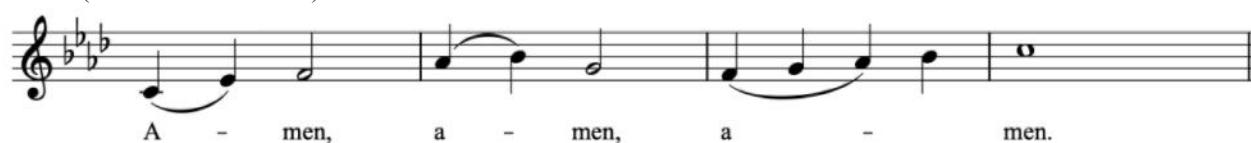
Memorial Acclamation (Mass of St. Benedict)

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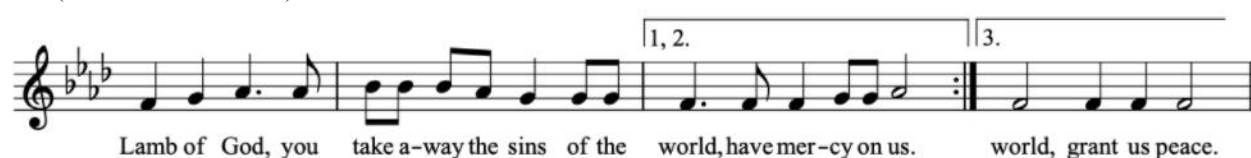
Great Amen (Mass of St. Benedict)

Robert LeBlanc



Agnus Dei (Mass of St. Benedict)

Robert LeBlanc



Holy Communion

#717 Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life

THE CALL

Tanto tēmpore vobiscum sum (mode IV)

Gregorian Chant

Have I been with you so long, and yet you do not know me? Philip, he who sees me, sees the Father. Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? Alleluia, alleluia.

11 AM: Cantate Domino

Giuseppe Pitoni (1657-1743)

Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle: let his praise be in the church of the saints.
Let Israel rejoice in him that made him: and let the children of Sion be joyful in their king.
Psalms 149

Recessional Hymn: #602 Christ the Lord is Risen Today

LLANFAIR

Postlude: Fugue in B Major

Marcel Dupré (1886-1971)

PARISH LIFE

RECTOR'S MAILBAG

Join our parish on the Tabella App!

Submit your questions to the 'Rector's Mailbag' small group on Tabella, and each Wednesday Father Jeff will answer them!



Tabella
www.tabella.app

"Moreover, man and his life appear to us not only as one of the greatest marvels of creation: for God has granted to man a dignity which is near to divine (Ps 8:5-6). In every child which is born and in every person who lives or dies we see the image of God's glory. We celebrate this glory in every human being, a sign of the living God, an icon of Jesus Christ."
Evangelium Vitae 85

Read the full encyclical from Pope St. John Paul II and see how our parish is working to promote a culture of life at sacredheartouston.org/walkingwithmoms



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Parish Staff

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Thank you for supporting the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart. In addition to our Parish Offertory Box and Poor Box found in the back of the church, you can donate via Faith Direct using our parish code TX363 at www.faithdirect.net.

4/30/23 Offertory:	Collected: \$18,389	Budgeted: \$32,000	(\$13,611)
2022-23 YTD:	Collected: \$1,102,510	Budgeted: \$1,408,000	(\$305,490)
2022 DSF Gifts:	Paid: \$41,810	Goal: \$145,000	(\$103,190)/28.8%
DSF Participation:	Donors: 152	Families: 792	19.2%

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By the grace of baptism, we **BELONG** to the Body of Christ, the Church. We are adopted sons and daughters of God who are built up as a family through the Body and Blood of Christ. This is true in a mystical sense and also in a very human, institutional sense as we belong to the Church and to our parish family.

BELONG

GIVE

The more we grow in our Catholic faith, the more we realize how blessed we are and how in turn we are called to **GIVE**. We come to realize that all that we are and all that we have is a gift from God. We are called to give back to God and our neighbor in practical charity and true stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.

PARISH LIFE

Incorporated into the Life of Christ and His Church by the grace of baptism and the sacraments, we are called to **GROW** in virtue, prayer, and knowledge. God continues to sow the seed and asks us to nurture what has been sown so that we can grow into Christian maturity and bear fruit more abundantly.

GROW

GO

The authentic Catholic life leads us not to membership and disjointed action, but to discipleship and to mission. The act of divine worship ends with the dismissal to **GO** forth. We are sent, as another dismissal formula says, to go and glorify the Lord with the entirety of our lives and to make disciples of others.

COUPLES RETREAT

The Wedding Feast: Yours and the Lord's



SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 2023 | 10AM-5PM

The Cathedral Centre: 1701 San Jacinto (free parking available)



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MARK & KATIE HARTFIEL
Mark is the VP of Paradisus Dei ministries
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May 14
12:30pm-2pm
Cathedral Centre



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DAILY REFLECTIONS

Join our 'Daily Reflections & Homilies' group on the Tabella app to receive Father Jeff's Daily Reflections & Sunday Homilies. The Tabella App also provides popular podcasts such as *The Bible In A Year*, *The Catechism In A Year*, *Catholic Answers*, *Ask Father Josh*, and *His Beloved Catholic Podcast*. Visit Tabella.app for more.

CMG CONNECT

We are reminded of the call to be instruments of justice, working for the common good of all, which includes the protection of children—a responsibility that belongs to everyone as a matter of charity and justice. All parishioners, especially those volunteering in any capacity, are asked to take the self paced Safe Environment Course (CMG Connect).

Get started with your CMG Connect Course by scanning the QR Code or visit sacredheartouston.org/cmg.



Visit the USCCB Action Center to view current action alerts and sign up for future alerts so that you can contact your elected representatives to express your concerns and opinions on upcoming legislation.

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POPE FRANCIS'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF MAY:

For church movements and groups: We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

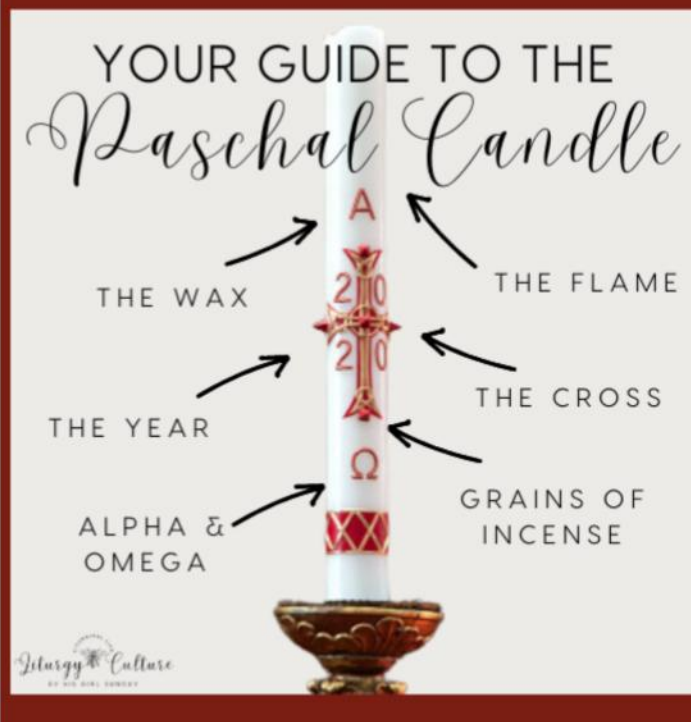
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Requiescat in Pace

For the recently deceased: Daniel Addis †, and Antonino Deleza †

For Deceased Clergy of the Archdiocese (May 6– May 12): Msgr. John A. Cummings (†1974), Msgr. Victor A. Di Premeo (†1974), Rev. Michael I. Hurley (†1946), Rev. Leo J. Munnely, C.S.B. (†1981), Rev. Walter H. Princide, C.S.B. (†1996), Rev. Florencio Andres, O.M.I. (†1965), Rev. Anton Sheltz (†2003), Rev. Theodore Bufford (†1928), Rev. A. A. Keil, S.S.J. (†1969), Rev. David E. Burns (†2003), Dcn. Benjamin Stabile (†1998), Dcn. Carl Williford (†1995), Dcn. Pablo Gonzalez (†1996)

Pickup a handout from the ushers after Mass to learn all about the Paschal Candle!



AYUDA DE ADORACIÓN

MISA DE 1 PM

Introit

Canten al Señor (modo VI)

Janet Gorbitz

Canten al Señor un cántico nuevo, aleluya: porque ha hecho maravillas, aleluya: y todos los pueblos han preseñado su victoria. Aleluya, aleluya.

Sal. La salvación provino de su diestra, de su brazo de santidad.

Entrada

#620 Un Canto Nuevo

Santiago Fernández y Eric Morgeson

#4 Kyrie (Misa San José)

Mary Frances Reza

#5 Gloria (Misa San José)

Mary Frances Reza

Liturgia de la Palabra

Primera lectura

Hch 6, 1-7

Salmo 32

Marc Cerisier



Segunda lectura

1 Ped 2, 4-9

Evangelio

Jn 14, 1-12

Ofertorio

#531 Aclamemos al Señor

Mary Frances Reza

Aclamaciones Eucarísticas

#32 – 37 Misa del Pueblo Inmigrante

Bob Hurd

Santa Comunión

Tanto témpore (modo IV)

Canto Gregoriano

*¿Tanto tiempo hace que estoy con vosotros, y aún no me conocéis? Felipe, el que me ve a mí, ve al Padre.
¿No crees que yo estoy en el Padre, y el Padre en mí?
Aleluya, aleluya.*

#372 Tomad y Comed

Cesáreo Gabaráin

Salida

#627 Cantemos al Señor

Carlos Rosas



COMUNIDAD HISPANA



Bienvenidos a la Co-Catedral del Sagrado Corazón - una parroquia de la Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston ubicada en el corazón del centro de Houston. Además de ser una catedral y un centro de la actividad arquidiocesana, somos una parroquia que sirve a la gente del centro de Houston, Midtown, visitantes y viajeros. Sea cual sea su origen, ¡bienvenido!

Para registrarse como parte de nuestra familia parroquial y recibir nuestras comunicaciones con informes sobre la parroquia, visite el Rincón del Rector en línea o llame a nuestra oficina parroquial durante la semana al 713-659-1561.

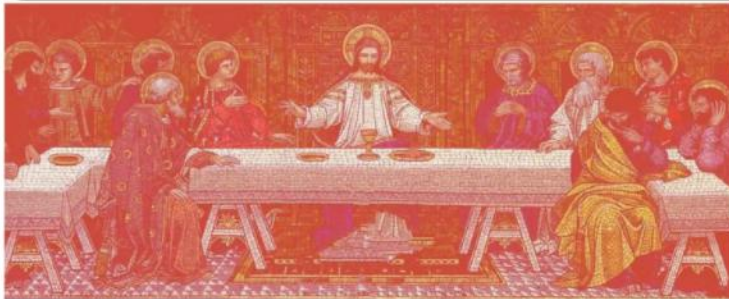
Un mensaje del Diácono Galván

REFLEXION

Jesús tiene representantes en la tierra. Es más, todos podemos representar a Jesucristo, pero no tiene sucesores, Jesús tiene representantes, pero no tiene sustitutos. Él es, como lo dice San Pedro en la Misa de este domingo, la piedra angular, la piedra fundamental del templo vivo del Dios vivo. Si queremos formar parte del único templo de Dios, o sea de la Iglesia, de la comunidad cristiana, tenemos que acercarnos a esa piedra angular y edificar nuestra fe y vida sobre ella. Jesucristo, nos dice el Evangelio de este domingo, no solo es el Buen Pastor, no solo es la única puerta por la que podemos entrar hacia Dios, sino que, además, es el único camino que nos lleva de verdad a Dios, la única verdad verdadera sobre Dios, la única vida que de verdad da la vida de Dios.

AUTO REFLEXION:

- ¿Hemos puesto nuestra fe en Jesucristo, que es la única piedra sobre la que podemos fundamentar con absoluta seguridad, nuestra fe?
- ¿Busco a Dios a través de Jesucristo, o lo busco a través de caminos muy devotos, pero mucho menos seguros?



AVIVAMIENTO EUCARÍSTICO

A LA LUZ DE LAS 5 TAREAS DE LA CATEQUESIS



8 DE JUNIO:
Llevar al conocimiento de la fe
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm CST
Marilyn Santos (USCCB)



14 DE SEPTIEMBRE:
Enseñar a orar
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm CST
Diana Yupanqui Pizarro
(Diócesis de Rockville Centre)



13 DE JULIO:
Iniciar en la celebración del Ministerio
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm CST
Juan C. Moreno (Diócesis de Dallas)



12 DE OCTUBRE:
Introducir a la vida comunitaria
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm CST
Adrián Herrera
(Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston)



10 DE AGOSTO:
Formar en la vida en Cristo
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm CST
Lia Garcia (Arquidiócesis de Baltimore)

GRATIS Y EN ESPAÑOL, PERO REQUIERE INSCRIPCIÓN. ¡INSCRÍBETE YA!

Avivamiento Eucarístico es una respuesta que respalda la petición hecha por la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos en suscitar y responder a la invitación personal que Dios Nuestro Señor Jesucristo hace a cada uno de los bautizados a través de las cinco tareas fundamentales de la Catequesis. Son cinco reflexiones virtuales ofrecidas por expertos en la formación y catequesis hispana en los Estados Unidos. Una vez al mes de modo virtual se ofrecerá una reflexión según la perspectiva catequética. Este evento es un trabajo en conjunto por la Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston, Diócesis de Dallas y la Federación para la Catequesis con Hispanos.



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Nuestra Señora de Fatima

"ORAD MUCHO Y HACED
SACRIFICIOS POR LOS PECADORES"

13 de Mayo

La más conocida de todas las apariciones marianas, Nuestra Señora de Fátima, se apareció a tres niños, Lucía, Francisco y Jacinta, a principios del siglo XX en Portugal. Entre otros muchos mensajes, Nuestra Señora se identificó como

Nuestra Señora del Rosario, urgiendo a los niños a rezar frecuentemente el Rosario por la conversión de los pecadores y la consagración de Rusia a su Inmaculado Corazón. Muchos han escrito sobre Nuestra Señora de Fátima, y más de setenta mil personas fueron testigos de Ella en su última aparición, describiendo lo que vieron como la "Danza del Sol", lo que llevó a muchas conversiones.

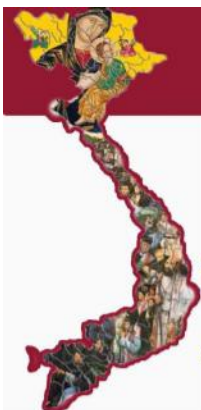
Proyecto Gabriel - Reunión del Comité

Sábado, Mayo 27, 9am Centro Catedral

¡Únase a nosotros para aprender cómo nuestra parroquia está caminando con las madres necesitadas, y cómo usted puede ayudar!

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CD sẽ có quà tặng các hiên mẫu và bán nem, bánh Pate Chaud để mọi người mừng ngày của mẹ. Xin Cộng Đoàn ủng hộ.



1. Gốc Tích Tháng Hoa

– Đức Giáo hoàng Piô 12, trong Thông điệp “Đấng Trung gian Thiên Chúa”, cho “việc tôn kính Đức Mẹ trong tháng Năm là việc đạo đức được thêm vào nghi thức Phụng vụ, được Giáo hội công nhận và cổ võ”.
– Đức giáo hoàng Phaolô 6, trong Thông điệp Tháng Năm, số 1 viết: “Tháng Năm là Tháng mà lòng đạo đức của giáo dân đã kính dâng cách riêng cho Đức Mẹ. Đó là dịp để ” bày tỏ niềm tin và lòng kính mến, tình yêu mà người Công Giáo khắp nơi trên thế giới có đối với Đức Mẹ Nữ Vương Thiên đàng. Trong tháng này, các Kitô hữu, cả ở trong thánh đường cũng như nơi tư gia, dâng lên Mẹ từ các tấm lòng của họ những lời cầu nguyện và tôn kính sốt sắng và mến yêu cách đặc biệt. Trong tháng này, những ơn phúc của Thiên Chúa nhân từ cũng đổ tràn trên chúng ta từ ngai toà rất dồi dào của Đức Mẹ”.

2. Ý nghĩa của Hoa kính dâng Mẹ:

Các nhà thờ thường hay tổ chức dâng hoa kính Mẹ, lúc này, mỗi màu hoa lại tượng trưng cho một nỗi lòng của con cái muốn dâng lên Mẹ, hay ca ngợi một nhân đức nào đó của Mẹ. Như vậy, Hoa biểu trưng cho lòng Mẹ và cũng là biểu trưng của lòng con người:
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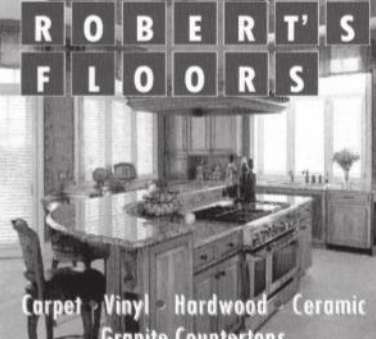
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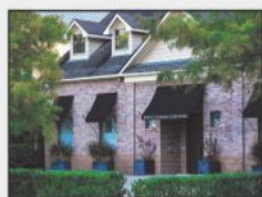
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