



Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church y Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

208 W. River St. Victoria, Texas 77901

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OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY - THURSDAY:

8:30 AM -
12:00 PM
&
1:00 PM -
5:00 PM

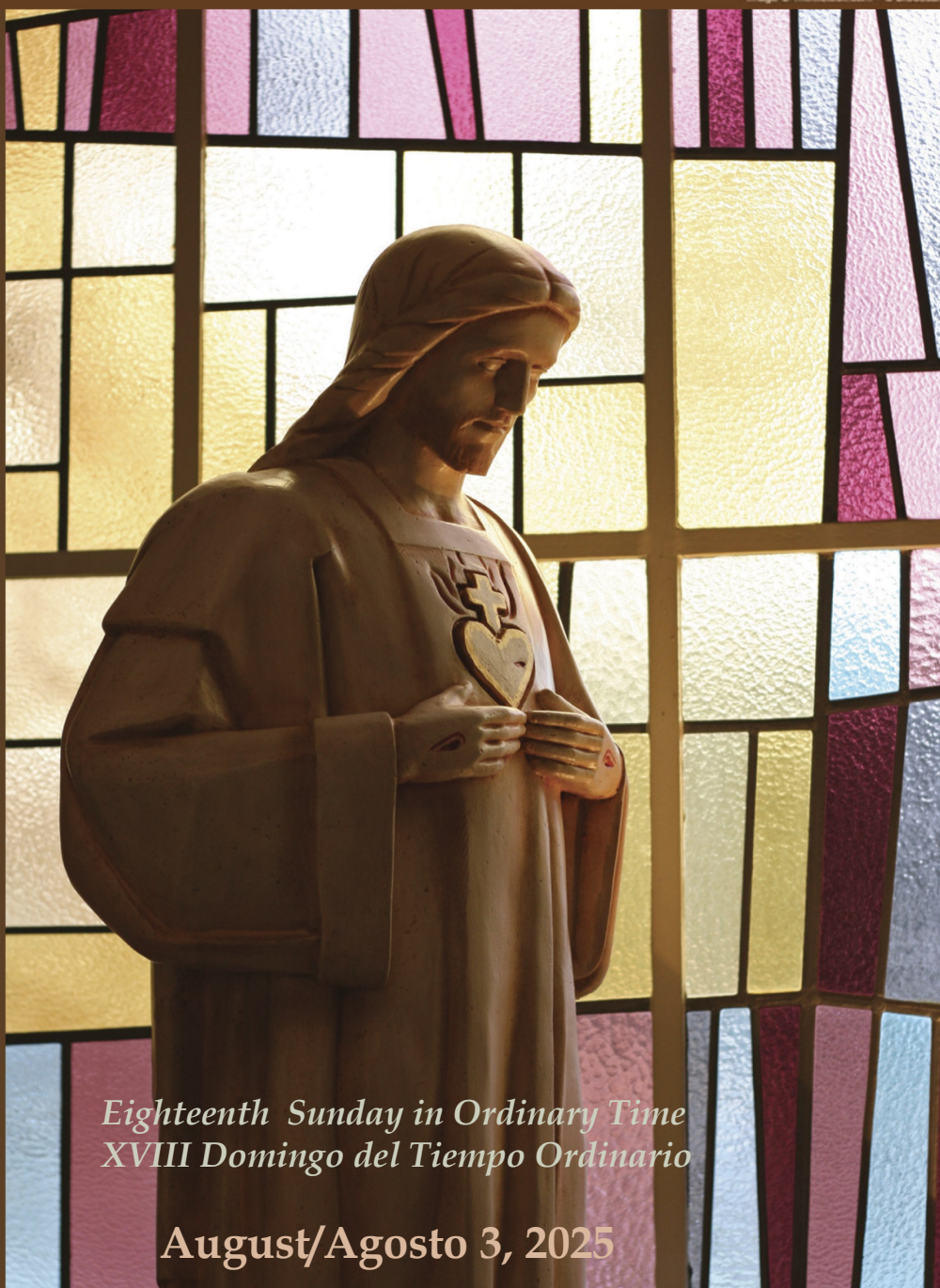
FRIDAY:

8:30 AM -
12:00 PM

TEACH US TO NUMBER OUR DAYS ARIGHT,
THAT WE MAY GAIN WISDOM OF HEART.

— PSALM 90.12

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*Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
XVIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario*

August/Agosto 3, 2025

ENSEÑAMOS A CALCULAR NUESTROS AÑOS
PARA QUE ADQUIRAMOS UN CORAZÓN SENSATO.

— PSALM 90.12

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Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church y Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

"A Home of Hope and Healing"/"Un Hogar de Esperanza y Sanación".

Welcome/Bienvenidos

THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA
IN TEXAS
MOST REV.

BRENDAN J. CAHILL

Fr. Jacob Koether, Pastor

Fr. Joseph Blackburn

Parochial Vicar

Deacons: **Edward Molina,**

Larry Koether, Frank Tilley

Adela Beltran,

Administrative Assistant

Eva Zaiontz

Safe Environment Administrators

Janie M. Rubio,

Ministry Coordinator

Bonnie Malone,

Parish Catechetical Leader

Michael Muñiz,

Director of Operations

MASSES/MISAS

Saturday Vigil/

Vigilia del Sábado

5:00 pm: *Español*

Sunday/Domingo

8:00 am: Bilingual

10:00 am, 2 pm: English

Weekdays/Entre Semana

Monday-Friday/

lunes-viernes

6:00 pm: English

RECONCILIATION

CONFESIONES

Saturday/Sábados

4:00-4:45 pm

And by appointment

Disponible con cita

CAPILLA DE LA

SANTÍSIMA TRINIDAD

2901 Pleasant Green Street

Victoria, Texas 77901

Misas del Domingo

9:00 am y 11:00 am, en Espa-

ñol

Misa, los jueves—7pm

Hora Santa primer jueves—6pm

Confesiones cada Domingo

8:30-8:55 am y 10:30-10:55 am

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Victoria, Texas 77901

(361)575-2293

"Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time"



Pastor's Notes

Fr. Jacob Koether

Happy Jamaica Weekend! Our annual parish picnic is a wonderful time to celebrate the joy and unity of our parish family.

I want to express my heartfelt **thanks to all our benefactors, sponsors, and the many volunteers** who have worked so hard to bring this event to life. Your generosity, time, and dedication are a true gift to our parish.

I hope you'll come join us at the **Victoria Community Center** and be part of the fun, food, music, and fellowship. But more than just a party, may the Jamaica be an opportunity for us to **grow together as one Church, give glory to our Heavenly Father, and bring more people to know and love Jesus Christ as Lord.** Every smile, every encounter, and every shared moment has the power to reveal the joy of the Gospel.

Let's celebrate with grateful hearts and open arms. See you at the Jamaica!

In Christ,

Fr. Jacob

"XVIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario"

Notas del Pastor

Padre Jacob Koether

¡Feliz fin de semana de la Jamaica! Nuestra kermés parroquial anual es un hermoso momento para celebrar la alegría y la unidad de nuestra familia parroquial.

Quiero expresar mi más sincero **agradecimiento a todos nuestros benefactores, patrocinadores y a los muchos voluntarios** que han trabajado con tanto esfuerzo para hacer posible este evento. Su generosidad, tiempo y dedicación son un verdadero regalo para nuestra comunidad.

Los invito a todos a acompañarnos en el **Victoria Community Center** para disfrutar de la comida, la música, los juegos y la convivencia. Pero más que una fiesta, que esta Jamaica sea una oportunidad para **crecer juntos como una sola Iglesia, dar gloria a nuestro Padre celestial y acercar a más personas al conocimiento y amor de Jesucristo como Señor.** Cada sonrisa, cada encuentro y cada momento compartido puede ser una expresión del gozo del Evangelio.

Celebremos con corazones agradecidos y brazos abiertos. ¡Nos vemos en la Jamaica!

En Cristo,

P. Jacob

From the Parish Office/De la Oficina Parroquial

Sunday Readings Lecturas Dominicales

August/Agosto 3 de 2025

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

XVIII DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Reading 1/I Lectura

Ecclesiastes/Eclesiastés 1:2; 2:21-23

Responsorial Psalm/Salmo Responsorial

Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (95:8)

Salmo 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 y 17

Reading II/II Lectura

Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Colosenses 3:1-5, 9-11

Gospel/Santo Evangelio

Luke 12:13-21

Lucas 12:13-21

Weekly Financial Report Informe Financiero Semanal

For the Week ending in

Para la semana que termina en

July/Julio 27, 2025

COLLECTIONS	OLS.....	ST....
1stCollection	7,222.43.....	2,292.00
DSA/Maintenance.....	959.00.....	345.00
Candles	232.00.....	68.00
Online Giving Tithes.....	1,389.22.....	43.33
Online DSA/Maintenance	123.33.....	0
Total.....	\$9,926.05.....	2,748.33

June Monthly Budget \$57,500

Amount Left to Raise to Meet Budget

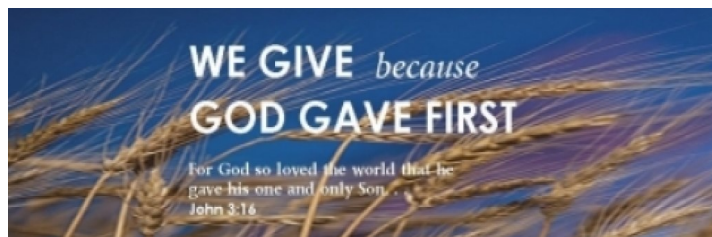
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Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa

Week/Semana

August/Agosto 2 - 8, 2025

Sabado	5:00 p.m.	San Juana R. Longoria
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Guadalupe Espinoza
	10:00 a.m.	Theresa Salazar
	2:00 p.m.	Sandra Artero
Domingo - ST	9:00 a.m.	Juan Francisco Gutierrez
Domingo - ST	11:00 a.m.	Our Lady of Sorrows
Monday	6:00 p.m.	Jaibryn G. Trevino
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Sebero Deleon
Thursday	6:00 p.m.	Roberto Martinez (birthday)
Jueves - ST	7:00 p.m.	Yolanda Gonzales
Friday	6:00 p.m.	Henry Ramirez



MONTHLY UPDATE

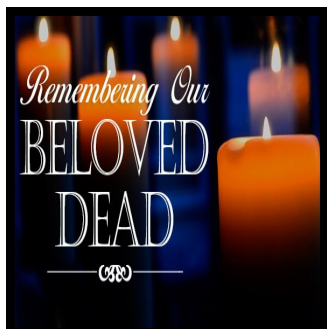
June 2025

May Services

Total Households Served –	1372
Total Number in Households –	3465
Food Boxes –	1233
Basic Needs –	3453
Home Delivery –	22
# Homeless Served –	148
# Homeless Visits –	799
1st time VCAM Clients Served –	60

Visit our website at: www.vcamvictoria.org or our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/vcam.org/> for VCAM services or news.

Enjoy the summer, stay hydrated &
fend off those pesky mosquitoes.



*May the souls of our dearly
departed rest in peace and
the perpetual light shine
upon them.*

Our Lady of Sorrows/Santisima Trinidad Jamaica

Jamaica Cake Walk

Come play and win a cake or sweets.



*Cake and sweets needed.
For more information call
Angela Rios (361)935-5313*



Jamaica 2025

Today! Sunday, 8/31/2025

Victoria Community Center

Support our awesome Parish y Capilla.

Our Lady of Sorrows & Santisima Trinidad
208 W. River Street, Victoria, TX 77901
(361) 575-2293
Drawing will be held on:
SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 2025

2025 Jamaica Raffle

1. \$2000 VISA Gift Card – Generous Parishioner
2. \$1000 VISA Gift Card – Joel & Destiny Sager
3. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Joe, Alice, & Joey Briones
4. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Generous Parishioner
5. \$550 VISA Gift Card – Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Our Lady of Sorrows #2273
6. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Knights of Columbus Council #8388
7. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Pete & Susana Moya
8. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Dr. Aaron & Leslie New
9. \$500 VISA Gift Card – Glenn & Cathy Villafranca
10. \$300 VISA Gift Card – Alegria, Arceo, & Rodriguez Families
11. \$300 VISA Gift Card – Julio Reyes
12. \$250 VISA Gift Card – Lonestar X-Ray Co. - Rick & Tina Stafford
13. \$200 VISA Gift Card – Tu, Yo, y Cristo Ministry
14. \$250 HEB Gift Card – Joel & Ashley Novosad
15. \$200 Academy Gift Card – Robert Padilla
16. \$200 HEB Gift Card – Lopez & Aguayo Family
17. \$150 HEB Gift Card – Nick & Cathy Hinojosa
18. \$150 Home Depot Gift Card – Carlos & Claudia Velasquez
19. \$100 Sweet Fountainz Gift Card – John & Tina Fuentes
20. \$100 HEB Gift Card – Louis & Kathy Rodriguez
21. \$100 Longhorn Steakhouse Gift Card – Abram & Michelle Corona
22. \$100 Burdogg Bar & Grill Gift Card – Russell & Jennifer Moya
23. \$100 Evan's Pizza Gift Card – Michael & Lori Muniz
24. \$100 Olive Garden Gift Card – Luis & Jessica Garay
25. \$100 Mr. Gatti's Gift Card – Mr. Gatti's - Zapata Family
26. \$100 VISA Gift Card – Mr. & Mrs. Felix Ramirez
27. \$100 HEB Gift Card – Mary Jane Pena
28. 55" Roku Phillips TV – John & Belinda Villafranca & Family
29. Amazon Fire HD Tablet – Janie M. Rubio
30. Bronco Barrel Grill – Abel & Janie Martinez Jr.

\$5.00 each
Need not be present to win
Thank you and God bless!

5000

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR GENEROUS DONORS!

DON'T WAIT!
GET YOURS TODAY!

CONTACT AMY ALEGRIA
WITH QUESTIONS
361.676.4002

Come check us out at the 2025 Our Lady of Sorrows Santisima Trinidad JAMAICA

Plant Booth

If you would like to donate some plants, it is not too late. For more information, call Dolores Rios at (361)5769497




Monday, August 4, 2025

Office CLOSED

*Will resume regular business hours
Tuesday, August 5, 2025*

Faith Nurturing Opportunities/Oportunidades para nutrir la fe

Come & SEE

AUGUST 16, 2025
10 A.M. - 4 P.M.

This event is for single
Catholic women who are 18-40
years of age.

JOIN OUR SISTERS:

- For a visit
- To learn our charism and history
- To tour our convent
- To enjoy lunch with us
- To meet other women exploring God's call in their lives
- To have the opportunity to ask questions, talk about your discernment, and enjoy the beauty around us
- To pray with the community

If you have any questions please email
pmlolre@gmail.com or call 361-575-7111

You may register for this event by scanning the QR code or
going to this link: <https://forms.gle/JECfqp7dqusmiM9j8>



Knights of Columbus, Aug 202

Fourth Degree * Texas Second District *
Our Lady of Guadalupe Province *
Victoria Assembly 1126



4th Degree Knight of Columbus:

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to encourage active Catholic citizenship and foster the spirit of patriotism in members and the community at large.

Please keep all our Brother Knights that are sick or in distress in your prayers.

The Patriotic Rosary is recited in The Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Please join the Knights of Columbus Victoria Council #1329 members leading us in praying for our nation and her leaders.

Next Victoria Assembly 1126 Business Meeting: Monday August 18, 2025, at Holy Family Catholic Church, St Peter's Hall at 7pm.
Next Victoria Assembly 1126 Business Meeting: Monday September 15, 2025, at Holy Family Catholic Church, St Peter's Hall at 7pm.

Next Victoria Assembly 1126 Business Meeting: Monday October 20, 2025 at Holy Family Catholic Church, St Peter's Hall at 7pm. Vivat Jesus,* Victoria Assembly 1126 *

Sacraments for school age parishioners must be enrolled with our Faith Formation Program. Join our faith journey with leaders excited to assist you in your preparation for your sacraments and becoming disciples of Christ. Call the CCD Office at 361 570-7854 to register. More information to come.

Los sacramentos para los feligreses en edad escolar deben estar inscritos en nuestro Programa de Formación en la Fe. Únase a nuestro viaje de fe con líderes entusiasmados por ayudarlo en su preparación para sus sacramentos y convertirse en discípulos de Cristo. Llame a la oficina de CCD al 361 570-7854. Más información próximamente.



**Casa Loreto
(OLS Resale Shop)**

**361 220-8963
502 S. Moody St.**

**Open/Abierto
Wednesday/Miércoles:
Thursday/Jueves,
9am-4pm**

**3rd Saturday of the month
3er Sábado del mes**

Parish/Ministry Calendar for the week.

SUNDAY, TODAY, August/Agosto 3, 2025 * JAMAICA 2025

Tuesday, August 5th - Bible Study with Eva Zaiontz * 6:00 PM * Trinity Hall *
Men's Ministry * 6 PM * Trinity Hall , Room C
"Known" Healing Program * Guadalupe Center * 6:30 PM

Wednesday, August 6- "Shepherd Me Into Your Kingdom, Lord."
By Dcn. Larry Koether * Monday, 7pm * Trinity Hall

Friday, August 6 - CWVA Meeting * CWV Annex * 1PM

All Ministry Meetings & Rentals
must be scheduled through the
online forms, available on the
Parish website. Thank you.

Email jmrubio@ourladyssorrows.org no later than 8 days prior to the week of publication.

Envíeme un correo electrónico a jmrubio@ourladyssorrows.org mas tardar 8 dias de la semana de publicacion de su articulo.

PARISH CALENDAR - CALENDARIO PARROQUIAL

August/Agosto 2 - 10, 2025

Saturday/Sábado, August/Agosto 2, 2025

Mass & Confessions at Our Lady of Sorrows

4 PM Confessions/Confesión English/Spanish

Fr. Jacob & Fr. Joseph

5 PM Misa — Fr. Joseph

Sunday/Domingo, August/Agosto 3, 2025

8 AM Mass - Fr. Jacob, Bilingual

10 AM Mass - Fr. Jacob, English

2 AM Mass - Fr. Peter Nimo, English

Misa en la Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

9am Misa — Fr. Joseph, Español

11am Misa — Fr. Joseph, Español

Confesiones a las 8:30am y 10:30am

Monday/Lunes, August/Agosto 4, 2025

6 PM Mass — Fr. Jacob, OLS

7 PM Clase de preparación para el bautismo
En el Centro CCD

Tuesday/Martes, August/Agosto 5, 2025

6 PM Mass — Fr. Jacob, OLS

7 PM Baptism Preparation * CCD Center

Wednesday/Miércoles, August/Agosto 6, 2025

6 PM Mass — Fr. Joseph, at OLS

Thursday/Jueves, August/Agosto 7, 2025

6 PM Mass Fr. Jacob, in English

6 PM ST Holy Hour (1st Thursday Adoration

7PM ST Mass - Fr. Joseph, en Español

Friday/Viernes, August/Agosto 8, 2025

1st Friday Adoration, 9AM - 5:30 PM

6 PM Mass — Fr. Joseph, at OLS

Saturday/Sábado, August/Agosto 9, 2025

Mass & Confessions at Our Lady of Sorrows

4 PM Confessions/Confesión English/Spanish

Fr. Jacob & Fr. Joseph

5 PM Misa — Fr. Jacob

Sunday/Domingo, August/Agosto 10, 2025

8 AM Mass - Fr. Joseph, Bilingual

10 AM Mass - Fr. Joseph, English

2 AM Mass - Fr. Joseph, English

Misa en la Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

9am Misa — Fr. Jacob, Español

11am Misa — Fr. Jacob, Español

Confesiones a las 8:30am y 10:30am



Prayer Intention Basket

We have a prayer intention basket in the entrance of OLS church and ST Capilla.

You can place your prayer intentions in the basket. The basket will be taken to the Altar with the offertory gifts at every mass for prayer from the whole parish community.

"And whatever you ask in prayer, if you have faith, you will receive."

Matthew 21:22

Tenemos una canasta de intención de oración en la entrada de la iglesia OLS y ST Capilla. Puedes colocar tus intenciones de oración en la canasta. La cesta se llevará al altar con los regalos del ofertorio en cada misa para la oración de toda la comunidad parroquial.

"Y todo lo que pidiereis en oración, si tenéis fe, lo recibiréis".

Mateo 21:22



Jamaica - August/Agosto 3, 2025

Join us today! Únase a nosotros hoy

At the Community Center

Auction, delicious food, great entertainment and awesome fellowship.