



Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church y Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
XXX Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

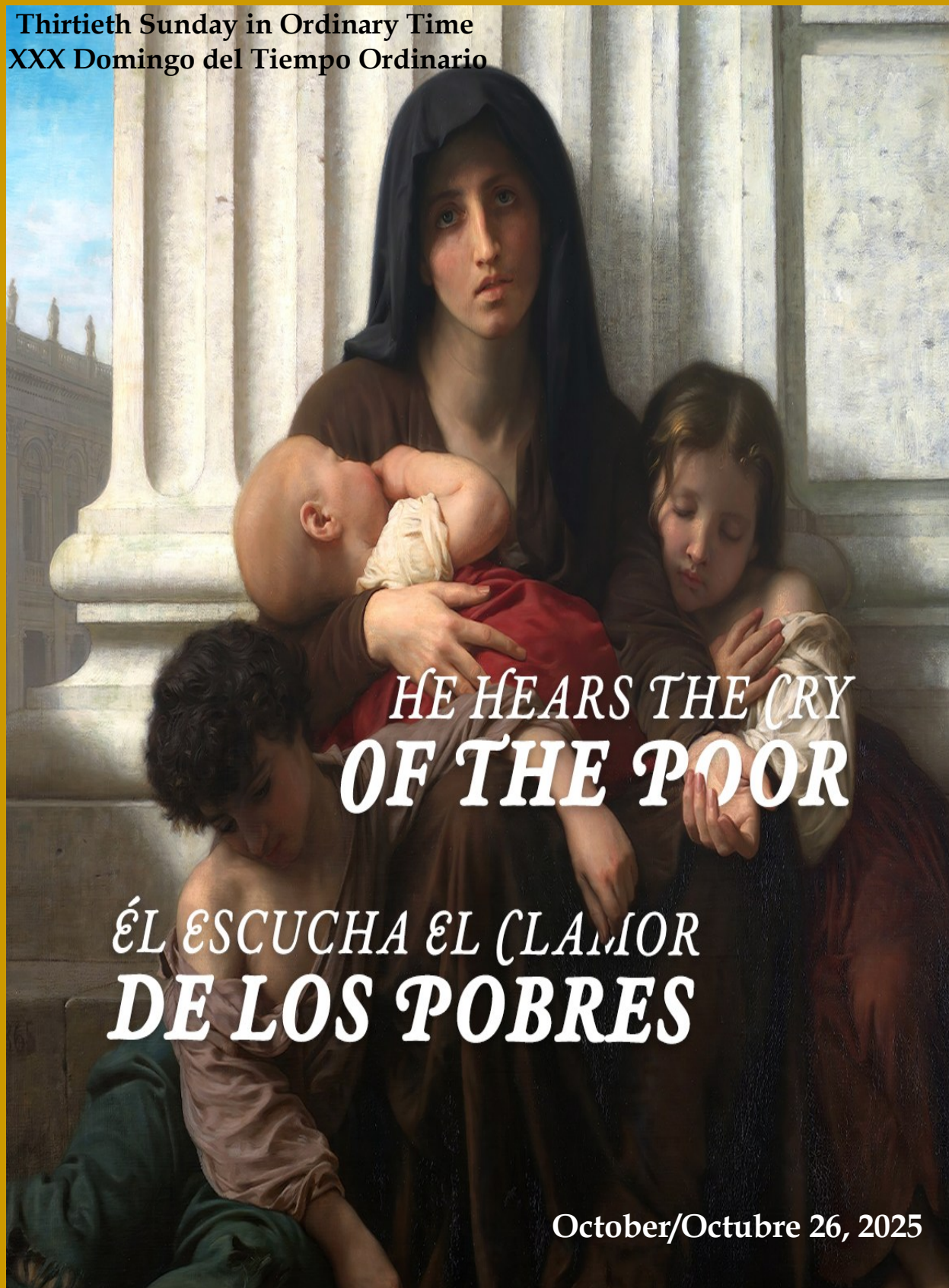
OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY -
THURSDAY:

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

FRIDAY:

8:30 AM -
12:00 PM



HE HEARS THE CRY
OF THE POOR

ÉL ESCUCHA EL CLAMOR
DE LOS POBRES

October/Octubre 26, 2025

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 Zaiantz,

Safe Environment Administrator

Janie M. Rubio,

Ministry Coordinator

Bonnie Malone,

Parish Catechetical Leader

Michael Muñiz,

Director of Operations

MASSES/MISAS

OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

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

4:00-4:50 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 Español

Misa, los jueves—7pm

Hora Santa primer jueves—6pm

Confesiones cada Domingo

8:30-8:50 am y 10:30-10:50 am

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olsvictoria.org

"Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time"



Pastor's Notes/Notas del Pastor: Fr. Jacob Koether

Every Sunday, at the end of Mass, the priest says, "Go forth, the Mass is ended." But that "Go" isn't just a polite dismissal — it's a mission.

We are sent out, nourished by the Word and the Eucharist, to bring

Christ into the world. The parish is not meant to be a place where we get comfortable or stuck. It's a place of formation, healing, and strengthening — so that we can live our faith in every part of our lives, not only within the walls of the church.

The Father sent His Son to destroy the kingdom of Satan and to build up the Kingdom of God. Now He sends us to continue that mission. When we carry Christ into our families, workplaces, and neighborhoods, we become bearers of hope. Our lives should radiate holiness and mercy, showing the world that Jesus Christ is alive.

If we only come to church to be comforted but never change, then we're missing the point. Discipleship always moves outward. Every Christian is called to be a light in the darkness, a sign of hope for others.

So — how are you going forth from the Church? How are you building the Kingdom of God in hope?

In Christ, Fr. Jacob

Cada domingo, al final de la Misa, el sacerdote dice: "Pueden ir en paz." Pero ese "ir" no es simplemente una despedida cortés — es una *misión*. Somos enviados, alimentados por la Palabra y la Eucaristía, para llevar a Cristo al mundo. La parroquia no está hecha para que nos quedemos cómodos o estancados. Es un lugar de formación, sanación y fortaleza — para que podamos vivir nuestra fe en *todas* las áreas de nuestra vida, no solo dentro de las paredes del templo.

El Padre envió a su Hijo para destruir el reino de Satanás y edificar el Reino de Dios. Ahora Él nos envía a *nosotros* para continuar esa misión. Cuando llevamos a Cristo a nuestras familias, trabajos y vecindarios, nos convertimos en portadores de esperanza. Nuestras vidas deben irradiar santidad y misericordia, mostrando al mundo que Jesucristo está vivo.

Si solo venimos a la iglesia para sentirnos bien, pero nunca cambiamos, entonces nos estamos perdiendo el sentido verdadero. El discipulado siempre nos impulsa hacia afuera. Cada cristiano está llamado a ser luz en la oscuridad, signo de esperanza para los demás.

Entonces — ¿cómo estás saliendo de la Iglesia? ¿Cómo estás construyendo el Reino de Dios con esperanza?

En Cristo, P. Jacob

From the Parish Office/De la Oficina Parroquial.

Sunday Readings Lecturas Dominicales

OCTOBER/OCTUBRE 26 de 2025

THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

XXX DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Reading I/I Lectura

Sirach/Eclesiástico (Siràcide) 35:12-14, 16-18

Responsorial Psalm/Salmo Responsorial

Psalm/Salmo 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 (7a)

Reading II/II Lectura

2 Timothy/2 Timoteo 4:6-8, 16-18

Gospel/Santo Evangelio

Luke/Lucas 18:9-14

Weekly Financial Report Informe Financiero Semanal

For the Week ending in
Para la semana que termina en
October/Octubre 19, 2025

COLLECTIONS	OLS.....	ST.....
1st Collection	8,918.35.....	2,450.00
DSA/Maintenance.....	1,220.00.....	295.00
Candles	215.00.....	100.00
Online Giving Tithes.....	2,781.15.....	133.33
Online DSA/Maintenance	223.33.....	0
Total.....	\$13,357.83.....	2,845.00

October/Octubre Monthly Budget \$57,500

Amount Left to Raise to Meet Budget

\$ 7,871.53

Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa Week/Semana October/Octubre 25 – 31, 2025

Sabado-Cemetery	4:00 p.m.	For all the faithful departed
	5:00 p.m.	NO MASS at OLS
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Feliciano, Saturnina Rosas
	10:00 a.m.	Roy Vincent, Lilly Alvarez
	2:00 p.m.	Naomi "Mimi" Silva
Domingo - ST	9:00 a.m.	Esteban Rubio
Domingo - ST	11:00 a.m.	For the people
Monday	6:00 p.m.	Rosemary Gómez
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Marylou Urrea
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Juan R. Perales
Thursday	6:00 p.m.	Mabel Gil
Jueves - ST	7:00 p.m.	Vernal L. Jarvis
Friday	6:00 p.m.	Vincente Garcia

Memorial Garden

PHASE III

We will have the next placement of Pavers in mid-January 2026. Orders must be submitted by December 31, 2025, to be included in this phase of the Memorial Garden project. Purchase a paver in honor or memory of a loved one or purchase one for your family and support this project. We will be set up after each mass on Sunday, November 9th & 16th with forms and assistance, if needed. For more information on supporting this project please call the parish office (361)575-2293.

Tendremos la próxima colocación de adoquines a mediados de enero de 2026. Los pedidos deben enviarse antes del 31 de diciembre de 2025 para ser incluidos en esta fase del proyecto Memorial Garden. Compre un adoquín en honor o memoria de un ser querido o compre uno para su familia y apoye este proyecto.

Nos prepararemos después de cada misa el domingo 9 y 16 de noviembre con formularios y asistencia, si es necesario. Para obtener más información sobre cómo apoyar este proyecto, llame a la oficina parroquial (361) 575-2293.



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

**Guadalupe Villarreal, Juan Lopez Rodriguez,
Louis Mendoza III**

Faith Formation & Events/Formación en la fe y eventos

JOIN OLS KC COUNCIL #8388



\$13.00 PER PLATE
(INCLUDES GREEN BEANS & GERMAN POTATOES)

SUNDAY, OCT 26
10:00 AM - SOLD OUT

~ DINE IN OR TO GO ~

208 W. RIVER ST. VICTORIA, TEXAS 77901
OLS TRINITY HALL



**PASTORAL
BÍBLICA 2025**

LIBROS PROFÉTICOS

Date/Fecha:
October/Octubre 31 (6:30pm - 8:30 pm)
November/Noviembre 1(8:30am - 4:00pm)
December/Diciembre 2nd (8:30am - 2:00pm,
incluyendo Misa)
Place/Lugar: St. Joseph Parish Hall, Yoakum
Salón Parroquial de St. Joseph, Yoakum
Impartido por: P. Manuel Villalovos, CMF
Doctor en Sagrada Escritura
Inscripciones:
www.victoriadiocese.org/pastoral-biblica
Más información : (361)575-0828 ext. 2227

JOIN FR. JACOB
ON A PILGRIMAGE TO
ITALY
September 25 - October 4, 2026



Scan QR Code to complete
form & receive registration
details, or call the Parish Office
for mor information.



Come SHOP!
St. Mary's Altar Society
Harvest Bazaar

St. Mary's Church Hall * 401 S. Liberty St.
Friday & Saturday, November 7 & 8, 2025

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Holiday handcrafted quilted & embroidered
items, cakes, breads etc.

Come check us out.



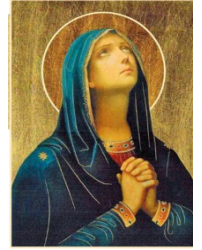
**Our Lady of Lourdes
Parish Festival**
Sunday, November 9, 2025
VICTORIA COMMUNITY CENTER

Traditional Turkey Dinner * \$15. per plate
Doors open at 10 AM * Live Auction at
12:30 PM * Country Store * Game Booths
* Cake Walk * Raffle
Entertainment by: Clay Crockett & Band

Ministries & Events Calendar/Calendario de Ministerios y Eventos

OCTOBER/OCTUBRE 2025

- Saturday/Sabado, 25** - CDA "Feed the Hungry" * Trinity Hall * 9AM
Memorial Mass * Resurrection Cemetery * 4 PM
- Sunday/Domingo, 26** - KC Pork Steak Dinner Fundraiser * Trinity Hall * 10 AM - Until sold out.
Family Catechesis * CCD Center * 11:30 AM - 1:15 PM
- Monday/Lunes, 27** - Boy Scouts Meeting * Guadalupe Center * 6 PM
Family Catechesis * CCD Center * 11:30 AM - 1:15 PM
- Tuesday/Martes, 28** - Men's Ministry * Trinity Hall, Room C * 6:30 PM
Alpha en Español * Santísima Trinidad Social Center * 6:45 PM
PPC "Reach More" Mission Training * CCD * 6:45 PM
- Wednesday/Miércoles, 29** - Alpha in English * Trinity Hall * 6:45 PM
Faith Formation Program * CCD Center * CGS @ 4:30 - 5:30 * Jr High/HS @ 6:00 - 8:00 PM
OCIA * 6:30 PM * Guadalupe Center
- Thursday/Jueves, 30** - Legion of Mary * Santisima Trinidad * after the 7 PM Mass
- Sunday/Domingo, Nov. 2** - Guadalupe Bake Sale * after 8 AM & 10 AM Mass
Family Catechesis * CCD Center * 11:30 AM - 1:15 PM
Sociedad del Altar de Santisima Trinidad * 6 PM * Capilla
- Monday/Lunes, 3** - CDA Meeting * Trinity Hall * 6 PM



Memorial Altars will be on display October 18 - November 3rd. For more information call the Parish office.

Los Altares Conmemorativos estaran en exhibición del 18 de Octubre al 3 de Noviembre.

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 días de la semana de publicación.

OLS Individual & Family Registration

We are so happy you have decided to worship with us. If you have been attending OLS/ST and are interested in becoming an official member, please contact the church office at 361-575-2293.

Registering with the church is free and easy. When you're connected with the church, there are many possibilities for us to grow together as disciples.

After registering, you and your family will be invited to join us for a quarterly new member meal gathering. Please consider registering and becoming part of our family, A Home of Hope and Healing.

For more information, please contact:

Richelle Pulido, Hospitality Ministry
361.676.2275 or Rpulido2275@gmail.com



PARISH CALENDAR - CALENDARIO PARROQUIAL

October/Octubre 25 – November/Noviembre 2, 2025

Saturday/Sabado, October/Octubre 25th

Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows

NO Confessions/Confesión English/Spanish

4 PM - Memorial Mass at Resurrection Cemetery

Fr. Jacob, Fr. Joseph

Sunday/Domingo, October/Octubre 26th

8 AM Mass - Fr. Joseph, Bilingual

10 AM Mass - Fr. Joseph, English

2 PM Mass - Fr. Joseph, English

Misa en la Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

9 AM Misa – Fr. Jacob, en Español

11 AM Misa – Fr. Jacob, en Español

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

Monday/Lunes, October/Octubre 27th

6 PM Mass - Fr. Jacob

Tuesday/Martes, October/Octubre 28th

6 PM Mass - Fr. Joseph

Wednesday/Miércoles, October/Octubre 29th

6 PM Mass - Fr. Joseph

Thursday/Jueves, October/Octubre 30th

6 PM Mass - Fr. Jacob

7 PM ST Misa - Fr. Joseph, en Español

Friday/Viernes, October/Octubre 31st

6 PM Mass - Fr. Joseph

Saturday/Sabado, November/Noviembre 1st

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed

Commemoración de todos los Fieles Difuntos

Mass & Confessions at Our Lady of Sorrows

4 PM Confessions/Confesión English/Spanish

Fr. Jacob, Fr. Joseph

5 PM Misa - Fr. Joseph

Sunday/Domingo, November/Noviembre 2nd

Commemoración de todos los Fieles Difuntos

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed

8 AM Mass - Fr. Jacob, Bilingual

10 AM Mass - Fr. Jacob, English

2 PM Mass - Fr. Jacob, English

Misa en la Capilla de Santísima Trinidad

9 AM Misa – Fr. Joseph, en Español

11 AM Misa – Fr. Joseph, en Español

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

Nov. 8
9 a.m. - Noon
Our Lady of Sorrows



SacredTable
Deep Dive Training
In the Diocese of Victoria

Visit oursacredtable.org to register.

Priests, deacons, parish staff, catechists, wedding coordinators, youth ministers -- anyone directly involved in ministering to families in our dioceses is welcome to join this Deep Dive.

DESCRIPTION: The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry (NFCYM) hopes to unify the parish church's and domestic church's ministries through special training. The overarching goals are: inspiring, equipping, and empowering parents to form their children's faith in partnership with church leaders and ministers; and inspiring, equipping, and empowering church leaders and ministers to partner with parents and caregivers in forming the faith of children.

PROCESS: It begins at the diocesan level through the Deep Dive Process.

- The session includes reflection on experiences of ministering with families, a presentation on the context for family ministry today, and the chance to practice generative listening skills.
- It will prepare ministry leaders to engage parents in their community in dialogue about partnering in children's faith development.
- After the Deep Dive, the coach will work with the diocesan staff to support parishes in dialoguing with parents and collaboratively building ministries in the parish that serve the needs of families.

FOLLOWUP: Leaders will receive resources to help them partner with parents to develop their ministries further. SacredTable offers 2 years of coaching assistance, providing:

- A parent session outline that can be used to start dialogue between parents and parish ministers.
- A parent resource guide.
- A website to help find curated resources from partner organizations.
- A marketing campaign to inspire parents in their role as the primary formators.
- A coach to help parish leadership better understand and meet the needs of the families.
- Online space for the parishes to share with each other what they are doing and learning.

SIGN UP HERE: <https://nfcym.lead4ms.com/register/group/487>
For information, call the Very Rev. Jacob Koether, EV, 361-573-0828, Ext. 2265