

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

MARCH 1ST, 2025 | 1 DE MARZO DEL 2025



Every tree is
known by its
own fruit

Cada árbol se
conoce por sus
frutos

ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON

4213 Mangum Rd. Houston, TX 77092

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Rev. Hieu Nguyen
Pastor



Rev. Antonio Ortiz
Parochial Vicar

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday
(Lunes a Viernes)
8:30 am - 5:30 pm
Closed for Lunch
(Cerrado para el almuerzo)
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

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St. Ambrose Catholic
Community welcomes you
to find the love of Christ, to
strengthen your faith and to
enrich our growing family.



La Comunidad Católica de San
Ambrosio le invita a encontrar
el amor de Cristo, a fortalecer
su fe y a enriquecer nuestra
familia creciente.

MASS SCHEDULE HORARIO DE MISA

Mon-Fri (Lunes-Viernes)

8:00 am (Daily Mass)

Wednesday (Miércoles)

7:00 pm (Español)

Fridays (Viernes)

7:00 pm (Español)

Saturday (Sábado)

8:00 am (Daily Mass)

5:00 pm (English Vigil Mass)

7:00 pm (Misa de Vigilia en Español)

Sunday (Domingo)

8:30 am (English)

10:00 am (English)

12:00 pm (Español)

4:00 pm (Youth Mass)

COLLECTION REPORT - REPORTE DE COLECCIÓN SEMANAL: FEBRUARY 22 / 23, 2025

Saturday / Sabado:	5:00 p.m.	\$1,773.00
	7:00 p.m.	\$798.00
Sunday / Domingo:	8:30 a.m.	\$2,284.00
	10:00 a.m.	\$6,428.00
	12:00 p.m.	\$4,338.00
	4:00 p.m.	\$839.00
Mail-in		\$35.00
Drop Off		\$850.00
Maintenance Fund		\$103.00
Online		\$4,297.34
Weekend Total		\$21,745.34
School Support / Apoyo para la escuela		\$2,821.00

*Thank you for your support
Gracias por su apoyo*

ADORATION/ADORACIÓN

Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri

(Lun-Mar-Jue-Vie)

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday (Miércoles)

8:00 a.m. - 6:45 p.m.

First Friday of the Month
(Primer Viernes del Mes)

8:00 a.m. - 6:45 p.m.



ADORATION

Every Wednesday

9:00am-6:45pm

Love incarnate, **waiting for you**

ADORACIÓN AL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO

Cada Miércoles

9:00am-6:45pm

Amor encarnado, **esperándote**



CONFESSION / CONFESIONES

Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri

(Lun-Mar-Jue-Vie)

8:30 am - 9:00 am

Wednesday (Miércoles)

6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Saturday (Sábado)

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm



Communion to the Homebound

If you know someone who is in need of communion and cannot attend Mass, please contact us at 713-686-3497

Comunión a los Enfermos

Si conoce a alguien que necesita la comunión y no puede asistir a Misa, comuníquese con nosotros al **713-686-3497**



MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS | MISAS Y INTENCIONES

MON	MARCH 03	8:00 AM	ALVIN SOFKA† SOULS IN PURGATORY	<u>SIRACH 17:20-24</u> <u>PSALM 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7</u> <u>MARK 10:17-27</u>	Monday of the Eighth Week in Ordinary Time
TUES	MARCH 04	8:00 AM	AGNES DOSTALIK† STEPHEN MARTINO†	<u>SIRACH 35:1-12</u> <u>PSALM 50:5-6, 7-8, 14, 23</u> <u>MARK 10:28-31</u>	Tuesday of the Eighth Week in Ordinary Time
WED	MARCH 05	8:00 AM	ST. AMBROSE COMMUNITY	<u>JOEL 2:12-18</u>	Ash Wednesday
		12:00 PM	ST. AMBROSE COMMUNITY	<u>PSALM 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 12-13, 14 AND 17</u>	
		6:00 PM	ST. AMBROSE COMMUNITY	<u>2 CORINTHIANS 5:20-6:2</u>	
		7:30 PM	COMUNIDAD DE SAN AMBROSIO	<u>MATTHEW 6:1-6, 16-18</u>	
THU	MARCH 06	8:00 AM	PEGGY DUFFY† SOULS IN PURGATORY	<u>DEUTERONOMY 30:15-20</u> <u>PSALM 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6</u> <u>LUKE 9:22-25</u>	Thursday after Ash Wednesday
FRI	MARCH 07	8:00 AM	AGUSTIN BOCANEGRA† FELIX JOSE GONZALEZ QUEBEDO†	<u>ISAIAH 58:1-9A</u> <u>PSALM 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 18-19</u>	Friday after Ash Wednesday
		7:00 PM	ALBERTO SANCHEZ (BIRTHDAY) OLEGARIO ZUNIGA (BIRTHDAY)	<u>MATTHEW 9:14-15</u>	
SATURDAY	MARCH 08	8:00 AM	BETTY SMAISTRLA (HEALTH) SOULS IN PURGATORY		Saturday after Ash Wednesday
		5:00 PM	AJ VANCE† LUCY MCNEAL†	<u>ISAIAH 58:9B-14</u> <u>PSALM 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6</u> <u>LUKE 5:27-32</u>	
		7:00 PM	ROSARIO GALVAN (HEALTH) MARTHA HERNANDEZ (HEALTH)		
		8:30 AM	CONNIE VIRGINIA GARCIA† MEMBERS OF CATHOLIC LIFE INSURANCE BRANCH #87		
SUNDAY	MARCH 09	10:00 AM	JUANITA BOCANEGRA† STEPHEN MARTINO†	<u>DEUTERONOMY 26:4-10</u> <u>PSALM 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15</u>	First Sunday of Lent
		12:00 PM	JOSEFINA PATIÑO† MOISES RODRIGUEZ†	<u>ROMANS 10:8-13</u> <u>LUKE 4:1-13</u>	
		4:00 PM	ST. AMBROSE COMMUNITY		

PRAY FOR THE HEALTH OF: OREMOS POR LA SALUD DE:

All the sick of our St. Ambrose Community
Todos los enfermos de nuestra comunidad
de San Ambrosio

Maria Brand
Betty Smaistrla
Pearly Nelson
Alan Kulhanek
Linda LaSorsa
Trinh Nguyen
Joan Zaborowski
Ed Jozwiak

Leroy Lopez
Natalie Shumway
Leona Binski
Eva Macak
Janet Segarra
Guadalupe Perez

PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: OREMOS POR LOS FIELES DIFUNTOS:

Lucy McNeal
Jose A. Mendez
Souls In Purgatory
ALMAS EN EL PURGATORIO

****If you would like to offer a Mass for your loved ones or for your friends, please call the Church office for more information.***

****Si a usted le gustaria ofrecer una Misa por un ser querido o familiar, por favor llame a la oficina para mas informacion.***

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5TH

HORARO DE MISAS MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA

MIÉRCOLES, 5 DE MARZO

8:00 AM - ENGLISH (SCHOOL MASS)

12:00 PM - BILINGUAL / BILINGÜE

6:00 PM- ENGLISH

7:30 PM - ESPAÑOL

**We remind everyone that this day is a day of fasting and abstinence*

**Les recordamos que este día es un día de ayuno y abstinencia*

LENT STARTS

ASH WEDNESDAY



WHAT IS LENT?

Ash Wednesday begins the 40 days before Easter Catholics call Lent. We practice prayer, fasting, and sacrifice.

WHAT ARE FASTING AND ABSTINENCE?



Fasting

Catholics who are 18-58 years old are required to keep a limited fast: a single, normal meal & 2 snacks.

Ash Wednesday & Good Friday



Abstinence

Catholics 14 years & older are required to abstain from eating meat and fowl.

Ash Wednesday & Fridays of Lent



Do I have to give up something for Lent?

No. Giving something up is a beneficial custom. You can give up something you enjoy, engage in physical or spiritual acts of mercy for others, pray, fast, abstain, go to confession, and other acts expressing repentance in general.

WHEN DOES HOLY WEEK BEGIN?



Jesus' triumphal entrance into Jerusalem on **Palm Sunday** begins Holy Week.



HOLY TRIDUUM STARTS

with the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday when Jesus celebrated the first Mass, AND LENT OFFICIALLY ENDS.



Good Friday marks the anniversary of the crucifixion and death of Jesus Christ on the cross.



HOLY SATURDAY

Our Lord lay in the tomb Holy Saturday before his resurrection.



EASTER SUNDAY

the Resurrection of Christ, is the greatest holy day of the Christian year!

¿EN QUÉ CONSISTE EL AYUNO?

AYUNO



DÍAS DE AYUNO

- ✓ MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA
- ✓ VIERNES SANTO

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SOLA COMIDA FUERTE AL DÍA

También se permite tomar algo ligero por la mañana y por la noche



DESDE LOS 18 HASTA LOS 59 AÑOS

NO

TIENEN OBLIGACIÓN LAS EMBARAZADAS O LOS ENFERMOS

ABSTINENCIA



DÍAS DE ABSTINENCIA

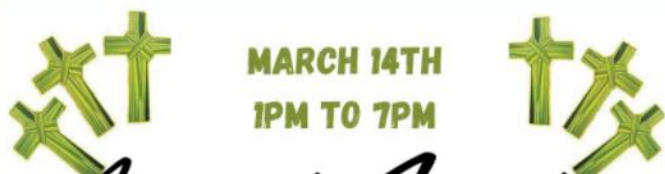
- ✓ MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA
- ✓ VIERNES SANTO
- ✓ VIERNES DE CUARESMA (TODOS)



LA ABSTINENCIA CONSISTE EN NO COMER CARNE



A PARTIR DE LOS 14 AÑOS



MARCH 14TH

1PM TO 7PM

Annual Lenten Fish Fry



\$12 Fish Plate

\$15 Fish & Shrimp Plate

Saint Ambrose
4213 Mangum Rd.
Houston, TX 77092



FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

March 7th, 8:40 am - 6:50 p.m.

Have nothing to do?

Come do nothing with Jesus!

Many people nowadays say, 'I wish I could see His shape, His appearance, His clothes, His sandals.' Only look!

You see Him! You touch Him! You eat Him!"

- St John Chrysostom



ADORACIÓN PRIMER VIERNES DEL MES

7 de marzo, 8:40 am - 6:50 p.m.

¿No tiene nada que hacer?

¡Venga a hacer nada con Jesús!

Mucha gente hoy en día dice: 'Me gustaría poder ver Su forma, Su apariencia, Su ropa, Sus sandalias'. ¡Solo mira!

¡Lo ves! ¡Lo tocas! ¡Lo comes!"

- San Juan Crisóstomo



STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN ENGLISH

Every Friday at 6:00 p.m.
in the church

Gain a plenary indulgence!

VIA CRUCIS EN ESPAÑOL

¡Gane una indulgencia plenaria!

Después de la misa de 7:00 pm

ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

The Altar Society welcomes all women 18 years of age and older to join our social gathering, **Wednesday, March 12, 2025, at 6:30 pm**, in the auditorium. Refreshments are provided.

BAZAAR MEETING

Come join us each Thursday to ensure the success of this year's bazaar!

**THURSDAY, MARCH 6TH,
7:00 PM - ROOM A**

JUNTA DEL BAZAAR

¡Únase a nosotros cada jueves para garantizar el éxito del bazar de este año!

**JUEVES, 6 DE MARZO,
7:00PM - CUARTO A**



Starry Starry Night



We had a great night of fun, where the youth and children of our community shared their talent. A well-deserved recognition to all of them, who donated their time and skills to make this wonderful event possible. Thanks to the Ballet Folklórico México Vive and the Destino Group, who delighted us with their art. We also want to express our gratitude to everyone who donated, as well as those who helped with the decorations, and everything else that made this event a success. Your support is deeply appreciated!

Tuvimos una gran noche de diversión, donde los jóvenes y niños de nuestra comunidad compartieron su talento. Un merecido reconocimiento a todos ellos, que donaron su tiempo y habilidades para hacer posible este maravilloso evento. Agradecemos al Ballet Folklórico México Vive y al Grupo Destino, quienes nos deleitaron con su arte. También queremos expresar nuestra gratitud a todos los que donaron, así como a quienes ayudaron con la decoración y todo lo demás que hizo que este evento fuera un éxito.
¡Muchas gracias por su apoyo!

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