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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.

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MASS SCHEDULE HORARIO DE MISAS
Mon – Sat / Lunes – Sábado 8:00 am (Daily Mass) – English Miércoles y Viernes 7:00 pm – Español Saturday / Sábado 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 – English

COLLECTION REPORT REPORTE DE COLECCIÓN SEMANAL:	
Regular Collection:	\$11,259.50
Drop Off / Mail in:	\$219.00
Maintenance Fund:	\$141.00
Online:	\$1,772.34
Total:	\$13,391.84

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CONTACT INFORMATION
713-686-3497 info@stambroshouston.org OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 5:30 pm Closed for Lunch 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <i>Visit us online!</i> STAMBROSEHOUSTON.ORG

CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES
Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 8:30 am – 9:00 am Wednesday and First Friday / Miércoles y Primer Viernes 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm Saturday / Sábado 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm <i>Confessions are also offered by appointment La confesiones tambien se ofrecen con cita.</i> 713-686-3497

ADORATION
Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Wednesday/Miércoles 8:30 a.m. – 6:45 p.m. First Friday of the Month / Primer Viernes del Mes 8:30 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.

MASS & PRAYER INTENTIONS | MISAS E INTENCIONES

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8	8:00 AM	Steve Martino† Ernesto Resurreccion†
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9	8:00 AM	Tammy Babineck† Loy Burks (Health)
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10	8:00 AM	John Erzen† Souls in Purgatory
	7:00 PM	Juan Morales† Heidi Morales†
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 11	8:00 AM	Ursulo Fraga† Ricarda Lujan†
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12	8:00 AM	Bertha Ruiz† Nathan Carvajal (Health)
	7:00 PM	Patricia Sanchez† Uriel Castañeda†
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13	8:00 AM	Juan Ramos† Souls in Purgatory
	5:00 PM	Gertrude and Zigmont Paradowski†
	7:00 PM	Ledi Perez† Anna Whetstine (Special)
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14	8:30 AM	Josefa Facio† Vicente Acevedo (Health)
	10:00 AM	Edward and Janet Rhunke (Anniversary)
	12:00 PM	Leticia Estrada† Yolanda Juarez†
	4:00 PM	St. Ambrose Community

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

Vivian Long
Souls In Purgatory
Almas del Purgatorio

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
Pearly Nelson
Trinh Nguyen
Ed Jozwiak
Leroy Lopez
Natalie Shumway
Leona Binski
Eva Macak
Janet Segarra
Guadalupe Perez
Lupe Marquart
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Neenimon T.
Heather Locklear
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Mary Gil
Dcn. Ricardo Rivas
Betty Smaistrila

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME DOMINGO XXIII DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

The Gospel of St. Luke that we are following these Sundays takes us accompanying Jesus on his way to Jerusalem. Today he gives us a very demanding teaching: What are the conditions for being a disciple of Christ?

- 1.- To renounce the most fundamental affections of the person, the love of one's own family and the preservation of one's own life.
2. To sincerely accept the cross of each day until one dies with it, to have the total disposition to offer one's own life in the sacrifices of every day.
- 3.- To renounce totally and absolutely all material goods.

We could say that it is a call to total detachment from oneself and one's goods. Following Jesus Christ and being His disciples is very difficult, but it is worth it. Don't you think?

- Father Antonio Ortiz.

El evangelio de San Lucas que estamos siguiendo estos domingos nos lleva acompañando a Jesús en su camino a Jerusalén. Hoy nos da una enseñanza muy exigente: ¿Cuáles son las condiciones para ser discípulo de Cristo?

- 1.- Renunciar a los afectos más fundamentales de la persona, el amor a la propia familia y la conservación de la propia vida.
- 2.- Aceptar sinceramente la cruz de cada día hasta morir con ella, tener la total disposición a ofrecer hasta la propia vida en los sacrificios de todos los días.
- 3.- Renunciar total y absolutamente a todos los bienes materiales.

Podríamos decir que es un llamado al desprendimiento total de uno mismo y de sus bienes.

Seguir a Jesucristo y ser sus discípulos es muy difícil, pero vale la pena. ¿No crees?

- Padre Antonio Ortiz.

PARISH LIFE

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Paid/ Pagado : \$31,518
• **BALANCE: \$56,682**

2024 AT A *Glance*

The Diocesan Services Fund (DSF) provides essential funding for 64 ministries that no one parish could deliver on its own. Last year, thanks to the generosity of the faithful of our Archdiocese, we were able to meet the needs of others and support:

Promoting, Preparing and Supporting the Clergy

 **3**
Newly ordained priests

 **15**
Priests at Archbishop
Fiorenza Priest
Retirement Residence

 **53**
Seminarians
from the Archdiocese
of Galveston-Houston

Teaching, Evangelization and Worship

 **18,280**
Catholic school students

 **1,905**
Catholic school
professional staff

 **20,384**
Seafarers from 78
countries served at the
Galveston Seafarers
Center

Ministering to the Poor, the Sick, and Incarcerated

 **20,764**
Prescriptions
distributed at
San José's
pharmacy

 **31**
Hospitals served
by the Catholic
Chaplain Corps

 **358,834**
Food pantry visits by
families in need to
Catholic Charities

 **More than 150**
correctional ministry
volunteers

Communion to the Homebound

If you know someone who is in need of communion and cannot attend Mass, please contact us at:

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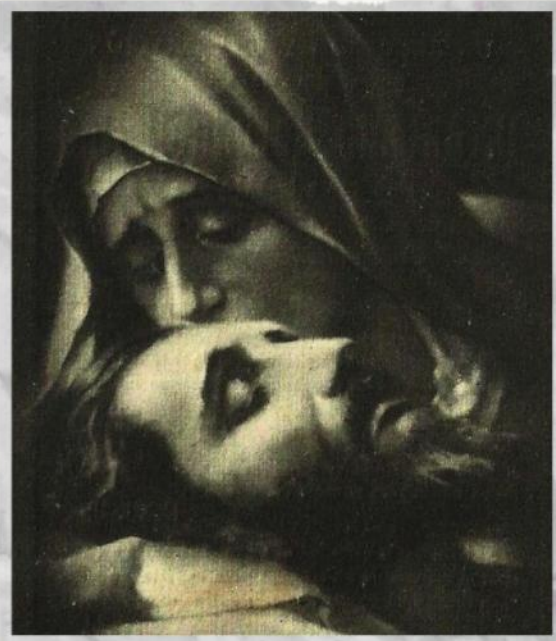
Si conoce a alguien que necesita la comunión y no puede asistir a Misa, comuníquese con nosotros al:

713-686-3497



September is the month dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows

1. The Prophecy of Simeon
2. The Flight into Egypt
3. The Loss of Jesus for Three Days
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion of Jesus
6. Jesus Taken Down from the Cross
7. Jesus Laid in the Tomb



Septiembre es el mes dedicado a Nuestra Señora de la Soledad

1. La Profecía de Simeón
2. La Huida a Egipto
3. La Pérdida de Jesús
4. El Encuentro de Jesús en camino del calvario
5. La Crucifixión de Jesús
6. Jesús Muerto Colocado en los Brazos de María
7. El Entierro de Jesús

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, September 8th :	4:00 p.m. - St. Ambrose School Volleyball Practice 7:00 p.m. - Junta de ACTS, Hombres / Mujeres 7:00 p.m. - Preparación para el Retiro de Hombres de ACTS
Tuesday, September 9th :	10:00 a.m. - Taller de Oración y Vida 4:00 p.m. - St. Ambrose School Volleyball Practice 6:30 p.m. - Choir Practice / Práctica del Coro 6:30 p.m. - English Baptism Classes 7:00 p.m. - Clases Pre- Bautismales 7:00 p.m. - Youth First Communion Preparation 7:00 p.m. - Junta del MFCC
Wednesday, September 10th :	<u>Adoration / Adoración: 8:45 a.m. - 6:45 p.m.</u> 9:00 a.m. - Rosario por los Sacerdotes 10:00 a.m. - Church Staff Meeting 2:00 p.m. - Rosario en honor a la Virgen, Alabanza, y Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia 4:00 p.m.- St. Ambrose Volleyball Practice <u>Confessions / Confesiones: 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.</u> 7:00 p.m - OCIA Classes 7:00 p.m. - Catechism Classes / Clases de Catecismo
Thursday, September 11th :	4:00 p.m. - St. Ambrose School Volleyball Practice 4:00 p.m. - Mum Making for 8th Grade 6:00 p.m. - Core Team Bible Study 7:00 p.m. - Catechism Meeting 7:00 p.m. - Taller de oración y vida
Friday September 12th :	4:00 p.m. - St. Ambrose School Volleyball Practice 7:00 p.m. - Danza Practice 7:00 p.m. - Guadalupe Rosary
Saturday September 13th :	8:00 a.m. - Junta de Genesis 8:00 a.m. - First Communion Child Interviews / Entrevista para Primera Comunión 9:00 a.m. - Altar Society Church Cleaning <u>After Mass / Despues de Misa:</u> Bake Sale Hosted by Danza Ministry / Venta de Reposteria por Danzantes Stroke Scan Registrations after Mass / Registros para
Sunday September 14th :	10:00 a.m. - CCE Classes / Clases de Catecismo 2:30 p.m - Life Teen & EDGE Classes <u>After Mass / Despues de Misa:</u> Bake Sale Hosted by Danza Ministry / Venta de Reposteria por Danzantes Stroke Scan Registrations after Mass / Registros para

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Fechas para el 2025

Octubre 31
1 y 2 de noviembre

**Para más
información:
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832-880-9267**



Help Process the grief

Formation for Ministers of Consolation

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11:28

If you feel called to serve, the Office of Family Life invites you to take part in the formation for Ministers of Consolation. You will learn how to accompany people who are grieving the loss of loved ones in the light of Christ's love and you will receive tools and resources to start a comfort group in your parish.

Training: September 10 - 11, 2025

8:30 am a 4:30 pm

Cameron Retreat Center in St. Dominic Chancery
2403 Holcombe Blvd. Houston, TX 77021

Registration fee: \$150 Includes food, materials and certificate.



For mor information and registration
escanea el código QR o contactarnos al 713-741-8711
jtinajero@archgh.org



Musicians NEEDED

The Youth Ministry is forming a new LIFE TEEN BAND to lead music for the 4 PM Mass on Sundays. If you have a passion for music, be a part of the wonderful things happening at the Youth Mass!

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CONTACT:

Dylan Ramirez, Director of Youth Formation
dramirez@stambrosehouston.org
713-686-3497
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Vascular & Organ Wellness Ultrasound Screenings

Friday, September 26th

**Please call 832-437-7355
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Viernes, 26 de septiembre

Llamar al 832-437-7355 para hacer su cita

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- Riesgo de Derrames Cerebrales
- Aneurisma Aórtico Abdominal
- Examen de las Tiroides†
- Examen del Hígado
- Examen de los Riñones (2)†
- Examen de la Vesícula†



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Los resultados son leídos por un radiólogo certificado de la Junta Médica y enviados directamente a usted entre 3-4 semanas. Si los resultados amenazan su vida, se acelerará la entrega. Al menos que usted ya presente síntomas, por lo general, su médico no ordenará las versiones diagnósticas de estos exámenes y las compañías de seguros no pagar por ellos. Límite de 350 libras en las camas de los exámenes. Stroke Scan Plus www.strokescan.com (SPA 120524)



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Faith Formation Registration for Elementary School Kids

Baptism / 1st communion | 1st - 5th GRADE ONLY

Registration fee for 1st year: \$70

Registration fee for 2nd year: \$80

Please bring the child's baptism certificate to be able to register, if the child does not have the sacrament of baptism, please bring the child's birth certificate

Without these certificates, you CANNOT register

THE LAST DAY FOR CHILDREN 1ST - 5TH GRADE TO REGISTER IS SEPTEMBER 18TH

Inscripciones para Formación de Fe para niños de Primaria

Bautizo / Primera Comunión | Grados 1o al 5to SOLAMENTE

Cuota de inscripción para el primer año: \$70

Cuota de inscripción para el segundo año: \$80

Favor de traer el certificado de bautismo del niño para poder registrarse, si el niño no tiene el sacramento del bautismo, favor de traer el acta de nacimiento

Sin estos certificados, NO SE PUEDE registrar

EL ÚLTIMO DÍA PARA INSCRIBIR UN NIÑO DE 1° A 5° GRADO ES EL 18 DE SEPTIEMBRE

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATIONS FOR MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL KIDS

**Baptism / 1st communion / Confirmation
EDGE : 6th-8th GRADE | LIFE TEEN: 9th-12th GRADE**

Registration fee for 1st year: \$80

Registration fee for 2nd year: \$90

Please bring the child's baptism certificate to be able to register, if the child does not have the sacrament of baptism, please bring the child's birth certificate - **Without these certificates, you CANNOT register**

THE LAST DAY FOR KIDS 6TH - 12TH GRADE TO REGISTER IS SEPTEMBER 14TH

INSCRIPCIONES PARA FORMACIÓN DE FE PARA NIÑOS EN LA SECUNDARIA Y PREPARATORIA

**Bautizo / Primera Comunión / Confirmación
EDGE : GRADOS 6-8 | LIFE TEEN: GRADOS 9-12**

Cuota de inscripción para el primer año: \$80

Cuota de inscripción para el segundo año: \$90

Favor de traer el certificado de bautismo del niño para poder registrarse, si el niño no tiene el sacramento de bautismo, favor de traer el acta de nacimiento - **Sin estos certificados, NO SE PUEDE registrar**

EL ÚLTIMO DÍA PARA INSCRIBIR UN NIÑO DE 6° A 12° GRADO ES EL 14 DE SEPTIEMBRE

Faith Formation for Adults (18+):

Baptism, 1st Communion, and Confirmation

Registration fee for adults: \$80

Please bring your baptism certificate to be able to register, if you do not have the sacrament of baptism, please bring your birth certificate

Without these certificates, you CANNOT register

**THE LAST DAY FOR AN
ADULT TO REGISTER IS
SEPTEMBER 18TH**

Formación de Fe para Adultos (18+):

Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación

Cuota de inscripción para adultos: \$80

Favor de traer su acta de bautismo para poder registrarse, si no tiene el sacramento del bautismo, favor de traer su acta de nacimiento

Sin estos certificados, NO SE PUEDE registrar

**EL ÚLTIMO DÍA PARA
QUE UN ADULTO SE
INSCRIBA ES EL 18 DE
SEPTIEMBRE**

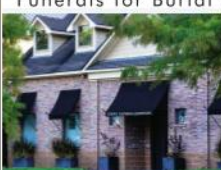
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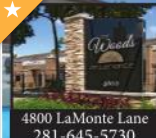
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