

Sunday, March 7, 2021

Third Sunday of Lent

# St. Monica Catholic Church



ROMAN CATHOLIC  
DIOCESE OF AUSTIN

MOST REV. JOE S. VASQUEZ  
BISHOP OF AUSTIN

*Pro Christo et Ecclesia ~ For Christ and Church ~ Por Cristo y la Iglesia*



## Mass Schedule Horario de misas

### Weekend Masses / Misas de fin de semana

Saturday/Sabado 6:00 P.M.

Sunday/Domingo

Spanish/en Español 7:00 A.M.

English/Inglés 9:00 A.M.

### Daily Masses/Misa diaria

Tuesday/ martes 12:00 p.m.- English/Inglés

Wednesday/miércoles 6:30 p.m. - en Español

Thursday / jueves St. Matthew, Rogers  
6:30 p.m. Bilingual / misa bilingue

Friday/ Viernes 8:00 a.m. - English/ Inglés

### Reconciliation / Reconciliación

Saturday/ Sábado, 5 PM - 5:45 PM  
or by appointment / O por cita

~ This faith community of St. Monica was established in 1883 ~  
~ Esta comunidad de fe de Santa Mónica se estableció en 1883 ~

### St. Monica Mission Statement

We at St. Monica's are a multi-cultural parish from all walks of life rich in Catholic tradition, who recognize the need for greater unity within Our Catholic Community

We will:

- Actively participate in our worship.
- Educate ourselves in Christ's teaching.
- Help our youth grow close to Jesus.
- Move beyond ourselves to minister to others by sharing our individual time, talent and treasures with all those in need.

### Declaración de la misión de la iglesia de Santa Mónica

Nosotros de Santa Monica Somos Una Parroquia Multi-cultural de todos xomains de la vida, ricos en tradicion Catolica que reconocemos la necesidad de unimos aun mas fuerza dentro de nuestra comunidad Catolica.

Vamos a:

- Participar activos en nuestra adoracion.
- Educarnos en las enseñanzas de Cristo.
- Ayudar a nuestros jovenes acercarse mas a Jesus.
- Hacer un esfuerzo y mobilizarnos ayudar a otros, compartiendo nuestro tiempo, talentos y tesoros contodos los necesitados.
- Especialmente nuestros ancianos y entermos

## Third Sunday of Lent



PRAY



FAST



GIVE

### Tercer Domingo de la Cuaresma

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

located in the St. Anthony Building

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 9AM-2PM (CLOSED- 12PM-1PM)

### OUR CLERGY

Rev. Barry Wm. Cuba

Contact: Rectory/Emergency #: (254) 262-6835

Email: frbarryc@gmail.com

Deacon Jack Murphy

(512) 636-4074 Email: jwmurphy3@yahoo.com

Deacon Emeritus Earl Colley

### PARISH STAFF

Gilda Rios, Parish Secretary: (254)697-2107

Email: gildagnzls@gmail.com

Sonia Vega-Perez, DRE/ Youth Minister

(254)-295-6092 Email: soniaperez2005@yahoo.com



# MASS Intentions

## Intenciones de la misa

### Saturday, March 6, 2021

6PM † Jack & Minnie Lewis Family  
† Frances Tepera  
† Lawrence & Margaret Zotz

### Sunday, March 7, 2021

7AM † Imelda y Isidro Villalon  
† Anthony Woytek  
† Onesimo Chavez

9AM † Joe & Bertha Rieger  
† Dorothy Mueck

### Tuesday, March 9, 2021

12 p.m. † Liz & Rudy's Mom & Dad

### Wednesday, March 10, 2021

6:30 p.m. (Spanish) - For the People of the Parish

### Thursday, March 11, 2021

6:30p.m. -Bilingual - St. Matthew, Rogers

### Friday, March 12, 2021

8 AM - For the People of the Parish

### Saturday, March 13, 2021

6PM † Theresa A. Mueck  
Peggy & Malcolm Johnson

### Sunday, March 14, 2021

7AM † Petra Galvan Saldana  
† Eujenio Morales Galvan  
† Mario Alverto Morales Galvan

9AM † Mary Jistle, Frank and Lawrence  
Klement

## St. Monica's Prayer Chain

Cadena de oración de Santa Mónica



*Please Pray for /  
Por favor, reza por*

Becky & Thomas Michalka,  
and Ron Beyer



Names remain on this list for 4 weeks and then transferred to the Book of Prayers. Los nombres permanecen en esta lista durante 4 semanas y luego se transfieren al Libro de Oraciones.

## Lector Schedule

Saturday, March 13, 2021

6 PM - Bud Riola

Sunday, March 14, 2021

7AM - Aurora Cruz

9 AM - Marilyn Murphy

Saturday, March 20, 2021

6 PM - Linda Kamenicky

Sunday, March 21, 2021

7AM - Blanca Cazares

9 AM - Celeste Cardona

## Calendar of Events/Meetings

### Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, March 9, 2021, 7PM at the St. Anthony Building, Library.

If you would like a copy of the minutes they will be located on the table at the back of the church.

### 1st Communion Parent Meeting

Sunday, March 28, 2021 at 11:45 a. m at the St. Anthony Building.

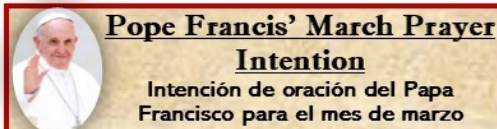
### Ladies Society Meeting

Tuesday, April 6, 2021, 2PM at the St. Anthony Building, Library.



**Knights of Columbus Council  
#12601 to host a Church workday.  
Saturday, March 13, 2021 at 9a.m.**

We invite all KC members and parishioners to come out and help clean the church property. Bring your rakes, weed eaters, and paint brushes.



### Pope Francis' March Prayer

#### Intention

Intención de oración del Papa Francisco para el mes de marzo

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

### Sacramento de la reconciliación

Recemos para experimentar el sacramento de la reconciliación con renovada profundidad, para saborear la infinita misericordia de Dios.

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## Lenten Alms Giving

Our Catholic family is asked to embrace the church's tradition of Alms Giving this Lenten season. The offering boxes will support St. Monica's Religious Education program, providing additional resources that will allow the R. E. program to purchase supplies & help defray cost of program expenses. We ask you, to please be generous in making this project part of your Lenten Journey. Please return your Lenten boxes on Easter Sunday.



## Stations of the Cross

Join us in the church every Friday during Lent for Stations of the Cross.

English - 2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
Spanish — 7:30p.m.

## Stewardship Report

*Give a fruitful return for the gifts, He has given you."*

### Week of February 28, 2021

Weekly Collection.....\$4,042.00  
Online Giving.....\$255.00  
Arlan's Receipt Program....\$180.36  
Total Collection.....\$4,477.36

## Upcoming Special Collection

### March 13 & 14: Catholic Relief Services

Funds the efforts of the CRS.

### March 27 & 28: Parish Building & Maintenance

Monies collected provide funding for costs-related to grounds and buildings maintenance.

## Attention St. Monica's Church graduating Seniors!

## The Eugene Halfmann Scholarship

Sponsored By: Burlington-Cameron  
Branch of Catholic Life Insurance

This scholarship is to be awarded in May. It is to be for \$300.00, given after proof of enrollment is furnished to the branch.

### Guidelines for the Applicant

- Applicant must have completed or will complete high school satisfactorily
- Must be interested in continuing their education.
- Must furnish a high school transcript.
- Must write an essay titled "How my Goals Have been affected because of my Catholic Faith".
- Consideration may be based on financial need.
- Must be a catholic and member of one of our Branch Catholic churches of Cyclone, Marak, Rosebud, Cameron, Rockdale or be a member of the Burlington branch of Catholic Life Insurance.

Applications may be picked up from any branch officer or other designated people, and will be due back to Charles Schneider 176 FM 1772, Rosebud, TX 76570 by May 1, 2021.





## How to report an incident of concern.....

Bishop Joe S. Vásquez and the Diocese of Austin are committed to providing compassionate care to persons who have experienced abuse, particularly if committed by clergy or a church representative. If you or someone you know have experienced such abuse, contact the diocesan Coordinator of Victim Assistance and Pastoral Support at ileana-hinojosa@austindiocese.org or (512) 949-2400.

Report abuse of a minor, elderly adult or an adult with a disability to local law enforcement or to the Texas Abuse Hotline at www.txabusehotline.org (800) 252-5400 and to the diocese at www.austindiocese.org/report-abuse or (512) 949-2447.



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Vista nuestro Sitio web

[www.saintmonicatx.org](http://www.saintmonicatx.org)

## Temporary COVID-19 Protocols for the Celebration of Mass

- Please stay 6ft of distance between each other at all times except between members of the same household.
- We advise the following to not attend Mass and to remain at home and join the community through the livestreamed Mass: (i) Those who are showing symptoms of COVID-19, (ii) Those who have an underlying health condition making them vulnerable to COVID-19, or (iii) Those who live with or care for anyone in the previous two categories.
- When entering and exiting the church please sanitize your hands with hand sanitizer located at the entrance.
- Please wear a face mask at liturgies. If you do not have a mask, a mask will be provided for you to wear.

## Protocolos Temporales de COVID-19 para la Celebración de los Sacramentos

- Por favor, manténgase a 6 pies de distancia entre ellos en todo momento.
- Los parroquianos deben alentar a los siguientes parroquianos a quedarse en casa y unirse a la comunidad a través de la Misa transmitida en vivo: (i) Aquellos que muestran Síntomas de COVID-19; (ii) Aquellos que tienen una condición de salud subyacente que los hace vulnerables de COVID-19, o (iii) Aquellos que viven con o cuidan a alguien en las dos categorías anteriores.
- Al entrar y salir de la Iglesia desinfecte sus manos con un desinfectante para manos ubicado en la entrada.
- Por favor, use una mascarilla cuando asista a misa. Las mascarillas se encuentran en la parte posterior de la iglesia para cualquiera que lo necesite.



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

The Knights of Columbus Council #12601 will be rewarding scholarships to graduating seniors. Applicants must be members of St. Monica Catholic Church or son/daughter of KC Council #12601 member. All students meeting the requirements are encouraged to apply. Applications are available at St. Monica Church office or in the church. Completed applications must be turned in at the church office or mail to:

- Juan Gonzalez, 1400 N. Fannin Ave. Cameron, Texas 76520-1866 or
- Nonito Martinez 703 E. 21<sup>st</sup> St., Cameron, Texas 76520-1937,

Completed applications must be received by April 11, 2021. No exceptions will be made.

With great appreciation we would like to thank those who were able to contribute for our 2021 Raffle in support of St. Monica Ladies' Society and our church community. Thank you for your help toward making this Spring Social a success this year.

### Contributors:

- Olivia Aleman
  - Bud & Barbara Hajovsky
  - Janice & Frank Klecka
  - Marie Kortis
  - Brenda & Dominic Labay
  - Jane & Johnny Marek
  - Carol & Harold Moore
  - Renee & Larry Mueck
  - Marilyn & Jack Murphy
  - Dolly Newton
  - Joan & Johnny Pagach
  - Denise & David Pineda
  - Debbie & Ronald Rushing
  - Monica & Bobby Schiller
  - Mary Frances Shipp
- St Monica's Ladies Society

## St. Monica's Ladies Drive-Thru

Simon - George Hall

401 S. Karnes, Cameron, Tx 76520

## Bar-B-Q Chicken and Green's Sausage Dinner

Potato Salad & Pinto Beans

**\*\*Drive-Thru Meal Only\*\***

**\*Raffle\* Sweet Shop\***

## April 25, 2021

Beginning at 10:00 am

Plates \$ 10.00

## Advertising In St. Monica's Parish Bulletin

WE ARE SEEKING NEW SPONSORS. Do you own your own business or know of someone who does? Then why not... Prayerfully consider placing an ad in St. Monica Church weekly bulletin!

- ⇒ Advertise your business.
- ⇒ Place a personal announcement.  
*In memory of a loved one.....Pray for Peace or the Rosary.....Special Intentions of....*
- ⇒ Promote your parish, school or organization.

Our weekly bulletin is distributed after Saturday & Sunday Masses and is also available online at [www.saintmonicatx.org](http://www.saintmonicatx.org) and on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/saintmonicatx](https://www.facebook.com/saintmonicatx)

We need your help! Our advertisers keep our bulletin available. If you would like to sponsor a spot, or know someone who would, please contact the parish secretary. Thank you, we appreciate your interest and support.

Please contact the parish office for more information or pick up a information sheet on the table at the back of the church!



## Easter Flower Coupon

Checks payable to: St. Monica's Ladies Society. Cost: \$12.50 per plant.

**Deadline: Monday, March 29, 2021**

In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Donated: \_\_\_\_\_

You may list more than one person or family. A list of donors/intentions will be included in the Easter Bulletin.





Please, patronize and thank the businesses/individuals that, through their generosity, have made the printing of this bulletin possible. / Por favor, patrocine y agradezca a las empresas / individuos que, a través de su generosidad, han hecho posible la impresión de este boletín.

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Maurice Goza, Director

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Ryan Batten, Director

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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

ST. MONICA'S COUNCIL #12601

MEETINGS 3RD THURSDAY OF  
THE MONTH AT THE  
SIMON & GEORGE HALL

*In Service to One. In Service to All!*

INTERESTED IN A  
BULLETIN AD?  
Please contact  
the parish  
office for more  
information!

### Mikula

In Loving Memory of  
PETE & FRANCES  
MIKULA

May all the Faithful Departed  
Rest in Peace

### Schiller

In Loving Memory of  
Edward O. Schiller, Jr.  
and son Richard Schiller

May all the Faithful Departed  
Rest in Peace

### St. Monica's Ladies' Society

Meet 1st Tues., 2pm  
Sept-May

All Ladies Invited!

### St. Monica Cemetery

- Burial Plots
- Mausoleum spaces
- Perpetual Care

Gary Vrazel, Chairman  
254-721-4322

Call the Parish Office for more info!

### Glass, The Florist

409 N. Travis Ave.  
Cameron, TX

254-697-6615

### ~Serviam~

~ I will serve ~

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Fax: 254-697-6362  
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### Arlan's Receipt Program

Parishioners are asked to keep their Arlan's Supermarket receipts and turn them in to the church. The church receives a 1% donation based on the receipt purchase totals. The entire receipt is necessary to obtain all information required by Arlan's. Through our participation the parish received **\$736.73** in 2020. Thank you for your support!



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### Prayer to St. Monica

Great St. Monica, patroness of all mothers and fathers, please take our children under your protection even those who have strayed from God and His Church. Let them always remain faithful to their baptismal vows. Give us the strength to walk always in the footsteps of the Lord. Amen.

### Pastoral Council Members

Marilyn Murphy, Chairwoman - 512-636-5166  
Email: [mbmurphy1@yahoo.com](mailto:mbmurphy1@yahoo.com)

Denise Pineda, Renee Mueck, & Monica Schiller,  
Olivia Aleman, Juan Carlos Perez, Marilyn Gaas,  
Anna Reyes Hill, Pat Sheguit

### Finance Council Members

Nonito Martinez, Chairman - 482-1407  
Bud Riola, Frank Klecka,

### Cemetery Council Members

Gary Vrazel, Chairman - 254-721-4322  
Mary Frances Shipp, Leon Rieger, William  
Pagach, Linda Kamenicky

## SACRAMENT INFORMATION

### Sacrament of Baptism/el Sacramento de Bautismo

Baptism Class: 3rd Saturday, 10AM, Please register at parish office 2 week prior to classes.

Baptisms: 4th Saturday, 11AM. Please register 2 weeks prior to date.

### Sacrament of Holy Matrimony/ el Sacramento de Matrimonio

Couples should contact the parish at least six months before wedding. / Parejas necesitan comunicarse por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha.

### Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick /el Sacramento de la Uncion de los enfermos.

Contact Fr. Barry at (254)262-6835 or Call the parish office.

### RCIA /El Rito de la Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos,

English, Contact Dcn. Jack Murphy • Spanish: Llame a la oficina para más información.

### Quinceañera

Come by the parish office and fill out a registration form. Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the desired date.

### Contact Information: Organizations / Información de contacto: Organizaciones

#### St. Monica's Ladies' Society

Denise Pineda, President - 979-492-9388

#### Knights of Columbus, St. Monica's Council #12601

Juan Gonzalez, Grand Knight - 979-324-3083

#### Bereavement Meal Committee

Carol Moore - 254-605-0897

Mary Frances Shipp - 697-3772

#### K.J.Z.T. Society #48

Bettie Pagach, President - 254-697-4161

#### K.J.T. Society #19

Eugene Mitchan, Treasurer - 254-697-2396

#### EIM & Homebound Listing

Linda Kamenicky - 512-796-1904

#### Parish Building & Maintenance Committee

Charles "Bud" Riola, Chairman - 254-697-1107