

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 2022

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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.

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 Catholica que reconocemos la necesidad de unimos aun mas fuerte dentro de nuestra comunidad Catholica.

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 enfermos

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

Email: jwmurphy3@yahoo.com

Deacon Emeritus Earl Colley

PARISH STAFF

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

Email: gildarios715@gmail.com

Sonia Vega-Perez, DRE/ Youth Minister

Email: soniaperez2005@yahoo.com

MASS Intentions

Intenciones de la misa

Saturday, January 1, 2022

6 p.m. † Lawrence & Margaret Zotz
† Louis Vrazel, Sr.
† Joe & Mary Vrazel

Sunday, January 2, 2022

7 a.m. † Billy & Mary Ann Seaton
Living & Deceased members
† John & Mary Hubnik Living &
Deceased Members
† Martha Ramos

9 a.m. † Manuel Cardona

Tuesday, January 4, 2021

12 p.m. † Liz & Rudy's Mom & Dad

Wednesday, January 5, 2021

6:30 p.m. (sp.) † Isaac Rodriguez
† Carlos Rodriguez

Thursday, January 6, 2021

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

Friday, January 7, 2021

8 a.m. St. Monica's Ladies Society
Deceased Members

Saturday, January 8, 2022

6 p.m. † John & Annie Dohnalik
† Joe & Mary Vrazel
† Jerry Kostroun, Jr.

Sunday, January 9, 2022

7 a.m. † Martha Ramos
† Gomesindo Escalante
† Anastasia Contreras

9 a.m. † Manuel Cardona
† Priest Rev. John J. Rochford
† Stephanie Marie Ramon



Mass Intentions for 2022

The book for Mass intentions for the year 2022 is now available to schedule an intention. Contact by email: gildarios715@gmail.com or call the parish office.



The Sanctuary Light will burn the week of January 2nd - 7th
In Memory of
† Karan Arning

Featured Advertiser:
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Funeral Home
(254)-697-3661

Calendar of Events/Meetings

RCIA Class Schedule

Classes will resume on Wednesday,
January 5, 2022 at 7 p.m.

CCE Class Schedule:

Class will resume Sunday, Jan. 9, 2022
at 10:05 a.m.

Ladies Society Meeting

January 4, 2022, 2 p.m. at the
St. Anthony Center, Library

Pastoral Council Meeting

January 11, 2022, 7 p.m. at the
St. Anthony Center, Library.

If you would like a copy of the Minutes to the last meeting, copies will be located on the table at the back of the church and at side entrance.

Cemetery Council Meeting

January 18, 2022, 7 p.m.
At the St. Anthony Center, Library

Lector Schedule

Saturday, January 8, 2022

6 PM - Pat Sheguit

Sunday, January 9, 2022

7AM - Blanca Cazares

9 AM - Nonito Martinez

Saturday, January 15, 2022

6 PM - Becky Ferrera

Sunday, January 16, 2022

7AM - Aurora Cardona-Cruz

9 AM - Celeste Cardona

Stewardship Report

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

December 24 & 25

Christmas.....\$2,082.00

Week of December 26, 2021

Weekly Collection.....\$3,909.00

Online Giving.....\$380.00

Arlan's Receipt Program.....\$115.28

Total Collection.....\$6,486.28

Upcoming 2nd collection

Jan. 8th & 9th— St. Monica's Catholic Youth Organization CYO: Monies collected provide funding for the parish Youth Group Program.

CALLLED BY NAME
ATX DCYC

KEYNOTES BY
GIAN GAMBOA, MARI PABLO,
FATHER DANIEL GREEN

MUSIC BY
DAVE AND
LAUREN MOORE

WACO CONVENTION CENTER
FEBRUARY 4-6, 2022

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③ AUSTINDCYC

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE

9th -12 graders

Cost: \$80 after Jan. 5, 2022 cost will be \$95.

Deadline: Jan. 14, 2022

Contact: St. Monica's Youth Minister
Sonia Vega Perez, 254-295-6092

Arlan's Receipt Program

Thank you to all for your continued support in our Arlan's Receipt program. Through our participation the parish received \$717.35 in 2021. Monies raised will go towards our Building & Maintenance Fund.

How to participate: 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.

Nominations for New Pastoral Council Members

It is time again to elect new Pastoral Council Members. Terms of Denise Pineda, Renee Mueck & Monica Schiller have expired. Renee Mueck & Monica Schiller has agreed to be renominated. Any adult member of St. Monica can nominate parishioners by calling the church office. Election will be held the end of January 2022. Three people will need to be elected. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.



Help us update your contact information in our database. Have you recently moved? Has your phone number changed? Have you recently been married? Or, have there been any new additions to your family? If so, you can update your contact information by contacting the parish office at (254)697-2107, or emailing the parish secretary.

PRAY TO
PROTECT
HUMAN LIFE!



WWW.9DAYSFORLIFE.COM



**Texas Catholic
Pro-Life Day**

Sat., January 22, 2022, 9 AM - 4PM
Masses will be held at San Jose and the University Catholic Center in Austin.



Our online giving service is as easy as 1, 2, 3

Forget your checkbook or offertory envelope today? Don't worry. Just visit www.saintmonicatx.org/donate on any device for these easy steps:

1. Choose a One-time or Recurring donation
2. Select a preferred method of payment (electronic check or debit/credit).
3. Enter your information & submit!

Your gift will immediately process, and you'll receive an email confirmation receipt. Select recurring gift option?

Great! Follow the instructions in your confirmation email to easily set up your own online donor account and determine the frequency and amount that you'd like to automatically give. And then stop having to remember those weekly envelopes!

Offertory Envelopes

If you would like to receive offertory envelopes or would like to be removed from receiving please contact the parish office by January 28th. Or send an email to the parish secretary at gildarios715@gmail.com.



Have You or Someone You Know, Experienced Abuse.....

Bishop Joe S. Vásquez and the Diocese of Austin is 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 (512) 949-2400.

How to report an incident of concern...

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 or (800) 252-5400 and to the diocese at www.austindiocese.org/report-abuse or (512) 949-2447.

Report Unethical Behavior.....

Report unethical behavior by a person serving in ministry to the diocese at www.austindiocese.org/other-concerns or (512) 949-2447.

Do you know the benefits of being a registered active church member?

- 1.) Information mailed from the priest and parish organizations.
- 2.) Contact information for home visits, visiting the sick, and a times of family death.
- 3.) Financial discounts for renting Simon & George Hall & Church Use for Weddings, Quinceanera, and Anniversaries
(Note: must be an active practicing catholic & registered member of St. Monica for at least 2 years)
- 4.) Financial discounts for the cost of cemetery plots. (Note: must be an active practicing catholic & registered member of St. Monica for at least 3 years)
- 5.) Bereavement meals for funerals (Must be a registered Active church member.)
- 6.) Religious Education Program & RCIA.
If you attend Mass at St. Monica Parish & have not registered contact the parish office to request a registration form or go to www.saintmonicatx.org and click on the Join our Parish Icon.



Nuestro servicio de donaciones en línea es tan fácil como 1, 2, 3

¿Olvidó su chequera o sobre del ofertorio hoy? No te preocupes Solo visita www.saintmonicatx.org/donate en cualquier dispositivo para estos sencillos pasos:

1. Elija una donación única o recurrente
2. Seleccione un método de pago preferido (cheque electrónico o débito / crédito).
3. ¡Ingrese su información y envíela!

Su donación se procesará de inmediato y recibirá un recibo de confirmación por correo electrónico.

Seleccionó la opción de regalo recurrente?
¡Excelente! Siga las instrucciones en su correo electrónico de confirmación para configurar fácilmente su propia cuenta de donante en línea y determinar la frecuencia y la cantidad que le gustaría dar automáticamente. ¡Y luego deja de tener que recordar esos sobres semanales!

Ethics and Integrity in Ministry

Those who serve in ministry have a sacred obligation to make the church safe for all. Anyone who is new to ministry in the Diocese of Austin must complete the EIM application (one-time only) for Ministry. New applicants must attend an in-person EIM Workshop within 60 days of submitting an EIM Application in order to remain compliant and eligible to serve in ministry. A refresher course must be taken every three years. For more information contact the parish office.

EIM WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

English

Christ the King, Belton

Saturday, 1/22/2022, 10:00a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
To be held in Christus Center, CTK Church
Sacred Heart Parish, Lott

Saturday, 1/29/2022, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Session to be held in the parish hall.



Pope Francis' January Prayer Intention

Intención de oración del Papa Francisco para el mes de Enero

For true human fraternity

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

Por la verdadera fraternidad humana

Oremos por todos aquellos que sufren discriminación y persecución religiosa; Que se reconozcan sus propios derechos y dignidad, que nacen de ser hermanos y hermanas en la familia humana.

St. Monica's Prayer Chain Cadena de Oración de Sta. Mónica



**Please Pray for /Por favor, reza por
Barbara Ellison and Marcelino Flores.**

Names remain on this list for 4 weeks and then transferred to the Book of Prayers.

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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Edward O. Schiller, Jr.
and son Richard Schiller

May all the Faithful Departed
Rest in Peace

Mikula

In Loving Memory of
PETE & FRANCES
MIKULA

May all the Faithful Departed
Rest in Peace

~Serviam~

~ I will serve ~



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!



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.

St. Monica Cemetery

- Burial Plots
- Mausoleum spaces
- Perpetual Care

Gary Vrazel, Chairman
254-721-4322

Call the Parish Office for more info!

St. Monica's Ladies' Society

Meet 1st Tues., 2pm
Sept-May

All Ladies Invited!



Check Out Our Website
Vista nuestro Sitio web
www.saintmonicatx.org

Contact Information: Organizations / Información de contacto: Organizaciones

Pastoral Council Members

Marilyn Murphy, Chairwoman-

Email: 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

Bud Riola, Frank Klecka

Cemetery Council Members

Gary Vrazel, Chairman

Mary Frances Shipp, William Pagach, Linda
Kamenicky

Simon & George Memorial Hall

Maribel Gonzales, Hall Manager
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St. Monica's Ladies' Society

Denise Pineda, President
dpishlass@gmail.com

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

Nonito Martinez, Grand Knight
Bereavement Meal Committee

Carol Moore and

Mary Frances Shipp

EIM Site Admin. & Homebound Listing

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K.J.T. Society #19

Eugene Mitchan, Treasurer

K.J.Z.T. Society #48

Bettie Pagach, President

Parish Building & Maintenance Committee

Charles "Bud" Riola, Chairman



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For information Contact Gilda Rios at
the St. Monica's parish office!

254-697-2107 or email
gildarios715@gmail.com.

INFORMATION

Sacraments/ Sacramentos

Contact the parish office to prepare for sacraments such as baptisms, weddings,
first communion and confirmation.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para prepararse para sacramentos como
bautizos, bodas, primera comunión y confirmación.

RCIA /El Rito de la Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos,

Contact Parish office for information. Llame a la oficina para más información.

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

Call the parish office or contact Fr. Barry at (254)262-6835. Llame a la oficina
parroquial o Póngase en contacto con el P. Barry al (254)262-6835.

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.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para obtener un formulario de registro.
Los arreglos deben hacerse al menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada.