

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 ensenanzas de Cristo.
- Ayudar a nuestros jovenes acercarse mas a Jesus.
- Hacer un estuerzo y mobilizarnos ayudar a otros, compartiendo nuestro tiempo, talentos y tesoros contodos los necesitados.
- Especialmente nuestros ancianos y entermos

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 15, 2022

6 p.m. † Louis Vrazel, Sr.
† Herbert F. & Helen Hoelscher
† Louis Krennek

Sunday, January 16, 2022

7 a.m. † Cirilo Castillo
† Mateo Cortez
† Alberta Jimenez

9 a.m. † Leon Rieger
† Manuel Cardona
† Julian Balboa

Saturday, January 22, 2022

6 p.m. † Barbara Hajovsky
† Maria Del Socorro Martinez-Nunez
† Joy Davis

Sunday, January 23, 2022

7 a.m. For the People of God
9 a.m. † Manuel Cardona
† Montana Mitchan

There will be no Daily Mass Monday, January 17th thru Friday January 21st! Fr. Barry will be out of the office attending a retreat. No habra misa diaria el 17 al 21 de Enero. Padre Barry estará fuera de la oficina asistiendo a un retiro.

Offertory Envelopes

If you would like to be removed from receiving offertory envelopes or If you do not receive envelopes and would like to receive please contact the parish office by January 28th. Or send an email to the parish secretary at gildarios715@gmail.com.

End of Year Tax Statements

If you would like to have your offertory information mailed to you for income tax purposes, please call the church office or email gildarios715@gmail.com to have your name added to the list. We will only be mailing or emailing out the tax information to those who request it.

Calendar of Events/Meetings

Office Closed

In observation of Martin Luther King Jr. Day, the parish office will be closed on Monday, January 17th.

Cemetery Council Meeting

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

Office Closed

The parish office will be closed on January 25, 2022.

St. Monica Religious Education CCE Schedule

Sunday's, 10:05 a.m.—11:45 a.m.

Class 12: January 16, 2022

Class 13: January 23, 2022

Class 14: January 30, 2022

NO Class : February 6, 2022

For the next 4 weeks The Austin Diocese EIM Call to protect for Children and Youth will be administered During CCE class on Sunday's for All Pre-k-5th, And 6th -9th . For Any Questions or Concerns Contact St.Monica's Director of Religious Education.

Featured Advertiser:

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(254)-697-3661

Lector Schedule

Saturday, January 22nd, 2022
6 PM - Bud Riola

Sunday, January 23rd, 2022
7AM - Blanca Cazares
9 AM - Marilyn Murphy

Saturday, January 29th, 2022
6 PM - Cynthia Kostroun

Sunday, January 30th, 2022
7AM - Margarita Madera
9 AM - Tiffany Bolivar

Stewardship Report

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

Week of January 9, 2022

Weekly Collection.....\$3,109.77
Online Giving.....\$480.00
St. Monica's Catholic Church Youth Organization CYO.....\$412.00
Total Collection.....\$4,001.77

St. Monica's Restoration Fund

Memorials

Thank you to the following for their gift to St. Monica's church restoration.

* **Donation In Memory of Louis Krennek**
Given By: Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Krennek and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Gideon

All donations will be used in upcoming church restorations. May God continue to bless our parish.



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.



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.

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 weekend of January 29th & 30th. Three people will need to be elected. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office. **Nomination deadline is Mon. Jan. 24th**

Preserving our Future

To everyone in the St. Monica's family,

I wanted to first thank you, again, and also on behalf of Fr. Dimitrij, for your generous donations to the restoration of the interior of the church. From my perspective as a priest, I get to look out every Sunday at the beauty that we all enjoy and toward the work to which so many contributed so faithfully.

Due to recent weather events, and simply time moving forward, it's been on my heart and the heart of the pastoral council that we should focus on maintaining this beautiful space. The principal way of doing so is to keep the momentum going and ensure that the outside of the church is in good shape so that the inside remains protected!

With that said, the pastoral council has approved two key projects moving forward:

The first is the preservation and protection of our stained glass windows.

The second is the restoration of the roof. Not just patchwork, but a complete project to ensure the roof will be in good shape for whatever we face in the future.

If you would like to remember a loved one by a memorial to either, or both, of these projects, simply contact Gilda at the office, and let her know that this gift is in memory of a loved one for the preservation and renovation of the exterior of the church. She will record that information. If you would like, we are also able to send out a letter informing your designee that a donation has been made in his/her honor, or that of a deceased family member.

Thank you for being a wonderful example of a caring community, for current and future generations.

Si desea hacer una donación para la preservación del techo y las vidrieras de nuestra Iglesia, en memoria de un ser querido, simplemente comuníquese con Gilda en la oficina y mencione que su donación es en memoria de un ser querido para la conservación y renovación del exterior de la iglesia. Gracias!

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PRAY TO PROTECT HUMAN LIFE!

9 DAYS FOR LIFE

JANUARY 19 - 27, 2022

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Advertising In Our Bulletin

Our weekly bulletin is distributed after Saturday & Sunday Masses and is also available online at www.saintmonicatx.org and on Facebook at www.facebook.com/saintmonicatx.

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!

1. Advertise your business
2. Place a personal announcement

In memory of a loved one...Pray for Peace or the Rosary...Special Intentions of ...

3. Promote your parish, school or organization

Please contact the parish office for more info! 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.



Texas Catholic Pro-Life Day 2022

Sat., January 22, 2022, 9 AM - 4PM

Masses will be held at San Jose and the University Catholic Center in Austin.



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.



Texas Rally for Life

Saturday, January 22, 2022 • 1pm - 4 pm

Join thousands of Texans from across the state at the 2022 Texas Rally for Life. Show our elected officials, the media, and the Supreme Court that Texas is pro-life! Starting at the parking garages at 14th & San Jacinto to march to the Capitol in Austin, Texas.



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.

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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and son Richard Schiller

May all the Faithful Departed
Rest in Peace

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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
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K.J.T. Society #19

Eugene Mitchan, Treasurer

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Bettie Pagach, President

Parish Building & Maintenance Committee

Charles "Bud" Riola, Chairman



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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 Uncion 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.