



SANTA CRUZ

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Welcome to our Community of Faith



PASTOR: Fr. Kirby Garner

ASSOCIATE PASTOR:
Fr. Christian Sánchez

DEACONS

Ben Garcia
Rey Garza
Rodolfo Gonzalez
John Kerrigan

OFFICE HOURS
HORARIO DE OFICINA

Monday - Friday: 9:00a - 5:00p
Office Closed Saturdays and Sundays
La oficina esta cerrada
los Sábados y Domingos

PARISH STAFF

Parish Administrator	Bob Johnson (x103)
Clergy Secretary	Juanita Rodriguez (x117)
Admin. Assistant	Alma Tamayo (x122)
Receptionist	Rosa Lopez-Wicker (x101)
Music Director	Ademar Chavana (x114)
Parish Custodian	David Martinez

LITURGY & SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday/Sábado5:30p ENG
Sunday/Domingo8:30a ESP
11:00a ENG
5:00p ENG

Daily Masses/Misas Diarias

Please see inside the bulletin for details
Para más detalles favor de leer el boletín

Penance/Confesiones

Saturdays 4:00-5:00p or by appt.
Sábados: 4:00-5:00p o por cita

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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Director of RE Jo Anna Rubio (x138)
Assoc. Director of RE Delia Blanco (x129)
Adult RE &
Faith Enrichment Lupita Bodony (x137)
Youth Ministry Alex (x108)

SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

School Phone	512.312.2137
School Website	www.sccstx.org
School Address	PO Box 160, Buda, TX 78610
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Secretary	Leticia Gonzales

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Mass Intentions: February 20-28, 2015

DAY	DATE	TIME	ENG/ESP	LOCATION	MASS INTENTION
Sat	02/20	5:30 PM	Eng	Church	† Robert & Agnes Moy
Sun	02/21	8:30 AM	Esp	Church	† Gabino Coneche
		11:00 AM	Eng	Church	† Joe M. Sandoval
		5:00 PM	Eng	Church	All Parishioners of Santa Cruz
Mon	02/22	3:45 PM	Eng	Chapel	† Roberto Garza
Tue	02/23	3:45 PM	Eng	Chapel	For Life from Conception to Natural Death
Wed	02/24	7:00 AM	Eng	Chapel	† Thomas Mancini
Thu	02/25	7:00 AM	Eng	Chapel	† Carlos Chacón
Fri	02/26	8:00 AM	Eng	Church	† Tules Gamboa
Sat	02/27	5:30 PM	Eng	Church	† Richard Henson
Sun	02/28	8:30 AM	Esp	Church	† Virginia Luna
		11:00 AM	Eng	Church	† Dalmon W. Spinks
		5:00 PM	Eng	Church	All Parishioners of Santa Cruz

Note that a Mass in English is celebrated at 12:00 Noon on Tuesdays at the Seton Hays Chapel.

WELCOME! ~ ¡BIENVENIDOS! /

NEW MEMBERS TO SANTA CRUZ!

We are so grateful for our New Parishioners. If you know them, please help us welcome them! Below are the New Members for the previous weeks:

Démosles las bienvenida a nuestros nuevos miembros:

Paul & Bryanne Mayo

Elaine Zavala

David & Phuong Hue Pena

El Ministerio de Evangelización de Santa Cruz les invita al:

VI Retiro de Adolescentes...

Edades: 13-17años

¡Nadie es Como Tú!

Sábado, 5 de marzo, 2016

de las 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

en el Salón Parroquial Deane

Ven a conocer más a Jesús y experimentar su amor.

Sera un día de alabanza, compartimiento de la palabra de Dios y oración.

Para información/preguntas llamar: (512) 745-7947 ó al (512) 745-0574 ó visitar nuestra página de internet: www.carismaenmision-nestx.org

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle
Tue: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12
St. Polycarp
Wed: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28
Thu: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31
Fri: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Abstinence
Sat: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sun: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9
Alternate readings (Year A): Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Pe 5:1-4; Sal 23 (22):1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
La Cátedra de san Pedro
Martes: Is 1:10, 16-20; Sal 50 (49):8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12
San Policarpo
Miércoles: Jer 18:18-20; Sal 31 (30):5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28
Jueves: Jer 17:5-10; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 16:19-31
Viernes: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Sal 105 (104):16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Abstinencia
Sábado: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 9-12; Lc 15:1-3, 11-32
Domingo: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 6-8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lc 13:1-9
Lecturas alternativas (Año A): Ex 17:3-7; Sal 95 (94):1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

You can find the *Reflection of the Week*, our *Weekly Calendar of Events* and the *bulletins* posted at:
www.santacruzcc.org

Usted puede encontrar la *Reflexión de la Semana*, nuestro *Calendario de Eventos semanal* y el *boletín* en:
www.santacruzcc.org

PARISH FINANCES / FINANZAS

February 14th Collection

Weekly Budget\$28,673
Actual Collection\$24,364
Variance (Under Budget)..... (-\$4,309)

FY 2016 Year to Date Budget\$946,209
FY 2016 Year to Date Collection\$900,302
Year-to-date Budget (Under Budget)..... (-\$45,907)

SECOND COLLECTIONS / SEGUNDA COLECTA

This Week..... St. Vincent de Paul
Next Week Catholic Higher Education

PARISH ATTENDANCE / ATENDENCIA

Church Attendance: 02/14/16.....3,231
(Saturday 5:30PM: 323;
Sunday: 8:30 AM: 1,036; 11AM: 1,122; 5PM: 750)
Church Attendance: 02/10/16 (Ash Wednesday)4,437
(Wednesday 6:00AM: 143; 8:00 AM: 455; 12Noon: 375;
4:30PM: 1,164; 6:00PM: 1,087; 8:00PM: 1,213)

PRAYER REQUESTS / PETICIONES DE ORACIÓN

Please pray for the following parishioners who are ill at this time:
Favor de orar por estos feligreses que están enfermos:

Crystal Larkin, Leo Speckman, David Dudley and Chrispin Hernandez

Please pray for our parishioners who are serving in the military:
Favor de orar por nuestros feligreses que están en el servicio militar:

We continually update our list of parishioners serving in the military. Please call Alma Tamayo in the church office so that we can have an accurate list of active military personnel who are parishioners at Santa Cruz. Thank you.

*Rolando Ríos, Jr. son of JoAnn Ríos,
Neil Dodson, son of Scott & Sandy Dodson,
Eddie Xavier Díaz Conde, grandson of Marie Gamboa,
Meghan Ramos, daughter of Onofre Ramos,
David Patterson, son of Anne & Douglas Patterson,
Rashad Salters, husband of Denise Salters,
SSG Joshua Wood, husband of Cynthia Wood,
Veronica Ross, daughter of John & Mary Hinojosa,
Andrew DiCarlo, son of David & Jacquelyn DiCarlo,
Victoria Lara Mojica, granddaughter of Rudy & Juanita Lara*

Please pray for the faithfully departed, especially for:
Favor de orar por nuestros difuntos, especialmente por:

Crescencio Avalos, Betty Vogel and Carlos Hernández



Jubilee Year of Mercy

February 21, 2016

Second Sunday of Lent

Many icons depicting Jesus' transfiguration bear the Greek title *Metamorphosis*, a technical term also for nature's springtime transformation. Fittingly, this *Jubilee Year of Mercy* coincides with the Lectionary's Year of Luke, for only Luke specifies Moses and Elijah speaking about Jesus' "exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem" (Luke 9:31). Israel's exodus liberated from slavery; Jesus' exodus liberates from sin's living death of selfishness. Pope Francis suggests that Lent's prayer, fasting, and works of charity can transfigure the world, if Christians translate Isaiah's challenge into our daily lived experience of Jesus' life-giving exodus by releasing those bound unjustly, setting free the oppressed, sharing your bread with the hungry, bringing the afflicted and homeless into your house, clothing the naked, not turning your back on your own. "If you remove from your midst oppression, and malicious speech... then light shall rise for you in the darkness... you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring whose water never fails" (Isaiah 58:9, 10, 11).

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Año Jubilar de la Misericordia

21 de febrero de 2016

Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

Muchos iconos con la imagen de la transfiguración de Jesús tienen un título en griego que dice *Metamorphosis*, una palabra técnica que también se refiere a la transformación natural de la primavera. Casualmente, este *Año Jubilar de la Misericordia* coincide con el Año C en el que los domingos se lee el Evangelio de Lucas, además solamente Lucas menciona que Moisés y Elías "hablaban del éxodo de Jesús, que él estaba a punto de cumplir en Jerusalén" (Lucas 9:31). El éxodo de Israel liberó de la esclavitud; el éxodo de Jesús libera de la muerte en vida del pecado del egoísmo. El Papa Francisco sugiere que en esta Cuaresma la oración, el ayuno y las obras de caridad pueden transformar al mundo, si los cristianos en la vida diaria interpretaran el desafío de Isaías de experimentar de Jesús el éxodo que da vida al liberar a los presos injustamente, dando libertad a los cautivos, compartiendo el pan con los hambrientos, ofreciendo un techo a los desamparados y afligidos, vistiendo al desnudo, no dándoles la espalda a los más necesitados. "Si quitas de en medio de ti el yugo, el amenazar con el dedo y el hablar iniquidad, y si te ofreces al hambriento, y sacias el deseo del afligido, entonces surgirá tu luz en las tinieblas, y tu oscuridad *será* como el mediodía. Y el Señor te guiará continuamente, saciará tu deseo en los lugares áridos y dará vigor a tus huesos; serás como huerto regado y como manantial cuyas aguas nunca faltan" (Isaías 58:9, 10, 11).

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

The schedule below lists events that all parishioners are generally invited to. To reserve your parish event, contact Barbara Pecuch at (512) 422-1485. For a more complete schedule, please view our calendar online at: <http://www.santacruzcc.org/> or check the day's events posted at our parish office.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

San Juan Chapel Cleaning 2:00 pm-3:00 p.m. San Juan Chapel
RE Monday Sessions I & II 4:00 pm-8:00 p.m. Education Bldg.;
Youth room & Library room
SVDP Meeting..... 6:30 pm-9:00 p.m. PAC321 (SHMC Room)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Boy Scouts..... 6:00 pm-9:00 p.m. ED212, 213 & 214
CHRP Women/English..... 6:30 pm-9:30 p.m. ED208
Santa Cruz School 6:30 pm-9:00 p.m. Deane Hall & kitchen
Prayer & Life Workshop 7:00 pm-9:00 p.m. ED120 (Youth Room)
Adult Lenten Class..... 7:00 pm-8:30 p.m. ED119
Grupo de Oración
El Buen Pastor 7:30 pm-9:00 p.m. Church
Vía Crucis en Español 7:30 pm-8:00 p.m. Iglesia

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

San Juan Chapel Cleaning 2:00 pm-3:00 p.m. San Juan Chapel
Stations of the Cross
through the Eyes of Mary 3:00 pm-4:00 p.m. San Juan Chapel
RE Monday Sessions I & II 4:00 pm-8:00 p.m. Education Bldg.;
Youth room & Library
That Man is You! 6:30 pm-8:00 p.m. ED 116 (Library/Media)
English Choir practice..... 7:00 pm-9:00 p.m. ED118 (Music)
Singing Rosary 7:00 pm-8:00 p.m. San Juan Chapel

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

American Heritage Girls..... 6:00 pm-7:30 p.m. ED201 & 202
RCIA..... 6:00 pm-9:00 p.m. ED120 (Youth room)

Adult Sacramental

Preparation Class 6:30 pm-8:30 p.m. ED211 & 212
Spanish Choir practice 7:00 pm-9:00 p.m. ED118 (Music)
Evangelización de las
Familias-Kerigma 7:00 pm-9:30 p.m. Deane Hall; PAC301 & 321
Grupo Preciosísima
Sangre de Cristo..... 11:00 pm-3:00 a.m. San Juan Chapel

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

San Juan Chapel cleaning 2:00 pm-3:00 p.m. San Juan Chapel
SHMC Fish Fry 3:00 pm-7:00 p.m. Deane Hall & kitchen
Wedding Rehearsal 5:00 pm-6:00 p.m. Church
English Stations of the Cross..... 6:30 pm-7:00 p.m. Church
Movimiento Familiar Cristiano ... 6:30 pm-10:00 p.m. ED205, 208, 209, 211 & 212
Spanish CHRP
Men & Women meeting..... 6:30 pm-9:30 p.m. ED206, 207, 213, & 214
Spanish Rosary Group 7:00 pm-9:00 p.m. PAC313

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Choir Practice 9:00 am-5:00 p.m. ED118 (Music Room)
Wedding 2:00 pm-3:30 p.m. Church
Spanish CHRP Women 4:00 pm-10:30 p.m. Deane Hall, PAC301 & kitchen

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

RE & FF Session I & II 7:30 am-2:00 p.m. ED Bldg., & PAC301/321
That Man is You! 9:30 am-11:00 a.m. School workroom
Bingo 2:00 pm-5:30 p.m. Deane Hall & kitchen
Spanish Marriage
Prep classes 3:00 pm-7:00 p.m. ED206 & 207

WORKS OF MERCY

“It is my burning desire that, during this Jubilee, the Christian people may reflect on the corporal and spiritual works of mercy... We cannot escape the Lord’s words to us, and they will serve as the criteria upon which we will be judged...”

-Pope Francis

Corporal Works of Mercy

1. Feed the hungry
2. Give drink to the thirsty
3. Clothe the naked
4. Welcome the stranger
5. Comfort the sick
6. Visit the imprisoned
7. Bury the dead



Spiritual Works of Mercy

1. Counsel the doubtful
2. Instruct the uninformed
3. Admonish sinners
4. Comfort the sorrowful
5. Forgive offenses
6. Be patient with those in error
7. Pray for the living and the dead

OBRAS DE MISERICORDIA

“Mi ardiente deseo es que, durante este jubileo, el pueblo cristiano pueda reflejar sobre las obras corporales y espirituales de misericordia... No podemos escapar las palabras del Señor a nosotros, y servirán como criterio por el que seremos juzgados...”

-Papa Francisco

Obras Corporales de Misericordia

1. Dar de comer al hambriento
2. Dar de beber al sediento
3. Vestir al desnudo
4. Dar techo al forastero
5. Visitar a los enfermos
6. Visitar a los encarcelados
7. Enterrar a los muertos

Obras Espirituales de Misericordia

1. Aconsejar al que lo necesita
2. Enseñar a los ignorantes
3. Corregir al que se equivoca
4. Consolar a los tristes y afligidos
5. Perdonar al que nos ofende
6. Ser paciente con los defectos del prójimo
7. Orar por los vivos y los muertos

SANTA CRUZ MINISTRIES/MINISTERIOS

ADULT RE & FAITH ENRICHMENT	Lupita Bodony	(512) 312-2520	HOSPITALITY MINISTERS	Tom Peña	(512) 796-3154
ALTAR SOCIETY	Anne Patterson	(512) 312-0131	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Al Garza	(512) 757-3091
ALTAR SERVERS/SPANISH	Javier & Maria Cavazos	(512) 825-5681	LECTORS	Noelia Perez	(512) 743-7027
ALTAR SERVERS/ENGLISH	Tammy Boddy	(512) 468-7179	LEGION OF MARY	Roland Hernandez	(512) 312-9867
ARTS & ENVIRONMENT	Sandy Hughes	(512) 757-3575	LEGIÓN DE MARIA	Juanita Valencia	(512) 704-5320
BINGO	Bob Buras	(512) 292-0958	MASS INTENTIONS	Juanita Rodriguez	(512) 312-2520
BOOKS & GIFTS	Juanita Rodriguez	(512) 312-2520	MOTHER'S MINISTRIES:		
BOY SCOUTS TROOP 128	Kathleen Lossau	(512) 669-2226	M.O.M.S. PROGRAM	JoAnna Rubio	(512) 312-2520
CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH				Laura Haymes	(512) 312-2520
(WOMEN ENG.)	Margarita Negrón	(512) 657-7988	WOMEN OF GRACE - EVENING	Sally Follett	(512) 695-6793
CONVALIDACIÓN DE MATRIMONIOS	Martha & Leonardo Quintero	(512) 689-5943	MOVIMIENTO FAMILIAR CRISTIANO	Rodolfo & Beatrice Martínez	(512) 699-2871
COUPLES FOR CHRIST	Vince & Myla Villafior	(440) 454-0711	MUSIC MINISTRY/MINISTERIO DE MÚSICA	Ademar Chavana	(512) 312-2520
COVENANT OF LOVE	Jimmy & Joanna Mancini	(512) 569-6963	MYSTICAL ROSE ROSARY MAKERS GUILD	Dolores Montemayor	(512) 689-4873
CRISTO RENUEVA SU PARROQUIA			NARTHEX/PORTICO COORDINATION	Tom Hughes	(512) 757-3573
(MEN'S Sp.)	José Rafael Sustaita	(512) 785-6850	PARISH SACRISTAN	María Carmen Ramírez	(512) 745-7949
CRISTO RENUEVA SU PARROQUIA			PASTORAL COUNCIL	Cesar Gálvez	(512) 563-9208
(WOMEN Sp.)	Ninfa Ramos	(512) 785-6008	PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION	Jimmy & Joanna Mancini	(512) 569-6963
DISCIPLESHIP COUNCIL			PRECIOSÍSIMA SANGRE DE NUESTRO SEÑOR	María Carmen Ramírez	(512) 745-7949
(FORMERLY STEWARDSHIP)	Janie Coy	(512) 295-5439	RCIA FOR ADULTS (ENGLISH)	Sandy Dodson	(512) 213-4554
EVANGELIZACIÓN DE LAS FAMILIAS	Zulma Hernández	(512) 745-7947	RCIA FOR ADULTS (SPANISH)	Lupita Bodony	(512) 312-2520
GABRIEL PROJECT	Oralia Garza	(512) 963-1518	RESPECT LIFE	Deacon Rey & Oralia Garza	(512) 295-6973
GRIEF SHARE SUPPORT GROUP	Vernon Kunz	(512) 504-9050	SACRED HEART MEN'S CLUB	Pedro Balderas	(512) 529-7931
GRUPO DE ORACIÓN-EL BUEN PASTOR	Noelia Pérez	(512) 743-7027	SINGING ROSARY	Linda Ables	(512) 295-5451
GRUPO JUVENTUD ALEGRE	José (Paco) Tobías	(512) 720-9919	SPANISH ROSARY	Ted Rodríguez	(512) 999-4267
(18 YEARS AND OLDER)			ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY	Sylvia McPherson	(512) 415-4012
GUADALUPANAS/OS	Rudy Lara	(512) 920-8828	THAT MAN IS YOU	Victor Rubio	(512) 574-1351
HOLY COMMUNION MINISTRY	Jo Burdette	(512) 295-3082	WELCOME MINISTRY	Trish Lecca	(512) 470-9502
HOMEBOUND MINISTRY	Rudy & Juanita Lara	(512) 920-8828	YOUTH MINISTRY	Alex Smith	(512) 312-2520

Santa Cruz Catholic Church

Lenten Schedule 2016

Horario de Cuaresma 2016

CONFESSION OPPORTUNITIES IN THE DEANERY DURING LENT!

¡Confesiones en el Deanato DURANTE LA CUARESMA!

NO CONFESSIONS DURING HOLY WEEK!

¡No Habrá confesiones en Semana Santa!

All Lenten Penance Services listed start at 7:00 p.m. / Todas empiezan a las: 7:00 p.m.

<u>Tuesday, March 1st</u> Our Lady of Wisdom, San Marcos, TX	<u>Thursday, March 3rd</u> St. Mary, Wimberley, TX
<u>Tuesday, March 8th</u> Santa Cruz, Buda, TX There will be ten (10) Priests hearing Confessions. Most of the Priests are bilingual.	<u>Wednesday, March 9th</u> St. Ferdinand, Blanco, TX
<u>Thursday, March 10th</u> St. Martin de Porres, Dripping Springs, TX	<u>Friday, March 11th</u> St. Anthony Marie de Claret, Kyle, TX
<u>Tuesday, March 15th</u> Good Shepherd, Johnson City, TX	<u>Friday, March 18th</u> St. John the Evangelist, San Marcos, TX

Confessions for Elderly and Night WorkersTuesday, March 8th, 10:30-11:30aStations of the Cross/EnglishFridays @ 6:30 p.m. in the Church
on the following dates:*Feb. 26th, March 4th,
March 11th, and March 18th*Stations of the Cross/SpanishVía Crucis en españolMartes, 7:30 p.m. en la Iglesia
s siguientes fechas:*23 de Feb., 1 de marzo,
8 de marzo, 15 de marzo y 22 de marzo*Stations of the CrossThrough the eyes of MaryWednesdays, 3:00–4:00p at the Chapel
on the following dates:*Feb. 24th, March 2nd, March 9th,
March 16th and March 23rd***OTHER LENTEN ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:**

The Sacred Heart Men's Club reminds all parishioners that fish fry Friday's are here...

"Fish Fry Friday"Friday, February 26th
3pm to 7pm in Deane Hall
See you there!!"Viernes de Pescado Frito"Viernes, 26 de febrero
3pm a 7pm en el salón parroquial
¡Allí los esperamos!!

The Fish Fry is held every Friday during Lent. Adult Plates are \$8 and Kids Plates are \$4. For more information about this and more call (512) 529-7931 or visit the Santa Cruz website. Thank You!

Los platillos de pescado se venden cada viernes durante la Cuaresma. Platillos para adultos son de \$8 y \$4 para niños. Puede obtener más información llamando al (512) 529-7931 o en el sitio web de Santa Cruz. ¡Gracias!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/EDUCACION RELIGIOSA: K-12 ~ YOUTH ~ ADULT RE & FAITH ENRICHMENT

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE HOURS/HORARIO DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

February 22-28, 2015

Mon. & Wed. (Lunes & Miércoles):..... 1:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
 Tuesday (Martes): Office Closed/Cerrado
 Thursday (Jueves): 12:00 noon-4:00 p.m.
 Fri. & Sat. (Viernes y Sábado): Office Closed/Cerrado
 Sunday (Domingo): 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

We are also available by appointment outside of the posted hours.
 Please contact us at (512) 312-2520 to make arrangements.

RELIGIOUS ED (K-12TH GRADES)

Coordinators: JoAnna Rubio & Delia Blanco

Important Upcoming RE Dates:

Feb 21st / 22nd/ 24th - Regular RE Classes Meet

Feb 28th / 29th - Regular RE Classes Meet

ADULT RE & FAITH ENRICHMENT

Coordinator: Lupita Bodony

ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT - already begun this year as well for all Adults/Parents of our RE Students in both English and Spanish and are being held at the same time as RE classes. Everyone is welcomed!

ENRIQUECIMIENTO DE LA FE PARA ADULTOS - ya comenzó, los mismos días y a la misma hora, de las clases de catecismo para niños. Se les invita a todos los adultos participar. ¡Los esperamos!

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Coordinator:

Alex Smith, (512) 789-0182, asmith.scym@gmail.com

Important Upcoming Youth Dates:

February 21st - Family Youth Night

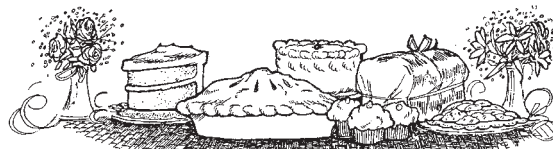
March 6th - MS & HS Youth Night

March 20th - Family Youth Night

God Stock registration is open to all High Schoolers who are currently active & participating in Religious Education. For more information, contact Alex in the Youth Ministry Office to register.

Many thanks to the Rosary Guild for sharing their gifts with the Confirmation students. Our students met this past Saturday and made 85 rosaries that will be sent to a children's hospital in Africa. Please keep the confirmation students in your prayers as they continue their journey in preparing to celebrate the sacrament of confirmation.

Fish Fry Bake Sale - If you like to bake and would like to donate bake goods to our youth ministry bake sale, please contact Alex Smith. The Youth will be selling baked goods every Friday at the Fish Fry! All proceeds will be used towards youth events and gatherings. Thank you in advance for your assistance.



SANTA CRUZ CATHOLIC SCHOOL/ESCUELA CATOLICA

News from the Principal's Desk

We are very busy getting ready for our Accreditation visit beginning March 1st. For four days, a visiting team of five educators will use the Self-study document we spent last year writing to review all aspects of our parish school. They look at seven domains: Catholic Identity, Community, Curriculum & Instruction, Governance & Administration, Personnel, Student Services, and Facilities. Please keep the faculty and staff, as well as me, in your prayers during this time.

Enrollment for the 2016-2017 school year has begun. We are accepting students in grades PK3 through 8th grade. Please visit our website, www.sccstx.org, for enrollment information, including tuition prices. We do have tuition assistance available. For more information, you can call or stop by the school office.

Have a blessed week,

Mrs. Flanagan

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Ha comenzado la inscripción para el año 2016-2017. Estamos aceptando estudiantes en grados PK3 hasta el 8vo grado. Por favor visite nuestro sitio web, www.sccstx.org, para más información, incluyendo precios de matrícula. Tenemos ayuda financiera disponible. Para obtener más información, puede llamar o pasar por la oficina de la escuela.

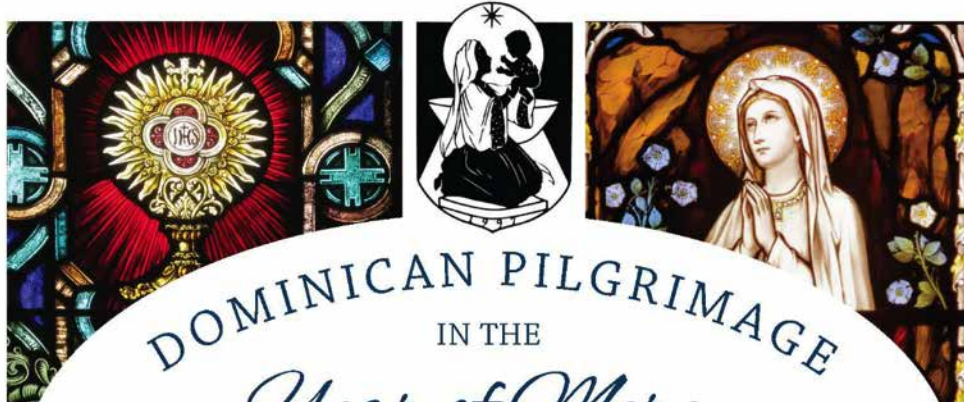
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The Santa Cruz Catholic School Advisory Board has an opening on its board. We are looking for a parishioner who has a love for development and could work with the Development Committee helping it with its fundraising events. If interested, please contact the school office for an Advisory Board Member Application. If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Flanagan, Principal, at (512) 312-2137.

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That Man is You! - We are meeting this Wednesday at 6:30PM in room Education Building room 116 (Library) and Sunday mornings at 9:30AM in the school's workroom. We will no longer be meeting Thursday mornings. If you have any questions, please contact Victor Rubio at varubio1@hotmail.com, or at (512) 574-1351.

OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS

Are you interested in Praising the Lord; Living in the Spirit and attending a Prayer Group?

There will be a **Life in the Spirit Seminar**, Feb. 27, 2016, 8 am to 5 pm at Christ the King in Belton, the seminar will include light breakfast and a lunch. Cost is \$20 for individuals and \$30 for couples. You can also attend Mass at 5pm at Christ the King.

These series will be given by the Team from Catholic Charismatic Renewal, Diocese of Austin, Fr. John Kim, Fr. Ron Feather and Deacon Tim and Eva Dorsey. For further information about Catholic Charismatic Renewal see the website www.ccraustin.org and www.cccrsa.net/charismaticcenter



Peregrinación para el Año Jubilar de la Misericordia para visitar Venecia, Padua, Asís, Florencia y Roma en Italia. El Padre Pedro García-Ramirez, párroco de Santa Teresa en Bryan, está organizando una peregrinación en español de 11 días para este año Jubilar de la Misericordia; de octubre 31 al 10 de noviembre del 2016. Para más información llame al (979) 822-2932 (oficina), o al (512) 705-5360 (celular), o correo electrónico: ppericogarcia@gmail.com.

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