

Our Lady Star of the Sea Annual Fall Festival

October 4, 2025 (6pm-10pm)

October 5, 2025 (5pm-10pm)

Raffle Prizes Premios de la Rifa

Raffle Tickets for Sale!



- 1st. Prize \$7,500.00 Cash Gift Card
- 2nd. Prize \$3,000.00 Cash Gift Card
- 3rd. Prize \$2,000.00 Cash Gift Card
- 4th. Prize \$1,000.00 Cash Gift Card
- 5th. Prize \$1,000.00 Cash Gift Card
- 6th. Prize \$500.00 Cash Gift Card
- 7th. Prize \$500.00 Cash Gift Card
- 8th. Prize \$500.00 Cash Gift Card
- 9th. Prize \$100.00 Cash Gift Card
- 10th. Prize \$100.00 Cash Gift Card

The tickets are \$10.00 each with two (2) chances to win! Available for purchase at the entrance of the church, parish office or on our website at olsstx.org. We need to reimburse the church for the prizes purchased for the fundraiser. If anyone is wanting to donate to any of these prizes please come by the office to make your donation.

Boletos de la Rifa a la Venta!

Los boletos cuestan \$10.00 cada uno con dos (2) oportunidades de ganar! Disponible para comprar en la entrada de la iglesia, oficina parroquial o en nuestro sitio web en olsstx.org. Necesitamos reembolsar a la iglesia por la compra de los premios de la rifa. Si alguien desea donar a alguno de estos premios, pase por la oficina para hacer su donación.



Mass schedule for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Horario de misa para La Solemnidad de La Asunción de la Virgen Maria

Thursday (jueves) August (agosto) 14th.
6:00pm (English-ingles)

Friday (viernes) August (Agosto) 15th.
7:30am (Spanish-español) 6:00pm (Bilingual-bilingüe)

Holy Day of Obligation/Día Santo de Obligación

The mass will be in the main church/La misa sera en la iglesia principal.

We offer our condolences to the families of all the faithful departed. May the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Laguna Heights Mission Church Collection

Today's second collection is for the building project for the Laguna Heights Mission Church. Please be generous with your donation.

Colecta de la Iglesia de la Misión de Laguna Heights

La segunda colecta de hoy es para el proyecto de construcción de la Iglesia de la Misión de Laguna Heights. Por favor sea generoso con su donación.



Help our parish kids with Back to school uniforms. Please take an apple with child sizes & donate what you can. Return your donation along with the apple information to the Parish hall office no later than **Tuesday, August 5** during office hours. Distribution of donations will be on **Wednesday, August 13**. Thank you so much for your generosity!

BAZAAR MEETING

There will be a bazaar meeting on Thursday, August 7th at 6:30pm at the Parish Hall. We need volunteers to sign up to sponsor and to help with the booths. Please make arrangements to attend this meeting.



REUNIÓN DEL BAZAR

Habrà una reunión del bazar el jueves 7 de agosto a las 6:30pm en el Salón Parroquial. Necesitamos voluntarios para inscribirse para patrocinar y ayudar con los puestos. Por favor haga arreglos para asistir a esta reunión.

The office will be closed on August 15th.

Holy Day of Obligation

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

La oficina estará cerrada el 15 de Agosto.

Día Santo de Obligación

Solemnidad de la Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María

THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN SPONSOR:

Cameron County Insurance Center, Inc.
Coleman Hall & Heinze Insurance



302 Queen Isabella Blvd.
Port Isabel, TX 78578

(956) 943-6481 • Fax (956) 943-7086

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday—August 2

Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

8:00am All Souls in Purgatory

5:00pm Parishioner Community

7:00pm Capilla San Jose-Laguna Heights Mission

†Ascencion Mota

†Jesus Urquiza (9th. Anniv.)

Sunday—August 3

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Carlos Cruz

†Idalia Garza & †Ramiro Garza, Sr.

†Romalda C. Rodriguez (4th. Anniv.)

†Gonzalo Torres

Jenefer Rodriguez (B-day)

Maria Pilar Hernandez (B-day)

10:00am †Joe H. Castillo, Sr.

†Lupita L. Villarreal & †Sabino Villarreal

†Judy H. Sanchez (4th. Anniv.)

†Cecilio Barrientez, Sr.

Arturo Bennett, Sr. (B-day)

12:00pm †Jesus R. Garza, Sr.

†Ignacio Salinas, Sr. & †Lilia Garcia Salinas

†Ricardo H. Garcia, Sr. & †Gloria O. Garcia

†Michael David Opperman

Monday—August 4

Saint John Vianney, Priest

6:00pm **No Mass**

Tuesday—August 5

The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

6:00pm **No Mass**

Wednesday—August 6

The Transfiguration of the Lord

6:00pm †Gerardo Gonzalez

†Victor R. Valdez & †Maria Dolores Perez

†Refugia Valdez

†Jesus Roberto Garcia

All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday—August 7

Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest

6:00pm †Michael J. Perez

†Daniel Lloy Kerkow (1st. Anniv.)

Friday—August 8

Saint Dominic, Priest

7:30am Adelaido Granados (B-day)

Saturday—August 9

Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr

5:00pm †Juanita & †Guadalupe Rivera

†Dick Lothe

†Paulita Castillo & †Concepcion Castillo

†Desiderio Delgado, Sr. & †Otila S. Delgado

Grasiela Renteria & Steven A. Martinez (B-day's)

7:00pm Capilla San Jose-Laguna Heights Mission

Para la Comunidad Parroquial

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Num 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Matt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Num 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13; Matt 14:22-36

Wednesday: Dan 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pet 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

Thursday: Num 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Matt 16:13-23

Friday: Deut 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21; Matt 16:24-28

Saturday: Deut 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 and 51; Matt 17:14-20

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 Or Lk 12:35-40

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Nm 11, 4-15; Sal 80, 12-13. 14-15. 16-17; Mt 14, 13-21

Martes: Nm 12, 1-13; Del Sal 50; Mt 14, 22-36

Miércoles: Dan 7, 9-10. 13-14; Sal 96, 1-2. 5-6. 9; 2 Pe 1, 16-19; Lc 9, 28-36

Jueves: Nm 20, 1-13; Del Sal 94; Mt 16, 13-23

Viernes: Dt 4, 32-40; Sal 76, 12-13. 14-15. 16 y 21; Mt 16, 24-28

Sábado: Dt 6, 4-13; Sal 17, 2-3a. 3bc-4. 47 y 51ab; Mt 17, 14-20

Domingo: Sab 18, 6-9; Sal 32, 1 y 12. 18-19. 20 y 22; Heb 11, 1-2. 8-19 O bien Heb 11, 1-2. 8-12; Lc 12, 32-48 O bien Lc 12, 35-40

Stewardship Passage: "Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions."

LUKE 12:15

The Gospel message is contrary to modern culture that continually tries to convince us that our joy comes from the material things we possess. That the more we acquire, the happier we will be. Jesus shows us that our true joy comes from our "invisible" gifts like love, mercy, and forgiveness. True joy comes from "emptying" ourselves, giving of ourselves rather than always taking. We are called not to hoard but to share. True joy comes from living Stewardship in a grateful and generous lifestyle. Become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

For online giving options, please visit our website at: www.olsstx.org

Weekly Collection	\$8,661.13
Cathedraticum	(\$996.03)
Final Collection	\$7,665.10
Bazaar Collection	\$2,201.91

God bless you for your generosity! ¡Dios te bendiga por tu generosidad!



Jenefer Rodriguez, Maria Pilar Hernandez,
Arturo Bennett, Sr., Adelaido Granados,
Eugenia Torres & Laura Celina Cisneros.



The altar flower arrangements were
donated this week in
Loving Memory of:

†Covert Franzen

By: Wife, Maria Luisa Franzen

Pro-Life Rosary

We invite the community to join us in praying a Pro-Life Rosary for the unborn babies. This will take place on Sunday, August 10 at 1:00pm in the main church after the 12pm mass.



Rosario Pro-Vida

Invitamos a la comunidad a unirse a nosotros para rezar un Rosario Pro-Vida por los bebés no nacidos. Esto se llevará a cabo el domingo 10 de agosto a la 1:00pm en la iglesia principal después de la misa de las 12:00pm.

Change Schedule of Mass and Sacrament of Reconciliation

Beginning on August 12, there will be an additional Mass in English on Tuesday's and Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered only on Thursday's at 5pm and Saturday's at 4pm.

Cambio de horario de misa y Sacramento de la Reconciliación

A partir del 12 de agosto, habrá una misa adicional en inglés los martes y el sacramento de la reconciliación se ofrecerá únicamente los jueves a las 5:00pm y los sábados a las 4:00pm.

Donations for the Fall Festival

It's that time of year again when we begin to prepare for our annual Fall Festival in October. We are beginning to start asking for donations for our booths for this coming year. We need donations for our Chalupa and game booths, Country store, and for our food booths. We also need 12 pack soft drinks, bottled water and 2-3 liter soft drinks. You can bring these items to the Parish Office or Parish Hall during business hours. Please donate and thank You!

Donaciones para el Festival de Otoño

Es ese momento un año más cuando comenzamos a prepararnos para nuestro Festival de Otoño en octubre. Estamos empezando a solicitar donaciones para nuestros puestos para este año. Necesitamos donaciones para nuestros puestos de Chalupa y juegos, tienda de artículos y para nuestros puestos de comida. También necesitamos refrescos de 12 paquetes, agua embotellada y refrescos de 2-3 litros. Puede llevar estos artículos a la oficina parroquial o al salón parroquial durante el horario de oficina. ¡Por favor dona y gracias!

Office Position (part-time)

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church in Port Isabel is accepting employment applications for a part-time office position. This position is responsible for answering phones, filing, running errands and other duties. Must have knowledge of computer systems, copiers, printers and other equipment. Interested qualified candidates can pick up an application at the parish office. For more information please call the office at 956-943-1297.



Mass Schedule (Horario de Misas)

Weekday Masses (Misas entre semana)

Wednesday (miércoles) (S) Misa @6:00pm
Thursday (jueves) (E) Mass @6:00pm
Friday (viernes) (S) Misa @7:30am

Weekend Masses (Misas del fin de semana)

Saturday (sábado) (E) 5:00pm
(S) 7:00pm Capilla San José-Laguna Heights

Sunday (domingo) (S) 8:00am (E) 10:00am (B) 12:00pm

Please see the bulletin for any changes on the daily mass schedule. Thank You.

Consulte el boletín para conocer cualquier cambio en el horario de misas diarias. Gracias.

Sacrament of Reconciliation • Sacramento de Reconciliación

Wednesday (miércoles) & Thursday (jueves) 5:00pm—5:45pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento

Wednesday (miércoles) & Thursday (jueves) 5:00pm—6:00pm
Friday (viernes) 8:00am—12:00pm

24 Hour Prayer Line for the Sick:

24 hours, 24 people praying; List changes every other week.
Cadena de Oración para los enfermos:
24 horas, 24 personas rezando. Una vez por semana.
Call the church office (*hable a la oficina*) at 943-1297

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2569

Anyone wishing to become a member, please contact:
Helen Delgadillo 956-371-0619

Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas (JCDA) #2569

Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas (JCDA)
For girls ages 6-18.
Contact person: Ana Holland 956-778-9996
anaholland35@gmail.com

Knight's of Columbus-Council 4779

Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church

For membership information, please contact one
of the council members:

Frank Mata 956-243-0540 or Juan Rivera 956-943-4903

Alcoholics Anonymous

Open meeting on Thursday's @7:00pm and Sunday's @7:00pm
At the Parish Hall. For more information call 1-888-880-9718.



Our Lady Star of the Sea Church
Faith Formation
 LIFELONG AND ONGOING
 Children + Youth + Adult + Family

August
3, 2025

Important Information below



**Mark Your
Calendar**



Marca tu

FAITH FORMATION

Events & Meetings Coming up

Sunday/domingo, August 3

11am-1:30pm **Confirmation II Session Candidate, Parents & Sponsor (Mandatory)**

Monday/lunes, August 4

6pm-8:30pm **Protecting God's Children Training**
All church members/volunteers must attend!

Tuesday/martes, August 5

6pm-7:30pm **First Communion Orientation (English)**
 6:30pm **Cucharaditas de Dios Formación de Fe**

Wednesday/miércoles, August 6

6pm-7:30pm **Primera Comunión Orientación (español)**

Thursday/jueves, August 7

6:30pm **Bazaar/Kermes Meeting**
Everyone Invited to attend/Todos invitados

Sunday/domingo, August 10

9am-11:30am **Confirmation I Orientation (Mandatory)**
For Candidate & Parents

DISCIPLES BIRTHDAYS

Aiden Bocanegra, Jenny Troncoso,
 Adan Mateo Barrera, Matias Loera,
 Avery Rodriguez, Steven Martinez,
 & Estela Zuniga



TODOS INVITADOS CUCARADITAS DE DIOS

¡Aumenta el conocimiento de tu Fe!



Todos los martes 6:30pm
salón parroquial

CCE REGISTRATIONS



August 13
3pm-6pm
parish hall

CCE BEGINS/comienza WEDNESDAY/miércoles, SEPTEMBER 10

No Registration fee if you sign up by September 3

No hay tarifa de registro si se registra antes del 3 de Septiembre

CCE Late registration fee after September 10: \$20 per student,

if more than 2 / \$45 per family

Tarifa de inscripción tardía de CCE después del 10 de septiembre:

\$20 por estudiante, si hay más de 2 estudiantes \$45 por familia



**Back to
School**



uniform drive

If you took an apple, please return your donation along with the cut out apple to the Parish hall on or before **Tuesday, August 5** during office hours. Distribution of donations to the families will be on **Wednesday, August 13**. Thank you so much for your generosity and we appreciate your love and kindness for the children of our community.

Regreso a Escuela, Campana de Uniforme Escolar

Si usted tomo una manzana, favor, devuelva su donación junto con su manzana al salón parroquial antes del **Martes 5 de agosto** durante el horario de oficina. Distribuiremos donaciones a las familias el **miércoles, 13 de agosto**.

Muchas gracias por su generosidad y apreciamos su amor y amabilidad por los niños de nuestra comunidad.

Bendiciones!

Blessings!

Confirmation Class

ATTENTION PARENTS & CANDIDATES

ATENCIÓN PADRES Y CANDIDATOS

CONFIRMATION II ORIENTATION

MANDATORY / OBLIGATORIA

CANDIDATES, PARENTS & GODPARENTS

CANDIDATOS, PADRES, Y PADRINOS

Sunday/domingo, AUGUST 3

Attend/Asistir 10am Mass/misa

11:00am - 1:30pm

Parish Hall /Salón Parroquial

Please bring a covered dish /Favor traiga un platillo para compartir

MUST BRING BAPTISM & COMMUNION CERTIFICATES

DEBE TRAER CERTIFICADOS DE BAUTISMO Y COMUNION

For more information, contact the CCE office.

*Para obtener más información,
póngase en contacto con la oficina de CCE.*



Faith Formation is lifelong & ongoing, we graduate when we get to Heaven!



Faith FORMATION

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church

Children + Youth + Family + Adult



Holy Baptism

NEXT BAPTISMS:

Sunday, September 21

Registration Deadline before August 25

Present child's original birth certificate.

Need Godparents Eligibility Forms completed.

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: 21 de septiembre

Regístrese antes del 25 de agosto

Presente el certificado de nacimiento original del niño de la ciudad.

Necesitamos Formularios de Elegibilidad de los Padrinos.

REGISTER FOR FAITH FORMATION



SCAN QR
CODE FOR
REGISTRATION
FORM



CCE Registration Forms and flyers containing all the CCE programs are available for pick up at the entrance of church by the bulletin board. Take the form with you, fill it out and return to the parish office or CCE office.

Los formularios de registro de CCE y los volantes que contienen todos los programas de CCE están disponibles para recoger en la entrada de la iglesia junto al tablero de anuncios. Lleve el formulario con usted, llénelo y devuélvalo a la oficina de la parroquia o la oficina de CCE.

For more information or any questions feel free to **call 943-6392.**

*Para obtener más información o cualquier pregunta, no dude en **llamar al 943-6392***



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**Reconciliation
First Eucharist
and Confirmation**



ATTENTION PARENTS / ATENCIÓN PADRES

Parent & student need to attend

First Holy Communion Parent Orientation

Tuesday, August 5 (English)

6:00pm - 7:30pm

Parish Hall

Padre y estudiante necesitan asistir

Orientación de Padres de Primera Comunión

Miércoles 6 de agosto (español)

6:00pm - 7:30pm

Salón Parroquial

**MUST BRING BAPTISM CERTIFICATES
DEBE TRAER CERTIFICADOS DE BAUTISMO**

Please call the office for more information

Para mas información llame a la oficina

956-943-6392

Confirmation Class

ATTENTION PARENTS & CANDIDATES

ATENCIÓN PADRES Y CANDIDATOS

CONFIRMATION I ORIENTATION

MANDATORY / OBLIGATORIA

CANDIDATES, PARENTS & GODPARENTS

CANDIDATOS, PADRES, Y PADRINOS

Sunday/domingo, AUGUST 10

Attend/Asistir 10am Mass/misa

9:00am - 11:30am

Parish Hall /Salón Parroquial

Please bring cover dish /Favor traiga un platillo para compartir

**MUST BRING BAPTISM & COMMUNION CERTIFICATES
DEBE TRAER CERTIFICADOS DE BAUTISMO Y COMUNION**

For more information, contact the CCE office.

Para obtener más información,

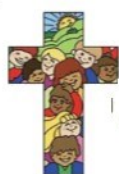
póngase en contacto con la oficina de CCE.



Faith FORMATION

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church

Children + Youth + Family + Adult



becoming a catechist

**ALL YOU NEED IS A LOVE FOR GOD,
OUR FAITH, AND HIS CHILDREN!**

We desperately need volunteers

to assist with this wonderful "faith fulfilling" role which at most will only take up a couple of hours a day out of your week. Please contact or stop by the CCE office during office hours for a Volunteer form. For more information or any questions feel free to **Call 943-6392**.

Necesitamos desesperadamente voluntarios

para ayudar con este maravilloso papel de "cumplimiento de la fe" que a lo sumo solo ocupará un par de horas al día de su semana.

Por favor, póngase en contacto o pase por la oficina de CCE durante el horario de oficina por un formulario de Voluntario. Para obtener más información o cualquier pregunta, no dude en llamar al 943-6392

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

**New Volunteers, Catechists & All church members
Must participate in Child Safety on child abuse.**

*Nuevos voluntarios, catequistas y
todos los miembros de la iglesia*

Debe participar en la seguridad infantil sobre abuso infantil

Protecting God's Children® 4.0 Adults Session

Protegiendo a los Hijos® de Dios Sesión de Adultos

Register to attend a Training dates

Regístrese para asistir a una fecha de capacitación

Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/cscLL8Nt1A>

AUG 4 MONDAY/LUNES
5:30pm - 8:30pm

SEPT 3 WEDNESDAY/MIÉRCOLES
5:30pm - 8:30pm

Parish Hall/salon parroquial

For more information or any questions call 943-6392

PLEASE
REGISTER
SCAN
QR CODE



Have **YOU**
Thought About
BECOMING CATHOLIC?



**STILL TIME TO SIGN UP
NOT TOO LATE TO GET STARTED
AÚN HAY TIEMPO PARA REGISTRARSE
NO ES DEMASIADO TARDE**

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I dedicated you."

Jeremiah 1:5

Are you thinking about becoming a Catholic?
Are you interested in what the Catholic Church teaches?
Do you want to deepen your understanding of the person and the nature of God & His Son Jesus Christ?

*¿Estás pensando en convertirte en católico?
¿Estás interesado en lo que enseña la Iglesia Católica?
¿Quieres profundizar tu comprensión de la persona y la naturaleza de Dios y su Hijo Jesús?*

Call the CCE Office/Llame a la oficina 943-6392

WE NEED YOUR TREASURES!



Preparing for our 2025 Annual Bazaar

All kind of Donations are Welcome!

Good condition items for the Country Store for Annual Bazaar.

Interested in helping, call the office.



Baptism Preparation



BAPTISMS: Sunday, August 17

Baptism Class: Monday, August 11

For those Pre-registered only!

5:30pm - 8:00pm in the Parish Hall / Salón Parroquial

BAUTISMOS: 17 de agosto

Clase de bautismo: lunes 11 de agosto

¡Solamente para aquellos pre-registrados!

Choir Invites You to join!



Do you sing or play any instruments?

Would you like to be part of the Music Ministry?

Please contact at 956-943-6392

¡ La Formación de Fe es continua y de por vida; nos graduamos cuando llegamos al Cielo !