

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.



BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

This weekend the second collection will be for the Building & Maintenance Fund. This collection helps us maintain our grounds, parish hall, rectory and church. Please be generous with your donation.

COLECTA DEL FONDO DE CONSTRUCCIÓN

Este fin de semana la segunda colecta será para el Fondo de Construcción y Mantenimiento. Esta colecta nos ayuda a mantener nuestros jardines, salón parroquial, la casa del párroco y la iglesia. Por favor sean generosos con su donación.

Pro-Life Rosary

We invite the community to join us in praying a Pro-Life Rosary for the unborn babies. This will take place this 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 este domingo 10 de agosto a la 1:00pm en la iglesia principal después de la misa de las 12:00pm.

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

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.

THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN SPONSOR:



THE ORIGINAL
DOWNTOWN
THOMAE-GARZA
Funeral Directors

Albert Vega
Funeral Director

Phone: (956) 399-1331 | Cel: (956) 497-8608
thomaegarza@hotmail.com | thomaegarza.com

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



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

Sunday—August 10

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Guadalupe Infante

†Ernestina B. Barrera

†William B. & †Enriqueta H. Barrera

†Gonzalo Torres

10:00am †Maria del Carmen Martinez

†Vidal Cantu, Sr. & †Vidal Cantu, Jr.

†Isaac Cantu, Sr.

12:00pm †Oscar Valenzuela

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

†Michael David Opperman

†Ernesto Rodriguez

Monday—August 11

Saint Clare, Virgin

6:00pm **No Mass**

Tuesday—August 12

Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

6:00pm †Graciela Mestas

Wednesday—August 13

Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyr

6:00pm †Sebastian & †Paula Hernandez

†Freddy Mata, Jr.

†Juanita F. Faudoa

Thursday—August 14

Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

6:00pm Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday—August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30am Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Mass-Spanish)

6:00pm Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Mass-Bilingual)

†Monica C. Vela

Maria Idalia Torres (B-day)

Saturday—August 16

Saint Stephen of Hungary

5:00pm †Margaret Millar & †Seferino Rivera

†Louisa Ewing & †Barry Ewing

†Barbara Sierra & †Esther Soto

7:00pm Capilla San Jose-Laguna Heights Mission

†Lionor Padilla

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Deut 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Matt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Deut 31:1-8; Ps Deut 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12; Matt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Deut 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17; Matt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matt 18:21-19:1

Friday: Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11; Matt 19:13-15

Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dt 10, 12-22; Sal 147, 12-13.1 4-15. 19-20; Mt 17, 22-27

Martes: Dt 31, 1-8; Sal Dt 32, 3-4ab. 7. 8. 9 y 12; Mt 18, 1-5. 10. 12-14

Miércoles: Dt 34, 1-12; Sal 65, 1-3a. 5 y 16-17; Mt 18, 15-20

Jueves: Jos 3, 7-10. 11. 13-17; Sal 113A, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6; Mt 18, 21-19, 1

Viernes: Ap 11, 19; 12, 1-6. 10; Sal 44, 10bc. 11. 12ab. 16; 1 Cor 15, 20-27; Lc 1, 39-56

Sábado: Jos 24, 14-29; Sal 15, 1-2a y 5. 7-8. 11; Mt 19, 13-15

Domingo: Jr 38, 4-6. 8-10; Sal 39, 2. 3. 4. 18; Heb 12, 1-4; Lc 12, 49-53

Stewardship Passage: "For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." LUKE 12:34

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure? How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? Stewards invest more in the things of heaven. You must let go of some of the things of this world.

For online giving options, please visit our website at:

www.olsstx.org

Weekly Collection	\$11,165.03
Cathedraticum	(\$1,283.98)
Final Collection	\$9,881.05
Laguna Heights Mission	\$3,316.73

God bless you for your generosity!

¡Dios te bendiga por tu generosidad!



**Grasiela Renteria, Steven A Martinez,
Maria Idalia Torres, Elsa T. Ramirez
& Dewitt Thomas.**

*Blessed the people the Lord has chosen
to be his own.*

Psalm 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22

CHALUPA / LOTERIA

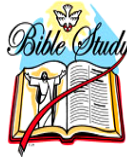
Sponsored by: The Knights of Columbus

Sunday, August 24 from 2pm – 4pm, doors open at 1pm in the Parish Hall. Mark your calendars and come and have some fun! Tickets on sale 3 cards for \$15.00 or buy at the door. If you would like to donate a prize please drop it off at the office. Thank you!

Domingo, 24 de agosto de 2pm – 4pm, las puertas se abren a las 1pm en el Salón Parroquial. Hacía que marca tu calendario y ven y diviértete! Boletos de venta 3 tarjetas por \$15.00 o puedes cómpralas en la puerta. Si quieres donar un premio, por favor tráiganlo para la oficina. Gracias!

Adult Bible Study

The Adult Bible Study is set to begin on Monday, September 8 at 6pm at the parish Hall. We hear, reflect on and share Sunday's Gospel. Building up the Kingdom of God involves individual spiritual growth, service to others, and actively contributing to the spread of God's teachings. *Come, hear, share, grow!*



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)

Daily Mass Schedule • Horario de las Misas Diarias

Tuesday (martes) 6:00pm (E) Wednesday (miércoles) 6:00pm (S)
Thursday (jueves) 6:00pm (E) Friday (viernes) 7:30am (S)

Weekend Mass Schedule • Misas en Fin de Semana

Saturday (sábado) 8:00am (S) First Saturday of the month
(primer sábado del mes)

Saturday (sábado) 5:00pm (E) 7:00pm (S) Capilla San José-L.H.
Sunday (domingo) 8:00am (S) 10:00am (E) 12:00pm (B)

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

Thursday (jueves) 5:00pm—5:45pm
Saturday (sábado) 4:00pm—4:45pm
Or by appointment (O con cita previa)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento

Wednesday (miércoles) 12:00pm—6:00pm
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
10, 2025

Important Information below



Mark Your Calendar



Marca tu

FAITH FORMATION

(Events & Meetings Coming up)

Sunday/domingo, August 10

9:00am – 11:30am **Confirmation I Orientation (Mandatory)**
 For Candidate & Parents

Monday/lunes, August 11

12:00pm-1:00pm **First Communion Orientation (bilingual)**

5:30pm-8:30pm **Baptism Class (English)**
 For those pre-registered only!

Tuesday/martes, August 12

6:30pm **Cucharaditas de Dios Formación de Fe**

Wednesday/miércoles, August 13

3pm – 6pm **CCE Faith Formation Registration**

Plan Ahead & Save the dates!

¡Planea con anticipación y guarda las fechas!



Back to School
uniform drive



Back to School Uniform Drive Deadline

Regreso a Escuela, Campaña de Uniforme Escolar
 Distribution of donations to the families will be
 on *Distribuiremos donaciones a las familias el*

Wednesday/miércoles, August 13

Thank you so much for your generosity.

We appreciate your love & kindness for the
 children of our community.

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

Bendiciones! Blessings!

thankyou

1 Corinthians 14:26

*When you assemble, one has a psalm, another an
 instruction, a revelation, a tongue, or an interpretation.
 Everything should be done for building up.*

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 spiritual growth, service to others, and actively
 contributing to the spread of God's teachings.

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Monday, September 8th at 6PM in the parish hall.

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DISCIPLES BIRTHDAYS

Leslie Andrade, Sergio Perales Jr
 & Scarleth Raymundo



TODOS INVITADOS
CUCCHARADITAS 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

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 12pm Mass/misa

9:00am – 11:30am

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.*



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.



CCE Registration Forms & flyers are available at the church by the bulletin board.

Take & return to parish during office hours.

SCAN QR CODE FOR REGISTRATION FORM



Top 10 reasons why you should be a Catechist.

Here I am Lord
Send Me
Isaiah 6:8

8. Sharing the faith is an honor.

It is estimated that less than 1 percent of Catholics are catechists. If you have been approached to be a catechist, or if you feel the call, you are being asked to do something special for God, for the Church and for your fellow Catholics.

7. Your own faith will come alive.

By acting on what you believe, you become a participant in building up God's kingdom. Jesus told us not to put our light under a bushel basket, and that means not hiding it behind a missal either. As a catechist, you will discover that prayer, liturgy and your own relationship with God will become more vibrant and meaningful.



ATTENTION PARENTS / ATENCIÓN PADRES

Must register for Holy Communion

Parent & student need to attend

First Holy Communion Parent Orientation

Padre y estudiante necesitan asistir

Orientación de Padres de Primera Comunión

Tuesday, September 2

6:00pm - 7:30pm Parish Hall

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DEBE TRAER CERTIFICADOS DE BAUTISMO

Please call the office for more information

Para mas información llame a la oficina

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**Reconciliation
First Eucharist
and Confirmation**

Confirmation Class

ATTENTION PARENTS & CANDIDATES

ATENCIÓN PADRES Y CANDIDATOS

CONFIRMATION I & II CLASSES START

Sunday / domingo, September 7

Class starts at 9:00am

Parish Hall / Salón Parroquial

& Attend / Asistir 12pm Mass / misa

For more information, contact the CCE office.

Para obtener más información,

póngase en contacto con la oficina de CCE.



ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR YOUTH LEVEL II

ORDEN DE INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADOLESCENTES NIVEL II

Classes/sessions Starting Sunday / domingo, September 7

Attend 10am mass following class/session 11:00am—12:15pm in Parish hall / salón parroquial

Required Parent & student Interview / Padres y estudiante Entrevista requerida

Call 956-943-6392 to make an appointment as soon as possible

Llame al 956-943-6392 para una cita lo mas pronto possible

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

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>

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

Parish Hall/salon parroquial

For more information or any questions call 943-6392

PLEASE
REGISTER
SCAN
QR CODE



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

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



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 !