

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.

FINAL BAZAAR MEETING

There will be a bazaar meeting on Thursday, September 25 at 6:30pm at the Parish Hall. This is the last meeting before the bazaar. Please make arrangements to attend this very important meeting.



REUNIÓN FINAL DEL BAZAR

Habrà una reunión del bazar el jueves 25 de septiembre a las 6:30pm en el Salón Parroquial. Esta es la última reunión antes del bazar. Por favor, haga arreglos para asistir a esta reunión muy importante.

We offer our condolences to the families of †Celia Troncoso and †Eleuteria Leasher who recently passed away. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Collection for Gaza

Bishop Daniel Flores has asked each parish in the diocese to take up a special collection for the suffering of Christians and other innocent victims in Gaza and the surrounding areas. Please be generous with your donation.

Colecta para Gaza

El obispo Daniel Flores ha pedido a cada parroquia de la diócesis que realice una colecta especial por el sufrimiento de los cristianos y otras víctimas inocentes en Gaza y sus alrededores. Por favor, sea generoso con su donación.

We will not have Mass on September 24 at 6:00pm.

No Sacrament of Reconciliation and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament only Mass on September 25.

No tendremos Misa el 24 de septiembre a las 6:00pm.

No habrá Sacramento de Reconciliación y Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento, sólo Misa el 25 de septiembre.

We will not have Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday, October 1st.

Our Priest will be attending a Priest Assembly.

No tendremos Misa y Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento el miércoles 1 de octubre.

Nuestro Sacerdote asistirá a una Asamblea de Sacerdotes.

*Blessed be the Lord,
Who daily loads us with benefits,
The God of our salvation!
Psalm 68:19*

THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN SPONSOR:

MARCHAN INVESTMENTS

Property Management and Maintenance
Minor Repairs and Remodels
Lawn Care and Bookkeeping
Patrick (Pat) Marchan



P.O. Box 1027
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wsmmr@aol.com

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday—September 20

Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang and Companions, Martyrs

5:00pm †Pilar C. Cantu

†Margaret Millar

†Henry B. Etheridge, Sr.

7:00pm Capilla San Jose-Laguna Heights Mission

†Candelario Mota

†Julia L. Bennett

†Gustavo Valdez, Sr.

Sunday—September 21

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Para la Comunidad Parroquial

10:00am †Fernando & †Elvira Vigil

†Monica C. Vela

Joseph M. Martinez (B-day)

12:00pm †Idalia Garza (3rd. Anniv.)

†Santiago Sandoval

†Jesus R. Garza, Sr.

Monday—September 22

6:00pm **No Mass**

Tuesday—September 23

Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest

6:00pm †Gabriel Herrera

†Juanita Rivera

†Emma P. Barker

Wednesday—September 24

6:00pm **No Mass**

Thursday—September 25

6:00pm †Isabel Hinojosa

†Carmen Calvillo

Agapito Herrera (B-day)

Friday—September 26

Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs

7:30am †Euladio H. & †Amina M. Salinas

Michelle Galvan (B-day)

Saturday—September 27

Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

5:00pm †Jose Gonzalez

†Eliseo B. Vega

Wilfred & Joan Korson (70th. Wedding Anniv.)

7:00pm Capilla San Jose-Laguna Heights Mission

†Candelario Mota

†Guillermo Mora (2nd. Anniv.)

†Jesus Perez

*Love one another
as I have loved you.*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Ps Tob 13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Hag 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hag 2:1-9; Ps 43:1, 2, 3, 4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Zech 2:5-9, 14-15a; Ps Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Amos 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Tim 6:11-16;

Lk 16:19-31

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Esd 1, 1-6; Sal 125, 1-2ab. 2cd-3. 4-5. 6; Lc 8, 16-18

Martes: Esd 6, 7-8. 12. 14-20; Sal 121, 1-2. 3-4a. 4b-5; Lc 8, 19-21

Miércoles: Esd 9, 5-9; Sal Tob 13, 2. 3-4a. 4bcd. 5. 8; Lc 9, 1-6

Jueves: Ag 1, 1-8; Sal 149, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6a y 9b; Lc 9, 7-9

Viernes: Ag 2, 1-9; Del Sal 42; Lc 9, 18-22

Sábado: Za 2, 5-9. 14-15; Sal Jr 31, 10. 11-12ab. 13; Lc 9, 43-45

Domingo: Am 6, 1. 4-7; Sal 145, 7. 8-9a. 9bc-10; 1 Tim 6, 11-16;

Lc 16, 19-31

Stewardship Passage: "No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (wealth)." LUKE 16:13

Jesus knows that for many of us, God and money run "neck and neck" as top priority. Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money through Stewardship frees us from becoming a slave to money. It increases our dependence on God and our trust that God will provide all that we need.

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

Weekly Collection	\$7,497.75
Cathedraticum	(\$862.24)
Final Collection	\$6,635.51
Building Fund Collection	\$2,712.10

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



**Joseph M. Martinez, Agapito Herrera, Michelle Galvan,
Irma Garza, Sofia Gonzalez, Gilbert Silva,
Hector Martinez & Mary Rocha.**

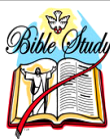


The altar flower arrangements were
donated this week in
Loving Memory of:
†Julia L. Bennett
By: Daughter, Georgina B. Fletcher

Adult Bible Study

The Adult Bible Study is on Monday's 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 Bazaar Booths

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 los puestos del Bazar

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!



Please return your raffle tickets!

For those of you that took raffle ticket books, please start bringing in the money with the ticket stubs. The festival will be the weekend of October 4 and 5. Thank you!



¡Por favor, devuelvan sus boletos de la rifa!

Para aquellos de ustedes que se llevaron los boletos de la rifa, por favor comiencen a traer el dinero con los talones de los boletos. El festival sera el fin de semana del 4 y 5 de octubre. ¡Gracias!

JCDA Bake Sale

The Our Lady Star of the Sea JCDA Court #2569 will be having a Bake Sale after each mass on Sunday, September 21, 2025. All proceeds will go to the San Jose Mission in Laguna Heights.

Venta de Pasteles de la JCDA

La Corte JCDA # 2569 de Nuestra Señora Estrella del Mar realizará una venta de pasteles después de cada misa el domingo 21 de septiembre del 2025. Todos los ingresos se destinarán a la Misión de San José en Laguna Heights.



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

September
 21, 2025

Important Information below



Mark Your
 Calendar



Marca tu

FAITH FORMATION

(Events & Meetings Coming up)

Sunday/domingo, September 21

- 10:00am Catechetical Sunday Commissioning/Blessing
- 11:00am Gathering for All Catechetical Volunteers
- 11:00am Christian Initiation for Youth Sessions

Monday/lunes, September 22

- 6:00pm Christian Initiation for Adults/Adultos(eng/esp)
- 6:00pm Adult English bible study

Tuesday/martes, September 23

- 6:30pm Cucharaditas de Dios Formación de Fe en español

Wednesday/miércoles, September 24

- 3:15pm—8:30pm CCE Kinder—12th grade

Sunday/domingo, September 28

- 11:00am Christian Initiation for Youth Sessions
- 11:00am First Holy Communion Sessions

DISCIPLES BIRTHDAYS

Joseph Martinez, Jocelyn Vargas,
 Adriana Lopez, Arleth Lopez,
 & Luis Martinez



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!

Adult bible study have begun

Monday's at 6:00pm in parish hall.

We hear, reflect on, and share Sunday's gospel.



**Holy
 Baptism**

**NEXT BAPTISMS:
 Sunday, October 19**

Registration Deadline before September 30

Present child's original birth certificate.
 Need Godparents Eligibility Forms completed.

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: 19 de octubre

Regístrese antes del 30 de septiembre

Presente el certificado de nacimiento original del niño de la ciudad.
 Necesitamos Formularios de Elegibilidad de los Padrinos.

**TODOS INVITADOS
 CUCHARADITAS DE DIOS**



**¡Aumenta el conocimiento
 de tu Fe!**

**Todos los martes 6:30pm
 salón parroquial**

2025 CATECHETICAL THEME

*"Always be ready to give an explanation...
 for a reason for your hope." 1 Peter 3:15*

*"Estén siempre listos a responder a todo el
 que les pida razón de su esperanza." 1 Pedro 3:15*

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Sunday/domingo, September 21

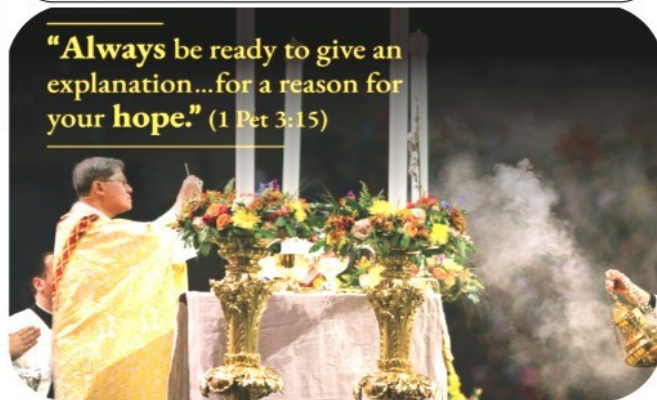
10:00am Mass

we will celebrate and formally commission our Catechists & all Catechetical ministry Volunteers.

Gathering Immediately following the Mass in the Parish Hall 11:15am – 12:30pm



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

Donations are greatly Appreciated!

For our CCE students
Items like:

Grape or Strawberry jelly, Bread, powder lemonade & little juice boxes
Individually wrapped snacks like: cookies, Chips, Gold fish crackers, Granola bars, etc.

thankyou

Preparing for our 2025 Annual Bazaar

All kind of Donations are Welcome!

WE NEED YOUR TREASURES!

Good condition items for the Country Store for Annual Bazaar.

Interested in helping, call the office.



Volunteer Opportunities

SUNDAY MORNING/domingo por la mañana

- We are wonderfully made (once a month)
- TEENS First Communion
- Confirmation (once a month)

OTHER WAYS TO HELP/otras maneras de ayudar

- Prepare & Serve Snacks for Elementary,
- Prepare & Serve Dinner for Jr High & High School
- Supervise Church Grounds (5:30pm-8:30pm)

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS/miércoles

- Kinder – 2nd Grade from (3:15pm – 5:00pm)
- 3rd-5th Grade (3:30pm – 5:30pm)
- Supervise Church Grounds (5:30pm-8:30pm)

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS/miércoles

- Jr. High Sessions (6:00pm-8:00pm)
- High School Sessions (6:30pm-8:30pm)
- Supervise Church Grounds (5:30pm-8:30pm)



Confirmation Class

ATTENTION PARENTS & CANDIDATES

ATENCIÓN PADRES Y CANDIDATOS

CONFIRMATION I & II NEXT CLASS

Sunday/domingo, October 12

Class starts at 9:00am

Parish Hall /Salón Parroquial
& Attend/Asistir 12pm Mass/misa

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Reconciliation
First Eucharist
and Confirmation



ATTENTION PARENTS

ATENCIÓN PADRES

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES START

CLASES DE PRIMERA COMUNION EMPIEZAN

Sunday/domingo, September 28

11:00am – 1:00pm Parish Hall/salon parroquial
Attend/Asistir 12pm Mass/misa

CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR YOUTH LEVEL I & II



CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS

INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA DE ADOLESCENTES NIVEL I & II

Classes/sessions every Sunday

Clases/sesiones cada domingo

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



Adult Sessions started English

Sesiones de adultos empezaron en español

Every Monday/Todos los lunes

6:00pm—7:30pm

Parish Hall / salón parroquial

Call to make an appointment as soon as possible / Llame para una cita lo mas pronto possible

956-943-1297 / 956-943-6392

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

2025-2026 CCE FAITH FORMATION

Make sure to Register your children
STILL NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN THE FUN!

Asegúrate de registrar a sus hijos
NO ES MUY TARDE PARA UNIRSE A LA DIVERSIÓN

CCE BEGAN / YA EMPEZÓ CCE

Pre-kinder
thru
12th grade

FOR MORE INFO: 956.943.1297 | PCL-OLSSPORTISABEL@CDOB.ORG

SCAN QR CODE
FOR REGISTRATION
FORM



ELEMENTARY SESSIONS
PRAYER IS PART OF CURRICULUM

KINDER - 2ND GRADE CCE

Classes 3:15pm - 5:00pm

- 3:15-4:00pm - Gathering & Snacks
- 4:00-5:00pm - CCE Classes K - 2nd

3RD - 5TH GRADE CCE

Classes 3:30pm - 5:30pm

- 3:45-4:30pm - Gathering & Snacks
Homework, making Rosaries
- 4:30-5:30pm - CCE Classes

JR HIGH SCHOOL

6TH, 7TH, & 8TH GRADE

6:15 pm - 8:00 pm

- 6:30pm - 7:00pm Begin with Prayer, Sunday's Readings & Reflection (Mandatory)
- 7:00 - 8:00pm Catechesis Sessions
Sessions are engaging, fun for the youth

WELCOME BACK

*"Always be ready to give an explanation...
for a reason for your hope."*

2025-2026 CATECHETICAL YEAR

◆ CCE FAITH ◆
◆ FORMATION ◆
BEGAN WEDNESDAY,
SEPT. 10

Sacramental Preparations
began on Sunday, Sept. 7
SACRAMENTS

All Students preparing
for sacraments are
required (mandatory) to
attend CCE classes in
their appropriate grade
level on Wednesdays.

Ready to enroll your child?

HIGH SCHOOL SESSIONS
PRAYER IS PART OF CURRICULUM

HIGH SCHOOL

9TH, 10TH, 11TH, & 12TH GRADE

6:45 pm - 8:30 pm

- 6:45pm - 7:30pm Prayer, Sunday's Readings & Reflection (Mandatory)
- 7:30 - 8:30pm Catechesis Sessions

9TH GRADE SESSIONS

"Theology of the Body"

10TH GRADE SESSIONS

"Altaration" The Mystery of the Mass Revealed

11TH GRADE SESSIONS

"Your Life in Christ"

12TH GRADE SESSIONS

"Faith Sharing for TEENS" After Confirmation

Faith sharing, helping teens grow as disciples by helping them see the hand of God in their everyday lives. Faith sharing teaches teens to share their faith experiences with others.



DINNER & GATHERINGS

Doors open at

5:30 pm for Jr. High

6:00 pm for High School Students



Our Lady Star of the Sea Facebook

Website: www.olsstx@cdob.org

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