

26TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**SEPTEMBER 26, 2021** 







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### Fall Festival Weekend

Saturday, October 2nd 12-9 p.m. Sunday, October 3rd 12-6p.m.

Come join us for some fun. See inside for more information about our Fall Festival Weekend.

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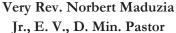


### Office Hours:

Monday- Thursday: 9:00-8:30 p.m. Friday: 9:00-4:30 p.m. Saturday: 10:00-1:00 p.m.

### WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA







Rev. Justin Cormie Parochial Vicar

### PASTORAL OFFICE/ OFICINA PASTORAL

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### WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE/ HORARIO DE LITURGIA

### **EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS**

Monday- Friday:

9 a.m. Daily Mass (Also on Live-stream)

Wednesday: 6:45 p.m. Mass

Saturday:

5:15 p.m. Mass (Also on Live-stream)

Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Mass

10 a.m. Mass (Also on Live-stream)

12:30 p.m. Misa (Español- transmisión en vivo)

5:15 p.m. Mass

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 5:15 - 6:15 p.m., and Saturday: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

### **LITURGY OF THE HOURS**

Morning Prayer: Weekdays at 8:30 a.m. in Lady Chapel Evening Prayer: First Fridays of every month, 6:15 p.m. Reservation Chapel Hours: 6:30 a.m.— 9:00 p.m.

Please check our website for most recent schedule. See our livestream Masses via Facebook, YouTube, & Parish Website.

### MASS INTENTIONS/ INTENCIONES DE MISA

Fr. Norbert & Fr. Justin will be celebrating the following Mass Intentions this coming week.

### Monday, September 27

9 a.m. Walter Guillot (+)

Tuesday, September 28

9 a.m. Katina Dimiceli (+)

### Wednesday, September 29

9 a.m. Santos J. Fernandez (+) 6:45 p.m. Penny Brennel (LVG)

### Thursday, September 30

9 a.m. Ann & Albert Weierman, Sr. (+)

### Friday, October 1

9 a.m. Tom Frey (+)

### Saturday, October 2

5:15 p.m. Perpetual Intentions

### Sunday, October 3

Bob Siurek (+)

Pro Populo

John Viccic, Isabel Palacios, & Emilio Sierra (+)

Avelina S. Fernandez (+)

### PRESIDER SCHEDULE/ HORARIO DEL CELEBRANTE

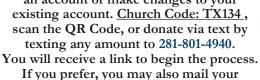
October 2-3rd 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Fall Festival	Saturday/ Sábado 5:15 p.m.	Sunday/ Domingo 7:30 a.m.	Sunday/ Domingo 10:00 a.m. Rite of Acceptance	Sunday/ Domingo 12:30 p.m. Español	Sunday/ Domingo 5:15 p.m.
Presider	Fr. Justin	Fr. Norbert	Fr. Norbert	Fr. Justin	Fr. Justin
Homilist	Vines	Olivier	Olivier	Glueck	Chen
Deacons	Vines	Olivier	Olivier	Glueck	Chen

### FINANCIALS/ FINANZAS



Parish eGiving SIGN UP, TODAY!

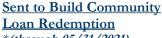
Sign up today for our Parish Online Giving Option. Go to www.faithdirect.net to create an account or make changes to your existing account. Church Code: TX134, scan the QR Code, or donate via text by texting any amount to 281-801-4940.



donations to the parish office. 7810 Cypresswood Dr. Spring, TX 77379



If you are new to the parish or have not made a pledge and wish to do so, please contact Ron Svoboda.



\*(through 05/31/2021)

- \*Beginning Loan Balance \$6,025,000.00
- \*Principal Payments \$2,399,040.00
- \*Remaining Loan Balance \$3,625,952.00
- \*Interest Payments since inception \$634,850.00

### Parish Financial Information

August Faith Direct: \$128,193.81 September 12th: \$ 13,403.00 September 19th: in next weeks bulletin



### **Diocesan Services Fund 2021**

\$374.00

(\$82,305.06)

\*Parish Goal \$305,000.00 \*Total Amount Paid \$222,694.94

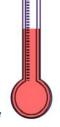
\*Total Number of Participants 524

\*Total Number of Households 4374

\*Average Participant Pledge

\*Paid Over (Under) Goal \*Percent Paid

73.00% Help provide hope and help for those among us who are most in need. To donate online, visit www.archgh.org/dsf/





\*Parish Goal \$1,880,235.00 \*Total Amount Raised \$230,730.00

\*Total Number of Donors 31 \*Total Number of Households 4026

\*Average Participant Pledge \$7442.91 \*Raised Over (Under) Goal

(\$1,649,505.00)



#### **IGNITE CAMPAIGN**

IGNITE: "Our Faith, Our Mission," the capital campaign for the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, was relaunched in Fall 2018 and includes two new case elements: An ongoing Disaster Recovery Fund in order to prepare for future disaster assistance (\$20 million) and a fund for Rebuilding our Parishes and Schools in Light of Harvey (\$20 million). The \$150 million goal of the campaign will remain unchanged. The three original case elements will remain as those needs are still present, but have been reduced in order to accommodate the new realities of the Archdiocese:

- · St. Mary's Seminary (\$30 million)
- · Catholic Education (\$20 million)
- · Faith Formation (\$10 million)

The parish share of the campaign remains \$50 million. Our parish goal is \$1,880,235.36 of which \$620,477.67 will be returned to St. Ignatius of Loyola, which is 33% of the funds raise. If we surpass the goal then 67% of the funds will stay in the parish for our use. We are dedicating all returns to the debt reduction on the Gonzaga Center.

To learn more about Ignite, visit the Ignite Campaign page at www.silcc.org/ignite-campaign.

### **PASTOR'S COLUMN**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Last fiscal year (July 1, 2020 – June 31, 2021) we celebrated 120 funerals here in the parish and already have celebrated 14 since July 1. We have one scheduled (as I write this) for this coming week. A lot has changed over the years regarding funerals. There was a time-honored tradition that



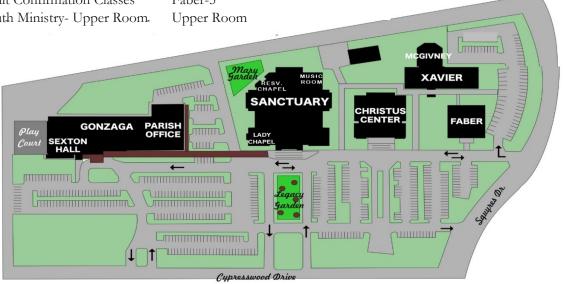
when someone died, they were buried within three days. A large part of this was a way for the family and friends to begin the grieving process in a structured way. Depending on when the body would be ready at the funeral home, the first night was usually reserved to immediate and some extended family members. The family would gather and pray the rosary and reminisce. The second night was a vigil night when people gathered for prayer and "to pay their respects". Sometimes this was the rosary, but later came the Vigil for the Deceased based on scripture readings and storytelling. It is a way to deal with death in a human way. The Order of Christian Funerals (OCF) states: The vigil is the principal celebration of the Christian community during the time before the funeral liturgy. It may take the form of a Liturgy of the Word or of some part of the Office for the Dead. Because the Church gathers, the Rites celebrated are of the Church and not a devotional (such as praying the Rosary). As the family receives friends on this night before the funeral liturgy, they receive solace and care from others. I often say that since we baptized are the Body of Christ, the hugs and sympathy received are signs to us that Christ accompanies the family during this time. The OCF states it this way: the time immediately following death is often one of bewilderment and may involve shock or heartrending grief for the family and close friends and as such, the ministry of the Church is one of gently accompanying the mourners in their initial adjustment to the fact of death and to the sorrow this entails. The funeral liturgy then takes place the third day. It centers on the fulfillment of the hope established with the promises of Baptism, that is eternal life. The official rites of the Church do not give a specific timeline, except, that upon hearing of the death, the Church begins to accompany the family. Much of this has changed with the introduction of cremation. By a special indult granted by the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments in 1996, the funeral liturgy may be celebrated in the presence of the cremated remains of the body of a deceased person. The OCF states: Although cremation is now permitted by the Church, it does not enjoy the same value as burial of the body. The Church clearly prefers and urges that the body of the deceased be present for the funeral rites, since the presence of the human body better expresses the values which the Church affirms in those rites. However, it seems that with the arrival of cremation, death no longer inconveniences us or interrupts our lives. The decision to cremate the body rather than bury the body is often a financial decision, setting aside the theological implication of burying the dead as they await the resurrection of the body. Funerals are often scheduled weeks or months in advance rather than soon after death. In the meantime, the cremated remains of the loved one sit in the house on a table, on the mantle, etc. Why would one do that when it is the remains of a person? The Church is emphatic that the cremains should be interred as soon as possible follow the cremation. Remember that because of the dignity of the human body, the Church's strong recommendation is that the body be present for the funeral liturgy and then, following the liturgy, the body goes to the crematory. Once the family has received the cremated remains, the cremains should be either buried in a sacred/blessed place or entombed in a mausoleum. The cremains should never be left in someone's home. The cremated remains are the ashes of a human body baptized, confirmed, consecrated to the Lord and which was the temple, the dwelling place of the Holy Spirit – and, as such, should be treated with the most profound respect. They are never to be divided up among people, never to be scattered or sprinkled in a favorite place, etc. They are to be buried or entombed in a mausoleum. There are always extraordinary circumstances and so we, as Church, are here to accompany, guide, and even lead the family during this difficult time. For the clergy, it is always a great honor to preside over the rituals for the dead. We assist their transition into eternal life as we lead the prayers of the community and offer Holy Mass for them comforting one another that one day we shall see them again and enjoy their friendship.

Next week is our annual Fall Festival. Let's make it a great success and a real sign of "being back"! If you haven't yet offered some of your time to work at the Festival, I know that there will always be a place for you to share your time and talent. Don't forget to turn in those raffle tickets! See you at the festival next week.

Through Him who is all love,

Fr. Workert

WEEK EVENTS							
Monday, September 27	Building	Thursday, September 30	Building				
9 a.m. SILECC	Gonzaga	9 a.m. SILECC	Gonzaga				
2:30 - 7 p.m. Silent Auction & Attic Treasure Drop off	Sexton Hall A	5:15 p.m. Filipino Ministry Food Prep for Fall Festival	Christus Center Kitchen				
5:30 p.m. AHG Troop TX1325 Meeting	Gonzaga	6 p.m. LMC Exposition	Reservation Chapel				
5:45 p.m. Filipino Ministry Food Prep for Fall Festival	Christus Center Kitchen	6 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room				
6 p.m. Cub Scout Den Meeting	Gonzaga	6:15 p.m. K of C Assembly Meeting	McGivney Hall				
7 p.m. Legion of Mary Meeting	Faber-6	6:30 p.m. Grief Support	Faber-5				
7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop Meeting	Sexton Hall B & C	7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room				
		7 p.m. Sanctuary Course for Catholics	Faber-8				
Tuesday, September 28		7:15 p.m. LMC Formation Meeting	Faber-3				
9 a.m. SILECC	Gonzaga	•					
10 a.m. Craft Guild	Xavier-15	Friday, October 1					
2:30 - 7 p.m. Silent Auction & Attic Treasure Drop off	Sexton Hall A	9 a.m. SILECC	Gonzaga				
4:45 p.m. EC/ Elementary Faith	Gonzaga	10 a.m. Sacramentios Video Series	Faber-5				
Formation	C						
5:45 p.m. Filipino Ministry Food Prep for	Christus Center						
Fall Festival	Kitchen						
6 p.m. AA Meeting	Faber-5	Saturday, October 2					
6:30 p.m. EC/ Elementary Faith	Gonzaga	Fall Festival Weekend 12 p.m9 p.m.					
Formation							
7 p.m. Spanish Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room						
7 p.m. RCIA	Faber-8	Sunday, October 3					
		Fall Festival Weekend 12 p.m6 p.m.					
Wednesday, September 29							
9 a.m. SILECC	Gonzaga						
9 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours Book Study	Xavier-12						
2:30 - 7 p.m. Silent Auction & Attic	Sexton Hall A						
Treasure Drop off							
4:45 p.m. EC/ Elementary Faith Formation	Gonzaga						
7:30 p.m. Young Adult Group Faber-8							
7:30 p.m. Contemporary Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room						
7:30 p.m. Adult Confirmation Classes	Faber-5						
7:30 p.m. Youth Ministry- Upper Room.	Upper Room						



### THIS WEEK'S READING

### Sunday, Sep 26, 2021

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Well done, good and faithful servants

Mother's and Father's Days aren't occasions for parents to toot their own horns about how fabulously they fulfilled the tasks of child-rearing. These dates are for their children to recall and celebrate the special people who made their lives possible. Similarly, today's Priesthood Sunday isn't meant for priests to beat the drum about their vocation. It's an opportunity for the rest of us, who benefit from their fidelity, to thank the men who were present to the first moments of our life in faith and will be there at the last—plus countless moments in between.

TODAY'S READINGS: Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6; Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 (137). "Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets!"

### Monday, Sep 27, 2021

## MEMORIAL OF VINCENT DE PAUL, PRIEST God works with us as we are

Saint Vincent de Paul is known for founding two religious orders, reforming the church, and serving the poor to such an extent that he is the patron of all works of charity. Many schools and parishes bear his name. But in his lifetime, he was also known for being irritable and quick-tempered—which his friends confirmed and he himself admitted. He said it was only God's grace that made him compassionate, humble, and generous. He's a perfect example that we don't have to be perfect to do saintly work—if we let God soften our hard-heartedness, what great things we might do.

TODAY'S READINGS: Zechariah 8:1-8; Luke 9:46-50 (455). 'For the one who is least among all of you is the one who is the greatest."

### Tuesday, Sep 28, 2021

## MEMORIAL OF WENCESLAUS, MARTYR A faith that runs in the family

Good King Wenceslaus is, of course, best known for his care of the poor and the concern he showed his servant, as immortalized in the famous Christmas carol. Indeed, it was young Wenceslaus' habit to sneak out in the middle of the night and—with his servant assisting—roam the countryside looking for poor or imprisoned people he could anonymously help with his almsgiving. But Wenceslaus and his grandmother, Saint Ludmila, could also be patron saints for grandchildren who are raised in the Catholic Christian faith primarily by their grandparents. Pray for all modern grandparents who assume this role.

TODAY'S READINGS: Zechariah 8:20-23; Luke 9:51-56 (456). "Many peoples and strong nations shall come to seek the Lord."

### Wednesday, Sep 29, 2021

## FEAST OF MICHAEL, GABRIEL, AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS

### God's special care for migrants

Every minute of the day 20 people in the world leave everything behind to escape war, persecution, or terror. The archangels of the Bible represent God's special care for these migrants. Michael was the guardian of Israel during their captivity in the foreign land of Babylon. Gabriel is the patron saint of diplomats and ambassadors living in foreign countries. Raphael is featured

in the Book of Tobit accompanying the story's hero, Tobias, on his journey to a foreign land to find a wife. The church recognized World Day of Migrants and Refugees last Sunday. Pray that the archangels guide and protect migrants and refugees making perilous journeys everywhere.

TODAY'S READINGS: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 or Revelation 12:7-12a; John 1:47-51 (647). "You will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

### Thursday, Sep 30, 2021

## MEMORIAL OF JEROME, PRIEST, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

### Translating the faith for the ages

Where would the church be without the word? If you have ever read a verse from the Bible, thank Saint Jerome (347-419). His translation of the Bible from Greek and Hebrew into Latin set the standard until the mid-20th century, paving the way for scholarship that affects our contemporary translations of scripture. His pivotal writing and translating earned him the rare title of "doctor of the church." Give a nod to Saint Jerome by reading a favorite scripture passage today.

TODAY'S READINGS: Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Luke 10:1-12 (458). "Say to them, The Kingdom of God is at hand for you."

### Friday, Oct 01, 2021

## MEMORIAL OF THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, VIRGIN, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

### Graceful glances

Glances are totally underrated. They seem trivial, hurried and fleeting, even stolen! They are the smallest of gestures, barely registering a flick of the eye. It is surprising then that a glance can also be a prayer. Saint Thérèse of Lisieux wrote, "For me, prayer is an aspiration of the heart, it is a simple glance directed to heaven, it is a cry of gratitude and love in the midst of trial as well as joy; finally, it is something." Our prayerful "glances" are significant. They register with God. A glance can communicate everything to God, especially when life leaves us wordless. Pause now for a moment and glance at God.

TODAY'S READINGS: Baruch 1:15-22; Luke 10:13-16 (459). 'Justice is with the Lord, our God.'

### Saturday, Oct 02, 2021

## MEMORIAL OF THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS All night and all day

Years back, in perhaps what were more innocent times (or at least appear so to us now), Catholic schoolchildren were encouraged to leave a little space on their chairs for their guardian angels. This charming bit of nostalgia reveals a deeper article of faith. From biblical times to the present, the testimony on angels guiding us has been consistent. Saint Augustine said, "Go where we will, our angels are always with us," while Saint Bernard encouraged Christians to "Make the holy angels your friends . . . we have nothing to fear under the protection of these guardians." Perhaps the larger truth is that although suffering and even tragedy may come our way, if we leave our hearts open, we will not be left alone. God will be at our side. Scoot over a bit!

TODAY'S READINGS: Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29 (460); Matthew 18:1 -5, 10 (650). "Their angels in heaven always look upon the face of my heavenly Father."

### **LITURGY**

### **EMHC TRAINING**

### **English Training Sessions**

Monday, October 18, 7—9 p.m. Tuesday, October 19, 7—9 p.m. Saturday, October 23, 10 a.m.—12 noon

### **Spanish Training Sessions**

Tuesday, October 12, 7—9 p.m. Thursday, October 14, 7—9 p.m. Sunday, October 31, 2—4 p.m.

All active and new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion must attend a training session this Fall in order to serve. If you are interested in serving as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, or for more information, please email emhc@silcc.org

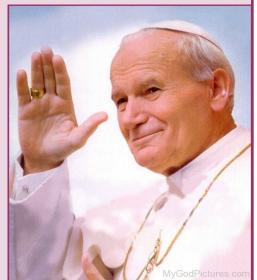
## SPECIAL MASS - FEAST OF ST. JOHN PAUL II FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 3 PM

On the Feast Day of St. John Paul II, we will celebrate a special Mass with veneration of a first class relic of St. John Paul II, his blood on a cloth from the 1981 assassination attempt.

You may already know that we have a first class relic of St. John Paul II, a lock of his hair, under our altar. It was placed there during the rebuild after Hurricane Harvey, since St. John Paul II was the Holy Father when our parish was founded.

This special Mass

will be on Friday, October 22, 2021, at 3 p.m., the hour of mercy, as it was St. John Paul II who instituted the Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday in the Jubilee Year 2000.



### **LECTOR MINISTRY**

### 2-PART TRAINING FOR NEW LECTORS

Part I—Thursday, October 7 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. (Xavier 12) Part II—Saturday, October 9 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. (Church)

OR

Part I—Thursday, October 21 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. (Xavier 13) Part II—Saturday, October 23 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. (Church)

For more information email: <u>lectors@silcc.org</u>

## Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

- † Friday, October 1
- ₱ Following 9:00 a.m. Mass
- † Continuing through the day in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel
- Concluding with Evening Prayer
   Benediction starting at 6:15 p.m.
- † Sign up at the Welcome Center or online <a href="https://www.silcc.org/eucharistic-adoration">www.silcc.org/eucharistic-adoration</a>

## JOIN OUR VIDEOGRAPHY TEAM

We need volunteers for our Videography Team as we continue to Livestream our daily and weekend Masses for those who are unable to attend in person.

All training is provided.

If you are willing to serve in this behind-the-scenes ministry, please contact Kathy Corbett.

kcorbett@silcc.org

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## PERPETUAL MASS

the Roman Church are sacred treasures. Because of this, many Catholic faithful desire to participate in the graces and merits of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass offered for themselves or others, either living or deceased.

Provide your family and friends with daily spiritual support. Enrollment in a Perpetual Mass is a beautiful gift at special times in life (e.g., Mother's Day, Father's Day, Confirmation, graduations, weddings, etc) and at the time of death, for a donation of \$25.00.

The Mass information is presented in a beautiful folder (which is mailable). The intentions are placed in a special book in the office. The intentions are not announced at the altar nor written in the bulletin.

St. Ignatius celebrates a Perpetual Mass the first Saturday of each month at 5:15 pm FOREVER. If you wish to enroll, visit the church office or call 281-370-3401 for more information.

Looking to Volunteer or become a part of a Ministry in the Parish?



CMG-SAFE ENVIRONMENT

All participants in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston are required to be Safe Environment Trained. Register to take the online 1.5 hour course for FREE

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## Erewards.

### **Kroger Community**

### Rewards

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA CATHOLIC CHURCH NPO **#MU867** 

Giving More Back to the Community!

Kroger Community Rewards makes fundraising easy. All you have to do is shop at Kroger and swipe your Plus Card! Log into your Kroger Rewards account and go to Account Summary. Then add St. Ignatius to your Community.



Text App to phone number 88202, or visit myparishapp.com to download.

### **Wedding Banns**



Please pray for the following couples: Ryan Frala & Mayra De La Rosa Francisco Lares & Mirna Lares Jorge Hernandez & Brenda Lopez Charlos Hernandez & Ana Hernandez Joshua Chen & Lan Nguyen

### Welcome Newly Baptized

Luke Joseph Ricker Reese Kelly Wiemer Alexander Grey Hernandez Christian Cruz Rivera Aidan Elijah Rosario **Dorothy Collins Neal** Caleia Carolina Rendon **Iose Tomas Colmenares DePinto** 



### In Memoriam



Gary Smyth, father of James Smyth Michael Gilmartin, uncle of Susan More

**Rudy Reves**, father of Rudy Reves, J.r. Paul Haubert, father of Mark Haubert Maria Trevino, mother of Bernadette Trevino

Anthony Son Que Nguyen, Father of Lonnie Bel & Lam Nguyen

Heidi Russo-Roberts, mother of Tyler, Austin, & Max Roberts

Frank Trombatore, uncle of Fr. Norbert Anne Colbert, wife of William Colbert Mary Ann Pickering Raymond, mother of Noel Collins

### **OUTREACH**

### **OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

Be a mentor for an elementary student with Kids Hope USA kidshopeusa@silcc.org Help Coordinate the Refugee Thanksgiving Event aamado@silcc.org

Volunteer with NAM -Northwest Assistance Ministries

cortiz@namonline.org or 281-885-4604



NOVEMBER 13TH FEAST OF ST. FRANCES CABRINI. PATRON OF THE IMMIGRANTS!



Join St. Ignatius Outreach. as we welcome our refugee brothers and sister for an afternoon of fun, food, and blessings! SIGN UP TO COOK A MEAL

Cook a meal for 12 people and bring to share with our gusts!

### SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER

Join a family at their table and activities, as we all GIVE THANKS TOGETHER!

Visit our page for details and sign ups: silcc.org/outreach



Dear Parishioners, This year our **Christmas Angels Program** is called to serve our own parish families first. If you or someone you know needs support this Christmas with gifts for the children and food for the family, please visit silcc.org/outreach to register. We want to extend this opportunity to at least 100 parish families!

To our loval and new donors... "IT IS TIME TO BEGIN PLANNING." This year the event is scheduled for Saturday **December 4th.** To register visit: silcc.org/outreach.

For more information email: christmasangels@silcc.org



St. Ignatius community provides food for families in

most need, thanks to your generous donations. We continue to average 300 pounds every week! Please let others know they can drop off nonperishable food items to our "NAM FOOD BOXES" located in the Narthex and outside the Outreach Office.

NAM is also requesting monetary donations for their Meals on Wheels food program. Please visit their website for information:

namonline.org



### **HELPFUL RESOURCES FOR ALL**

SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE	1-800-273-TALK (8255)
COUNSELING -Rejoice Counseling	844-295-3167
FACING AN EVICTION? Legal Assistance Line	stoptxeviction.org
Funeral Financial Assistance for COVID-19	844-684-6333
Mental Health Support Line for Stress Related to COVID-19	833-986-1919
Rental Assistance –visit HoustonHarrisHelp.org	832-402-7568
Legal Aid lonestarlegal.org	713-652-0077 or 800-733-8394

For more information and resources please email outreach@silcc.org or call 281-370-3401 Ext. 4606

### **FORMATION**

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD**



Plans are being made to reopen the Nursery for Masses on the weekends. Nursery is for children 1 year– 4 years and will be open during the Saturday, 5:15 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m. and 5:15 p.m. Masses. Please watch the website and bulletin for updates. Applications are being taken in the parish office for those wishing to staff the Nursery during those times. We are closely monitoring the numbers and when they consistently come down, we will reopen. Please watch the bulletin for updated information.

CONTACT DONNA OR KATHY FOR MORE INFORMATION.

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER**

### Play, Learn & Grow Together

Registration for the 2021-2022 school year is still open. We will offer classes for children ages 8 months-Kindergarten. We have 2 day, 3 day and 5 day programs, with an option of extended care until 3:00 or 4:30 p.m.

Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis. Call for availability. Forms are available online and in the parish office.

Tours are available on Tuesdays after 3 pm. To schedule a tour or for more information contact Kathy Schaefer or Donna, 281-370-3401.

Safety protocols are in place that are in line with the CDC, the State & the Archdiocese.

### **ELEMENTARY**

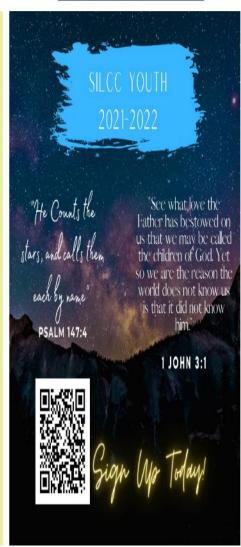
## Children's Liturgy of the Word



## Catechists Needed!

Catechists are needed to share the Word of God with our children! Children's Liturgy catechists lead an age-appropriate reflection on the Sunday readings with children during Mass. For more information, contact Lucille Paylock at 281-340-3701 or lpavlock@silcc.org

### YOUTH MINISTRY



# IMPORTANT REGISTRATION UPDATE:

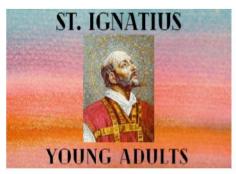
On campus classes for grades PreK-5 are full at this time. Parents who have not yet registered for formation are encouraged to register for our flexible, parent-led home study program. Please contact Lucille Pavlock with questions

Registration for on campus EDGE (Jr. High) and Life Teen (High School) sessions are still open.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: <u>www.silcc.or</u>g/f

### **FORMATION**

### **YOUNG ADULT**



### Young Adult Ministry

Is a group for those in their 20's or 30's looking for fellowship and faith. We seek to grow in our relationship with Christ and one another through community building, social outreach, and personal spiritual growth.

We meet weekly on Wednesdays after the 6:45 p.m. Mass in the Faber Center. We also plan special events throughout the year. For more information, contact Samantha Allen, Young Adult Director at, yam@silcc.org

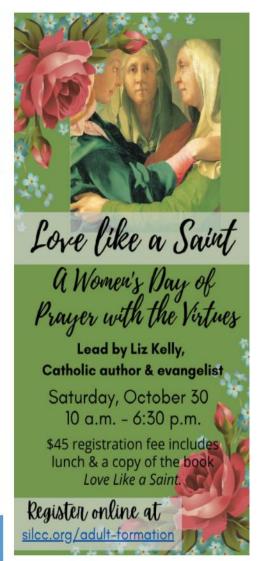
Join the Groupme for more information and pop up events.





"St. Ignatius Young Adults"

### **ADULT**



### SACRAMENTS

# We invite you to attend the required baptism

the required baptism session for both parents.

Godparents are encouraged to attend as

well. Our next sessions will take place November 13 in English and November 20 in Spanish. Visit our website for more information: silcc.org/infant-baptisms

### **RCIA**

# RCIA

### 7 Years & Older

We welcome you to the Catholic Church and look forward to sharing our faith with you! If you have

not been baptized Catholic or are seeking communion and confirmation please contact us at rciaformation@silcc.org



#### MARRIAGE

Engaged couples are encouraged to attend an orientation at least 6 months prior to their desired date and not set

any dates prior to meeting with clergy. Please visit our website for more information silcc.org/matrimony



### **VOCATIONS**

Is God calling you?

Contact <u>vocations@silcc.org</u> for information about upcoming programs for those discerning religious vocations as a priest, deacon, or religious sister.

For more information on Sacraments please visit silec.org/sacraments





Sundays 3:45-5pm, Oct 10-24 OR Wednesdays 10-11:30am, Oct 13-27

"The problem with our culture is not that it overvalues the body and sex. The problem is that it has failed to see just how valuable the body and sex really are." - Christopher West

Register online at www.silcc.org/adult-formation

### **COMMUNITY LIFE**

## Rosary in Honor of Saint Joseph:

In Honor of The Year of Our Blessed Saint Joseph, let us join the Prayer Group in the Lady Chapel and pray the Joyous Mysteries of the Rosary on the first Monday of each month

after 9 a.m. Mass! O' Blessed Saint Joseph, please pray for us. O' Mary Queen of May, please pray for us.

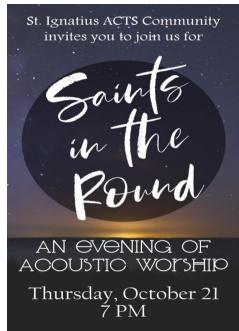


### Grief Support: Seasons of Hope

A scripture-based journey for those in need of consolation, answers, direction and hope. We meet in Faber Center, Room 5, every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. All faith communities are welcome. For more information, contact Dcn. Joe Wright, 281-370-3401.

### **Alcoholics Anonymous**

Our AA meetings are in person on **Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in Faber Center, Room 5.** For information please call Jay C. at 281-440-4136.











## PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 26TH

Thank God for our Holy Priests!
Prayer for Priests
O Jesus, eternal Priest,
Keep your priests within the shelter of Your
Sacred Heart,
where none may touch them.
Keep unstained their anointed hands,
which daily touch Your Sacred Body.
Keep unsullied their lips,
daily purpled with your Precious Blood,
Keep pure and unearthly their hearts,
sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood.
Let Your holy love surround them and
shield them from the world's contagion.
Bless their labors with abundant fruit and
may the souls to whom they minister be their
joy and consolation here and in heaven their
beautiful and everlasting crown. Amen
By St. Therese of Lisieux

## Knights of Columbus Council 10861 Announcements

St. Ignatius Fall Festival: The Knights will be on hand to help at our parish's annual fall festival. Setup day is Friday, Oct. 1 and the Festival is Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 2-3. Save the date, sign up to help in a booth and come out to have fun.

Save the Date: Memorial Mass – Wednesday, Nov. 10. The Council will honor our departed members at

Wednesday, Nov. 10. The Council will honor our departed members at this annual Mass.

Find us online: Check out our

Council website at <a href="https://www.kofc10861.org">www.kofc10861.org</a> and Facebook page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/knights10861">www.facebook.com/knights10861</a> for Council updates.

Need a prayer?: Email PrayerList@kofc10861.org to be added to our Council's prayer list. Squires & Squirettes: The John T. Sansano Columbian Squires and the Our Lady of Grace Squirettes Circlette are both looking for adults to serve as Counselors of these programs. The Squires (for Catholic boys age 10-18) and Squirettes (for Catholic girls age 10-18) offer spiritual and service opportunities in the church and community. Please contact us at

<u>GrandKnight@kofc10861.org</u> for more information.

### Legion of Mary:

Please join us every Monday at 7 p.m. in Faber Room 6 to pray the Holy Rosary and the prayer of our Lady; the Magnificat "Catena Legionis"
Please request the ZOOM Meeting ID @ legionofmary@silcc.org
Legion of Mary is a Catholic organization that exists for the glory of God through the holiness of its members. It involves praying and working within our parish community as we support the loving work of Christ's Church. Activities

include acts of prayer and mercy.

### **COMMUNITY LIFE**

One of the most frequently asked questions regarding **IGNITE** is "How is this different from DSF"? Jook at the chart below. You will see the **DSF** funds Archdiocesan programs on an annual basis. **IGNITE** looks forward to strengthen the Archdiocese now and for the future. To learn more, please visit our website.



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## SILENT AUCTION & ATTIC TREASURES

Drop your items off at Sexton Hall: Sunday, Sept 26 from 8:30am to 3:00pm Monday to Wednesday Sept 27 to 29 from 2:30pm to 7pm



We are in need of: \*Bottled Waters \* 12 oz can sodas \* 2 Liter name brand drinks Donations can be dropped off at the POD in the parking lot

# FALL FESTIVAL NEEDS YOU!!

### **VOLUNTEERS**

We need help of all ages to work in every area of the Festival: Games \* Food Booths \* Bingo \* Ticket Sales \* Sweet Shop \* Raffle Booth \* Attic Treasure \* Silent Auction \* Prize Room

Sign up online! Visit the webpage and click the link: https://tinyurl.com/hparst6e

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# FALL FESTIVAL



SATURDAY OCTOBER 2-- 12-9 P.M. SUNDAY OCTOBER 3-- 12-6 P.M.

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All items will be paid by credit card. You will be prompted to enter a credit card the first time you bid. Pick up times for the winners are Sunday, Oct 3 from 2:45 pm to 6:00 pm, Monday, October 4 and Tuesday October 5 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm AUCTION CLOSES AT 2:30 PM ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3 Need Help? Email us at festival@silcc.org

# FALL FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

Saturday Oct 2nd Noon – 9 PM Fall Festival Noon – 8 PM Bingo Noon – 7 PM Craft Fair 7 PM Live Sports Auction

Live Entertainment: LifeTeen Band 4:30 – 6:30 PM Daniel Holmes 8:30 PM Peter and Michael Ramirez Jam Session

Sunday Oct 3rd
Noon - 6 PM Fall Festival
12:30 - 4:30 PM Bingo
2:30 PM Silent Auction Close
2:30 PM Live Auction
5 PM Raffle Drawing

Live Entertainment: Noon – 2PM Festus Cover Band

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### **COLUMNA DEL PÁRROCO**

Queridos hermanos,



Durante el año fiscal pasado, del 1 de julio del 2020 al 31 de junio del 2021 celebramos 120 funerales aquí en la parroquia y ya hemos celebrado 14 desde el 1 de julio. Tenemos uno programado (mientras escribo esto) para la semana que viene. Mucho ha cambiado a lo largo de los años con respecto

a los funerales. Había una tradición, de tiempo sagrado, de que cuando alguien moría, era enterrado en tres días. Gran parte de esto era una forma para que la familia y los amigos comenzaran el proceso de duelo de una manera estructurada. Dependiendo de cuándo estaría listo el cuerpo en la funeraria, la primera noche generalmente estaba reservada para familiares inmediatos y algunos miembros del resto de la familia. La familia se reunía y rezaba el rosario y compartir recuerdos del difunto. La segunda noche era una noche de vigilia en la que la gente se reunía para orar y "presentar sus respetos". A veces se rezaba el rosario, pero luego vino la Vigilia por los Difuntos basada en lecturas de las escrituras y narraciones. Es una forma de afrontar la muerte de forma humana. La Orden de Funerales Cristianos (OCF) establece: La vigilia es la principal celebración de la comunidad cristiana durante el tiempo previo a la liturgia fúnebre. Puede tomar la forma de una Liturgia de la Palabra o de alguna parte de la Oficina de los Muertos. Debido a que la Iglesia se reúne, los Ritos que se celebran son de la Iglesia y no un devocional (como rezar el Rosario). Cuando la familia recibe a los amigos esta noche antes de la liturgia del funeral, reciben consuelo y cariño de los demás. Suelo decir que, dado que los bautizados somos el Cuerpo de Cristo, los abrazos y la simpatía recibidos son señales para nosotros de que Cristo acompaña a la familia durante este tiempo. La OCF lo dice de esta manera: el tiempo inmediatamente posterior a la muerte es a menudo de desconcierto y puede implicar conmoción o dolor desgarrador para la familia y amigos cercanos y, como tal, el ministerio de la Iglesia es el de acompañar gentilmente a los dolientes en su admisión o aceptación inicial, al hecho de la muerte y al dolor que esto conlleva. Al tercer día la liturgia fúnebre tiene lugar. Se centra en el cumplimiento de la esperanza establecida con las promesas del Bautismo, que es la vida eterna. Los ritos oficiales de la Iglesia no dan una línea de tiempo específica, excepto que, al enterarse de la muerte, la Iglesia comienza a acompañar a la familia. Mucho de esto ha cambiado con la introducción de la cremación. Mediante un indulto especial otorgado por la Congregación para el Culto Divino y la Disciplina de los Sacramentos en 1996, la liturgia fúnebre puede celebrarse en presencia de los restos incinerados del cuerpo de una persona fallecida. La OCF declara: Aunque la Iglesia ahora permite la cremación, no tiene el mismo valor que el entierro del cuerpo. La Iglesia claramente prefiere e insta a que el cuerpo del difunto esté presente para los ritos funerarios, ya que la presencia del cuerpo humano expresa mejor los valores que la Iglesia afirma en esos ritos. Sin embargo, parece que, con la llegada de la cremación, la muerte ya no nos incomoda ni interrumpe nuestra vida. La decisión de incinerar el cuerpo en lugar de enterrarlo es a menudo una decisión financiera, dejando de lado la implicación teológica de enterrar a los muertos mientras esperan la resurrección del cuerpo. Los funerales a menudo se programan con semanas o meses de anticipación en lugar de poco después de la muerte. Mientras tanto, los restos incinerados del ser querido se sientan en la casa: en una mesa, en la reprisa, etc. ¿Por qué haría uno eso cuando se trata de los restos de una persona? La Iglesia es enfática en que las cenizas deben ser enterradas tan pronto como sea posible después de la cremación. Recuerden que, debido a la dignidad del cuerpo humano, la fuerte recomendación de la Iglesia es que el cuerpo esté presente durante la liturgia del funeral y luego, después de la liturgia, el cuerpo vaya al crematorio. Una vez que la familia ha recibido los restos cremados, las cenizas deben enterrarse en un lugar sagrado / bendecido o en un mausoleo. Las cenizas nunca deben dejarse en la casa de alguien. Los restos incinerados son las cenizas de un cuerpo humano - bautizado, confirmado, consagrado al Señor y que fue el templo, la morada del Espíritu Santo - y, como tal, debe ser tratado con el más profundo respeto. Nunca debe dividirse entre la gente, nunca debe ser esparcidos en un lugar favorito, etc. Debe ser enterrado o sepultado en un mausoleo. Siempre hay circunstancias extraordinarias y por eso nosotros, como Iglesia, estamos aquí para acompañar, guiar e incluso dirigir a la familia durante este momento difícil. Para el clero, siempre es un gran honor presidir los rituales de los difuntos. Ayudamos a su transición a la vida eterna mientras dirigimos las oraciones de la comunidad y ofrecemos la Santa Misa por ellos, dando consuelo los unos a los otros y recordándoles que un día los volveremos a ver y disfrutaremos de su amistad.

La próxima semana es nuestro Festival de Otoño anual. ¡Hagamos que sea un gran éxito y una verdadera señal de "estar de regreso"! Si todavía no has ofrecido parte de tu tiempo para trabajar en el Festival, sé que siempre habrá un lugar para que compartas tu tiempo y talento. ¡No olvides entregar esos boletos de la rifa! Nos vemos en el festival la semana que viene.

Por Aquel que es todo amor,

Fr. Morbert

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### **SACRAMENTOS**

#### **BAUTISMO INFANTIL**

Le invitamos a asistir a las dos sesiones obligatorias para ambos ntim padres. Se recomienda que los padrinos asistan también. Para obtener información, comuníquese con infantbaptism@silcc.org



### 7 años y mayores

¡Le damos la bienvenida a la Iglesia Católica y esperamos compartir nuestra fe con usted! Si no ha sido bautizado como católico o está buscando la comunión y la confirmación, comuníquese con nosotros a rciaformation@silcc.org

#### **MATRIMONIO**

Se le recomienda a las parejas comprometidas que asistan a una orientación al menos 6 meses antes de la fecha deseada, y no establezcan ninguna fecha antes de reunirse con el clero. Para obtener información sobre nuestras sesiones de orientación viste www.silcc.org/matrimony

### **VOCACIONES**

### ¿Dios te está llamando?

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Para obtener más información sobre los sacramentos, visite silcc.org/sacraments

### **LECTURA**

### Domingo, Sep 26, 2021

### VIGÉSIMO SEXTO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

### Bien hecho, buenos y fieles servidores

El Día de la Madre y el Día del Padre no son ocasiones para que los padres se jacten de haber cumplido fabulosamente con las tareas de crianza. Estas fechas son para que sus hijos recuerden y celebren a las personas especiales que hicieron posible sus vidas. Del mismo modo, el Domingo del Sacerdocio de hoy no es para que los sacerdotes alardeen de su vocación. Es una oportunidad para que el resto de nosotros, que nos beneficiamos de su fidelidad, agradezcamos a los hombres que estuvieron presentes en los primeros momentos de nuestra vida en la fe y que estarán en los últimos, además de los innumerables momentos intermedios.

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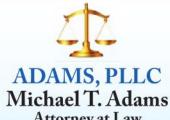
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