Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church

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St. Ann, Point Comfort St. Joseph, Port O'Connor St. Patrick, Seadrift

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Reverend Tommy Chen, Pastor

Reverend James Dvorak, Parochial Vicar

AUGUST 30, 2020 TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY



"Each man, in his suffering, can also become a sharer in the redemptive suffering of Christ."

- Pope St. John Paul II

Our Lady of the Gulf

Monday, August 31 8:05 a.m. Joe Richardson †

<u>Tuesday, September 1</u> 8:05 a.m. Elvira Gutierrez † by Manuel Gutierrez

<u>Wednesday, September 2</u> 8:05 a.m. Zayden Gonzalez †

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration followed by Benediction

<u>Thursday, September 3</u> 8:05 a.m. Fr. Dan Morales † by Guanto Group

Friday, September 4 First Friday 8:05 a.m. Fr. Dan Morales † by A Friend

8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration followed by Benediction

Saturday, September 5 First Saturday 8:30 a.m. Confession 9:00 a.m. Latin Mass -Peter Nguyen & Dominic Vu

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confession

5:30 p.m. Fabiola Ramirez & Cecilia Mendoza (Special Intentions) by Family

Sunday, September 6

8:00 a.m. Jason & Gabriella Bonuz (Birthday Intentions) by Steve & Janie Bonuz

10:00 a.m. (Live Streamed) Jean Grantland † by OLG Altar Society

12:00 p.m. For the priests of our parish

Upcoming Rosary Services in honor of Our Lady of Fatima - at OLG Church

Sunday, September 13 - 7:00 p.m. - Bishop Cahill will be here. Sunday, October 11 - Conclusion of Rosary Congress Tuesday, October 13 - 7:00 p.m.



First Saturday Latin Mass September 5, 2020

Please make time to attend the 9:00 AM Mass on First Saturdays to honor and console the Immaculate Heart of our Blessed Mother.

<u>Confession available at 8:30 a.m.</u> Upcoming First Saturday Mass Dates:

September 5, October 3, November 7

St. Ann, Point Comfort

Wednesday, September 2
9:00 a.m. Genevive Matusek †
Sunday, September 6
10:15 a.m. Confessions
10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Members
of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic
Church and Her Missions

St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

<u>Tuesday, September 1</u> 8:30 a.m. Ingeburg Pyka †

Saturday, September 5 6:00 p.m. Fr. Dan Morales † by Clara Paulk

St. Patrick, Seadrift

Thursday, September 3 9:00 a.m. Linda Mooney † 7:00 p.m. First Thursday Holy Hour for Vocations

Sunday, September 6 8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:30 a.m. Viola Hajek †

Prayer Requests

Rose Delgado, Gloria Balajka, Louis Bonuz, Mario Morales, Veronica Aguilar, Carolyn Orta, Pauline Delgado, Josephina Velasquez, Dora Garcia, Jean Grantland, Wanda McGrath, Mike Nichols, Diane Billings, Linda Stringo, Helen Ibrom, Mary Torres, Helen Thomas, Teddy Hawes, Edwin Anderle, Robert Hilscher, Socorro Ovalle, Elroy Brogger, Dilcia Campos, Georgia Mikosh, Vernon Thigpen, Randy Machicek, Carlie Stithe, Angie Olivarez, Eugene Barefield, Dolores Villafuerte, Albert Janak, Maribel Morales, Teresa Garcia, Robert Ondreas, Gary Weaver, Maria Choi, Frances Benavides, Clifford Masarik, Desiree Vaughn, Mary De La Garza, Pat McGrath, Carolyn Knobles Carpenter, Juan "Johnny" Alfonso Delgado, Laura Mettey Hill

Lamp Intention

Las Aminas en Purgatorio

Readings:

Sunday, September 6, 2020 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1 - Ezekiel 33:7-9 **Reading 2** - Romans 13:8-10 **Gospel** - Matthew 18:15-20

Fr. Tommy's Tuesday Night Bible Study resumes on October 20 at 7:00 p.m. in the church:

Due to the Covid pandemic lockdown in March, we had to suspend our classes during the Spring. This Fall, we will pick up where we left off. Classes will be inside the church, so that there is plenty of room for social distancing. If you wish, you may even bring your own lawn chair, sit on the front porch of the church and listen to the class via the outdoor speakers. Even if you had not made the Spring classes, please feel welcome to join. Please wear a mask when coming to class inside the church. (If you choose to stay outside on the porch, no mask is required, but please maintain proper social distancing from others.)

Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)

Our Lady of the Gulf will soon begin a new journey to share the traditions of the Catholic Church and what the church teaches. Are you unbaptized? Are you a baptized Catholic but never received your other sacraments? Were you baptized in another religion but are wanting to learn more about the Catholic faith?

Join us on Tuesday, September 1, 7:00 PM at St. Matthew Hall. For more information call the church office at 552-6140.

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA)

Nuestra Señora del Golfo pronto comenzará las clases para compartir las tradiciones de la Iglesia Católica y lo que la iglesia enseña. ¿No estás bautizado? ¿Eres bautizado católico pero nunca recibiste Confirmación o Primera Comunión?

¿Fuiste bautizado en otra religión pero quieres aprender más sobre la fe católica?

Te invitamos el martes 1 de septiembre a las 7:00 p. m. en el Salon de St. Mateo. Clases serán ofrecidas en español si son requeridas. Hable a la oficina de la iglesia 552-6140 para más información.

Sacrament of Baptism

During this pandemic, the sacrament of Baptism for infants is still being offered, but will be scheduled on an individual basis. Please call the church office to inquire.

Sacramento de Bautismo

Durante esta pandemia, todavía se ofrece el sacramento del bautismo para bebés, pero por manera individual. Por favor llame a la oficina de la iglesia para preguntar.

Collection totals: For the weekend of August 22 & 23

Totals for each church include all online giving which can be made by going to WWW.OLGULF.ORG and clicking on the parish giving link for OLG or any of Her Missions.

> OLG - \$4,987.00 St. Ann - \$601.00 St. Patrick - \$487.39 St. Joseph - \$1,544.00

OLG CAPITAL CAMPAIGN LOAN BALANCE \$289,550.00

Bulletin mail out

If you know of someone who could benefit from us mailing them the weekly bulletin during this time of the pandemic, please let us know at the church office. Let us try to stay in touch with one another.

CCD for this year will be modified a little. Please stay tuned for more details later. The start date will be delayed until October 4 at the earliest.

El catecismo para jóvenes (CCD) para este año se modificará un poco. Estén atentos para más detalles más adelante. La fecha de inicio se retrasará hasta el 4 de octubre como mínimo.

Help needed for cleaning of the church. You do not need to be a member of any organization to help. For more information contact any member listed below.

Ayuda para la limpieza de la iglesia. No es necesario ser miembro de una organización para ayudar. Para más información, comuníquese con cualquiera de los miembros en la lista siguiente.

Cleaned weekly on Mondays & Fridays

August 31 & Sept 4 - Conquistando Las Naciones Contact Juana Salinas at 361-237-6187

September 7 & 11 - Altar Society Contact Linda Meyer at 361-935-337

September 14 & 18 - Pan de Vida Contact Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594

Please pray for active duty service members listed below and for all our troops.

Sergeant First Class Mark A. Reyes, Lieutenant Commander Chris Hedrick, Airman First Class Derek Servantes, Staff Sergeant Mychal Hamilton, Petty Officer Robert Drapela, Isaiah Falcon & Xavier Archangel, Lieutenant Kevin Stransky, Sergeant Brandon Hoelscher

Call the parish office to have the name/s of your <u>active duty</u> military service member to be added to this list. Name/s must be submitted by a family member.

Raffle Goal: \$90,000.00

Total Collected as of August 25: \$11,555.00

Festival Notes:

Please sell those raffle tickets! We are relying very heavily on the sale of the raffle tickets this year to reach our \$90,000 goal for this year's Fall Festival! If you need more tickets, please call the church office. Or see Father in the sacristy.

¡Por favor venda los boletos de la rifa! ¡Estamos confiando mucho en la venta de los boletos de la rifa este año para alcanzar nuestra meta de \$ 90,000 para el Festival de Otoño de este año! Si necesita más boletos, llame a la oficina de la iglesia. O pasen a ver al padre en la sacristía.

Egg Rolls

<u>Preorder frozen uncooked</u> by the dozen for \$12.00. Will be ready for pickup one week before the festival. Call the church office to place your order.

Fried rice and cooked egg rolls will also be available first come first serve on the day of the festival!

Pork Steak Dinner Take out only

Enjoy delicious pork steak, german potatoes and green beans all for just \$12.00 per plate.

Pre sale tickets may be purchased at the parish office or make your purchase on that day by curbside on Benavides street.

Request from Apostleship of the Sea:

We are collecting old magazines to give to the seafarers. Do you have gently used magazines such as: Texas Monthly, Sports Illustrated, Better Homes and Gardens, National Geographic, etc. Any general wholesome magazine to help the seafarers pass time on the seas is welcome! You can drop them off at the church office in the basket for seafarers.

The Community Food Pantry needs our help! Items most needed now are boxes of hamburger helper, canned fruit, cornbread mix, Jelly, peanut butter, cake mix, icing, jello/pudding mix, gravy mix, crackers, cans of pasta sauce, dice tomatoes, instant potatoes, tuna, bags of beans, canned beans (any variety), bars of soap, paper towels, toilet paper. Monetary donations are also accepted. Please join us in providing meals to those in need. Items may be brought to the parish office or dropped off at the Food Pantry on 331 Alcoa Dr. between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Storage Units for Rent



Austin Street Storage 1408 W. Austin St. Port Lavaca, TX.

Luis or Pam De La Garza 361-482-7810

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Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic **Daughters**

Court 2267 Monthly Meeting: 2nd Thursday 6:30 p.m. St Jude Hall

Denise Stringo

Poet Layaga Chels

John B. Wright, MD Leigh Ann Falcon, MD Destiny Ibrom, FNP-C

1200 N Virginia Port Lavaca, TX 77979 361-552-6721

THE FISHING CENTER

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www.pocfishingcenter.com

Our lady of the Gulf Altar Society



Grupo de Oracion

Pan de Vida

Meet each Monday 6:30 p.m. St. Jude Hall

Alabanza, escritura y oracion!

Knights of Columbus Council No. 3253



Meetings held monthly each fourth Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at St. Jude Hall.



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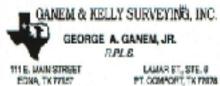
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Yvonne Felkins, RN Linda Meyer, RN Pat Delgado, RN, Danielle Luna, RN Patricia Hranicky, LVN Jackie Mansker, PT Melanie Lott, PTA Amy Totman, PTA Elizabeth Chavana, Billing Betty Garza, Secretary

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NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (NFP)

The CREIGTON MODEL Fertility Care System (CrMS) is a system designed for women to learn how to monitor, maintain and evaluate their procreative and gynecologic health for their entire reproductive life based on observations of their own biological markers. Contact Susanne Koch at susannekoch614@gmail.com (979) 488-4528 for questions. The Renew Center is a team of practitioners. Their website is a great resource www.renewfertilitycare.com for anyone with questions

about NFP, infertility or women's gynecologic health in

general (teens and single women included).

Pregnant? Need Help?

Confidential & caring assistance available for the following needs:

*emotional. *material *spiritual *educational

Providing immediate & practical help. We have a special concern for you & your unborn child. We await your call.

Gabriel Project - Toll Free 1-866-MARY AID (627-9243)

Alcolicos Anónimos

Tienes problemas con tu manera de beber? Ay una solusion, A.A.! Pase a 213 E. Austin St. Port Lavaca

Para mas informacion llame a Fernando A. 361-484 - 7043 o Pedro 361-541-0975

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220 Ave. D Port Lavaca Luis or Pam De La Garza 361-482-7810

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Captain Chris Martin BayFlatsLodge@gmail.com www.BayFlatsLodge.com **Owner**



Contact Karen Lyssy 361-552-9747x203 or karen.lyssy@ag.tamu.edu to ask questions or to let her know you are coming. Texas A & M AgriLife Extension is here to help. If you have a group wanting a particular type of class, I will work with you.

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