

Our Lady of the Gulf

Monday, September 4

8:05 a.m. Rev. Jerome J. Stryk †
by Richard & Jeannette Allums

Tuesday, September 5

8:05 a.m. Saulo Escalante †
by Familia Escalante

Wednesday, September 6

8:05 a.m. Submariners on Eternal Patrol †
by Rob McAnnally

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction

Thursday, September 7

8:05 a.m. Matthew Ochoa and Maddyson Ochoa (Birthday Intentions)
by Gloria Ochoa

Friday, September 8

8:05 a.m. Jesus & Carmen Hernandez †
by Family

Saturday, September 9

5:30 p.m. Gloria Fritsch (Birthday Intention)
by Norma Fritsch

Sunday, September 10

8:00 a.m. Susie Chavana † and Virgil & Minnie Townley †
by Arnold & Deborah Townley

10:00 a.m. Blessed Virgin Mary
by Maria Zirkelback

12:00 p.m. Pedro y Maria Ibarra (Intención Especial) y Reveriana Ibarra †

St. Ann, Point Comfort

Wednesday, September 6

9:00 a.m. Evelyn Zapalac †

Sunday, September 10

10:30 a.m. Eddie Guadette †

St. Joseph, Port O’Connor

Tuesday, September 5

8:30 a.m. Hugh Hawes †
by Family

Saturday, September 9

6:00 p.m. Maria Dolores Chavez de Garcia †
by Maria Lopez and Family

St. Patrick, Seadrift

Thursday, September 7

9:00 a.m. William “Bill” Schustereit †
by Our Lady’s Healing Center

6:00 p.m. Holy Hour for Vocations

Saturday, September 9 (in Vietnamese)

7:00 p.m. Marie Maxine Hermes †

Sunday, September 10

8:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Mission

Prayer Requests

Louis Bonuz, Veronica Aguilar, Mike Nichols, Helen Thomas, Teddy Hawes, Robert Hilscher, Frances Benavides, Leigh Ann Falcon, Billy & Georgia Mikosh, Rogelio Sanchez Jr., Minerva Piña, Joe Piña, Claudio Gonzales, Beverly Rodriguez, Ryon Presler, Janie Segura, Lisa Reyes, Jessie Perez, Jr., Leslie Sanchez, Ron Ripple, Irene Leal Ortiz, Miguel Fiero, Barbara Holub, Benny Thomas, Amalia Arellano, Eloisa Garcia, Yvonne Woods, Stacey Valentine, Robert Vidaurri, Josh Cardenas, Barbara Hartwell, Shirley Mochrig, Minerva M. Garza, Ellie Garcia, John Stewart, Juan Pablo Orosco, JoAnn Evins, Albert Janak, Richard Miller, Evelyn Kasper

LAMP INTENTION

WEEK OF

SEPTEMBER 7 - 13

For Maria Dolores Chavez †
by Maria Lopez

Pray for Our Military

Sergeant First Class Mark A. Reyes, Lieutenant Commander Chris Hedrick, Senior Airman Derek Servantes, Petty Officer Robert Drapela, A1C Isaiah Falcon & Senior Airman Xavier Archangel, Staff Sergeant Brandon Hoelscher, William Grubert, Tech Sergeant Mychal Hamilton, Staff Sergeant Michael Dennis, Staff Sergeant Evan Padron, William Strauss, Ty DeSoto, Herasmo Guerrero, Eligio R. Garcia, Sargeant First Class Rudolpho Vasquez, Jr.

The parish office will be closed on Monday, September 4, in observance of Labor Day. For a pastoral emergency only, please call 361-552-6140 ext. 2.

The Mass Intention Book will open on **TUESDAY**, September 26, 2023 at 8:30 a.m. for the months October, November and December of 2023. Any one person may schedule a maximum of two (2) weekday (Monday - Friday) Mass intentions per month and no more than one (1) weekend (Saturday or Sunday) Mass intention. Requests by phone are not accepted on opening day.

El Libro de intención de misa se abrirá el **MARTES** 26 de septiembre del 2023 a las 8:30 a.m. para los meses de octubre, noviembre y diciembre de 2023. Cualquier persona puede solicitar un máximo de dos (2) intenciones de Misa entre semana (de lunes a viernes) por mes y no más de un (1) fin de semana (sábado o domingo) de intenciones de Misa. Las intenciones no son aceptadas por teléfono por este día.

Adult Faith Formation Class with Fr. Tommy: Register by September 14. Classes begin September 26. We will be using a study program from Ascension Press entitled *Jesus: the Way, the Truth, and The Life*. The videos have been filmed on location in the Holy Land. Fr. Tommy especially encourages those who will be going to the Holy Land with him in 2024 to participate in this class. Please call the office to register. Each student packet is \$35 and must be prepaid. The class schedule is available in the back of church.

Interested in becoming a Legion of Mary member?

Fr. Tommy would like to start two Legion of Mary groups in our parish. One in English and one in Spanish. Read about this special international group dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary to promote the New Evangelization in this week’s bulletin insert. One side is in English and one side is in Spanish. If you are interested, please call the church office to leave your name and phone number. After a few weeks, Fr. Tommy will set an information meeting.

ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2023
BAUER COMMUNITY CENTER
Pork Steak Dinner Baked Goods Live & Silent Auction
Arts & Crafts Raffle Food Booths Games
Wing Span Drawing Country Store Cake Spin

Baked Goodies Booth looks forward to your donation of homemade goodies. Cake/s, cookies, pies, rolls, muffins, fudge, candy or anything you want to bring us. Your donation is needed and greatly appreciated!

Auction Items Needed - If you need donated items or monetary donations picked up, contact Mark Daigle 361- 550-5605 or Pat Daigle 361- 550-6652.

Cake Spin will be needing cake donations. Cakes may be brought to the Bauer Center on Saturday, September 16 between 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. or Sunday, September 17 until 1:00 p.m.

Wing Span Ticket Drawing - featuring a Louis Vuitton Bag valued at over \$3,500. Tickets available after weekend masses.

Pork Steak Dinner tickets available after mass, at the parish office or by contacting Yvonne Felkins at 361-648-0223.

Catholic Daughters Arts & Crafts Booth seeks donations of crochet items, plants, aprons, pillows and blankets, preserves and jellies, homemade candy, wreaths and Christmas decorations. Contact Cynthia Escalera at 361-920-2430.

OLG Collections

\$6,473.00	\$9,189.00	\$6,504.39	\$6,176.00
July 29 & 30	August 5 & 6	August 12 & 13	August 19 & 20

AUGUST 26 & 27

OLG \$7,515.00

St. Ann \$620.00

St. Joseph \$505.00 St. Patrick \$896.00

Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic School

We are a Catholic educational community,
providing opportunity for growth in the Light of Christ.



St. Ann, Point Comfort CCD classes will start Wednesday, September 13th. There will not be a registration day this year. Registration forms are available at the back of St. Ann church or at the OLG Church office. All NEW and Kinder students must present a copy of their Baptism certificate with registration. Please complete an application, per student, and return it to the [OLG Church office](#) by September 6th or you may give it to Mrs. Matula or Mrs. Brogger after mass on Sundays before the September 6th deadline.

SAVE THE DATES:

Sunday, September 17 – OLG Fall Festival

Sunday, October 1 – 2:00 PM – LIFE-CHAIN

Sunday, October 1 – 5:30 PM – Solemn Vespers in Church & 6:00 PM – Pot-Luck Supper afterwards for the Triple Celebration for Fr. Tommy
15th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination – June 21, 2008
10th Anniversary of becoming Pastor – August 1, 2013
45th Anniversary of Birth – October 2, 1978

Wednesday, October 4 (3:00 PM) thru Friday, October 6 (12:30 PM) – Rosary Congress Adoration

Wednesday, October 4 – 7:00 PM –Eucharistic Adoration Parish Mission – with music and speaker Fr. Jacob Koether

Saturday, October 7 – 9:00 AM – First Saturday Mass in Latin – Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary

Sunday, October 8 – 6:00 PM – Rosary Procession to conclude Rosary Congress

Friday, October 13 – 7:00 PM – final Rosary Service commemorating the last apparition of Fatima

Tuesday, October 31 – Wednesday, November 1 – ALL SAINTS DAY – Day of Obligation - (Mass schedule later)

Help needed for cleaning of the church. You do not need to be a member of any organization to help.

Ayuda para la limpieza de la iglesia. No es necesario ser miembro de una organización para ayudar.
September 4 & 8 - Conquistando Las Naciones Contact Juana Salinas at 361-746-3285
September 11 & 15 - Altar Society Contact Rosie Weaver at 361-482-8030
September 18 & 22 - Pan de Vida Contact Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594

ROSARY SERVICES
IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Wednesday, September 13, Friday, October 13
all at OLG Church at 7:00 PM

FIRST SATURDAY NOVUS ORDO MASS IN LATIN
October 7, 2023

Novus Ordo Mass Dates:
October 7, November 4
Confessions before Mass at 8:30

FIRST THURSDAY HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS:

The Eucharistic Holy Hours to pray for Vocations will be hosted by a different parish each month.
Please join in whenever you can:

September 7 -6:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift
October 5 - St. Joseph, Port O’Connor
November 4 - 6:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort

Readings:
Sunday, September 10, 2023
Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Classes are held at 7:00 p.m. in St. Sharbel Hall 412 W,. Austin St. (Metal Building).

Are you someone or do you know someone who:

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Adult but have never been baptized?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the sacraments of Confirmation & Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our Catholic faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, insights, and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. Join us on Tuesday, August 22, at 7:00 p.m., in St. Sharbel or call the Church office at 361-552-6140 for more information.