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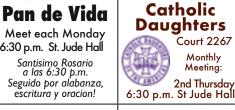
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Strong People Strong bodies is starting a new series. This FREE program is for people who are middle aged and older. We work on building strength so that you can do your normal day to day activities. Classes are Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings at 8:30 and Monday and Thursday Evenings at 5:30.

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# Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12, 2023



"Behold, the Bridegroom comes at midnight, and blessed is the servant whom He shall find watching; and again, unworthy is the servant whom He shall find heedless. Beware, therefore, O my soul, do not be weighed down with sleep, lest you be given up to death and lest you be shut out of the Kingdom..." (Holy Monday Matins of the Melkite Byzantine Church)

#### Our Lady of the Gulf

Monday, November 13 8:05 a.m. Mario Ybarra Orta † by Rita Jo Ybarra

2:00 p.m. @ Bethany Living Thomas Wick †

Tuesday, November 14 8:05 a.m. Freddy Elizondo † by Frank & Mary Lupita Reyes

Wednesday, November 15 8:05 a.m. Norma Laureana Avila Espinoza † by Family

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction

Thursday, November 16
8:05 a.m. In honor of the Wedding
Anniversary of Frank & Cristina Rendon
by Dora Rendon

Friday, November 17 8:05 a.m.Patrick McGrath † by Delia McGrath

Saturday, November 18 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confession 5:30 p.m. Jesse & Justin Bernal (Birthday Intentions)

by Margaret Escalante

Sunday, November 19
8:00 a.m. Ralph Cormier †
by James & Yvonne Wagner
10:00 a.m. Janie Sanchez †
by Stella Resendez and Family
12:00 p.m. Elias Castro †
y Everardo Castro †

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#### St. Ann, Point Comfort

Wednesday, November 15
9:00 a.m. Paul Ta †
by Sr. Maria Gorretti
Sunday, November 19
10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased
Members of Our Lady of the Gulf
Catholic Church and Her Missions

#### St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Tuesday, November 14
8:30 a.m. For the Brothers and
Sisters in the Dominican Order
Saturday, November 18
6:00 p.m. Stephen Paulk †
by Family

#### St. Patrick, Seadrift

Thursday, November 16 9:00 a.m. Joseph Pham † by Sr. Maria Gorretti

Saturday, November 18 (in Vietnamese) 7:00 p.m. All Souls by Mr. & Mrs. Diêm Ngô

Sunday, November 19
8:30 a.m. Knights of Columbus Council
3253 † & Catholic Daughters Court 2267 †
by Members of Knights of Columbus 3253
& Catholic Daughters 2267

#### Readings: Sunday, November 19, 2023 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1 - Proverbs 31, 10-13, 19-20, 30-31 Reading 2 - 1Thessalonians 5:1-6 Gospel - Matthew 25:14-30

#### **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, 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 Moehrig, Ellie Garcia, John Stewart, Juan Pablo Orosco, JoAnn Evins, Albert Janak, Richard Miller, Evelyn Kasper, Margaret Hilscher, Kenny Weaver, Mr. Nugyen, Lucy Piña, Roxanna Hernandez Castillo, Marissa Stignani, Derek Salinas

#### Lamp Intention

November 16 - 22 Bertha & Ramon Falcon † by Falcon Family

#### **Pray for Our Military**

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

# FIRST SATURDAY NOVUS ORDO MASS IN LATIN December 2, 2023 9:00 a.m.

Upcoming 2024 Novus Ordo Mass Dates: January 6, February 3, March 2 Confessions before Mass at 8:30 a.m.

#### 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:

December 7 - 6:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift January 4, 2024 - 6:00 PM - St. Joseph, Port O'Connor February 1, 2024 - 6:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort **MANDATORY PILGRIMAGE MEETING** for all those who have signed up for the 2024 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land on Sunday, December 3 at 2:00 p.m. in St. Jude Hall.

#### LEGION OF MARY MEETING

Monday, November 20, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at St. Matthew

#### IUNTA DE LA LEGIÓN DE MARÍA

Lunes 20 de noviembre, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. en el salon de San Sharbel.

#### OLG ALTAR SOCIETY MEMORIAL MASS & MEETING

Everyone is invited to attend the memorial mass for deceased members at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 16 in the church. The mass will be followed by the monthly meeting at St. Jude Hall. Altar Society members and any Catholic women interested in becoming members are encouraged to attend the meeting.

**CHRISTMAS FLOWER ENVELOPES** Offerings in honor or in memory of loved ones are used to decorate the OLG and Mission Churches at Christmas. Envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets or brought to the office by Monday, December 18 at noon.

# 35TH ANNUAL PORT LAVACA/CALHOUN COUNTY FREE THANKSGIVING DINNER Thursday, November 23,

2023, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at St. Jude Hall – **Drive Thru Only** 

This free Thanksgiving Dinner is open to anyone. Whether you are alone this year or unable to afford a meal, come by and grab a meal! Volunteers needed to serve and to deliver to shut ins on Thanksgiving Day. To volunteer, make a monetary donation, or make a donation toward items, please call Dora at 361-552-8001.

#### Items needed: Any amount is appreciated

Corn Bread – 80 – 1 Gallon Bags, crumbled and unsweetened

Cranberry Sauce - 24 -1 gal cans

Carry Out Plates - 2000 double hinged

Sandwich bags - 2000 fold over top

Party Packs - 2000

Unfrosted Desserts - 2000 bundt cake slices

(nothing that needs to be refrigerated)

Yams - 48 - 1 gal cans

Light Corn Syrup - 5 pints

Light Brown Sugar - 15 -1lb. boxes

Fruits - Apples, Oranges

Foil Baking Pans - 80

Rolls of Heavy Foil - 5

Chicken Base - 6- 3 lb jars

Plastic Grocery Bags – 1,500

Monetary Donations - (Checks payable to: Calhoun County Area Free Turkey Dinner, 78 Adame Lane, Port Lavaca, TX 77979)

ANGEL GIVING TREE To apply for assistance with Christmas gifts, please go to the Calhoun County Community Ministries office on 331 Alcoa Drive from 9:0.0 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. The deadline is Tuesday, November 21. Applications are subject to approval.

ARBOLITO DE ANGELITOS EN NAVIDAD Para solicitar ayuda vaya a la oficina de Ministerios Comunidad del Condado de Calhoun en 331 Alcoa Drive de 9:00 a.m. a 12:00 p.m. de lunes a viernes. El ultimo dia para aplicar es el martes 21 de noviembre al medio dia. Las solicitudes están sujetas a aprobación.

**HELP NEEDED FOR CLEANING OF THE CHURCH.** You do not need to be a member of any organization to help.

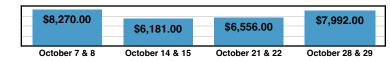
**AYUDA PARA LA LIMPIEZA DE LA IGLESIA.** No es necesario ser miembro de una organización para ayudar.

**November 13 & 17** - Altar Society Contact Irene Hare (361) 649-1467

**November 20 & November 24** - Pan de Vida Contact Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594

**November 27 & December 1-** Conquistando Las Naciones Contact Juana Salinas at 361-746-3285

#### **OLG Collections**



#### NOVEMBER 4 & 5

OLG \$9,419.00 Diocesan Service Appeal \$1,555.00 St. Ann \$996.00 Diocesan Service Appeal \$46.00 St. Joseph \$775.00 Diocesan Service Appeal \$187.00 St. Patrick \$1,064.00 Diocesan Service Appeal \$207.00

#### **Upcoming Second Collections:**

November 19 - Catholic Campaign for Human Development

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#### VAMOS A PREPARAR NOS PARA EL ADVIENTO!

Sabado, Diciembre 2. Misa en latin a las 9:00 a.m. en la iglesia. Presentación de las 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. en el Salon de San Judas con la Hermana Eufemia Santiago. El tema sera Adviento; Invitacion a latir en un solo corazon. Todos son invitados.

**DONATIONS TO THE FOOD PANTRY** The following items are most needed at this time: <u>Canned vegetables</u>, <u>peanut butter</u>, <u>Ramen Noodles</u>. Other items needed are stuffing, gravy, chili, small boxed instant mashed potatoes, yams/sweet potatoes, corn bread mix, cake mix & frosting, pie filling, cranberry sauce, broth, canned cream of mushroom soup, bars of soap. Please deliver to Community Ministries at 331 Alcoa Drive.

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#### **SAVE THE DATES:**

Sunday, November 26 – 5:00 PM

Christ the King Eucharistic Procession

Thursday, December 7

First Thursday Adoration - 6:00 p.m. - St. Patrick, Seadrift

VIGIL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

5:30 PM - OLG

6:00 PM - St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Friday, December 8 – IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

DAY OF OBLIGATION

8:00 AM - OLG

12:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort

6:00 PM - OLG

7:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift

<u>Tuesday, December 12 – OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE</u>

5:00 a.m. Mañanitas

6:00 AM & 8:05 AM - OLG

5:00 p.m. Festivities at Bauer Community Center

Monday, December 18 - OLG

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE - 5:00 - 700 PM

Sunday, December 24 – Monday, December 25

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD – Day of Obligation

(Mass schedule to come later)