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Paperwork MUST be completed before participating.

For information on either class contact Karen Lyssy at 361-552-9747 or karen.lvssv@ag.tamu.edu



# SEPTEMBER 14, 2025 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

#### OUR LADY OF THE GULF

Monday, September 15 8:05 a.m. Wanda McGrath † by Family Tuesday, September 16 8:05 a.m. Edwin Anderle † by Doris Janak

Wednesday, September 17 8:05 a.m. Joe Bujnoch †

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction

<u>Thursday, September 18</u> 8:05 a.m. John Fred Lesak † by Barbara Drastata

Friday, September 19 8:05 a.m. Patricia Delgado † by Carol Stewart

Saturday, September 20 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confessions

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confession 5:30 p.m. Patricia A. Delgado † by Benny & Madeline Garcia Sunday, September 21 8:00 a.m. Gary Weaver † by Patty Weaver 10:00 a.m. Ascension Martinez, Jr. † by Rocio Martinez & children

12:00 p.m. Nicolas Perez † de parte de su esposa

### ST. ANN, POINT COMFORT

Wednesday, September 17
9:00 a.m. Cheno Rodriguez, Jr. †
by The Rodriguez Family
Sunday, September 21
10:30 a.m. Christopher Kelner †
by his parents, Franklin & Leonita Kelner

### St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

Tuesday, September 16 8:30 a.m. Agnes Valigura † by Family

Saturday, September 20 6:00 p.m. Living & deceased members of Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Missions

#### ST. PATRICK, SEADRIFT

<u>Thursday, September 18</u> 9:00 a.m. Kun Ming Chen † by Margaret Hilscher

Saturday, September 20 (In Vietnamese) 7:00 p.m. St. Anna Ngo Nguyen & St. Joseph Sang Nguyen † by Trina Nguyen & family

Sunday, September 14 8:30 a.m. Deceased members of Knights of Columbus Council 3253 and Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court 2267

### READINGS: Sunday, September 21, 2025 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1- Amos 8:4-7 Reading 2 - 1Timothy 2:1-8 Gospel - Luke 16:1-13

### PRAY FOR THE SICK

Louis Bonuz, Veronica Aguilar, Mike Nichols, Teddy Hawes, Leigh Ann Falcon, Billy & Georgia Mikosh, Ryon Presler, Janie Segura, Lisa Reyes, Leslie Sanchez, Benny Thomas, Amalia Arellano, Yvonne Woods, Stacey Valentine, Robert Vidaurri, Josh Cardenas, Evelyn Kasper, Mr. Nugyen, Lucy Piña, Roxanna H. Castillo, Derek Salinas, Lucy Escobar, Janie Garza, Whitney McAfee, Alicia Fivecoat, Socorro C. Gonzales, Jo Ann Evins, Robert Ondreas, Norma Fritsch, Carolyn Adrian, Sandy Duncan, Kathy Hollas, Eugene Menchaca, Wesley Sudderth, Colleen Eckermann, Carolyn Keil, Diane Sanchez, Esther D. Hill, Lillie Mae Allen, Evelyn Kasper, Eva Camacho, Annie M. Delgado, Patrick Kurtz, Camila Valdivia, Mary Jo Patschke, Kenneth Hartl, Charles W. Cobos, Fred Hartl, Maureen Head, Kenneth Hartt, Socorro C. Soto, Julieta Alvidres

#### PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

SFC Mark A. Reves, US Army Captain Chris Hedrick, USN SSgt Derek Servantes, USAF PO Robert Drapela A1C Isaiah Falcon SSgt Brandon Hoelscher, USMC William Grubert, USMC TSgt Mychal Hamilton SSgt Michael Dennis 1SG Evan Padron, US Army William Strauss Tv De Soto, USMC PFC Eligio R. Garcia, USMC SFC Rudolpho Vasquez, Jr. Alexander C. Castillo, USAF Nathan Nguyen, US Army Jordan Dworaczyk II, USAF CS FCPO Edward Perez, Navy Melanie King, USAF Esperanza Martinez, US Army

## FIRST SATURDAY NOVUS ORDO MASS IN LATIN SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2025 9:00 A.M.

Upcoming Mass Dates: October 4, November 1 Confessions before Mass at 8:30 a.m.

## UPCOMING ROSARY SERVICES IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Sunday, September 14, Monday, October 13
AT OLG CHURCH AT 7:00 PM

## 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:
October 2 - 6:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort
November 6 - 6:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift
December 4 - 6:00 PM - St. Joseph, Port O'Connor

## WANTING TO BECOME CATHOLIC? OR COMPLETE YOUR SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION?

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Not everyone's journey through the faith is a straight line. For anyone interested in becoming Catholic; baptized adults wishing to receive confirmation and/or First Communion, or if you simply want to learn more about what the church teaches, OCIA (formerly called RCIA) is for you.

Sessions are held each Tuesday at 7:00 PM. Please call the church office to sign up.

## Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic School



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

All parishioners are invited to a safety training for <u>Stop the Bleed</u> on Wednesday, October 8th, at 9:00 am in St. Sharbel Hall. Participants in the course will learn how to recognize life-threatening bleeding and act quickly and effectively to control it with three quick techniques. The ACS Stop the Bleed training course will empower you to make a life-or-death difference when a bleeding emergency happens. After recent events, two OLG School volunteers initiated this opportunity to ensure everyone is prepared. Anyone interested in evening training should call the school at 361-552-6140 ext 202 so we can gauge interest.

**OLG ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** Thursday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Jude Hall. The Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited before the meeting at 6:15 p.m. Members are encouraged to attend and we extend an invitation to any Catholic women interested in joining.

## ADULT FORMATION CLASSES "The Early Church"

An Exciting Study of the Church's First Five Hundred Years! The facilitator will be Fr. Tommy Chen. Fall classes, held October 7 - November 4, 2025 and spring classes held from February 10 - March 10, 2026, each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at St. Jude Hall. Please come to the parish office to register and purchase the class material. Workbooks are \$30.00 and must be preordered and prepaid by Thursday, September 18, by 4:00 p.m.

**THE MASS INTENTION BOOK** will open on TUESDAY, September 30, 2025 at 8:30 a.m. for the months of October, November and December of 2025. 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 per month. Requests by phone are not accepted on opening day.

EL LIBRO DE INTENCIÓN DE MISA se abrirá el MARTES 30 de septiembre del 2025 a las 8:30 a.m. para los meses de octubre, noviembre y diciembre del 2025. 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 por mes. Las intenciones no son aceptadas por teléfono.

**All Souls Envelopes** A Novena of masses (9 masses) will be offered for all the dead remembered by using these envelopes. Envelopes may be placed in the weekend collection baskets or brought to the parish office. Deadline is Monday, October 27. *Please print clearly*.

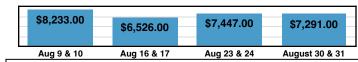
**Help needed for cleaning of the church** If you would like to help please contact the organization leaders for the time in which they meet to see what works for you. You do not need to be a member of any organization to help.

#### Ayuda para la limpieza de la iglesia

Si usted esta interesado/a en ayudar con la limpieza de nuestra iglesia por favor pase en los dias apundados abajo.

**September 15 & 19** - Altar Society, Irene Hare at 361- 649-1467 **September 22 & 26** - Pan de Vida, Mary Moreno at 361-553-9594 **Sept. 29 & Oct .3** - Conquistando Naciones, Olga Sandoval 361-433-3933

#### **OLG Collections**



#### September 6 & 7

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**VOLUNTEER TEACHER NEEDED** The Religious Education program (CCD) is in need of a first grade teacher. Please contact Linda Beard at 361-552-6140 ext. 106 or 361-649-5363.

**2026 LECTOR WORKBOOK ORDERS** - Please call the parish office to place your order. Deadline to order is Tuesday, September 16 at noon.

## **Festival Information/Needs**

The parish office will be open on Friday, September 19 until 12:00 noon for anyone needing to return or pick up more raffle tickets and to accept donations for the auction. The Bauer Community Center will also be open on Friday and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. for all donations.

**CAKE SPIN** - Please remember to add a delicious homemade cake or cupcakes to your donation list! (This booth requires many cakes to make it through the day.) Cakes may be dropped off on Saturday or Sunday morning at the Bauer Community Center.

**FESTIVAL MEAL & RAFFLE TICKETS** - Purchases may be made at the parish office or at the Bauer Community Center on the day of the festival.

**ALTAR SOCIETY BOOTH** - Donations of baked goodies needed. Kolaches, Cinnamon Rolls, Muffins, Cookies, Brownies (8x8 pan or individual pkg), Snack mix/Nut mix/Trail mix/Chex mix, Tiny pecan pies, Peanut Brittle, Banana Bread (Ig wrapped slices or mini loaves), Zucchini Bread (Ig wrapped slices or mini loaves). PLEASE Remember: Do not bring or bake any items needing <u>refrigeration!</u> (That includes pumpkin pie and all cream fillings...)

**LIVE AUCTION** - If you are unable to find an opportunity to make something we can take cash donations to be used to purchase an item of your choice or, if you wish, we will purchase an item appropriate for the auction and it will be donated in your name or the name of your business. If you need donated items or monetary donations picked up, contact Ruben at 361-648-3024 or Rosa at 361-550-4446.

**ARTS & CRAFTS BOOTH** - seeks donations of crochet items, plants, aprons, pillows and blankets, preserves and jellies, homemade candy, wreaths and Christmas decor. Contact Cynthia Escalera at 361-920-2430.