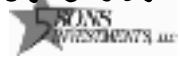


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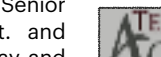


STRONG PEOPLE, STRONG BODIES
 FREE Exercise Classes for adults!

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.

Morning classes are Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center, 2104 W. Austin St. and evening classes on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday with walking class from 4:00-4:30 p.m. followed by the Strong class from 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. at the extension office 186 Henry Barber Way.

Paperwork MUST be completed before participating.
 For information on either class contact Karen Lyssy at 361-552-9747 or karen.lyssy@ag.tamu.edu



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Deacon Nazario Hernandez Deacon John Durant

APRIL 19, 2026
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



*"While He was with them at table,
He took bread, said the blessing,
broke it, and gave it to them...*

And He was made known to them in the breaking of bread."

OUR LADY OF THE GULF

Monday, April 20
8:05 a.m. Cipriano Calzada †
and Francisco Hernandez †

Tuesday, April 21
8:05 a.m. Saulo Escalante †
by Escalante Family

Wednesday, April 22
8:05 a.m. Thiago Juarez (Birthday Intention)
by The Juarez Family

3:00 - 8:30 p.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
followed by Benediction

Thursday, April 23
8:05 a.m. Guadalupe Olivarez †
and Abran Leal, Sr. †
by Derek & Irene Ortiz

2:00 p.m. @Trinity Shores
Edwin Anderle †
by Doris Janek

6:00 p.m. Confirmation

Friday, April 24
8:05 a.m. Alejos & Maria Ortiz †
by Derek & Irene Ortiz

Saturday, April 25
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Confessions
5:30 p.m. Julius & Lillie Bujnoch †
by Bernie Smalley

Sunday, April 26
8:00 a.m. Living & deceased members of
Our Lady of the Gulf and Her Missions
10:00 a.m. John and David Hernandez †
by Rosie Hernandez

12:00 p.m. Familia Perez Montenegro
(Intencion Especial)

FIRST SATURDAY NOVUS ORDO MASS IN LATIN
SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2026 9:00 A.M.

Upcoming Mass Dates:
May 2, June 6, July 4

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:

May 7, 2026 - 6:00 PM - St. Ann, Point Comfort
June 4 - 6:00 PM - St. Patrick, Seadrift
July 2 - 6:00 PM - St. Joseph, Port O’Connor

ST. ANN, POINT COMFORT

Wednesday, April 22
9:00 a.m. NO MASS

Sunday, April 26
10:30 a.m. Frances Janis †
by The St. Ann Altar Society

ST. JOSEPH, PORT O’CONNOR

Tuesday, April 21
8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday, April 25
6:00 p.m. Laura Durant (Special Intention)
by Linda Schmidt

ST. PATRICK, SEADRIFT

Thursday, April 23
9:00 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday, April 25 (In Vietnamese)
7:00 p.m. NO MASS

Sunday, April 26
8:30 a.m. Dr. Michael Fonseca
(Special Intention)
by Ralph & Linda Schmidt

READINGS:

Sunday, April 26, 2026

FOUR SUNDAY OF EASTER

Reading 1 - Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Reading 2 - 1 Peter 2:20b-25
Gospel - John 10:1-10

PRAY FOR THE SICK
Louis Bonuz, Veronica Aguilar, Mike Nichols, Teddy Hawes, Leigh Ann Falcon, Billy & Georgia Mikosh, Ryon Presler, Janie Segura, Lisa Reyes, Benny Thomas, Amalia Arellano, Stacey Valentine, Robert Vidaurri, Josh Cardenas, Mr. Nugyen, Lucy Piña, Derek Salinas, Janie Garza, Whitney McAfee, Alicia Fivecoat, Jo Ann Evins, Carolyn Adrian, Sandy Duncan, Kathy Hollas, Eugene Menchaca, Wesley Sudderth, Colleen Eckermann, Carolyn Keil, Lillie Mae Allen, Patrick Kurtz, Camila Valdivia, Mary Jo Patschke, Charles W. Cobos, Fred Hartl, Maureen Head, Julieta Alvidres, Ellen Kirby, David Evins, James Mertink, Esther D. Hill, Ida Mendez, Chelsea Lopez, Roxanne Castillo, Yolanda Rodriguez, Teresa Regalado, Glenda Stavinoha, Dolores Del Toro, Lydia Aguirre

LAMP INTENTION
Week of April 23 - 29
Jose & Delia Amejorado †
by Family

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY
SFC Mark A. Reyes, 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
Ty 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
Luke Green, US Army
PO3 Kameron Pena, US Navy

MONTHLY BAPTISM CLASS: MAY 6, 2026
Deadline to register for this class is Monday, May 4, 2026.
The Sacrament of Baptism is held on an individual basis and
will be scheduled only after all of the required documentation
has been received in the parish office. For more information
call 361-552-6140 ext. 3.

THIS WEEKEND IS
“CALLED BY NAME SUNDAY!”

Bishop Cahill is asking us to identify faithful young men (ages 15-30’s) who exhibit qualities of leadership and service, and who may be open to learning more about the priesthood. To submit names, please scan the code or visit **victoriavocations.org/calledbyname**.

Men you submit will receive a letter of encouragement from Bishop Cahill, invitations to discernment events, and support from our Vocation Team. Thank you for your participation in this important campaign!

¡ESTE FIN DE SEMANA
ES EL DOMINGO
“LLAMADOS POR SU NOMBRE!”

El Obispo Cahill nos pide identificar a jóvenes varones fieles (de 15 a 30 años) que muestren cualidades de liderazgo y servicio, y que puedan estar abiertos a conocer más sobre el sacerdocio. Para enviar nombres, por favor escanea el codigo o visite victoriavocations.org/calledbyname.

Los jóvenes que usted proponga recibirán una carta de aliento del Obispo Cahill, invitaciones a eventos de discernimiento y el apoyo de nuestro Equipo de Vocaciones. ¡Gracias por su participación en esta

Remember your Mother in this beautiful way! A Mother’s Day Spiritual Bouquet: Intentions remembered in the Masses on Mother’s Day. Deadline is Tuesday, May 5. Please **print clearly** and remember to indicate whether the donation is in honor or in memory of your loved ones.

¡Recuerda a tu Madre de esta hermosa manera! Un ramo espiritual del día de la madre: intenciones recordadas en las misas del día de la madre. El ultimo día de entregar los sobres es el martes 5 de mayo. Escriba con letra de imprenta clara y recuerde indicar si la donación es en honor o en memoria de sus seres queridos.

FOOD PANTRY CURRENT NEEDS Please support our local food pantry by donating any of the following items listed; Hamburger Helper, canned chili, vienna sausage, peanut bitter, cereal, canned pasta, dry pasta, pasta sauce, ramen noodles, macaroni & cheese, canned soup, instant pudding, Jello, bar soap. Items may be dropped off to Community Ministries at 331 Alcoa Drive between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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.
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 o llame a los líderes para hacerles saber que está dispuesto/a a ayudar.
April 20 & 24 - Group 2 - Pan de Vida, Mary Moreno 361-553-9594
April 27 & May 1 - Group 3 - Alex Amejorado - 361- 482 - 6299
May 4 & 8 - Group 1 - Altar Society, Linda Meyer 361- 935-3379

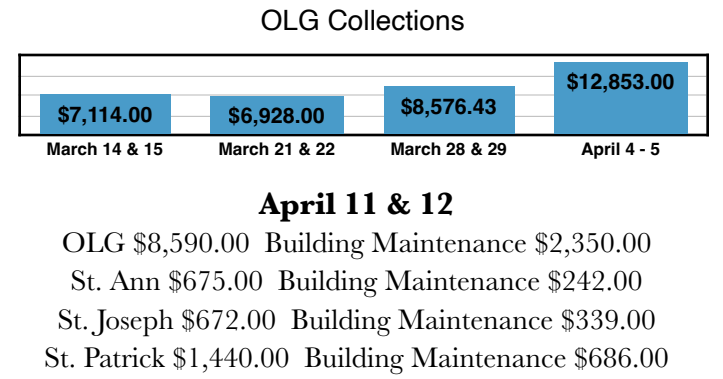


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*We are a Catholic educational community,
providing opportunity for growth
in the Light of Christ!*

MARINER'S WEEKLY CATCH
Winner for Wednesday, April 15

Sergio Davila, Port Lavaca



QUO VADIS CAMP
FOR 6TH - 12TH GRADE BOYS

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!
Register at Victoriavocations.org

Quo Vadis is an overnight camp that helps boys grow in
faith and virtue while learning to discern God’s call.

June 28 - July 1, 2026
Spiritual Renewal Center, Victoria

For rising 6th graders through graduating seniors
Quo Vadis has a long history in our diocese, and many
young men credit the camp for solidifying their faith!

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SAVE THE DATE:
Annual Parish Festival
Sunday, September 20, 2026
Bauer Community Center

TWO HEARTS COFFEE FUNDRAISER
Benefiting the Father Dan Morales Endowment Fund. Each 1lb. bag of whole bean or ground coffee is \$20.00 and is available in the church office.