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ST. CLARE CATHOLIC CHURCH

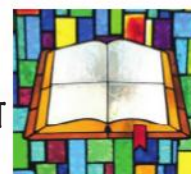


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FEBRUARY 16, 2025 SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



OFFICE HOURS | HORAS DE OFICINA

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
9am-12:30pm & 1:30pm-4pm

*Closed on Holy Days, Holidays, Festive Days &
Inclement weather.*

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Fridays 4:00pm - 6:00pm in the Church

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Open during office hours / Durante horas de oficina

HALL RENTAL | RENTAR EL SALÓN

Please contact Friends of St. Clare: (210) 924-5252

BAPTISM | BAUTISMO

Parents need to bring the official state copy of the child's Birth Certificate & fill out the Baptism Registration form. Godparents must have all sacraments and must be practicing Catholics. Call Maria Gonzales at the Parish Office.

Los padres necesitan registrarse y traer el certificado de Nacimiento. Los padrinos deben tener todos sus sacramentos y ser casados a través de la Iglesia. Para mas información llamen a Maria Gonzales en la oficina parroquial.

WEDDINGS | BODAS

Please make an appointment with the pastor at least 9 months in advance. Call Fr. Miguel for more info. Haga cita con el sacerdote no menos de 9 meses antes de la boda. Llame al P. Miguel para mas información.

QUINCEAÑERA

Parents do not need to be registered at the parish or be enrolled in Faith Formation classes. Parents should contact Maria Gonzales 9 to 12 months prior to the Quinceañera. A Quinceañera retreat is required. Please call the church office.

Los padres de la Quinceañera no necesita estar registrados en al parroquia y no se requiere estar asistiendo clases de formación. Contacte a Maria Gonzales 9 a 12 meses antes de la quinceañera. Se requiere un retiro de Quinceañera. Llame a la oficina parroquial.

LIVE IN HOPE - SERVE WITH LOVE

SUNDAY MASS | MISA DOMINICAL

Saturday 5:00pm Vigil Mass (English)

Sunday 8:30am (Spanish)

10:30am (English)

6:00pm (English)

DAILY MASS | MISA DIARIA

Mon. & Fri. English Mass at 12:30pm

Tues. & Thurs. Spanish Mass 12:30pm

In the Adoration Chapel in classroom 1

PARISH STAFF | PERSONAL PARROQUIAL

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Deacon	Alfred Gaona
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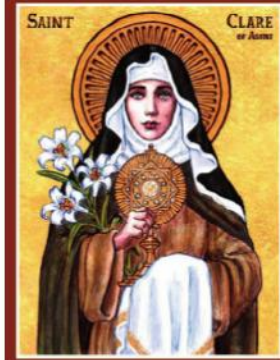
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MASS INTENTIONS / INTENCIONES DE MISA

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15 / 5:00PM

Ints. of Richard Trinidad & Evelyn Trinidad

†Barney G. Perez †Olivia G. Bello

†Irene M. Perez †Salvador Q. Garza

†Dora H. Rodriguez †Mary C. Vela

DOMINGO, 16 DE FEBRERO / 8:30AM

Misa para el Pueblo de Dios

†Hijas de Caridad †Adolfo Castillo

†María de Jesús Ortiz †Ricardo Castaneda

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

10:30AM MASS

Ints. for Celestino Martinez Jr.

†Senon B. Huizar

†Lonnie Michael Meyer

†Emilio Eddie Colon

†Olivia Bello

6:00PM MASS

For the People of the Parish

Scripture Readings & Mass Intentions For the Week of February 16, 2025

Monday Gen 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday Gen 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday Gen 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday Gen 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-18; 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Mk 8:27-33

Friday Gen 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Mk 8:34 - 9:1

MARCH 5TH / 5 DE MARZO

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

SERVICIOS DE MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA

6:00am Bilingual Mass & Ashes

8:00am Servicio y Cenizas en Esp.

11:00am English Service & Ashes

12:00pm Bilingual Service & Ashes

5:00pm English Service & Ashes

6:30pm Bilingual Mass & Ashes

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Woe is Me?

In Luke's version of the Beatitudes, he has only four blessings and he adds four woes. These woes correspond to the blessings: 1. the poor and the rich, 2. the hungry and the filled, 3. those who weep and those who laugh, and 4. the hated and the well-treated. Did you notice that all the things that we work forty or more hours a week to give to our family are considered "woes"? So is Jesus saying we should not have savings for the future, food for the kids, a happy, safe environment, or a good reputation?

I suspect that the disciples and the others listening to Jesus wondered the same thing. Jesus may have been exaggerating a little but he had a point. The values of this world are not necessarily the values of God's Kingdom. For example, self-reliance, usually considered a virtue, can be taken to an extreme of not relying on God for our needs, or for justifying the belief that poverty is the fault of the poor. Jesus himself is the extreme example of reversing worldly values: His death was not a tragic ending, but the saving action that brought us forgiveness and new life in the Resurrection. So how do we experience the blessings of the poor, the hungry, the mourning, or the unpopular? Do we have the faith to let go of self-reliance and to trust in Jesus? How much money does it take to meet the needs of our family? How much do we really need and how much is just extra? Are we really helping our children if we give them anything they want? We teach them to do their best in school and sports. Do we also teach them to give to the poor or to help other children struggling with schoolwork? We buy them nice clothing; do we teach them to see Jesus in others? How can we say this is all too idealistic, and still claim to believe in the Resurrection? I don't expect everyone to go around saying "woe is me." Some of the happiest people are those who live simple lives of faith and trust in God. When we learn to trust the Lord and love one another, we not only can see Jesus in the poor or the lonely, he can also be seen in us.



Sexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

¿Ay de mí?

En la versión de Lucas de las Bienaventuranzas, sólo tiene cuatro bendiciones y añade cuatro ayes. ¿Se dieron cuenta que todas las cosas por las que trabajamos cuarenta o más horas a la semana para dar a nuestra familia se consideran "ayes"? ¿Jesús está diciendo que no debemos tener ahorros para el futuro, comida para los niños, un ambiente feliz y seguro o una buena reputación?

Supongo que los discípulos y los demás que escuchaban a Jesús se preguntaban lo mismo. Los valores de este mundo no son necesariamente los valores del Reino de Dios. Jesús mismo es el ejemplo extremo de invertir los valores mundanos: Su muerte no fue un final trágico, sino la acción salvadora que nos trajo perdón y nueva vida en la Resurrección.

Entonces, ¿cómo experimentamos las bendiciones de los pobres, los hambrientos, los que están de luto o los impopulares? ¿Tenemos la fe para dejar de depender de nosotros mismos y confiar en Jesús? ¿Cuánto dinero se necesita para satisfacer las necesidades de nuestra familia? ¿Realmente estamos ayudando a nuestros hijos si les damos todo lo que quieren? Les compramos ropa bonita; ¿Les enseñamos a ver a Jesús en los demás? ¿Cómo podemos decir que todo esto es demasiado idealista y aún así afirmar que creemos en la Resurrección?

No espero que todos anden por ahí diciendo "ay de mí". Unas de las personas más felices son las que viven vidas sencillas de fe y confianza en Dios. Cuando aprendemos a confiar en el Señor y a amarnos unos a otros, no solo podemos ver a Jesús en los pobres o los solitarios, sino los demás también podrán verlo en nosotros.

Weekend Report - Reporte Fin de Semana

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Weekend of 02/09/2025

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Stations of the Cross

Las Estaciones de la Cruz

Begin Friday, March 7th after Confessions /
Inician el Viernes 7 de marzo des pues de las confesiones

Confessions & Adoration
Every Friday from 4:00-6:00pm
(except on Good Friday)

Confesiones y Adoración
Todos los Viernes de 4:00-6:00pm
(menos el Viernes Santo)

LENTEN MISSION WALK

All are invited to take part of the Lenten Mission Walk. We will visit our neighborhoods, inviting all to St. Clare and offering a Prayer for their home and their family. To sign up please call us at the church office.

Mission Walk Saturdays: March 8, 15, 22, & 29th.
Beginning at 9:30am and gathering at the hall we will car pull to the neighborhood. I hope you can join us on this mission.

He sent them ahead of him in pairs to every town and place... "Go on your way... Into whatever house you enter first say 'Peace to this household.'" Luke 10.



Join us for Breakfast this Sunday after the morning Masses.



St. Clare Catholic Church

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Holy Mary Mother of All Morning Retreat

When: Saturday, March 1st 2025

Time: 9am - 12:00pm

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Where: St. Clare Parish Hall

Presenter: Sr. Maria Patricia Gonzalez



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MEN'S SILENT RETREAT

4:30 p.m., Friday, February 28 through
12 noon, Sunday, March 2, 2025

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"Silence is the best way to know where the Spirit is leading you. It sounds easy, but in today's world we rarely take the time for complete silence. Take the time to experience the silence and see how your life can be changed." (Men's Silent Retreat Team Member)

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Please submit all bulletin announcements on **Sunday** for inclusion in the following **Sunday's** bulletin. Submissions should be in **PDF format** and emailed to bulletin.news@stclaresatx.net
****Deadline subject to change due to special days & holidays.**

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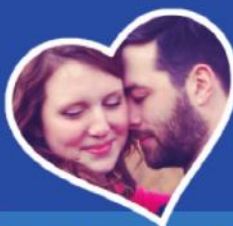
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