

MASS INTENTIONS
(INTENCIONES DE LA MISA)
JAN. 1, 2021 - JAN. 9, 2022



Saturday JANUARY 1
 10:00 a.m. (B) In thanksgiving for the Penaloza Family
 5:00 p.m. †Jesus T Dominguez

7:00 p.m. In thanksgiving for Bernadette Fetngo
SUNDAY JANUARY 2
 8:00a.m. People of St. Matthew's
 10:00 a.m. †Koral Kornegan & †Eduardo Garcia
 12:00 p.m. †Laura Latigo & Josefa Facio Resendiz

MONDAY JANUARY 3

TUESDAY JANUARY 4
 8:45 a.m. †Alfredo Ortega

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 5
 8:45 a.m. †Anastacia Sanchez

THURSDAY JANUARY 6
 8:45 a.m. †Brantley Sanders

FRIDAY JANUARY 7
 8:45 a.m. †Ester Rodriguez

Saturday JANUARY 8
 5:00 p.m. †Carlos Soliz & †Enrique Deleon
 †Dan Penaloza

7:00 p.m. Comunidad de San Mateo

SUNDAY JANUARY 9
 8:00a.m. †Leonard Lidiak
 In thanksgiving for Sophia Cantu

10:00 a.m. People of St. Matthew's
 12:00 p.m. Intenciones por Margarita Dominguez

Readings for the Week of January 2, 2022

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Sunday Epiphany of the Lord
 Is 60: 1-6/ Ps 72: 1-2./ Eph 3: 2-3a, 5-6/ Mt 2: 1-12
Monday 1 Jn 3: 22- 4: 6/ Ps 2: 7bc-8. 10-12a/ Mt 4: 12-17, 23-25
Tuesday 1 Jn 4: 7-10/ Ps 72: 1-2/ Mk 6: 34-44
Wednesday 1 Jn 4: 11-18/ Ps 72: 1-2/ Mk 6: 45-52
Thursday 1 Jn 4: 19-5: 4/ Ps 72: 1-2/ Lk 4: 14-22
Friday 1 Jn 5: 5-13/ Ps 147: 12-13/ Lk 5: 12-16
Saturday 1 Jn 5: 14-21/ Ps 149: 1-2/ Jn 3: 22-30
Sunday Is 40: 1-5/ Ps 104/ Ti 2: 11-14/ Lk 3: 15-16, 21-22

UPDATES TO OUR PRAYER LIST...

Debbie Schneide - Omar G Rodriguez - Michael Angelo Figueroa - Ernest Guerrero, Jr. - Kelly Murray - Rick Streeter - Anthony Lopez - Lydia Rodriguez - Maria Laura - Michael Davila - Enriquetta Davila - Rene Carlos Salinas - Ofelia Salinas - Manuel Najera Aguirre - Nicky Vilalalon Lucila Pena - Lourdes Lulu Meza - Mary Ann Torres - Barbara Kappleman - Christine Demney - Margarita Dominguez - Minerva Aguilar - Charles Jennings - Robert Trusty - Abelardo Gody - Cecilia Diaz and for all those that are sick affected by the Covid-19.



Congratulations

On your 10th Anniversary as a Priest

May you continue to be Sustained by His grace. And may your Life in God's service Always be filled with joy.



Anniversary : Saturday , January 15, 2022.
Fr. Martial Oya's 10th yr. Priestly Ordination Anniversary
5PM Mass/ Reception to follow (No 7PM Mass)

Join us to celebrate with
Fr. Martial Oya

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD/ SOLEMNIDAD DE LA EPIFANIA DEL SEÑOR

MASS INTENTIONS

Around the parish., for those wishing to commemorate a special time (birthday, anniversary, etc) or in memory of the a loved one, we will change to the family now sponsoring the bread and wine for \$65.00 for a weekend. Your name will be listed in the bulletin with the reason for the sponsorship (anniversary, birthday, in memory of..., etc) as is currently done. Example: Bread and Wine this week sponsored by _____ in honor of _____ or in memory of _____. Greenery and live plants will be on the altar with seasonal plants also at various times of the year. Thank you for all you do for St. Matthew's. We hope that you embrace this decision and will continue your sponsorship. Please stop by the parish office to sign up for the 2022 Mass Intention.

Baptisms/ Bautismos

English Pre-Baptism Classes for February 3rd & 10 th, 2022 @ 7pm you MUST REGISTER with Janie Guerrero BY EMAIL TO: jguerro@stmatthewhou.org or Jennifer Piotrowski BY EMAIL TO: finchpiotrowski@gmail.com by February 1, 2022 and have paperwork filled out and birth certificate copy turned into the parish office. -----

Para clases pre-bautismales en español el 3 y 10 de Febrero a las 7 p.m. DEBE REGISTRARSE con Marcos Guillen POR CORREO ELECTRÓNICO A: marcos15083@hotmail.com antes del 1 de Febrero de 2022 y completar la forma de registracion y entregar la copia del certificado de Nacimiento del niño/niña en la oficina parroqui

Texas Rally for Life

The Office of Pro-Life Activities will offer transportation to Austin, TX for the annual Texas Rally for Life event on Saturday, January 22, 2022. January 2022 marks 49 years since Roe v. Wade. Join thousands of Texans march in support for each human life! The trip cost is \$40 and includes a Buc-ee's stop to and from Austin. Reserve your spot on the bus by registering at <https://cvent.me/kkXL2Z> or call the Office of Pro-Life at 713-741-8728.

MLK Mass of Remembrance

Honoring the birthday of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther, King Jr. on Sunday, January 16, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, 1111 St. Joseph Parkway with His Eminence Daniel Cardinal DiNardo as the main Celebrant and Rev. Houston Okonma, Homilist. All are welcome.

The Parish office will be closed in Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Monday, January 17, 2022

No Healing Mass in January

No habrá misa de Sanacion en el mes de January

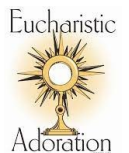
THE WEEK AHEAD!

SATURDAY	JANUARY 1	
SUNDAY	JANUARY 2	
MONDAY Grupo Oracion	JANUARY 3 Chapel	7 p.m.
TUESDAY Bible Study Grupo Guadalupano Boy & Cub Scouts	JANUARY 4 #129 #215 Morton	9:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY Grupo Oracion Choir Practice 10yr Anniversary party planning	JANUARY 5 Morton Church #216	7p.m.
THURSDAY Choir Practice MFCC	JANUARY 6 Church #129	6:30p.m. 7 p.m.
FRIDAY	JANUARY 7	
SATURDAY	JANUARY 8	
SUNDAY Faith Formation 50 plus club	JANUARY 9 All rooms #129	8 a.m. – 2 p.m. 2 p.m.

ADORATION /ADORACIÓN AL SANTISIMO

Eucharistic adoration is available every Wednesday after the 8:30 a.m. mass in the chapel until 4:00 p.m.

Todos los miércoles después de la Misa de 8:30 a.m., el Santísimo esta expuesto para adoración en la Capilla hasta las 4:00 p.m.



Felicidades

*Décimo Aniversario de su
ordenación Sacerdotal*



*Acompáñanos a celebrar con
Padre Martial Oya*

**Nunca te olvides ofrecer a Dios tus
Intenciones personales.**

Porque la Misa se ofrece a Dios por:

1. **Los vivos.**
2. **Los difuntos**
3. **El perdón de nuestros pecados y,**
4. **Por las necesidades de todos**



IDIVULGALO!

**Pasa por la oficina parroquial para tus
intenciones de la Misa del año 2022**

Reflexiones

2 de enero de 2022 La Epifanía del Señor
“...Se postraron ante Él y lo adoraron. Entonces abrieron sus cofres y le ofrecieron sus regalos de oro, incienso y mirra” (MATEO 2:11)
¿Qué regalos le da usted al Señor? El papa San Gregorio dijo que estos tres dones representan lo que deberíamos dar al Señor cada día. El oro - debemos reflejar la sabiduría de Cristo en todas nuestras relaciones.
Incienso - representa nuestras oraciones diarias y la adoración a Dios. Mirra - es un símbolo de nuestros sacrificios diarios que nos unen con Jesús por el bien de los demás.

ORACIÓN DE LOS FIELES

Que reflejemos la sabiduría de Dios, que recemos a Dios y unamos nuestros sufrimientos a los de Jesús todos los días

Declaraciones Financieras de fin de año

Las Declaraciones Financieras de Fin de Año, 2021 estarán disponibles a finales de Enero. Si usted desea una declaración, por favor comuníquese con la Sr. Janie Guerrero en la oficina parroquial al (713)466-4030



Gracias a todos los que donaron artículos a nuestra despensa de alimentos. Sin embargo, todavía necesitamos crema de cacahuete y jalea. Sus donaciones son muy apreciadas. Si puede, por favor donar estos artículos tan necesarios. ¡Gracias!



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The Safe Environment compliance training and renewal training **is a condition of employment and for volunteer ministry** in our Archdiocese. All clergy, employees, contracted school personnel, volunteers, members of groups, movements, and organizations over the age of 18, who work, volunteer or participate in any capacity are required to complete the Archdiocesan Safe Environment Training and a criminal background check before they may begin employment or volunteer activities. In addition, the mandatory renewal training must be completed every five years and a new background check submitted before the five year expiration of prior training.

If you have completed VIRTUS training in the past 5 years, **do not create a new account in CMG Connect**. You will log-in with your previous personal user id from VIRTUS and enter the password 1234. Once you log into your CMG Connect account, you will be able to change your password. If you do not remember your VIRTUS user id or are unable to log-in, please contact your local Safe Environment Coordinator or Catholic Mutual Group, direct customer support line at (833) 993-1667.

If you have never attended VIRTUS training in the past or never taken the Safe Haven online training, please register to create a new account via CMG Connect at <https://GalvestonHouston.CMGConnect.org>

IMPORTANT NOTES : You will be required to complete a criminal background check as part of the registration process. Failure to complete the criminal background check in its entirety will delay the approval process for volunteer service.

Please make sure you enter your legal name as it appears on your Government Issued Id (Driver's License, State-issued Identification card, Passport, Matricula Consular). If you are volunteering at the Festival please be sure you are certified.

If you do not have a computer please call the parish office to set up a date

End of the year statements

Contribution statements for 2021 will soon be available. If you would like to request a statement, please call Janie in the Parish Office at (713) 466-4030 ext. 322

Food Pantry



Thanks to everyone who donated items to our food pantry.

However, we are still in need of Peanut Butter & jelly. Your donations are greatly appreciated. If you can please donate these very much needed items. Thank you!

Bulletin Advertisement

Did you know that our bulletin is printed at no cost to our parish? This is because some businesses and ministries have sponsored ads and some families have sponsored memorials to their family members. One of our major sponsors will soon no longer sponsor their ad. We need at least 8 more sponsors to keep our bulletin at no cost. Please consider sponsoring an ad for your business or sponsoring a memorial to your family member. Thank you for your generosity
For more information please contact : Joe Villanueva at 361-331-2050 or jvillanueva@diocesan.com

Reminder: Many organizations and clubs use rooms in the administration building and church. When you hold a meeting/ event please clean up as much as possible, turn off lights and shut the door to the room. Turn off air conditioner/heater. Please wipe down table and chairs used. Sanitizing wipes are in each room



A Stewardship Parish Parroquia Administradora de los Bienes de Dios

DECEMBER 19 , 2021

Collection Goal: \$10,000.00

Sunday Offering/Ofrenda del Domingo & Candle: \$6,806.92

On-Line Giving/Donaciones hechas por Interne: \$1,489.50

Mail-In Donations/Donaciones por Corre: \$575.00

Total Collection/Colecta en Total: **\$8,871.42**

We are short \$1,128.58

DECEMBER 26, 2021

Due to the schedule for the printing of the bulletin, we can-not provide the collection totals for last weekend. Please check in next week's bulletin for the collection totals.

Bank Direct and Credit Card Donations available on our website www.stmatthewhou.org by clicking on "Online Giving" button.



Goal : \$479,122.00

Paid: \$296,142.55

Difference (Goal vs Paid): \$182,979.45

DSF Summary Report– 2021 Parish 7579

Parish Goal \$60,000.00

Paid \$59,587.66

Difference (goal vs paid) \$412.34

Total Number of Participant 181

Reflexiones

January 2, 2022 The Epiphany of the Lord

"...They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh." (MATTHEW 2:11)

What gifts do you give to the Lord? Pope St. Gregory said that these three gifts represent what we should give God every day. Gold – we should reflect Christ's wisdom in all our relationships. Frankincense represents our daily prayer and adoration to God. Myrrh – is a symbol of our daily sacrifices that we unite with Jesus for the sake of others.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

That we reflect God's wisdom, pray to God and unite our sufferings with Jesus' every day.