

**WHEN
YOU
PRAY,
SAY:**

**FATHER,
HALLOWED BE
YOUR NAME,
YOUR
KINGDOM
COME.**

Luke 11:2

July 27, 2025 • Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:45 am-12:00 pm
..... 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

Parish Staff

Pastor Rev. Patrick Knippenberg
Parish Secretary Sr. Valerie Janecka, OVISS
Bookkeeper Cindy Doyle
PCL/Safe Environment Coordinator Martha Nichols
PCL Tammy Fikac
Music Ministry Thomas Santos & Tracie Tibiletti

New Parishioners Welcome

Registration forms online at www.lourdesvictoria.org
or email: ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm
Sunday 7:30 am and 10:00 am
Vietnamese Community Mass
(1st & 3rd Sunday of Every Month) 12:00 pm
Daily (Monday-Saturday) 8:00 am

Confessions

Saturday 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm
..... Before Daily Mass

Faith Formation • Continuing Christian Education (CCE)

Sunday 8:30 am - 9:45 am (August through May)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Baptismal Instruction

First Sunday of Every Month

Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 27 **Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 7:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family
 10:00 am † Justin Cox
 † Bill Atzenhoffer

Monday, July 28
 8:00 am † Mary Bianchi

Tuesday, July 29
 8:00 am Paul Rymniak

Wednesday, July 30
 8:00 am † Carolyn Caudle

Thursday, July 31
 8:00 am † Anna John

First Friday, August 1
 8:00 am Poor Souls in Purgatory

First Saturday, August 2
 8:00 am † Damian Alvarez
 † Esther Sanchez
 4:00 pm † Buddy & † Hazel Waida

Sunday, August 3 **Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 7:30 am † Mary Beth Kilgore & † Melvin Kainer
 10:00 am Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family

The flowers on the Main Altar this week are in celebration of John and Cindy Mayer's 55th Wedding Anniversary.

Question of the Week

Over the coming week, take time each day to persistently ask God for a need of yours or a friend's. At the end of the week, answer this question: What have I learned by persisting in prayer daily for this need?

Please Pray for Our Sick

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 Baby Avery Wuest
 Larry Vitek
 Jimmy Ressman
 Lee Lasater
 Pat Krenak
 Ricky Dominguez
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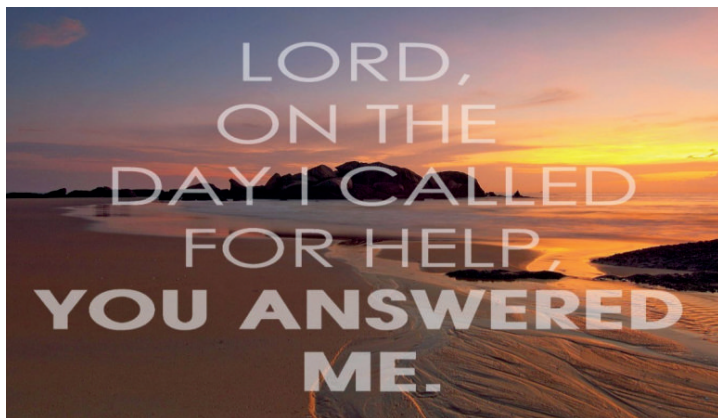
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 Mary Ellen Lara
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 Kristin Brooks
 Charlie & Ruth Mozisek

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 Matt Alvarez, Sr.
 Shirley Kirby
 Jo Anne Hough
 Lawrence Yanta
 Richard Bludau
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 Milton Greeson
 Julie Ann (Schultz) Dentler
 Diana Dentler
 Martha Chandler

Ruben & Frances Espino
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 Diane Heller

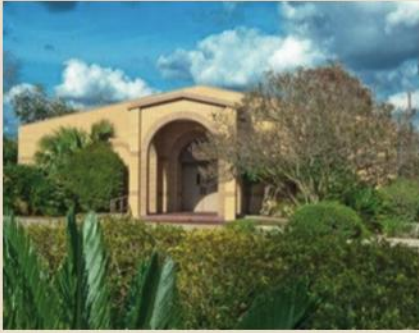
Please contact the parish office to have a name kept on the list, to remove names, or to add names.



Scripture Readings

For the Week of July 27, 2025

Sunday	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13
Monday	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday	Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday	Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53
Friday	Memorial of Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday	Lv 25: 1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
Sunday	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21



In and Around Our Parish

Fall Festival Meeting

The 2025 Fall Festival Kick-off Meeting will be on Tuesday, July 29th at 6:30 pm in the Church Hall. Please come and support ideas for our parish fundraising activities. All are invited. Contact persons/festival co-chairs: Tracie Tibiletti @ 361-550-0717 and Julie Venglar @ 361-550-3774.

Call to Discipleship

Are you being called? 'CAN I POSSIBLY BE THE RIGHT PERSON TO TEACH MY FAITH?' Our parish children will soon be returning to learn more about Jesus and the Catholic faith. If you live your faith, you can help by becoming a Catechist of Faith Formation and share your faith journey with the youth of our parish. As you nurture the faith of our young, you will learn and grow in your faith as well. Please consider volunteering your time, and being the disciple we are asked to be when we were Baptized. We

are looking for and welcome catechists, co-catechists, and catechist aides. Classes are held on Sundays from 8:30 am – 9:45 am. If interested or for more information, contact Martha Nichols at 361-571-0337 or Tammy Fikac at 361-649-3717. Please pray and say 'YES'!

St. Mary Parish Rummage Sale

St. Mary Parish is holding its Annual Rummage Sale on Friday, August 1, 2025 from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm and Saturday, August 2, 2025 from 8:00 am – 3:00 pm. Location is 401 S. Liberty (Activity Center). There are a variety of items including housewares, toys, home décor, clothing, and much more. Proceeds to benefit St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Raffle News

It is time again to think about donating toward the OLL 2025 raffle. The raffle will be on November 9th at the Victoria Community Center. As in the past, we are asking for gift cards, cash cards, guns, or any item that you feel would be "AWESOME". The success of the raffle depends on a lot of little factors, but the generous contributions are the first. If you are interested in donating, please contact Donna Maxey/Raffle Chairperson at 361-550-7158.

Annual Fall Picnic

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Hallettsville, Texas, will be celebrating its' Annual Fall Picnic on Sunday, August 31st, 2025. The menu will consist of Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings at \$14.00 a

plate and serving starting at 10:30 am (KC Hall). Everybody is welcome! Fun for all ages!

Treasures from Our Tradition

Apart from the period from Thanksgiving through Christmas, the summer is a favored time for family reunions. We trace family trees and recall our origins. Worship has a family tree as well, and the way we celebrate today has been influenced by various styles and customs through the centuries. We are Western Christians of the Latin Rite. By far, we are the most numerous Western Christians, but there are other ritual families as well. The Archdiocese of Milan in Italy follows the Ambrosian Rite, Toledo in Spain preserves the Mozarabic Rite and the Arab language, and Lyons in France is home to the Gallican Rite. Other liturgical families, such as the Celtic in Ireland and the Sarum in England, faded away after the Reformation. Until recent times, members of some ancient religious orders such as Carmelites and Trappists followed a pattern of Mass that varied slightly from the plan observed in Latin Rite parishes. Isn't the Catholic Church the same everywhere? Not at all. It never has been! The existence of so many liturgical families in the West reminds us that unity, not uniformity, is what the Church seeks to achieve among her children. We are united in faith, but wonderfully diverse in rituals, ceremonies, languages, customs, and spirituality. —James Field

Ministry Schedule • August 2/3, 2025

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday • 4:00 pm Mari Garcia, Cindy & Johnny Smith, Crystal Padierna (choir)
Sunday • 7:30 am Joy Loest, Larry Gajewsky, Martha Nichols
Sunday • 10:00 am Marla Darilek, Antoinette Garcia, Lynette Mayer, Donna Maxey (Choir)

Lectors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Harvin Suggs
Sunday • 7:30 am Sherry Kainer
Sunday • 10:00 am David Post

Altar Servers

Saturday • 4:00 pm Suzie Ryan, Sawyer L., Sophie P.
Sunday • 7:30 am Brady F., Adalyn & Liam P.
Sunday • 10:00 am Hank C., Felix R., Cole W-J.

Ushers • Door Monitors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Thomas Joost, John Novak, Norman Schoener, Larry Waida
Sunday • 7:30 am Kaden Fikac, Michael Fikac, James Novak, Matt Warwas
Sunday • 10:00 am Trey Biediger, James Pooley, Joe Ryan, Kenneth Spann



Our Stewardship

July 19/20, 2025

Count.....	445
Total Operating Income.....	\$ 3,736.00
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