



St. Ignatius of Loyola — Catholic Church —

PARROQUIA DE SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

December 21, 2025
4th Sunday of Advent
(Cuarto domingo de Adviento)

ALL ARE WELCOME!
TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS

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Monday- Thursday
(Lunes-Jueves): 9 AM-8:30 PM
Friday
(Viernes): 9 AM-4:30 PM
Saturday
(Sábado): 10 AM-1 PM

PASTOR'S COLUMN
COLUMNA DEL PASTOR

See inside as Fr. Norbert talks about the Fourth Sunday of Advent.

Vea el interior donde el Padre Norbert habla sobre Cuarto Domingo de Adviento.
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For more information about the Jubilee 2025, visit www.silcc.org/jubilee-2025

4th Sunday of Advent

Cuatro domingo de Adviento



*Don't forget to look for the Advent Scavenger
Hunt image inside.*

*No olvides buscar la imagen de la Búsqueda del Tesoro
de Adviento en el interior.*



FEATURED ITEM (ARTÍCULO DESTACADO)

See inside for our Christmas Eve & Day Mass Schedule on page 14.

Vea adentro nuestro horario de misas de Nochebuena y el día de Navidad en la página 14 y 16.

WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS
OF LOYOLA

PEOPLE
for others



VERY REV. NORBERT MADUZIA JR., E.V. D. MIN.
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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS/ CELEBRACIONES EUCARÍSTICAS

Monday – Friday:

9 AM Daily Mass

Wednesday: 6:45 PM Mass

Saturday: 5:15 PM Mass

Sunday:

7:30 AM Mass

10 AM Mass

12:30 PM Misa

5:15 PM Life Teen Mass

RECONCILIATION/ RECONCILIACIÓN

Wednesday: 5:15 – 6:15 PM and

Saturday: 9:30 – 10:30 AM

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Morning Prayer / Oración de la Mañana:

Weekdays at 8:30 AM in Lady Chapel

Evening Prayer / Oración de la Tarde:

First Fridays of every month, 6:15 PM

Reservation Chapel Hours / Reserva Capilla:

6:30 AM – 9 PM

Please check our website for most recent

schedule. See our live stream Masses via

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PRESIDER SCHEDULE / HORARIO DEL CELEBRANTE

December 27 - 28 Feast of the Holy Family	Saturday/ Sábado 5:15 PM:	Sunday / Domingo 7:30 AM:	Sunday / Domingo 10 AM:	Sunday / Domingo 12:30 PM: Español	Sunday / Domingo 5:15 PM: Life Teen
Presider:	Msgr. Chibuike	Msgr. Chibuike	Msgr. Chibuike	Fr. Luis	Fr. Luis
Homilist:	Chen	Olivier	Glueck	Glueck	Olivier
Deacons:	Chen	Olivier	Glueck	Glueck	Olivier

ParishSoft Online Giving



December 24 Christmas Eve	Wednesday 4 PM Blessing of Crèche	Wednesday 4:30 PM Christus Center	Wednesday 6 PM Español Blessing of the Trees	Wednesday 8 PM Life Teen
Presider:	Fr. Norbert	Msgr. Chibuike	Fr. Luis	Fr. Luis
December 25 Christmas Day	Thursday Midnight Mass Christmas Proclamation			Thursday 10 AM
Presider:	Fr. Norbert, Fr. Luis, & Msgr. Chibuike			Msgr. Chibuike

Mass Intentions/ Intenciones de la Misa

Monday, December 22

9 AM Jose Reyes Cosio (+)

Tuesday, December 23

9 AM James Caire Jr. (+)

Wednesday, December 24

4 PM John Marcon (+)

4:30 PM In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother

6 PM Joshua & Anthony Camacho (LVG)

8 PM For the intercession of St. Carlo Acutis

Thursday, December 25

12 AM Pro Populo

10 AM For All Pregnant Mothers

Friday, December 26

9 AM David Christopher Oehl (LVG)

Saturday, December 27

5:15 PM Diego & Gracia Avila (LVG),

Dwayne & Natasha Freeman (LVG),

Josefina Young, Rosemary & Henry

Brodnick & Cole Larson (+)

Sunday, December 28

7:30 AM Tom Frey Sr. & Tom Frey Jr. (+)

10 AM Pro Populo

12:30 PM Rodolfo Duron Castillo (+)

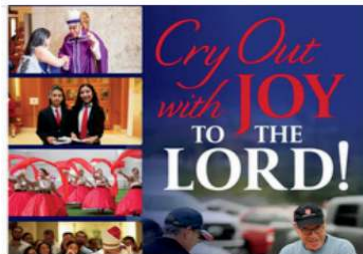
Maria Haydee de Duron (LVG)

5:15 PM Elizabeth Kubis (+)

Second Collection:

January 25th Fund for Latin
America

Financials/ Finanzas



Diocesan Services Fund 2025

Parish Goal \$343,000.00

Total Amount Paid

\$278,225.50

Total Number of Participants

522

Total Number of Households

4,802

Average Participant Pledge

\$498.72

Paid Over (Under) Goal

(\$64,774.50)

Percent Paid 72.00%

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3. Make giving easy by publishing a link to your online giving site via a QR code in your bulletin.

The Development Department at the Downtown Chancery is available to assist your parish and community with these transactions. The Letter of Intent forms, which are necessary to initiate a donation of stock or gift from an IRA, and to allow proper donor identification and gift designation, are available for download from the Archdiocesan-website:

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For inquiries about gifts of stock or from an IRA to Cindi Garcia in the Finance Office at 713-652-8248.

Parish Financial Information

Aug Faith Direct: \$113,152.08

Dec 7th: \$

Dec 14th: \$



PASTOR'S COLUMN

COLUMNA DEL PASTOR



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As we arrive at this Fourth Sunday of Advent, we stand only days away from the wondrous mystery of Christmas. This is always a reflective moment in the season, a pause at the edge of fulfillment. By now we all notice how early night falls. Daylight has grown shorter and the evenings stretch long, reminding us in a very human way that the world still waits for light, still aches for hope. Yet, as believers, we know that this increasing darkness is not the final chapter. In just a few days we will celebrate the birth of the Light of the World, Jesus Christ, who scatters every shadow. Advent assures us year after year that the light will prevail, not because of anything we have done, but because God Himself pierces the night with the radiance of His love.

On Saturday, our campus became a window into that Holy Night as we hosted our annual Christmas Market and Live Nativity in partnership with our friends and neighbors from Christ the Good Shepherd parish. What a grace-filled experience it was to see families walk through our own “Little Town of Bethlehem,” pause in wonder before the manger, and allow their hearts to slow down, even briefly, in the beauty of the moment. Thank you—each and every one of you—who baked, built, stitched, rehearsed, organized, welcomed, tended the animals, or stood for hours in costume so that others could glimpse the world into which Jesus was born. Events like these are not merely nostalgic traditions; they are acts of evangelization, expressions of missionary discipleship that invite our community to encounter Emmanuel—*God with us*.

This title of Jesus, proclaimed once again in today's Gospel, is central to our Advent reflection. The angel tells Joseph that the child conceived in Mary will be called Emmanuel, meaning “God is with us.” At Christmas we celebrate not only the memory of that truth but the ongoing reality of it. God continues to dwell among us. He has not withdrawn into heaven, leaving us to manage on our own; nor has He retreated into the pages of history. Instead, He abides in His Church, speaks in His Word, feeds us in the Eucharist, strengthens us in the sacraments, and walks with us in the people we love and in the people who challenge us. Emmanuel is the living heartbeat of our faith. But naming this reality invites its own questions. If God is truly with us, how do we make room for Him? If Emmanuel is not simply an Advent slogan but a daily promise, what does that require from us as missionary disciples? At its heart, missionary discipleship means allowing the presence of God to shape our choices, soften our hearts, and direct our energies outward in service. It means noticing those around us who walk in their own darkness and carrying light to them. It means speaking kindly in a world quick to criticize, offering forgiveness where resentment would be easier, and extending welcome where others might turn away. Emmanuel comes to dwell within us so that through us He might dwell in the world.

As Christmas approaches, many of you will be traveling to visit family or loved ones. Please know that you go with the prayers of your parish family. May God's holy angels accompany you on every road, through every airport, on every highway, and across every mile. May your journey be safe, your time with family be grace-filled, and your return home be peaceful and full of joy.

For those of you who will be celebrating Christmas here at St. Ignatius, I encourage you to plan ahead. Several of our Christmas Masses fill quickly, and the joyful chaos that accompanies them is part of what makes the feast so beautiful. Christmas would not be Christmas without the sound of babies crying, toddlers squirming, and families squeezing together in pews. The Infant Christ did not enter a silent world—He entered real humanity, noisy and unpolished. When someone ends up sitting in “your” pew this Christmas, I ask you to greet that person with warmth. A smile, a nod, or a gentle word of welcome can be more powerful than you think. Many who come to Christmas Mass have been away for months, years, or even decades. Some arrive with heavy grief, others with deep longing, still others with curiosity or uncertainty. You may be the first face of Christ they encounter. In this season of hospitality, you might be the innkeeper who finally opens the door and offers room for the Holy Family.

As we turn the corner from Advent into Christmas, know of the love and prayers of all who serve you here. Msgr. Chibuike, Fr. Luis, our Deacons, and our entire Lay Ecclesial Staff join me in praying that your Christmas will be filled with the hope, peace, joy, and love that only God can give. May the Word made flesh make His dwelling within your home and your heart. As you place the figure of the Christ Child into your nativity scene, I invite you to pause and offer a prayer for our parish, for those who serve you, and for those who may be spending Christmas alone or in need.

May Emmanuel—God with us—shine in every corner of your Christmas.

Fr. Robert

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

EVENTOS DE ESTA SEMANA

Monday, December 22

Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM

5:30 PM- Christmas Pageant Rehearsal

6:30 PM- Christmas Posada

7 PM- Legion of Mary

Building

Sanctuary

Christus Center

Faber-6

Thursday, December 25

Parish Office Hours: CLOSED

12 AM- Midnight Mass

10 AM- Nativity of the Lord Mass

Sanctuary

Sanctuary

Friday, December 26

Parish Office Hours: CLOSED

9 AM- Morning Mass

Lady Chapel

Tuesday, December 23

Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM

6 PM- Children's Choir Rehearsal

Choir Room

6 PM- AA Meeting

Faber-5

6 PM- In Verbo High School Bible Study

Gonzaga

7 PM- Spanish Choir Rehearsal

Choir Room

Saturday, December 27

Parish Office Hours: CLOSED

9:30 AM- Confessions

Sanctuary

5:15 PM- Evening Mass

Sanctuary

Wednesday, December 24

Parish Office Hours: CLOSED

3:45 PM- Christmas Pageant

Sanctuary

4 PM- Nativity of the Lord Mass

Sanctuary

4:30 PM- Nativity of the Lord Mass

Christus Center

6 PM- Misa Navidad del Señor

Sanctuary

8 PM- Life Teen Mass- Nativity of the Lord

Sanctuary

Sunday, December 28

Parish Office Closed

Nursery at 10 AM & 5:15 PM Mass

Christus Center
Nursery

9:15 AM- Choir Warm Up

Choir Room

12 PM- Spanish Choir Warm Up

Choir Room

4 PM- Life Teen Band Warm Up

Choir Room



WEEK READINGS

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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Sunday, Dec 21, 2025

Oh, what a beautiful morning!

Today we name the Messiah “O Radiant Dawn, Sun of Justice, Splendor of Eternal Light!” Anyone whose morning commute includes a sunrise or who has risen early to watch the sun come up knows why primitive peoples and even our oh-so-sophisticated selves find godliness in a sunrise. At the Easter Vigil we sang “May the Morning Star which never sets find this flame still burning!” While Christmas lights have been shining for weeks, today we can think of them explicitly as a reminder of God’s gift of Light to the waiting world. We remember poet Gerard Manley Hopkins’ wonderful “Oh! at the sight of “God’s grandeur” and this great renewal: “Oh, morning, at the brown brink eastward, springs / Because the Holy Ghost over the bent / World broods with warm breast and with ah! bright wings.”

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT (O RADIANT DAWN)

Isaiah 7:10-14; Romans 1:1-7; Matthew 1:18-24 (10). “O Radiant Dawn, splendor of eternal light, sun of justice: come, shine on those who dwell in darkness.”

Monday, Dec 22, 2025

A real superpower

Remember when we were kids and we used to play king of the hill? It was an important part of our social learning that the strongest among us would dominate. The same game is played out in world politics as nations rise and fall. The story of Christmas reminds us that Jesus is the world’s only real superpower, though the nations play their games of supremacy for a time. History reduces all empires to dust, but the reign of God endures forever. “Christ has dominion over all creatures,” says Doctor of the Church Saint Cyril of Alexandria, “a dominion not seized by violence nor usurped but His, by essence and by nature.” Pay homage to the King of All by humbly serving others as he would.

ADVENT WEEKDAY (O KING OF ALL NATIONS)

1 Samuel 1:24-28; Luke 1:46-56 (198). “O King of all nations and keystone of the Church; come and save man, whom you formed from the dust!”

Tuesday, Dec 23, 2025

Embrace the gift of love

We end our observance of the O Antiphons today with praise for Emmanuel, our savior. “God is not distant: he is ‘Emmanuel,’ God-with-us. He is no stranger: he has a face, the face of Jesus,” proclaims Pope Benedict XVI in his 2010 Christmas address. “This message is ever new, ever surprising, for it surpasses even our most daring hope.” The one who is to come satisfies all of our greatest longings. We need look no further. All our fretting and straining for answers comes to an end with the birth of Christ. Are we ready for such good news? Can we let go of all the things we often think will bring us happiness—money, recognition, power, beauty, health—and embrace the simple, searing gift of love?

ADVENT WEEKDAY (O EMMANUEL)

Malachi 3:1-4, 23-24; Luke 1:57-66 (199). “O Emmanuel, our King and Giver of Law: come to save us, Lord our God!”

Wednesday, Dec 24, 2025

Final preparations

It is no accident that scripture references the birth of John the Baptist on the day before we commemorate the birth of Jesus. John represents the culmination of Jewish prophetic hope for the Messiah, and his birth offers a fitting climax to the Advent season. John’s father, Zechariah, sings praises on the occasion of his son’s birth.

Zechariah’s song, or canticle, is recited daily during the morning prayer of the church’s Liturgy of the Hours. It serves as a lovely closing refrain to the Advent season, our time to prepare for the coming of the Lord. Have you made yourself ready to be guided by God’s compassion “into the way of peace”?

ADVENT WEEKDAY

Morning: 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Luke 1:67-79 (200). “You will go before the Lord to prepare his way.”

Thursday, Dec 25, 2025

Live in the moment of Christmas

Today we celebrate the day God entered God’s own creation by becoming human. How can we authentically honor this day? One way is to notice and truly relish our own experience of being human. So often we hurry through the hours, heedless of the many sensations to be enjoyed. This Christmas may we wake up appreciating the delicious warmth of our beds, the sparkle of our decorations, the aroma of our holiday meals, the laughter of family and friends gathered, the words and music of Christmas liturgy, the taste of the Word made flesh, the glory of the child in the manger, the everlasting embrace of love. At the end of the day, we will know something of what Emily Dickinson meant when she wrote, “To live is so startling it leaves little time for anything else.”

SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)

Night: Isaiah 9:1-6; Titus 2:11-14; Luke 2:1-14 (14); Day: Isaiah 52:7-10; Hebrews 1:1-6; John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14 (16). “Today a Savior is born for us, Christ the Lord.”

Friday, Dec 26, 2025

The power and the glory

Saint Stephen’s Day, commemorating the first Christian martyr, is celebrated the day after Christmas, serving as a reminder that just as the naked cross looms above the empty tomb, so also its shadow falls across the crib—Jesus’ and our own. It is into human experience that the Christ is born, an experience that knows death, violence, and cruelty but a humanity also capable of love so true as to lay down life for a friend. Stephen was “filled with grace and power.” It was a power we often forget we possess. It is the power of love, our greatest gift, that gives us the wisdom and strength to endure the worst that life can bring. How will you use your power in the coming year?

FEAST OF STEPHEN, FIRST MARTYR

Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Matthew 10:17-22 (696). “Stephen, filled with grace and power, was working great wonders and signs among the people.”

Saturday, Dec 27, 2025

Lend an ear

When we receive a piece of news, often our first impulse is to think, “I can’t wait to tell ... !” We are social creatures, hardwired to live in community with other people, sharing our sorrows and our joys. Moreover, sharing has mathematical properties: It divides and multiplies. When we share bad news, our burden is lessened, and when we share good news, our happiness increases. Of course, the reverse is also true: When we don’t have someone with whom to share our stories, sorrows increase and joys are diminished. As Saint Teresa of Calcutta once observed, “Loneliness is the most terrible poverty.” Who do you know to be lonely? Take time to listen to their good news.

FEAST OF JOHN, APOSTLE, EVANGELIST

1 John 1:1-4; John 20:1a, 2-8 (697). “We are writing this so that our joy may be complete.”



Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

Wednesday, December 24 Christmas Eve

3:45 PM Christmas Pageant

4 PM Mass in English (Nursery will be available.)

4:30 PM Mass in English (Christus Center)

6 PM Misa en español con incienso

8 PM LifeTeen Mass in English

NO 9 AM Mass, 5:15 PM Confessions, or 6:45 PM Mass

Thursday, December 25 Christmas

12 AM Midnight Mass in English with incense

10 AM Mass in English with incense

Please note that both of these celebrations are Holy Days of Obligation.

Tenga en cuenta que ambas celebraciones son Días de Precepto.

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Wednesday, December 31

4:15 PM Mass in English

NO 5:15 PM Confessions, or 6:45 PM Mass

Thursday, January 1

9 AM Mass in English with incense

11 AM Misa en español con incienso

Blessing of a Nativity Scene

Use this prayer from the Book of Blessings to bless your family Nativity Scene:

God of every nation and people, from the very beginning of creation you have made manifest your love: when our need for a Savior was great you sent your Son to be born of the Virgin Mary. To our lives he brings joy and peace, justice, mercy and love. Lord, bless all who look upon this manger; may it remind us of the birth of Jesus and raise our thoughts to him who is God-with-us and Savior of all, and who reigns forever and ever. Amen.

Bendición del Nacimiento Navideño

Utiliza esta oración del Bendicional para bendecir el belén de tu familia:

Oh Dios, Padre nuestro, que tanto amaste al mundo que nos has entregado a tu único Hijo Jesús, nacido de la Virgen María, para salvarnos y llevarnos de nuevo a ti, te pedimos que con tu bendición estas imágenes del nacimiento nos ayuden a celebrar la Navidad con alegría y a ver a Cristo presente en todos los que necesitan nuestro amor. Te lo pedimos por Jesús, tu Hijo amado, que vive y reina por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

Blessing of a Christmas Tree

Use this prayer from the Book of Blessings to bless your family Christmas Tree:

Lord our God, we praise you for the light of creation: the sun, the moon, and the stars of the night. We praise you for the light of Israel: the Law, the prophets, and the wisdom of the Scriptures. We praise you for Jesus Christ your Son: he is Emmanuel, God-with-us, the Prince of Peace, who fills us with the wonder of your love. Lord God, let your blessing come upon us as we illumine this tree. May all who delight in this tree come to the knowledge and joy of salvation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bendición del Árbol de Navidad

Utiliza esta oración del Bendicional para bendecir el árbol de Navidad de tu familia:

Bendito seas, Señor y Padre nuestro, que nos concedes recordar con fe en estos días de Navidad los misterios del nacimiento de Jesucristo. Concédenos, a quienes hemos adornado este árbol y lo hemos embellecido con luces, vivir también a la luz de los ejemplos de la vida santa de tu Hijo y ser enriquecidos con las virtudes que resplandecen en su santa infancia. Gloria a él por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

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Andel Grayson Garrido Iman
Jude Elliot Garrido Iman
Noelle Riley Garrido Iman
Sophia Gabrielle Dumadag
Ngueyn



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In Memoriam

Othello Gibson, son of Jeff & Kiki Carroll

Jesus Gamboa Castillo, grandfather of Viri Gamboa

Patricia Johnson, mother of Sando & Sandi Johnson

Priscille Curayag, mother of Anna Fennell

Robert Benz

Information for Sacraments

Información para los sacramentos

See page 11 to learn more about Infant Baptisms, Becoming Catholic, First Communion, Youth & Adult Confirmation, Matrimony, & Vocations.

Consulte la página 17 para obtener más información sobre bautismos infantiles, hacerse católico, primera comunión, confirmación de jóvenes y adultos, matrimonio y vocaciones.

Tabella

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Mass Intentions/ Intenciones para la Misa

Perpetual Intentions/ Intenciones Perpetuas

Offered monthly at the 5:15 PM Mass on the first Saturday. Names are recorded in a special book but not announced or printed. These intentions have no end date. *Se ofrecen el primer sábado del mes a las 5:15 PM. El nombre se registra en un libro especial pero no se anuncia ni publica. No tienen fecha de finalización.*

Daily Intentions/ Intenciones Diarias

You choose the date and time. Names appear in the bulletin and may be mentioned at Mass. One intention per Mass. *Usted elige la fecha y hora. El nombre aparece en el boletín y puede mencionarse en Misa. Una intención por Misa.*

Non-Specified Date/ Sin Fecha Específica

Mass offered privately by a priest (e.g., on retreat or pilgrimage). You won't be notified of date/time. *La Misa se ofrece en privado (ej. en retiro o peregrinación). No se notificará la fecha ni la hora.*

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Thank You!

The Outreach team would like to extend their appreciation to all of you for the many ways in which you assisted those in most need this year. Thanks to your compassion and generous giving of your time, talent, and treasure, the lives of many families in our community have received God's Graces!

May the peace of Our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of Mary and Joseph fill your hearts with joy, Merry Christmas!



FOR I WAS HUNGRY, AND YOU FED ME. I WAS THIRSTY, AND YOU GAVE ME A DRINK. I WAS A STRANGER, AND YOU INVITED ME INTO YOUR HOME. I WAS NAKED, AND YOU GAVE ME CLOTHING. I WAS SICK, AND YOU CARED FOR ME. I WAS IN PRISON, AND YOU VISITED ME.'

MATTHEW 25: 35-36

BLESSED 2026



ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

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Volunteer with our teaching team!
Training available & you do not need to be bilingual.

- We need teachers and assistants.
- Time commitment is 2-hour classes, 2 days per week.

REGISTER HERE:
REGISTRESE AQUI:



CLASES DE INGLÉS
Las clases comienzan el 26 de enero del 2026.
Disponibilidad AM y PM.
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Contact Martina:
esol@silcc.org

Food Distribution Centers Near You

To find the nearest Food Bank and request food assistance, visit this website below and enter your zip code:

houstonfoodbank.org/find-help/find-food

Centros de Distribución de Alimentos

Para encontrar el banco de alimentos más cercano y solicitar ayuda de alimentos, visite el siguiente sitio web e ingrese su código postal:

houstonfoodbank.org/find-help/find-food

HELPLINES & RESOURCES		PHONE #	WEBSITE - INFO
Suicide Hotline	Lifeline 24 Hours	Dial 9-8-8	988LifeLine.org
Alcoholics Anonymous	Call Jay	713-501-7638	Meets Tuesdays 6 PM, Faber 5
Citizenship Eucation	Bonding Against Adversity	281-799-9076	BaaTexas.org
Counseling, Individual/Youth/Family	Rejoice Counseling	844-295-3167	MyParishCounseling.com/silcc
Food, Clothing, Rent/Utilities Assistance	Northwest Assistance Ministry	281-583-5600	NamOnline.org
Job Search	Work Faith	713-936-9052	WorkFaith.org
Mental Health & Recovery Referrals	Mosaics of Mercy	346-703-0051	MosaicsTX.org
Mental Health Support for Families	National Alliance on Mental Illness	833-983-1919	NamiGreaterHouston.org
Rental/Utilities Assistance and More	United Way	Dial 2-1-1	UnitedWayHouston.org

FAITH FORMATION

FORMACIÓN DE FE

Early Childhood Center, Early Childhood, Elementary, Junior High, High School, Young Adults, & Adult Formation ~ Centro de Educación Infantil, Educación Infantil, Primaria, Secundaria, Preparatoria, Jóvenes Adultos y Formación de Adultos

St. Ignatius of Loyola Early Childhood Center Kindergarten Information Session



Join us for an information session to explore our program. We'll cover:

- Learning goals
- Faith formation
- Benefits of small class sizes

Date: January 23, 2026
Time: 10:00 am
Location: Sexton Hall

STEPS FOR STUDENTS 5K RUN/WALK • VALENTINE'S DAY 2026 •

Play and Grow Fundraiser

We will take part in Steps for Students 5K again this year to support our Play and Grow Project – our goal is to improve our outdoor space with enhancements and a garden for our students to learn, play, and grow.

TO SUPPORT US:
SCAN ME!



Middle School/EDGE MIXTAPE & BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays 6-7:30 PM

All middle schoolers welcome! Enjoy time with friends & dive into a mini-Bible study. Make sure and bring a friend! Join us in the Upper Room. See you there!

For information contact: Matt Zelinsky at 281-290-4639 or mzelinsky@silcc.org



Please join us for our Youth Ministries Parent Meeting on Sunday, January 18!
Junior High Parents 3:30-5 PM in Sexton Hall.
High School Parents 6:30-8:30 PM in Sexton Hall.

Spring Ministry overview, Summer Ministry preview, Parent Formation workshop! See you there!

High School/Life Teen IN VERBO BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays 6-7:30 PM

All high schoolers are welcome! Join us as we meet upstairs in the Gonzaga Building for our weekly bible study. See you there!

For information contact: Matt Zelinsky at 281-290-4639 or mzelinsky@silcc.org



FIRST COMMUNION INTERVIEWS

First Communion is a two-year process. Children/teens must have completed last year's Faith Formation and be enrolled this year to attend a 20-minute interview for immediate sacrament preparation.



<http://bit.ly/45S6R7o>

Questions? Please contact children@silcc.org or 281-290-4618.



Save the Date!

Please join us for our upcoming
Catechist Gathering

on January 17, 2026 from 9 AM to 11 AM in Sexton Hall.

Let's come together to meet, learn, share, and grow in our ministry. Your presence is important!

PLEASE
RSVP -->



<http://bit.ly/4acCr1Q>

(All Elementary Catechists, Youth Ministry Small Group Leaders, and Adult Formators are invited!)

WWW.SILCC.ORG/FORMATION

GROW YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS & US

CRECE TU RELACIÓN CON JESÚS Y NOSOTROS

www.silcc.org/formation



Christmas Posada

December 22
From 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM
In the Christus Center

A posada is a Catholic Mexican celebration where people re-enact Mary and Joseph looking for a place to stay before Jesus was born. There will be singing, processions, prayers — and yes, usually snacks and piñatas. Please, join us!

You are welcome to bring a dish for 15-20 people based on your last name.

A-H - Vegetables (salads, corn, potatoes, green bean, etc.)
I-N - Side Dish (mac n' cheese, beans, rice etc.)
O-Z - Meat (Pizza, chicken, fish, casseroles, beef, tamales, etc.)

For more information please contact: Edgar Barroso
ebarroso@silcc.org



OUR ADULT CONFIRMATION JOURNEY WILL BEGIN FEBRUARY 2026

WE NEED EXTRA HANDS AND HEARTS TO SUPPORT WEEK TO WEEK.

THIS MINISTRY IS ALL ABOUT WALKING WITH ADULTS WHO ARE RETURNING TO THEIR FAITH OR DISCOVERING IT AGAIN.

HELP WANTED!



Please contact Edgar Barroso
ebarroso@silcc.org or 281-290-4608

Sacraments

INFANT BAPTISM

Parents must register for the required baptism class. Godparents are encouraged to attend. Our next class is November 15, from 9 AM to noon, Register at: silcc.org/infant-baptism

FIRST COMMUNION

For Elementary children please contact: children@silcc.org or 281-290-4618.
For Junior High & High school teens please contact: Deacon Joe Wright at jwright@silcc.org or 281-290-4613.

CONFIRMATION

High School:
Is your teen in High School? Has your teen attended 2 full years of High School Formation? Would your teen like to be confirmed? For additional information please contact Deacon Joe Wright at jwright@silcc.org or 281-290-4613.
Adults:
For information please contact: Edgar Barroso at ebarroso@silcc.org or 281-290-4608.

MARRIAGE

The first step is to attend a Marriage Orientation Session, held in English on the fourth Sunday of the month in the Faber Building. To reserve your spot, call 346-290-7610 or visit silcc.org/matrimony.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

For more information on becoming Catholic:

Ages 7 - 17 years old:
Please contact children@silcc.org or 281-290-4618.

Ages 18 and older:
Please contact Edgar Barroso at ebarroso@silcc.org or 281-290-4608.
You may also visit: silcc.org/becoming-catholic

VOCATIONS

For information about upcoming programs for those discerning religious vocations as a priest, deacon, or religious sister, please contact vocations@silcc.org

It's not too late!
Register for
Formation below:

Elementary

Age 4 - 5th Grade



For information please contact: 281-290-4618 or children@silcc.org

Middle School & High School

6th - 12th Grade



For information please contact: Matt Zelinsky at 281-290-4639 or mzelinsky@silcc.org

Volunteer with us

Are you interested in being a Catechist for Elementary Formation or helping in our office?
Please scan the QR Code



For information contact: children@silcc.org or 281-290-4618

COMMUNITY



Monthly Council Meeting: Third Tuesday of each month. Join your Brother Knights for a light dinner at 6:15 PM; meeting starts at 7 PM.

Online Updates: At www.kofc10861.org and www.facebook.com/knig.10861.
Prayer List: Email PrayerList@kofc10861.org to be added to our prayer list.



Outreach Garage Sale: SAVE THE DATES!!!!

Donations Accepted:
Sun, Jan. 25, 2026 9 AM - 5 PM
Mon, Jan. 26, 2026 9 AM - 5 PM

For more details about the event and what donations are accepted please visit:
www.silcc.org/yearly-projects



Christmas Flowers Donation:

As we approach Christmas, please don't forget to use your "Christmas Flower Donation" envelopes to assist us in providing a beautiful display of flowers through the Christmas Season. If you can't find your Christmas Flower envelope, or are visiting, or new, you may use the form below to make your donation. If paying with check, please write in the memo "Christmas Flowers." Please clearly print your request below.

Name: _____

Envelope #: _____

Check # or Cash: _____

Flowers in memory/honoring:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____



Our Parish office will be closed from Wednesday December 24th - Saturday December 27th and will reopen Monday, December 29th at 9 AM.

Our Parish office will be closing Wednesday, December 31st at 4 PM and will be closed thru Friday, January 2nd. Our Office will reopen Saturday January 3rd at 10 AM.

Save the Date

Women's ACTS W14 Retreat
February 19-22, 2026
Circle Lake Retreat Center

Registration after all Masses
January 10/11 & 17/18, 2026
\$50 deposit, \$250 per person
financial aid available
more information - email acts@silcc.org

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with
Fr. Richard McNeillie



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Retreat Center
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Houston, TX 77091

Time
5pm (Friday)
to 11am (Sunday)



PARENT SURVIVAL KIT

January 9th
7 PM

Feeling overwhelmed as a parent in today's world? You're not alone and you don't have to figure it out alone either.

TOPIC: TRUTH IN LOVE: GUIDING YOUR CHILDREN THROUGH SAME-SEX ATTRACTION & TRANSGENDER QUESTIONS

7 PM IN ENGLISH AT CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD

7 PM IN SPANISH HERE AT ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA

Join us after for our small group Break out sessions
Dates & Times:

- January 14th- 7PM at St. Ignatius of Loyola
 - In English in Christus Center
 - In Spanish in Sexton Hall
- For Youth in Upper Room

High school students and older are welcome to attend both the main presentation and the breakout session



FREE Infant - 5th Grade Childcare available on Jan. 9th & 14th
(No Registration required)

Cub Scout Pack 1325

Offers adventures for boys in kindergarten through fifth grade. Our year is full of fun activities, camping, outdoor skills and leadership opportunities. We meet at St. Ignatius on Monday nights 6-7:30 PM. For more information, contact our Pack leaders at cubscouts@silcc.org

Matachines Practice

We invite you to join our Matachines dance group. We meet on Fridays at 7 PM in McGivney Hall.

American Heritage Girls

AHG is a Christ centered scouting program building women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country. Girls can earn badges in areas of interest as diverse as outdoor skills, the arts, science and technology, and more. For more information contact

Americanheritagegirls@silcc.org



Legion of Mary

Please join us every Monday at 7 PM in Faber 6 to pray the Holy Rosary and the prayer of Our Lady, the Magnificat "Catena Legionis". Legion of Mary is a Catholic organization that exists for the glory of God through the holiness of its members. It involves praying and working within our parish community as we support the loving work of Christ's Church. Activities include acts of prayer and mercy.





WINE TASTING DINNER

FEATURING AMERICAN WINES
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 10861

SATURDAY JAN. 17, 2026, 6:30 PM
ST. IGNATIUS CHRISTUS CENTER






<https://kofc10861.square.site/wine-event-2026>



PARISH WIDE EVENT

EVENTO PARROQUIAL

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Queridos hermanos,

Al llegar a este Cuarto Domingo de Adviento, nos encontramos a pocos días del maravilloso misterio de la Navidad. Este es siempre un momento de reflexión en esta época del año, una pausa antes de la plenitud. A estas alturas, todos notamos cómo anochece más temprano. Los días se han acortado y las noches se alargan, recordándonos de una manera muy humana que el mundo aún espera la luz, que anhela la esperanza. Sin embargo, como creyentes, sabemos que esta creciente oscuridad no es el final. En tan solo unos días celebraremos el nacimiento de la Luz del Mundo, Jesucristo, quien disipa toda sombra. El Adviento nos asegura año tras año que la luz prevalecerá, no por nada que hayamos hecho, sino porque Dios mismo ilumina la noche con el resplandor de su amor.

El sábado, nuestro campus se convirtió en una ventana a aquella Noche Santa al celebrar nuestro Mercado Navideño anual y Belén Viviente, en colaboración con nuestros amigos y vecinos de la parroquia Cristo Buen Pastor. Fue una experiencia llena de gracia al ver a las familias recorrer nuestra propia "Pequeña Ciudad de Belén", detenerse con asombro ante el pesebre y permitir que sus corazones se aquietaran, aunque solo fuera por un instante, ante la belleza del momento. Gracias a todos y cada uno de ustedes que hornearon, construyeron, cosieron, ensayaron, organizaron, dieron la bienvenida, cuidaron de los animales o permanecieron durante horas disfrazados para que otros pudieran vislumbrar el mundo en el que nació Jesús. Eventos como estos no son meras tradiciones nostálgicas; son actos de evangelización, expresiones de discipulado misionero que invitan a nuestra comunidad a encontrarse con Emmanuel: *Dios con nosotros*.

Este título de Jesús, proclamado una vez más en el Evangelio de hoy, es fundamental para nuestra reflexión de Adviento. El ángel le dice a José que el niño concebido en María se llamará Emmanuel, que significa «Dios está con nosotros». En Navidad celebramos no solo el recuerdo de esta verdad, sino también su realidad presente. Dios continúa habitando entre nosotros. No se ha retirado al cielo, dejándonos solos para que nos las arreglemos por nuestra cuenta; ni se ha quedado relegado a las páginas de la historia. Al contrario, permanece en su Iglesia, habla a través de su Palabra, nos alimenta en la Eucaristía, nos fortalece en los sacramentos y camina con nosotros en las personas que amamos y en quienes nos desafían. Emmanuel es el latido vivo de nuestra fe. Pero nombrar esta realidad plantea sus propias preguntas. Si Dios está verdaderamente con nosotros, ¿cómo le hacemos espacio? Si Emmanuel no es simplemente un lema de Adviento, sino una promesa diaria, ¿qué exige esto de nosotros como discípulos misioneros?

En esencia, el discipulado misionero significa permitir que la presencia de Dios moldee nuestras decisiones, ablande nuestros corazones y dirija nuestras energías hacia el servicio a los demás. Significa fijarnos en quienes nos rodean y caminan en la oscuridad, y llevarles luz. Significa hablar con amabilidad en un mundo propenso a la crítica, ofrecer perdón donde sería más fácil el resentimiento y brindar acogimiento donde otros darían la espalda. Emmanuel viene a habitar en nosotros para que, a través de nosotros, habite en el mundo.

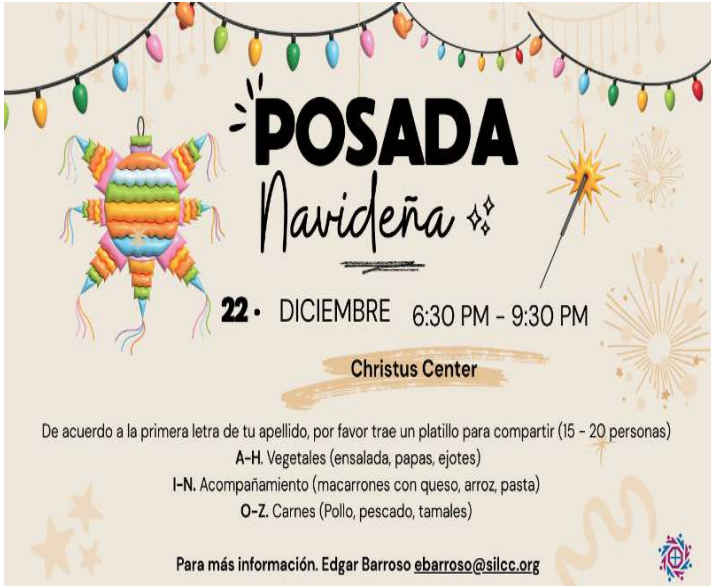
Al acercarse la Navidad, muchos de ustedes viajarán para visitar a sus familiares y seres queridos. Sepan que cuentan con las oraciones de su comunidad parroquial. Que los santos ángeles de Dios los acompañen en cada camino, en cada aeropuerto, en cada carretera y en cada kilómetro recorrido. Que su viaje sea seguro, que el tiempo que pasen con su familia esté lleno de bendiciones y que su regreso a casa sea tranquilo y lleno de alegría.

Para quienes celebrarán la Navidad aquí en San Ignacio, les animo a planificar con anticipación. Varias de nuestras misas de Navidad se llenan rápidamente, y el alegre bullicio que las acompaña es parte de lo que hace que esta festividad sea tan hermosa. La Navidad no sería Navidad sin el llanto de los bebés, los niños pequeños inquietos y las familias apiñadas en las bancas. El Niño Jesús no nació en un mundo silencioso; nació en la humanidad real, ruidosa e imperfecta. Si alguien se sienta en "su" banca esta Navidad, les pido que reciban a esa persona con calidez. Una sonrisa, un gesto amable o una palabra de bienvenida pueden ser más poderosos de lo que imaginan. Muchos de los que asisten a la Misa de Navidad han estado ausentes durante meses, años o incluso décadas. Algunos llegan con un profundo dolor, otros con una gran añoranza, y otros con curiosidad o incertidumbre. Ustedes pueden ser el primer rostro de Cristo que encuentren. En esta época de hospitalidad, ustedes pueden ser el posadero que finalmente abre la puerta y ofrece un lugar a la Sagrada Familia.

Al pasar del Adviento a la Navidad, sepan que cuentan con el cariño y las oraciones de todos los que les servimos aquí. Monseñor Chibuike, el Padre Luis, nuestros diáconos y todo nuestro personal laico se unen a mí en la oración para que su Navidad esté llena de la esperanza, la paz, la alegría y el amor que solo Dios puede dar. Que la Palabra hecha carne habite en sus hogares y en sus corazones. Al colocar la figura del Niño Jesús en su pesebre, los invito a hacer una pausa y ofrecer una oración por nuestra parroquia, por quienes les sirven y por quienes quizás pasen la Navidad solos o en necesidad.

Que Emmanuel —Dios con nosotros— ilumine cada rincón de su Navidad.

Fr. Mark



POSADA Navideña

22 • DICIEMBRE 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Christus Center

De acuerdo a la primera letra de tu apellido, por favor trae un platillo para compartir (15 - 20 personas)

- A-H. Vegetales (ensalada, papas, ejotes)
- I-N. Acompañamiento (macarrones con queso, arroz, pasta)
- O-Z. Carnes (Pollo, pescado, tamales)

Para más información. Edgar Barroso ebarroso@silcc.org



FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

FIESTA DE LA SAGRADA FAMILIA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27TH
5:15 PM MASS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28TH
7:30 AM MASS
10:00 AM MASS
12:30 PM MISA EN ESPAÑOL
5:15 PM LIFETEEN MASS



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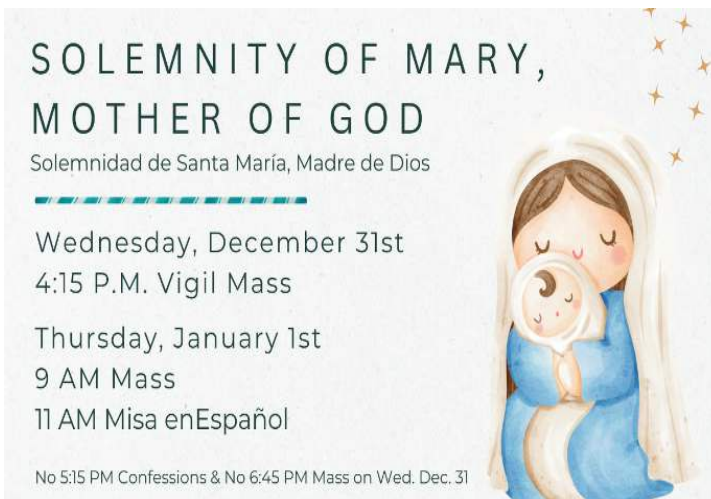
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Caminando Con Mamás y Papás

Outreach ofrece una reunión mensual para familias con bebés y niños pequeños, para compartir apoyo emocional, espiritual y práctico, a través del acompañamiento de mentores, grupos de amistad y recursos.

Os damos las gracias, madres heroicas, por vuestro amor invencible!

Para participar regístrate aquí:

Para obtener más información sobre cómo ser un mentor en este ministerio, llame o envíe un mensaje de texto al 281-290-4606.



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Puede comprar la comida caliente en un restaurante o prepararla en nuestra cocina comercial de San Ignacio. Se entregará en 821 Peakwood Dr, Houston, TX 77090 antes de las 11 a. m. Para programar su donación mensual, contáctenos de inmediato por correo electrónico: homeless@silcc.org or text 281-290-4606



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Visita: MyCatholicWill.com/ArchGH

MyCatholicWill

Práctica de Matachines

Te invitamos a unirte a nuestro grupo de baile de Matachines, nos reunimos los viernes a las 7 PM en el McGivney Hall.



BAUTISMO INFANTIL

Ambos padres deben asistir a la sesión obligatoria. Para obtener más información e inscribirse, visite silcc.org/en-mx/infant-baptism, escriba a Edgar Barroso a infantbaptism@silcc.org o llame al 281-290-4608.



PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Para niños de 7 años a grado 5, contacte a children@silcc.org o al 281-290-4618. Para adolescentes de grado 6 a 12, contacte al Diácono Joe Wright en jwright@silcc.org o al 281-290-4613.



CONFIRMACIÓN

Confirmación para jóvenes: comuníquese con el Diácono Joe Wright en jwright@silcc.org o al 281-290-4613. Confirmación para adultos: comuníquese con Edgar Barroso en ebarosso@silcc.org o al 281-290-4608.



PARA SER CATÓLICO

De 7 a 17 años: comuníquese con Dcn. Joe Wright en jwright@silcc.org o al 281-290-4613. Mayores de 18 años: Comuníquese con Edgar Barroso ebarosso@silcc.org o visite silcc.org/es-mx/becoming-catholic



MATRIMONIO

Para todas las parejas, el primer paso en la preparación matrimonial en nuestra parroquia es inscribirse y participar en la Sesión de Orientación Matrimonial, que se ofrece el cuarto domingo de cada mes en el Edificio Faber. Para reservar su lugar en la Orientación Matrimonial, comuníquese con la Coordinadora del Sacramento del Matrimonio al 346-290-7610 o visite silcc.org/es-mx/matrimony para obtener más información.



VOCACIONES

¿Te llama Dios? Envía un correo electrónico a vocations@silcc.org para más información sobre los próximos programas para quienes buscan vocaciones religiosas como sacerdote, diácono o religiosa.

Domingo, Dec 21, 2025

¡Oh, qué hermosa mañana!

Hoy nombramos al Mesías "Oh Amanecer Radiante, Sol de Justicia, Esplendor de la Luz Eterna!" Todos aquellos a quienes el viaje por las mañanas de todos los días incluye la salida del sol o quienes se las han ingeniado para levantarse temprano por el propósito urgente de ver salir el sol sabe por qué la gente primitiva y hasta nuestros seres tan sofisticados encuentran devoción en una salida del sol. En la Vigilia de Pascua cantamos "Que la Estrella de la Mañana que nunca sale encuentre esta flama ardiendo todavía!" Aunque las luces de Navidad han estado brillando por semanas, hoy podemos pensar en ellas explícitamente como un recordatorio del don de la Luz de Dios para el mundo que espera. Recordamos al poeta Gerard Manley Hopkins maravilloso "¡Oh!" ante la vista de "la grandeza de Dios" y esta gran renovación: "Oh, mañana, en el borde café hacia el este, surges / Ya que el Espíritu Santo cubre la inclinación / el Mundo anida con senos calientes y ah! con alas brillantes."

CUARTO DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO (OH AMANECER RADIANTE)

Isaías 7:10-14; Romanos 1:1-7; Mateo 1:18-24 (10). "Oh Amanecer Radiante, esplendor de la luz eternal: sol de justicia: ven, brilla sobre aquellos que moran en la oscuridad."



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