



# St. Ignatius of Loyola — Catholic Church —

PARROQUIA DE SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

**March 1, 2026**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**  
(Segundo domingo de  
cuaresma)

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**  
**TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS**

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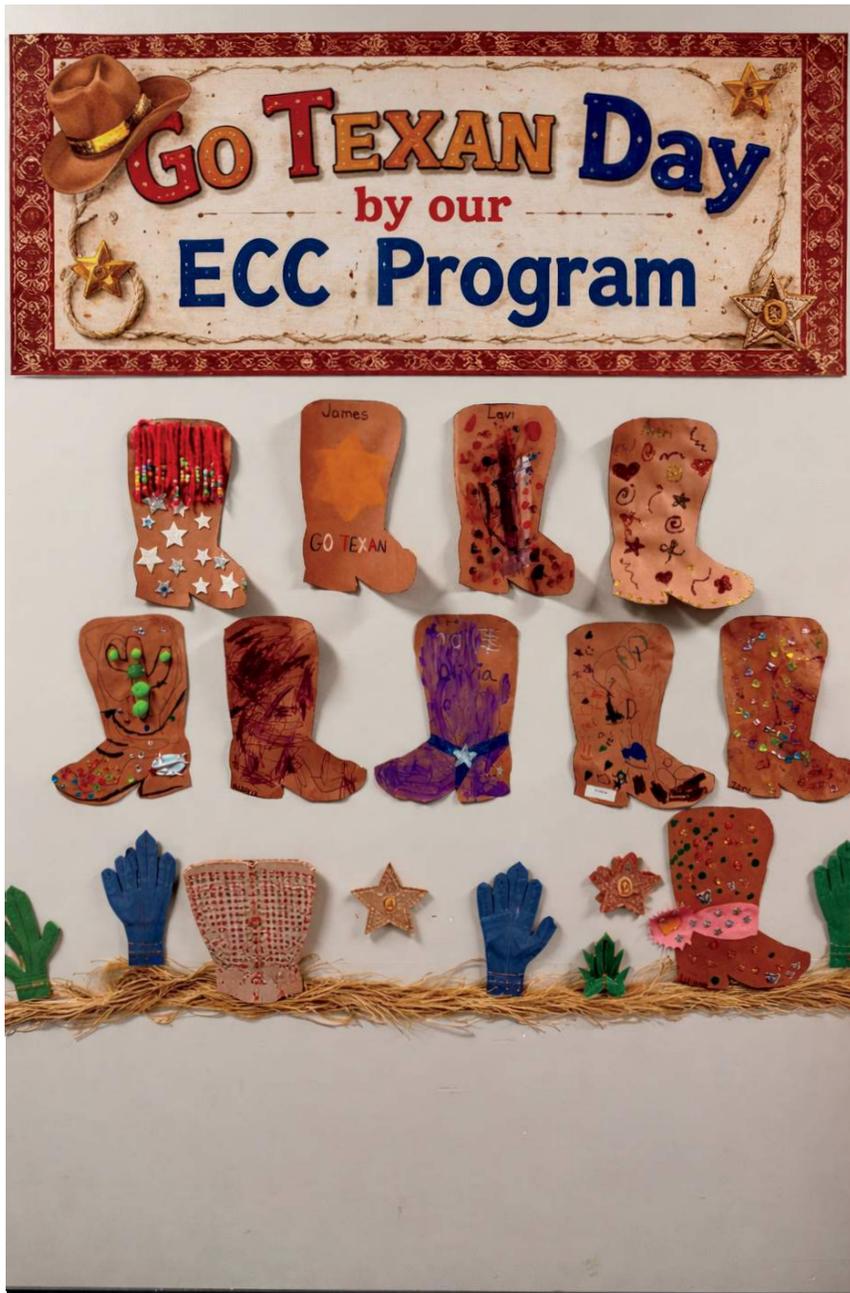
**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**  
**HORARIO DE LA OFICINA**  
**PARROQUIAL**

**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 PÁRROCO**

See inside as Fr. Norbert talks  
about DSF and our Lenten Parish  
Mission.

Vea en el interior mientras el  
Padre Norbert habla sobre habla  
sobre DSF y nuestra Misión  
Parroquial de Cuaresma.  
Pg. 4 & 15 (Español)



## FEATURED ITEM (ARTÍCULO DESTACADO)

Join us for our Lenten Fish Fry on Fridays during Lent from 5-7 PM in McGivney Hall for delicious fish plates, tasty sides, and fellowship with our parish community! See inside for more details. Pg 12

¡Acompáñenos a nuestro Fish Fry de Cuaresma los viernes de Cuaresma de 5-7 PM en el McGivney Hall para disfrutar de deliciosos platillos de pescado, ricos acompañamientos y un tiempo de convivencia en comunidad! Vea el interior para más detalles. Pg 16



WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS  
OF LOYOLA

PEOPLE  
for others



VERY REV. NORBERT MADUZIA JR., E.V. D. MIN.  
PASTOR



RT. REV. MSGR CHIBUIKE ONYEAGHALA, PH.D.  
PAROCHIAL VICAR



FR. LUIS ARMAS  
PAROCHIAL VICAR

# PARISH STAFF

PERSONAL PARRQUIAL

### CLERGY/ CLERO

DCN. BILLY CHEN	PERMANENT DEACON
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RON SVOBODA	PARISH DIR. OF OPERATIONS
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EDGAR BARROSO	PASTORAL ASSOCIATE FOR FORMATION AND EVANGELIZATION (FORMATION FOR ADULT & FAMILIES)
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VIRODIANA GAMBOA	ASSOCIATE DIR. OF FORMATION FOR CHILDREN & THEIR FAMILIES
NATASHA FAIRCLOTH	ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR FOR FORMATION

### LITURGY & SACRAMENTS/ LITURGIA Y SACRAMENTOS

KARLA JACKSON	PASTORAL ASSOCIATE OF WORSHIP
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SAMANTHA MONTALBANO	COORDINATOR OF LITURGY & SACRAMENTS

### SOCIAL SERVICES/ SERVICIOS SOCIALES

ASCENCIÓN AMADO DIRECTOR OF OUTREACH

### 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 Facebook, YouTube, & Parish Website./ Consulte nuestro sitio web para ver el horario más reciente. Vea nuestras misas en vivo por Facebook, YouTube y el sitio web de la parroquia.*

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# PRESIDER SCHEDULE / HORARIO DEL CELEBRANTE

March 7-8th 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent	Saturday/ Sábado 5:15 PM:	Sunday/ Domingo 7:30 AM:	Sunday/ Domingo 10 AM: (1 <sup>st</sup> Scrutiny)	Sunday/ Domingo 12:30 PM: Español	Sunday/ Domingo 5:15 PM: Life Teen
Presider:	Fr. Luis	Fr. Luis	Fr. Norbert	Msgr. Chibuike	Fr. Norbert
Homilist:	Fr. Luis	Fr. Luis	Fr. Norbert	Msgr. Chibuike	Fr. Norbert
Deacons:	Wright	Hunter	Wright	Glueck	Olivier



## PARISHSOFT GIVING

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## Mass Intentions/ Intenciones de la Misa

### Monday, March 2

9 AM Lila White (LVG)

### Tuesday, March 3

9 AM Peter Wallick (+)

### Wednesday, March 4

9 AM John & Sheryl Roth (LVG)

6:45 PM Adela Garcia (+)

### Thursday, March 5

9 AM Norbert Maduzia, Sr. (+)

### Friday, March 6

9 AM Camp Mystic - Heaven's 27  
Families (LVG) & (+)

### Saturday, March 7

5:15 PM Perpetual Mass

### Sunday, March 8

7:30 AM Isabel Vargas (+)

10 AM Pro Populo

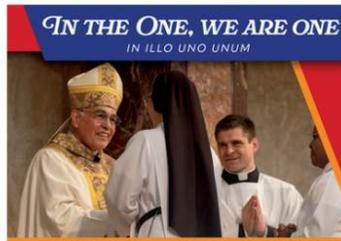
12:30 PM Matthew Yanes (+)

5:15 PM Mary Cynthia Neis (LVG)

**Second Collection:**

**Catholic Relief Services: April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

## Financials/ Finanzas



### Diocesan Services Fund 2026

**Parish Goal** \$364,490.00

**Total Amount Paid**

\$42,958.50

**Total Number of Participants**

129

**Total Number of Households**

4,802

**Average Participant Pledge**

\$333.01

**Paid Over (Under) Goal**

(\$321,531.50)

**Percent Paid** 11.00%

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### IRA Charitable Distributions

1. Gifts from an IRA, Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCD), are popular forms of end-of-year giving for those 70 1/2 or older. A donor can make a gift directly from their IRA to the parish which can result in a reduction in annual taxes owed. Gifts to the parish alone can be mailed directly to the parish.
2. Gifts of appreciated stock allow donors to make an impact to the mission of the church and avoid capital gains on the appreciated shares that are donated to a qualified charity. A donor must complete a stock letter of intent.

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:

[www.archgh.org/ways-to-give](http://www.archgh.org/ways-to-give).

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

### Parish Financial Information

**Oct Online Giving:** \$99,218.93

**Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>:** \$21,526.50



# PASTOR'S COLUMN

## COLUMNA DEL PASTOR

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In recent weeks we began a careful reflection on the sacred structure of the Mass. I look forward to returning to that series shortly, but before doing so, several important matters invite our shared attention as a parish family. Two weeks ago we inaugurated the 2026 Diocesan Services Fund. Last week's column was providentially replaced by the letter of Archbishop Vasquez, whose pastoral voice reminds us that we never live our faith in isolation. This year's theme, *"In the One, We are One,"* expresses something essential about Catholic life. Our unity is rooted not in preference, personality, or convenience, but in Christ Himself. By Baptism we are incorporated into the One who binds us together — the Lord Jesus. We are not merely individuals who share beliefs; we are members of His Body. The Diocesan Services Fund flows from this reality. As missionary disciples, our faith must always expand beyond the boundaries of personal spirituality. The Archdiocese is not an abstraction. It is the concrete expression of the Church's life in this region — forming seminarians, educating future priests and deacons, sustaining Catholic schools, supporting evangelization, caring for the poor, assisting struggling parishes, and providing pastoral ministries none of us could sustain independently. Participation in the DSF, therefore, is not an optional gesture of generosity for a few, but an expression of ecclesial responsibility for all. Every baptized Catholic shares in the Church's mission. The question is not whether we are involved, but how consciously and faithfully we live that involvement. To contribute is to acknowledge that the Church's work is also *my* work, that the Church's mission is also *my* mission. When we give, we act as members of one Body. We strengthen ministries we may never personally see, yet which remain essential to the life of the Church. In this way, stewardship becomes an act of faith — a concrete declaration that the Church's vitality matters, that evangelization matters, that the formation of future generations matters.

Within our parish family, we also pause with gratitude. On February 16th, Juan Velasquez concluded thirty years of faithful service in our facilities and maintenance department. For three decades, Juan's quiet dedication sustained the physical environment that shapes our worship and hospitality. In his farewell message, Juan wrote: "I leave with a heart full of gratitude for the years we have shared... The experiences, challenges, accomplishments, and friendships built over these decades have meant more to me than words can fully express." His words reveal the beauty of Christian service. Much of what makes parish life possible happens behind the scenes, often unnoticed yet indispensable. Clean spaces, prepared environments, and well-maintained facilities are not merely practical concerns. They create the conditions in which prayer and community flourish. We give thanks for Juan's reliability, generosity, and years of labor. Please keep him in your prayers as he enters this new season of life. Retirement is not simply an ending, but a transition into another way of living God's call.

As Lent approaches, the Church again invites us to widen our hearts through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. In recent years our Lenten sacrifices have supported communities of significant need, including our collaboration with the Catholic Extension Society in El Flaco, Texas. This year, our outreach turns toward the Catholic Diocese of Little Rock, Arkansas. Though geographically near, the pastoral realities there differ greatly. It is a mission diocese marked by rural regions, widely scattered Catholic communities, limited resources, and parishes often serving vast territories. Many Catholics there live their faith with remarkable devotion amid challenges we may rarely encounter — fewer clergy, long distances, and economic hardship. Our almsgiving becomes a tangible expression of solidarity with the wider Church. Last weekend you received a cardboard church or envelope, a humble reminder that even modest sacrifices, united across a parish, become instruments of grace. We are blessed that Father Jeff Hebert, one of our own parishioners, now serves in the Diocese of Little Rock. He will join us on Palm Sunday weekend to share how our prayers and sacrifices will assist the Church where he ministers. This connection beautifully reflects the unity we profess.

Finally, thank you for your prayers during my recent pilgrimage to the Holy Land. That land remains sacred yet deeply wounded. The overwhelming majority of Christians there are Palestinian, and many endure profound hardship within present political realities. They need our prayers, awareness, and compassion. As we journey through Lent, may we remember our extended family in Arkansas, our brothers and sisters in the Patriarchate of Jerusalem, and all who struggle to live the faith amid adversity. May this holy season deepen our baptismal identity, strengthen our unity, and renew our commitment to serve the Lord present in one another.

With gratitude for your faith and your willingness to grow together,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Fr. Hebert".

# THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

## EVENTOS DE ESTA SEMANA

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### Monday, March 2

#### **Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM**

9 AM- Early Childhood Center	Gonzaga
10 AM- Lay Missionaries of Charity Adoration	Reservation Chapel
11 AM- Lay Missionaries of Charity Meeting	Faber-3
6 PM- Cub Scout- Den Meeting	Gonzaga
6:30 PM- ESOL Class 2	Xavier-16
6:30 PM- Ignatian Workout for Lent	Faber-3 & 5
7 PM- Legion of Mary	Faber-6
7 PM- Wonder	Faber-8
7:30 PM- Small Group Bible Study	Faber-3

### Tuesday, March 3

#### **Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM**

9 AM- Early Childhood Center	Gonzaga
9:30 AM- St. Joseph Altar Cookie Baking	Christus Center
10 AM- ESOL Class 3	Xavier-15
10 AM- ESOL Class 4	Xavier-16
10 AM- ESOL Class 5	Xavier-11
1 PM- Senior Friends Board Meeting	Xavier-16

#### **6:30 PM- Lenten Penance Service**

**@ Prince of Peace**

### Wednesday, March 4

#### **Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM**

9 AM- Early Childhood Center	Gonzaga
10 AM- Craft Guild	Xavier- Crafts
10 AM- Abide in Me- Ignatian Prayer Program	Faber-8
10 AM- No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk through Christ's Passion	Xavier-12
1 PM- Women's Club Board Meeting	Xavier-13
4:45 PM- EC/ Elementary Faith Formation	Gonzaga
6:30 PM- Adult Basic Spanish Class	Xavier-11
6:30 PM- ESOL Class 2	Xavier-16
6:30 PM- St. Joseph Altar Meeting	Xavier-12
6:45 PM- Adult Confirmation Class	Faber-5
7:30 PM- Life Teen Band Rehearsal	Choir Room
7:30 PM- Youth Confirmation Class	Gonzaga

### Thursday, March 5

#### **Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 8:30 PM**

9 AM- Early Childhood Center	Gonzaga
9:30 AM- St. Joseph Altar Cookie Baking	Christus Center
9:30 AM- Women's Thursday Book Club	Faber-3
10 AM- ESOL Class 3	Xavier-15
10 AM- ESOL Class 4	Xavier-16
10 AM- ESOL Class 5	Xavier-11
10:30 AM- Walking with Moms & Dads	Xavier- Nursery
7 PM- Parent Survival Kit Series- en español	Prince of Peace

### Friday, March 6

#### **Parish Office Hours: 9 AM - 4:30 PM**

9 AM- Early Childhood Center	Gonzaga
<b>10 AM- Exposition of Blessed Sacrament</b>	<b>Reservation Chapel</b>
<b>5 PM- Lenten Fish Fry</b>	<b>McGivney Hall</b>
<b>6:15 PM- Evening Prayer &amp; Benediction</b>	<b>Reservation Chapel</b>
<b>7 PM- Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
<b>8 PM- Via Crucis</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>

### Saturday, March 7

#### **Parish Office Hours: 10 AM - 1 PM**

8 AM- Encuentro Cuaremal Ministerio Hispano	McGivney Hall
8 AM- Knights of Columbus Bible Study	Xavier-16
9 AM- Filipino Ministry Basketball	Sexton Hall Court
9 AM- SOS Mission In service for post mission	Xavier-14
9 AM- ACTS W14 Pentecost Reunion	Christus Center
10:30 AM- Citizenship Classes	Xavier- 11, 15, & 16

### Sunday, March 8

#### **Parish Office Closed**

#### **Nursery at 10 AM & 5:15 PM Mass**

Donut Social after 7:30 AM, 10 AM, & 12:30 PM Masses	Christus Center
9:15 AM- Choir Warm Up	Choir Room
12 PM- Spanish Choir Warm Up	Choir Room
1:30 PM- SOS Mission Clinic & Team Leaders	Xavier-15
3:30 PM- Middle School EDGE Faith Formation	Gonzaga
3:30 PM- EC/ Elementary Faith Formation	Gonzaga
4 PM- Life Teen Band Warm Up	Choir Room
6:30 PM- High School Life Teen Faith Formation	Gonzaga

# WEEK READINGS

## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

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### Sunday, Mar 01, 2026

#### The three-tent solution

Saint Peter's idea at the Transfiguration charms us with its reasonableness. When blessed with the sturdy foundation of the law of Moses, the strong prophetic tradition of Elijah, and the kindly ministry of Jesus, why not build an institution that encompasses all three? Peter's plan wasn't faulty, because the church does honor all these roads to truth in its scripture. But Peter's architectural model envisioned these men as leaders of equal merit. God, the voice that speaks from the cloud, clearly differentiates between the three, calling Jesus alone "Beloved Son." The paths of law and prophecy both lead at last to Jesus.

#### SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

*Genesis 12:1-4a; 2 Timothy 1:8b-10; Matthew 17:1-9 (25). "If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah."*

### Monday, Mar 02, 2026

#### This, too, is almsgiving

The word alms literally means mercy, so we might think of our charitable giving as mercy in action. We give relief to the poor without conditions: Not because they have earned it, but simply because they need it and we have it. As Dorothy Day used to say, we cannot discriminate between the "deserving" and "undeserving" poor. In the same way, we are called upon to forgive those who cause offense or injury to us. We don't forgive others because they have made themselves worthy of forgiveness, but simply because they need it. And once again, we are the ones who "have" forgiveness to give, because we have been shown mercy first by the God of mercy.

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY

*Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38 (230). "Forgive and you will be forgiven."*

### Tuesday, Mar 03, 2026

#### You've got this!

It's not hard when you're a parent to inflict authority on your children—and it can be the same with bosses, principals, pastors, and others in leadership roles. We don't mean to do it; it just sort of happens. It's the model for "being in charge" that we inherited. The problem is that it doesn't seem to work. What if we turned it around and served the goodness that is already in our kids and others entrusted to our care? Praise for the good things people do is a more powerful tool than criticism. "Kind words can be short and easy to speak," says Saint Mother Teresa, "but their echoes are truly endless." A good discipline for Lent might be to lay off the tsking and scolding and concentrate on encouragement.

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY

*Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Matthew 23:1-12 (231). "The greatest among you must be your servant."*

### Wednesday, Mar 04, 2026

#### The lowly path to greatness

The mother of the apostles James and John doted on her sons and demanded the best for them, the way most parents would. Yet she soon learns that sharing the glory of Jesus means sharing his sacrifice as well. We are not to "be served but to serve," Jesus tells his disciples; not to grab for the brass ring but for the polishing cloth of a slave. Service and humility pave the path to greatness. "For leadership there is only one road: service," says Pope Francis,

"There is no other way." A lesson we'd do well to remember and to pass along to the next generation.

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY

*Jeremiah 18:18-20; Matthew 20:17-28 (232). "Command that these two sons of mine sit, one at your right and the other at your left, in your kingdom."*

### Thursday, Mar 05, 2026

#### Do more with less

Common Lenten practices include donations to the poor (which coincides nicely with spring cleaning) or service to those in need. In either case, if you're debating on what to give away or just what you should do, consider this compelling insight from Saint Basil the Great: "The bread which you do not use is the bread of the hungry; the garment hanging in your wardrobe is the garment of the naked; the shoes which you do not wear are the shoes of one who is barefoot; the money that you keep locked away and do not need is the money of the poor; the acts of charity that you do not perform are so many injustices that you commit." Time to clean out those closets.

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY

*Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31 (233). "There was a rich man .... lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus."*

### Friday, Mar 06, 2026

#### Get the message

Many times in scripture we hear of messengers being mistreated—beaten and killed or, in the case of Joseph, sold into slavery by his brothers. What is it about messengers that we are afraid of? It's true that sometimes the message they carry is painful—at first. Yet the truth always has the potential to set us free. As these readings reveal, all types of people can be messengers. This Lent, be aware of the many messengers you encounter in the course of a day. Can you be open to their message, no matter how uncomfortable initially? Remember the words of Nelson Mandela: "The brave man is not he who does not feel afraid, but he who conquers that fear."

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY; DAY OF ABSTINENCE

*Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46 (234). "The Kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."*

### Saturday, Mar 07, 2026

#### Don't answer pain with pain

One of the hardest things our faith asks us to do is forgive others, especially when they have really hurt us. Shouldn't I be angry, hold a grudge, and maybe even retaliate? Isn't that what the person who hurt me deserves? Isn't that what our current culture promotes? But Jesus calls us to love our enemies, to pray for those who persecute us. He's not asking us to be doormats, but he is asking us to stop the spiral of damage one hurt can cause when we return pain for pain. Why? Because God forgives us. How can we refuse to let go of a hurt when God has let go of so many hurtful things we have done? Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, we pray.

#### LENTEN WEEKDAY

*Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32 (235). "The Lord is kind and merciful."*

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In collaboration with Prince of Peace and St. Anne,  
St. Ignatius of Loyola celebrates our

## LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

**Tuesday, March 3, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM at Prince of Peace**

Other Area Penance Services

Thursday, March 12, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM at St. Mary Magdalene

Thursday, March 26, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM at St. Edward

**No 5:15 PM Confessions at St. Ignatius  
on Wednesday, March 4 or Wednesday, March 18**

During Lent, in preparation for the Sacred Paschal Triduum, we will chant the Lord's Prayer in Latin.

Use the QR code or the link below to practice the *Pater Noster* at home.



<https://bit.ly/pater--noster>

*Durante la Cuaresma, en preparación para el Triduo Pascual Sagrado, cantaremos el Padrenuestro en latín.*

*Utilice el código QR o el enlace de arriba para practicar el Pater Noster en casa.*

## Anointing of the Sick

We invite those who are seriously ill, suffering from infirmities of age, or undergoing surgery for a serious condition to receive the Sacrament.

**Thursday, March 5 at 9 AM Mass**

Please come early to register.

## HOLY HOUR FOR PEACE

**Friday, March 13**

**5:30 PM - 6:30 PM**

Join us in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament in the Reservation Chapel.

## HORA SANTA POR LA PAZ

**el viernes, 13 de marzo**

**5:30 PM - 6:30 PM**

Acompáñenos en oración ante el Santísimo Sacramento en la Capilla de la Reservación.

## EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT

### Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

following **9 AM Mass** continuing through the day in the **Reservation Chapel** concluding with **Evening Prayer & Benediction at 6:15 PM**

**Sign up at the Welcome Center in the Narthex.**

## Stations of the Cross

Every Friday in Lent  
7 PM in the Church

## Via Crucis

Cada Viernes en Cuaresma  
8 PM en la Iglesia

## JOIN US FOR HOLY WEEK!

**Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion,  
March 29**

On this day, the Church recalls the entrance of Christ the Lord into Jerusalem to accomplish his Paschal Mystery. We celebrate by carrying palm branches in procession and proclaiming the Passion of the Lord.



## ¡ÚNETE A NOSOTROS PARA LA SEMANA SANTA!

**Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor  
el 29 de marzo**

En este día la Iglesia recuerda la entrada de Cristo nuestro Señor a Jerusalén para consumar su Misterio Pascual. Lo celebramos llevando ramas de palma en procesión y proclamando la Pasión del Señor.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ANUNCIOS



### Looking to Volunteer or become a part of a Ministry in the Parish?

*¿Buscas ser voluntario o formar parte de un ministerio parroquial?*

All participants in the Archdiocese of Galveston- Houston are required to be Safe Environment Trained. Register to take the online 1.5 hour course for FREE.

*Todos los participantes de la Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston deben estar capacitados en entornos seguros. Regístrate para tomar el curso en línea de 1.5 horas GRATIS.*

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- *Agrega St. Ignatius Catholic Church.*
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To Register or update your Family Information. Scan the QR Code or visit [galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com](http://galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com)



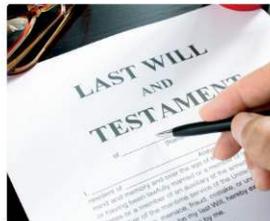
### Únete a nuestra parroquia

Para registrar o actualizar su información familiar, escanee el código QR o visite [galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com](http://galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com)



### Welcome Newly Baptized

Sklyar Elizabeth Garcia  
Piper Josephina McCorkle  
Ryan Sloan McCorkle  
Zoey Arden Reames  
Cherry Francis Harvey  
Alan Martinez  
Charlotte Anne Carrizales  
Alicia Rodriguez  
William Gadiel Reyes  
Jorge Carlos Sanchez, Jr.



### Last Will & Testament



Write your last Will & Testament for FREE, courtesy of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. Go to: [MyCatholicWill.com/ArchGH](http://MyCatholicWill.com/ArchGH)

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### In Memoriam

Priscilla I. Curayag, *mother of Anna Fennell*  
Frank Moore, *husband of Susan Moore*  
Mona Turner, *wife of Rand Turner*  
Ernestina Santos, *wife of Frank Santos*  
Ronald Wisnoski  
Margaret Ellen Huffstetter, *sister of Clare Nonmacher*

### 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

Download our Parish App Tabella text Spring to 844-799-0148

*Descargue nuestra aplicación parroquial y envíe un mensaje de texto con la palabra Spring al 844-799-0148*



### 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.*

Request at the parish office or online:

*Solicite en la oficina parroquial o en línea:*

[silcc.org/mass-intention-request](http://silcc.org/mass-intention-request)



Ascención Amado  
Director of Outreach



email (correo electronico): [outreach@silcc.org](mailto:outreach@silcc.org)

call/text (llamar o enviar un mensaje de texto): 281-290-4606

**EASTER HELP FOR THE HOMELESS**  
AT MAGNIFICAT HOUSES  
& HOPE CENTER

**500**

**care packages**  
will be distributed,  
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- \***TOILETRIES** -personal size  
(body wash, soap, lotion, toothpaste,  
toothbrushes, deodorant, combs, lip balm)
- \***SNACKS /JUICE** -individually packed
- \***LARGE FOOD CANS** for Hope Center

**BRING DONATIONS TO**  
THE NARTHEX OR  
PARISH OFFICE.



TO SHOP ONLINE FOR DIRECT  
DELIVERY TO THE PARISH OFFICE,  
YOU MAY SCAN THE QR CODE  
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[a.co/iAQiQS7](http://a.co/iAQiQS7)

For more information email: [homeless@silcc.org](mailto:homeless@silcc.org)



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Cordially invites all persons with disabilities and their families & friends to our...

**GAME NIGHT & DINNER**

Play Bingo, win prizes, and enjoy a meal together!

**SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2026**

**Bingo Starts at 3:30 PM**

**Dinner Served at 6:00 PM**

**St. Ignatius -McGivney Hall**

For more information email [grace@silcc.org](mailto:grace@silcc.org)



**KAISER**  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

13430 Bammel N. Houston  
Road Klein, TX 77066

**CAREER DAY**

Friday, March 13, 2026



SCAN HERE TO  
READ MORE  
DETAIL AND  
TO REGISTER.

Each year, Kaiser Elementary invites St. Ignatius parishioners, and other community collaborators, to visit with students and share all about you and your career. This is an opportunity to share hope and inspire a child's heart!

*Bits of Peace*

**Wednesdays 12 - 12:30 PM**  
No registration required, join any day!

12 Weekly  
Virtual  
Sessions  
through  
May 13th

Open to everyone interested in practicing skills and attitudes that lead to a simple process of self-care and community care!  
For more details contact Ascención at [281-290-4606](tel:281-290-4606)

**FOOD DRIVE** EVERY DAY

"NAM FOOD" boxes are located in the Narthex or outside the Outreach Office.

**ITEMS MOST NEEDED:**

- \*Non-perishable Proteins, \*Wholegrain Pasta,
- \*Beans & Rice, \*Canned Fruits & Vegetables,
- \*Cereals, \*Canned Soups, \*Water

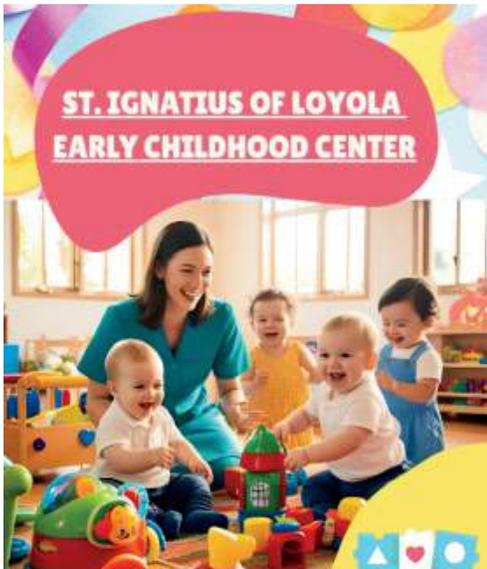
For More Information Text or Call! [281-290-4606](tel:281-290-4606)

COMMUNITY CARE RESOURCES		PHONE #	WEBSITE - INFO
Suicide Hotline	Lifeline 24 Hours	Dial 9-8-8	<a href="http://988LifeLine.org">988LifeLine.org</a>
Alcoholics Anonymous	Call Jay	713-501-7638	<a href="#">Meets Tuesdays 6 PM, Faber 5</a>
Citizenship Education	BAA	281-799-9076	<a href="http://BaaTexas.org">BaaTexas.org</a>
Counseling, Individual/Youth/Family	Rejoice Counseling	844-295-3167	<a href="http://MyParishCounseling.com/silcc">MyParishCounseling.com/silcc</a>
Food, Clothing, Rent/Utilities Assistance	NAM	281-583-5600	<a href="http://NamOnline.org">NamOnline.org</a>
Job Search	Work Faith	713-936-9052	<a href="http://WorkFaith.org">WorkFaith.org</a>
Mental Health & Recovery Referrals	Mosaics of Mercy	346-703-0051	<a href="http://MosaicsTX.org">MosaicsTX.org</a>
Mental Health Support for Families	NAMI	833-983-1919	<a href="http://NamiGreaterHouston.org">NamiGreaterHouston.org</a>
Rental/Utilities Assistance and More	United Way	Dial 2-1-1	<a href="http://UnitedWayHouston.org">UnitedWayHouston.org</a>
Same-sex Attraction Support for Adults	Courage-Archdiocese	713-659-5461	<a href="http://archgh.org/courage">archgh.org/courage</a>

# FAITH FORMATION

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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**

**Now Enrolling for 2026-2027**

*A Bright Beginning for Your Child!*

Secure your child's spot at our Early Childhood Center! Registration for the 2026-2027 school year has started!

**Why Choose Us**

- Catholic Formation
- Licensed Center
- Small Class Size
- Learning That Inspires
- Music & Movement
- Spanish enrichment for Ages 2+

*Limited Spots Available!*

**Flexible Options for Families**  
2-Day, 3-Day, or 5-Day Programs Available  
After-Care Offered

**Who We Serve**  
Open to children 8 months-5 years old  
(Child must be age-eligible by September 1, 2026)

For more information:  
Donna Quiambao  
281-290-4616  
dquiambao@silcc.org  
www.silcc.org/ecc

## Shadow Stations

**Good Friday, April 3, 2026**  
Experience the Stations of the Cross  
Performed by St. Ignatius Youth Ministry  
@ 8pm in the Christus Center

Shadow Stations  
Volunteer Sign-Up:




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

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA *Youth Ministries*

## 11TH ANNUAL CRAWFISH BOIL

**SATURDAY, APRIL 25**  
**FROM 12-4 PM IN THE**  
**CHRISTUS CENTER**

# SPONSORS

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**Silver - \$500**

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- Logo on Banner, Bulletin, Social Media, & Slide Show

For more information please contact  
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mzelinsky@silcc.org

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[www.silcc.org/formation](http://www.silcc.org/formation)

## Children's Liturgy of the Word Ministry

You are cordially invited to join us for an important meeting and training session to support our vibrant Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) ministry!

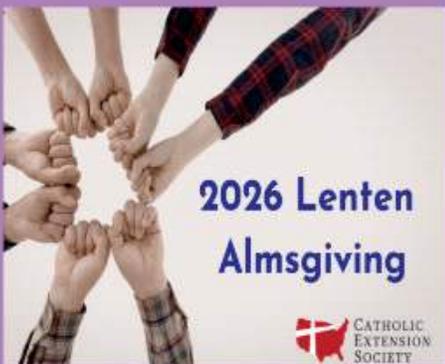
### Meeting Details:

Wednesday, March 04

6 PM to 7 PM in Sexton Hall

Our goal is to build a strong, confident team of ministers for our children.

Please RSVP to  
Viridiana Gamboa by  
Sunday, February 22  
at 281-290-4618 or  
[vgamboa@silcc.org](mailto:vgamboa@silcc.org)



## 2026 Lenten Almsgiving



IN PARTNERSHIP WITH CATHOLIC EXTENSION THIS LENTEN SEASON 2026, OUR PARISH COMMUNITY IS SUPPORTING A VITAL MISSION.

SEMINARIAN EDUCATION AND PRIESTS IN THE DIOCESE OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.

YOUR EFFORTS WILL HELP THE MEN WHO ARE ANSWERING GOD'S CALL TO SERVE AS PRIESTS IN ONE OF THE MOST MISSIONARY DIOCESES IN OUR COUNTRY.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS LENTEN ACTIVITY PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW.



## Sacraments

### Infant Baptism

Parents must register for the required baptism class. Godparents are encouraged to attend.

Register at: [silcc.org/infant-baptism](http://silcc.org/infant-baptism)

### First Communion

For Elementary children please contact

Viridiana Gamboa:

[vgamboa@silcc.org](mailto:vgamboa@silcc.org) or 281-290-4618.

For Junior High & High School teens please contact Deacon Joe Wright:

[jwright@silcc.org](mailto:jwright@silcc.org) or 281-290-4613.

### Confirmation

Youth:

Is your teen in High School and have they attended 2 full years of High School Formation? Please contact Deacon Joe Wright at [jwright@silcc.org](mailto:jwright@silcc.org) or 281-290-4613.

Adults:

For information please contact Edgar Barroso at [ebarroso@silcc.org](mailto: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. For information please contact

Samantha Montalbano:

[smontalbano@silcc.org](mailto:smontalbano@silcc.org) or 281-290-4630.

### Becoming Catholic

Ages 7 to 17 years old:

Please contact [children@silcc.org](mailto:children@silcc.org) or 281-290-4618.

Ages 18 and older:

Please contact Edgar Barroso at [ebarroso@silcc.org](mailto:ebarroso@silcc.org) or 281-290-4608.

You may also visit:

[silcc.org/becoming-catholic](http://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](mailto:vocations@silcc.org)

## CATECHIST EVENING AT THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

& Knights of Columbus  
Lenten Fish Fry



As we journey through Lent, let's take a moment to pause and pray together.



We will start with fellowship at 6 PM in McGivney Hall at the Lenten Fish Fry dinner, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, followed by the Stations of the Cross at 7 PM in the church.

For additional information, please contact Edgar Barroso at 281-290-4608 or [ebarroso@silcc.org](mailto:ebarroso@silcc.org).

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5. Type in "St. Ignatius of Loyola" and select our parish (located at 7810 Cypresswood Dr. Spring, TX) from the options presented.
6. Click "Submit"
7. Enjoy all the wonderful resources Formed has to offer!

# COMMUNITY



**Knights of Columbus Council 10861:**  
**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.  
**COR Meeting:** Saturday, March 7, 14, and 28, 8 AM in Xavier Hall, Room 16. Learn more about our Catholic faith with Dcn. Mike Higgins and Ed Masson.  
**Lenten Fish Fry:** Friday, March 6, 13, 20, and 27, 5-7 PM, McGivney Hall.  
**Online Updates:** At [www.kofc10861.org](http://www.kofc10861.org) and [www.facebook.com/knights10861](https://www.facebook.com/knights10861).  
**Prayer List:** Email [PrayerList@kofc10861.org](mailto:PrayerList@kofc10861.org) to be added to our prayer list.

## Easter flowers

As we approach the holy days of Easter, please don't forget to use your "Easter Flower Donation" envelope to assist us in providing a bountiful display of flowers throughout the Easter Season. Since Easter lasts for seven weeks before Pentecost, flowers need to be replaced as they wilt. If you can't find your Easter Flower envelope, or are visiting, or new, you may use the form below to make your donation. If paying by check, please write in the memo "Easter Flowers." Donations may also be made by ParishSoft Giving.



**Please print clearly:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Envelope #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Flowers in memory/honoring:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**Check # or Cash:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Women's Club:

All women of the parish (age 18 and older) are invited to attend our Women's Club Meeting on March 17th in the Christus Center. Our guest speaker will give a presentation on Women's Health. Our social begins at 6:30 PM and our meeting begins at 7 PM. You may bring a refreshment item to share with the group. Feel free to wear green since it is St. Patrick's Day. Come join us for an evening of fun and fellowship.

Knights of Columbus Council #10861

**GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER**

09:30AM REGISTRATION  
11:00AM SHOTGUN START

Scan QR code to sign up!

**MAY 11TH, 2026**

Individual	\$135
Foursome	\$520
Putting Contest	\$10
Raffle Ticket	\$5 Ea / 4 for \$20

**NORTHGATE COUNTRY CLUB**  
17110 NORTHGATE FOREST DR HOUSTON, TEXAS 77068

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS	EVENT TIMES
Award Ceremony Sponsor \$1500 <small>Includes foursome</small>	9:30 - 10:45 AM Golf Registration & Lite Breakfast
Registration Sponsor \$1200 <small>Includes foursome</small>	10:00 - 10:45 AM Putting contest
Beverage Sponsor \$1000 <small>Includes foursome</small>	11:00 AM - 3:45 PM Shotgun Start
Hole Sponsor w/ foursome \$850	4:00 - 5:00 PM Awards Ceremony with Burger Buffet
Hole Sponsor \$350	

Deadline to Register April 28th, 2026

For payments via cash or check contact Norbert Grijalva, FS (281) 743-0446 | ngrijalva@aol.com



# LENTEN FISH FRY

PRESENTED BY: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 10861

FRIDAYS DURING LENT FROM 5-7PM IN MCGIVNEY HALL:  
MARCH: 6, 13, 20, & 27

## MENU

**FISH OPTIONS:** FRIED CATFISH, FRIED COD, BAKED TILAPIA

**SIDE OPTIONS:** FRENCH FRIES, HUSH PUPPIES, CORN, GREEN BEANS, COLE SLAW, MAC & CHEESE

**PRICING**

- 2 Pieces of Fish Plate & 3 sides (\$15)
- 1 Piece of Fish Plate & 3 sides (\$13)
- 1 Piece Child's Fish Plate & 2 sides (\$10)
- Gumbo (\$5)



ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA CATHOLIC CHURCH

# ST. JOSEPH ALTAR

SAT. MARCH 14 2026 | 5:15 PM  
MASS

MASS IS FOLLOWED BY OUR TRADITIONAL CELEBRATION OF ST. JOSEPH ALTAR IN THE CHRISTUS CENTER

ALL DONATIONS BENEFIT SILCC OUTREACH MINISTRY




## SENIOR FRIENDS

### HELLO SENIORS!!!

Please join us for the March 11 Senior Friends Meeting in McGivney Hall. Coffee and visiting will begin at 9:30 and the meeting will start at 10 AM. Have a enjoyable morning with us. Information on trips will be available. New members are always welcome. Hope to see YOU!!!



### 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](mailto: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.



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

## Parent SURVIVAL Kit

Explore how to guide your child through the challenges and opportunities of the digital age with confidence and faith. Part of the Parent Survival Kit series—sponsored by Rejoice Counseling—this program offers practical strategies and spiritual insights to help families build healthy online habits. Available year-round in English and Spanish at local parishes.

10 March

When Your Child Is Hurting: Facing Depression, Anxiety, and Suicidal Thoughts Together

7 PM English at St. Ignatius of Loyola



For more information visit [www.silcc.org/parent-survival-kit](http://www.silcc.org/parent-survival-kit)

## Become a Lay Pastoral Visitor



CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN CORPS

Tuesdays, 10 am–1 pm Prince of Peace 19222 Tomball Parkway, Houston, TX 77070 Dates: Aug 11, Aug 25, Sept 8 & Jan TBD	Thursdays, 10 am–1 pm St. Dominic Village 2403 Holcomb Blvd, Houston, TX 77021 Dates: Aug 13, Aug 27, Sept 11 & Jan TBD
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Todos los Viernes de Cuaresma

## Fridays of Lent



Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Following 9 AM Mass. Concluding with evening prayer & benediction at 6:15 PM.

Exposición y Adoración del Bendito Sacramento: Después de la Misa de las 9 AM. Concluyendo con la oración vespertina y la bendición a las 6:15 PM (ingles)



Stations of the Cross: 7 PM in English  
Via Crucis: 8 PM EN ESPAÑOL

**CRAWFISH BOIL**

**SILENT  
AUCTION IS  
LOOKING FOR  
DONATIONS**

**SAT., APRIL 25  
12-4 PM  
IN CHRISTUS CENTER**



**WHAT ARE WE  
LOOKING FOR:**

**What We're Looking For:**  
**Themed Gift Baskets:** From gourmet treats to spa relaxation sets, your unique gift baskets will be a crowd favorite. **Exclusive Experiences:** Gift cards, concert tickets, or spa days, anything that offers a memorable experience! **Special Items:** New products, unique memorabilia, or anything that will excite our guests!

**Why Donate?**

Showcase your business or ministries to a dedicated audience. Make a meaningful impact by supporting Youth Ministries. Your donation will be recognized at the event and in promotional materials. **How to Donate:** Please drop off your donations at the Drop-Off Closet for Youth Ministries.

**MORE DETAILS ON OUR WEBSITE**

**[WWW.SILCC.ORG/CRAWFISH-BOIL](http://WWW.SILCC.ORG/CRAWFISH-BOIL)**

**WE NEED  
YOU**

**BE SURE TO  
HAVE ALL ITEMS  
SUBMITTED BY  
MONDAY, APRIL  
20TH.**





Queridos hermanos,

En las últimas semanas, iniciamos una cuidadosa reflexión sobre la estructura sagrada de la Misa. Espero retomar esta serie en breve, pero antes de hacerlo, varios asuntos importantes requieren nuestra atención conjunta como familia parroquial. Hace dos semanas inauguramos el Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos 2026. La columna de la semana pasada fue providencialmente reemplazada por la carta del Arzobispo Vásquez, cuya voz pastoral nos recuerda que nunca vivimos nuestra fe de forma aislada. El tema de este año, "En el Uno, Somos Uno", expresa algo esencial de la vida católica. Nuestra unidad no se basa en preferencias, personalidades ni conveniencias, sino en Cristo mismo. Por el Bautismo nos incorporamos a Aquel que nos une: el Señor Jesús. No somos simplemente individuos que comparten creencias; somos miembros de su Cuerpo. El Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos surge de esta realidad. Como discípulos misioneros, nuestra fe siempre debe expandirse más allá de los límites de la espiritualidad personal. La Arquidiócesis no es una formación de ideas generales o conceptos. Es la expresión concreta de la vida de la Iglesia en esta región: la formación de seminaristas, la educación de futuros sacerdotes y diáconos, el sostenimiento de las escuelas católicas, el apoyo a la evangelización, el cuidado de los pobres, la asistencia a las parroquias en dificultades y la provisión de ministerios pastorales que ninguno de nosotros podría sostener de forma independiente. Por lo tanto, la participación en el DSF no es un gesto opcional de generosidad para unos pocos, sino una expresión de responsabilidad eclesial para todos. Todo católico bautizado comparte la misión de la Iglesia. La cuestión no es si participamos, sino cuán consciente y fielmente vivimos esa participación. Contribuir es reconocer que la obra de la Iglesia es también mi obra, que la misión de la Iglesia es también mi misión. Al dar, actuamos como miembros de un solo Cuerpo. Fortalecemos ministerios que quizá nunca veamos personalmente, pero que siguen siendo esenciales para la vida de la Iglesia. De esta manera, la administración se convierte en un acto de fe: una declaración concreta de que la vitalidad de la Iglesia sí importa, que la evangelización sí importa y que la formación de las futuras generaciones sí importa.

Dentro de nuestra familia parroquial, también hacemos una pausa con gratitud. El 16 de febrero, Juan Velásquez cumplió treinta años de fiel servicio en nuestro departamento de instalaciones y mantenimiento. Durante tres décadas, su discreta dedicación sostuvo el ambiente físico que define nuestro culto y hospitalidad. En su mensaje de despedida, Juan escribió: «Me voy con el corazón lleno de gratitud por los años que hemos compartido... Las experiencias, los desafíos, los logros y las amistades forjadas durante estas décadas han significado para mí, más de lo que las palabras pueden expresar». Sus palabras revelan la belleza del servicio cristiano. Gran parte de lo que hace posible la vida parroquial ocurre detrás de escena, a menudo de forma inadvertida, pero indispensable. Espacios limpios, entornos preparados e instalaciones bien mantenidas no son meras preocupaciones prácticas. Crean las condiciones para que la oración y la comunidad prosperen. Damos gracias por la confiabilidad, la generosidad y los años de trabajo de Juan. Por favor, ténganlo presente en sus oraciones al comenzar esta nueva etapa de su vida. La jubilación no es simplemente un final, sino una transición hacia otra forma de vivir el llamado de Dios.

Al acercarse la Cuaresma, la Iglesia nos invita nuevamente a ensanchar nuestros corazones mediante la oración, el ayuno y la limosna. En los últimos años, nuestros sacrificios cuaresmales han apoyado a comunidades con grandes necesidades, incluyendo nuestra colaboración con la Sociedad de Extensión Católica en El Flaco, Texas. Este año, nuestro alcance se centra en la Diócesis Católica de Little Rock, Arkansas. Aunque geográficamente cercana, las realidades pastorales allí difieren considerablemente. Es una diócesis misionera caracterizada por regiones rurales, comunidades católicas muy dispersas, recursos limitados y parroquias que a menudo atienden extensos territorios. Muchos católicos allí viven su fe con notable devoción en medio de desafíos que rara vez enfrentamos: menos clero, largas distancias y dificultades económicas. Nuestra limosna se convierte en una expresión tangible de solidaridad con la Iglesia en general. El fin de semana pasado recibieron la pequeña iglesia de cartón, un humilde recordatorio de que incluso los sacrificios más modestos, unidos en toda la parroquia, se convierten en instrumentos de gracia. Tenemos la bendición de que el Padre Jeff Hebert, uno de nuestros feligreses, ahora sirva en la Diócesis de Little Rock. Nos acompañará el fin de semana del Domingo de Ramos para compartir cómo nuestras oraciones y sacrificios ayudarán a la Iglesia donde él ministra. Esta conexión refleja hermosamente la unidad que profesamos.

Finalmente, gracias por sus oraciones durante mi reciente peregrinación a Tierra Santa. Esa tierra sigue siendo sagrada, pero profundamente herida. La gran mayoría de los cristianos allí son palestinos, y muchos sufren profundas dificultades en la realidad política actual. Necesitan nuestras oraciones, nuestra consciencia y nuestra compasión. A medida que avanzamos a través de la Cuaresma, recordemos a nuestra extensa familia en Arkansas, a nuestros hermanos y hermanas del Patriarcado de Jerusalén y a todos los que luchan por vivir la fe en medio de la adversidad. Que este tiempo santo profundice nuestra identidad bautismal, fortalezca nuestra unidad y renueve nuestro compromiso de servir al Señor presente en cada uno de nosotros.

Con gratitud por su fe y su disposición a crecer juntos,

# CENAS CUARESMALES DE PESCADO FRITO

PRESENTADO POR: CONSEJO DE CABALLEROS DE COLÓN 10861

VIERNES DURANTE LA CUARESMA DE 5 A 7 PM EN MCGIVNEY HALL:  
MARZO: 6, 13, 20, & 27

**MENÚ**

OPCIONES DE PESCADO: BAGRE FRITO, BACALAO FRITO, TILAPIA AL HORNO  
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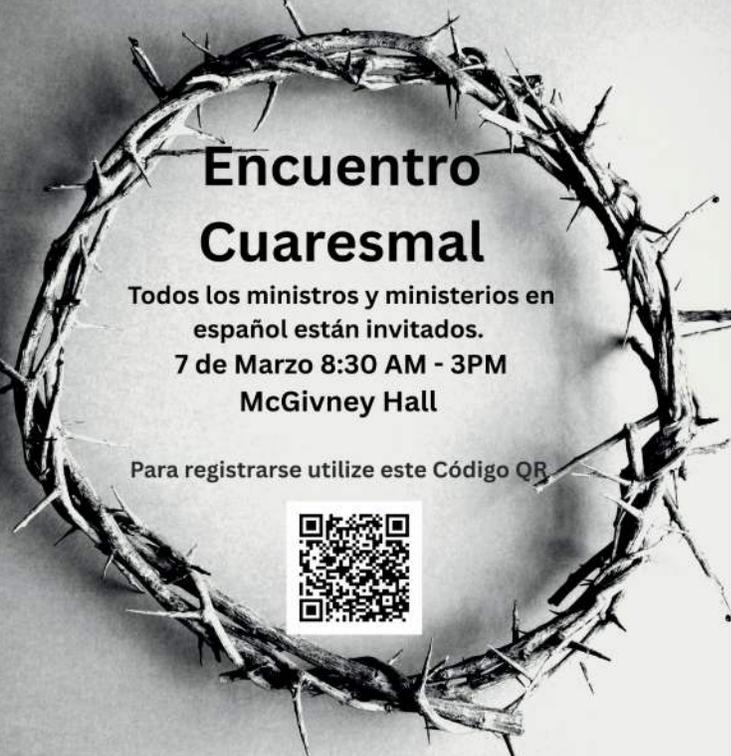
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*Génesis 12:1-4a; 2 Timoteo 1:8b-10; Mateo 17:1-9 (25).*

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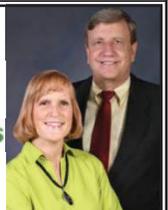
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