

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday, February 11 8AM

†Sam J. DeStefano

Wednesday, February 12 8AM

†Edmond McCarthy

Thursday, February 13 8AM

†All Deceased Member of the
Altar Society

Friday, February 14 8AM

†Edmond McCarthy

Saturday, February 15 5PM

†Johnny Villalpando

†Zachary Garrison

†Henry Berlan, Jr.

Sunday, February 16 9AM

†Vence & Frances Corpora

†Sam & Lena Corpora Family

†Evelyn Zeig

Sunday, February 16 11AM

Parishioners of St. Mary's

**WELCOME
BIENVENIDO**



We pray for our
sick parishioner's!
Si usted desea que

oremos por su familiar enfermo!

Romualdo Campo	Alan Mateo Piña
Victor & Carmen Cortez	Vince Reed
Kayleigh Estes	Johnny Ruiz
John Charles Fazzino	Mary Joyce Scamardo
Gloria Garcia	Mary Soliz
Luisa Hunter	Patty Syzdek
Kaleigh Estes	Chuck Zolert
David Martinez	Lisa Yezak
Suzanne Moltz	Dennis Zeig

Clara Mushinski

Names will remain for **2 months**. If a name needs to remain on the prayer list, please call the Church office or email cvega@stmaryhearnie.org.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time--

The absence of personal fault for an evil does not absolve one of all responsibility. We must seek to resist and undo injustices, lest we become bystanders who tacitly endorse evil and so share in guilt in it.

Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario --

La ausencia de culpa personal respecto a algo malo no nos absuelve de toda la responsabilidad. Debemos tratar de resistirnos a las injusticias y de deshacerlas, para que no nos convirtamos en observadores que calladamente avalan la maldad y por lo tanto, tienen parte de culpa en ella.

**The best prayer Catholics have is the Mass...
which is the greatest gift of all**



Sanctuary Candle in
Loving
Memory of
†Marcos Vega,
Sr.



**"DEPART FROM
ME, LORD, FOR
I AM A
SINFUL MAN."**

**Stewardship of Treasure Report
February 1-2, 2025**



Amount Needed Weekly:	\$4,000.00
Black Bag Collection:	\$1,213.00
Actual Collection:	\$5,633.17
Above Weekly Collection:	\$1,663.17

"Then, I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" – [Is. 6:8]
Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new stewardship ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say, "Here I am, Lord."

Thank you for your support & generosity!

THANK YOU: St. Mary's Parish Community would like to extend its heartfelt gratitude to St. Mary's Altar Society for donating the AED, mounted at the church entrance. Being aware of the location of this life-saving device will ensure that in the event of an emergency, the AED can be quickly retrieved and used. Thank you for helping keep our parish a safe and welcoming environment.

GRACIAS: La comunidad parroquial de St. Mary's desea expresar su más sincero agradecimiento a la Sociedad del Altar de St. Mary's por donar el DEA, instalado en la entrada de la iglesia. Estar al tanto de la ubicación de este dispositivo salva vidas y garantizará que, en caso de una emergencia, el DEA pueda ser ubicado y utilizado rápidamente. Gracias por ayudar a mantener a nuestra parroquia como un lugar seguro y acogedor.

Readings for the Week

Monday, February 10:

St. Scholastica

Gn 1:1-19/ Mk 6:53-56/ Lk 10:38-42

Tuesday, February 11:

Our Lady of Lourdes

Gn 1:20-2:4a/ Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday, February 12:

Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/ Mk 7:14-23

Thursday, February 13:

Gn 2:18-25/ Mk 7:24-30

Friday, February 14: Saints Cyril

Mk 7:31-37/ Lk 10:1-9

Saturday, February 15:

Gn 3:9-24/ Mk 8:1-10

Sunday, February 16:

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

Jer 17:5-8/ 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20

Lk 6:17, 20-26

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY FEBRUARY 9, 2025

THREE WORDS THAT CAN SAVE YOUR MARRIAGE

Guys hate asking for directions. You know the stereotype: The family is on vacation, and they are hopelessly lost in an unfamiliar place. Dad is behind the wheel, and he's convinced he can find his way. The wife helpfully suggests stopping to ask a local for directions, but the husband snaps back that he is perfectly capable of navigating, and he doesn't need any help. And on it goes. Now, where did this stereotype come from? Is this really about men's desire to be good navigators? Of course not. The real problem is that we men hate to admit we were wrong.

Now, where did this stereotype come from? Is this really about men's desire to be good navigators? Of course not. The real problem is that we men hate to admit we were wrong. What man wants to admit that he took the wrong exit? What man wants to admit his wife was right when she said turn right and not left? What man wants to admit he didn't know what he was doing? I sure don't! Yes, admitting we were wrong is one of the hardest things for us men to do. The reason is simple: We all enter this world with defective and abnormally large egos. Without proper treatment, these egos manifest themselves in all manner of severe symptoms: Anger, impatience, unkindness, irritability, stubbornness, resentment, inconsiderateness, envy, etc.

But not to worry, the Great Physician has a prescription for the deadly disease of pride, namely the three powerful but painful little words I referenced in the title of this post. What are they? **"I AM SORRY."** It really is so simple. Were you a jackass, were you a jerk? Did you really mess up? Apologize, and mean it! If you don't learn to admit your faults and apologize for them, your marriage is going to suffer. Resentment will set in, anger will mount, hurts will fester. Before you know it, the smallest disagreements will become fodder for angry shouting matches. Men, if you want a happy marriage, learn to say I'm sorry from the heart. Do it as many times as it takes (it will be thousands). You'll be amazed at the results.

World Marriage Day:

is dedicated to honoring the lifelong commitment made by couples in the Holy Sacrament of Matrimony. We congratulate the following couples who celebrated milestone anniversaries for the last 50 years or more.

- Hugh & Cindy Wallace – 51 years
- James & Madeline Zeig – 53 years
- Michael & Therese Estes – 54 years
- Michael & Yolanda Salazar – 53 years
- Melvin & Sandra Ryan – 54 years
- Daniel & Donna Lehoski – 54 years
- Ray & Lena Meier – 64 years

Día Mundial del Matrimonio:

esta dedicado para celebrar el compromiso del Sagrado Sacramento del Matrimonio. ¡Felicidades a estas parejas que celebraron aniversarios especiales en el 2024!

- Victor & Sylvia Montelongo – 30 years



2025 is the Jubilee Holy Year, the 2,025th anniversary of the Incarnation of our Lord, an "event of great spiritual, ecclesial, and social significance in the life of the Church." The concept of "Jubilee" has its origins in the Book of Leviticus (chapter 25) as a special year of reconciliation, pilgrimage, and coming home. Pope Francis has designated the 2025 Holy Year as a time to renew ourselves as "Pilgrims of Hope."

Oración del Jubileo

Padre que estás en el cielo, la fe que nos has donado en tu Hijo Jesucristo, nuestro hermano, y la llamas de caridad infundida en nuestros corazones por el Espíritu Santo, despierten en nosotros la bienaventurada Esperanza en la venida de tu Reino.

Tu gracia nos transforme en dedicados cultivadores de las semillas del Evangelio que fermenten la humanidad y el cosmos, en espera confiada de los cielos nuevos y de la tierra nueva, cuando vencidas las fuerzas del mal, se manifestará para siempre tu gloria.

La gracia del Jubileo reavive en nosotros, Peregrinos de Esperanza, el anhelo de los bienes celestiales y derrame en el mundo entero la alegría y la paz de nuestro Redentor. A ti, Dios bendito eternamente, sea la alabanza y la gloria por los siglos. Amén.

THANK YOU -- Last weekend, our High School students embarked on an exciting journey to Waco for the annual DCYC retreat. We encourage you to visit our website to find pictures from the trip. As they prepare for Confirmation, please keep our youth in your prayers. I also want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our incredible youth team and the chaperones, who played a vital role in leading our youth through the DCYC retreat.

Special thanks to the following: Emily and Matthew Kubacak [Confirmation Coordinators] John and Jeanette Anthony [Chaperons Coordinators] Jose and Andrea Campos, Pablo & Evangelina Hernandez, Remi Pina and our driver Patrick Berlan. Your contributions and dedication have a significant impact on our youth! Thank you!

Lastly, on behalf of St. Mary's Church, I would like to extend my thanks and appreciation to our donors, our sponsors who help us financially so that our youth can participate in this year's, DCYC 2025. May God bless you in a manner he knows best!