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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 “Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.” - Lk 18:14

30° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO
 “Porque todo el que se enaltece será humillado y el que se humilla será enaltecido”. - Lc 18, 14

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WEEKEND SCHEDULES

ENGLISH MASS

SATURDAY: 5:00 P.M. ANTICIPATED HOLY MASS

SUNDAY: 10:00 AM & 5:30 PM

MISA EN ESPAÑOL

DOMINGO: 7:30 AM Y 12:00 PM



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SUNDAY/DOMINGO 9:00 AM
 Bilingual/Bilingüe

ENGLISH
 Mon & Wed
 7:00 A.M

ESPAÑOL
 Martes Y Jueves
 7:00 AM

BILINGÜE
 Fri./Viernes
 7:00 AM

CONFESSIONS
 Saturday
 3 pm to 4 pm
 In the Church

CONFESIONES
 Sabado
 de 3 pm a 4 pm
 En la Iglesia

MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES

SATURDAY	October 25	MONDAY	October 27
5:00 pm	† Jarred Lozano † Rollie Mejia, Jr. † Elma Soliz † Maria Angelica Quintero † Ximena Sandoval	7:00 am	For the Faithful of the Parish
SUNDAY	October 26	TUESDAY	October 28
7:30 am	† Pedro Ornelas † Oscar Ornelas † Ramiro Ornelas † Myrna Castelan † Alberto Ybarra † Maria Matamoros Coronel † Felix Coronado Barrientos Por la Salud de Maria de Jesus Ramirez Por la Salud de Cipriano Castillo	7:00 am	† Francisco Valdez † Miguel & Mario Romero † Brad Stower † Refugio & Felipe Romero
10:00 am	† Petra Rodriguez † Baldermar Flores † Jesus Fuentes † Simeona Fuentes † Lolita Fuentes † Rodolfo & Virginia Rodriguez	WEDNESDAY	October 29
12:00 pm	† Elisteo Arizpe † Hector Luna, Jr. † Mario Gonzalez † Delia Cantu † Teresa Enriquez Alvarado † Sigifredo Salinas † Jesus Cornelio Saenz	7:00 am	† Petra L. Rodriguez
5:30 pm	† Maria del Socorro Orta † Gloria Wells † Richard Wells † Raul Avila † Reyes Badillo † Aurelia Badillo † Mario J. Badillo For the Faithful of the Parish	THURSDAY	October 30
		7:00 am	† Jaime Salazar
		FRIDAY	October 31
		7:00 am	† Hortencia Medellin † Gustavo Medellin † Sylvia Hinojosa † Juan Angel Perez † Kevin R. Pena Birthday Blessing for Oziel Ortiz

Prayer of Praise

Dear God,
As we look to the week ahead, help us to remember that You will accompany us at every moment — You who greet us with mercy anew every morning, and grace in abundance each night.

Amen.

Oración de Alabanza

Dios mío,
Al mirar hacia la semana que viene, ayúdanos a recordar que Tú nos acompañarás en todo momento, Tú que nos saludas con misericordia de nuevo cada mañana y gracia en abundancia cada noche.

Amén.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

October 26, 2025
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 18:9-14

Every now and then readers of these reflections write letters in which they object to something. Years ago, this Gospel of Luke 18 prompted such an email. A man wrote to me: “I find it deeply offensive that you suggest we are still sinners once we are God’s sons and daughters.” His objection stirred in me a profound awareness of the paradox at the heart of our faith. Are we sinners or beloved children of God?

In this Gospel (Luke 18:9-14), a tax collector appears as one who has missed the mark. His sins have isolated him. His breast-beating is not an act of self-flagellation for pride’s sake but a heartfelt admission of his failure and unworthiness. Remarkably, Jesus honors the candid humility of the parable’s penitent. Why? Because we are always in need of mercy, always. But even more, perhaps because on the cross, Jesus will fully embrace a similar place of humiliation and rejection. He will enter into the most shameful, offensive place of the sinner so that we might “go home justified.”

There is a sacred tension in admitting that we are sinners and yet have profound hope. We are beloved sons and daughters of God, growing precisely through our honest acceptance of failure. When we cry, “Have mercy on us,” during Mass or when we repeat the “Jesus Prayer” in quiet moments, or in the confessional, we embrace our imperfections as fertile ground for divine grace. In doing so, we follow Christ’s example — finding true exaltation in the humble acknowledgment of our human frailty.

— Father John Muir

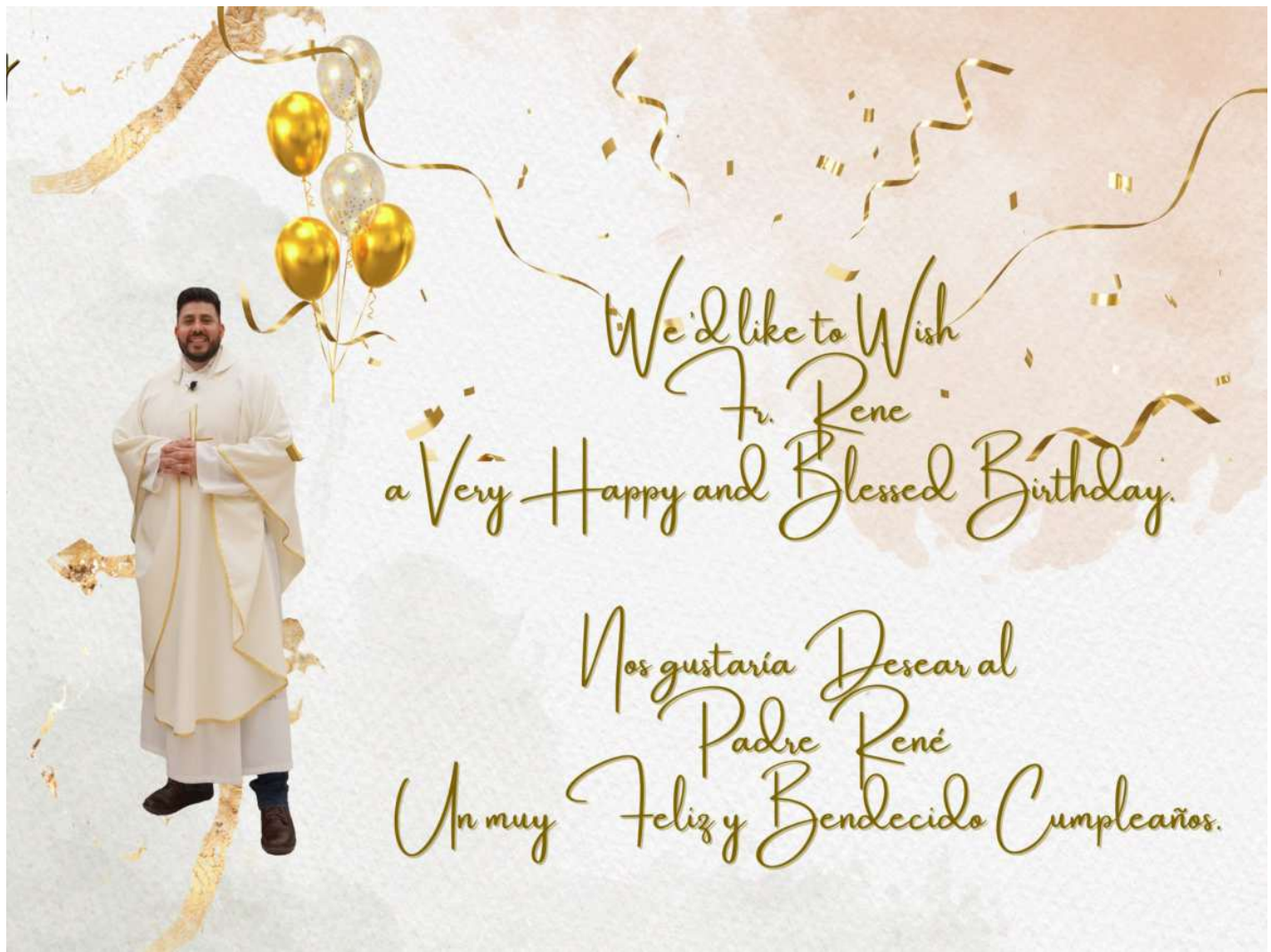
MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

26 de octubre de 2025
XXX Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Lucas 18:9-14

Ante Dios no podemos fingir ni aparentar: Él nos conoce profundamente. Por más cara de buenos que pongamos, Él ve más allá: ve nuestro corazón. Tampoco podemos decirle cuán buenos somos, porque nos conoce y sabe perfectamente nuestras acciones. Hoy, Jesús nos cuenta otra parábola: la de dos hombres que fueron al templo a orar. Cada uno lo hace a su manera, y al escuchar el relato, nos damos cuenta de que uno lo hace mejor que el otro. Pero lo más importante es que los dos hablan con Dios. Con este ejemplo podemos aprender a orar y a presentarnos ante Dios tal como somos. “Efectivamente, el fariseo, a pesar de las obras, perdió la justicia; el publicano, en cambio, se granjeó la justicia por la humildad de sus palabras. Aunque, a decir verdad, la del publicano no era propiamente humildad: de hecho, la humildad se da cuando uno que es grande se humilla a sí mismo. La actitud del publicano no fue humildad, sino verdad: sus palabras eran verdaderas, pues él era un pecador”- San Juan Crisóstomo (350–407), Homilía 2 sobre la Penitencia.

“Pero, aunque somos pecadores, no debemos desalentarnos, porque el Señor está con nosotros, quien nos ha dado todo y nos hará vencer también este pequeño paso de hoy, con la gracia de la fuerza, de la valentía, de la oración, de la vigilancia y de la alegría” (Papa Francisco). En conclusión: puede ser que en cada uno de nosotros vivan un fariseo y un publicano. Ambos necesitan de Dios para ser liberados y perdonados. Ante Dios, oremos con verdad y con sinceridad de corazón.



**Mass Intentions Requests for 2026 will open on
Saturday, November 1, 2025 from 9AM – 1:00PM at the Parish Office.
We will only be taking mass intentions, no other business will be conducted.
Thank you.**



Mass Intentions

**Las solicitudes de intenciones de misa para 2026 se abrirán el
sábado 1 de noviembre de 2025 de 9 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. en la Oficina
Parroquial.
Solo tomaremos intenciones masivas y no se llevarán a cabo otros asuntos.
Gracias.**



A Sacred Opportunity to Honor Our Nation's Heroes

On behalf of Sacred Heart Catholic Church and the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, we invite all active-duty military personnel, veterans, and their families to a special

Veterans Day Mass

where we will come together in faith and gratitude to honor your service and sacrifice for our country.

Date: Saturday, November 8, 2025, at 5:00 pm Mass.

This sacred event is a time for our parish community to express our deepest thanks for the courage and dedication of those who have served. We will pray for your continued well-being and the peace of our nation, acknowledging the profound commitment you have made to protect the freedoms we cherish.





St. Damian Food Pantry at Sacred Heart Catholic
Church Edinburg, Texas
August & September 2025 Report

The food pantry is opened four times a month on
Friday from 7 AM – 11 AM.

August 2025

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September 2025

Total Families Assisted: 331

849 Adults

292 Children

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STAFFED BY THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BROWNSVILLE	Confessions Saturday 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm in the Church For those who are unable to attend on Saturday please call the Parish Office to make an appointment...
PRIEST	Confesiones Sabado de 3:00 pm a 4:00 pm en la Iglesia <i>Los que no pueden asistir el Sabado pueden hablar a la oficina parroquial para hacer una cita</i>
Rev. Fr. Rene Gaytan Pastor rgaytan@cdob.org	Marriage Please contact a priest or a deacon at least six months before your proposed wedding date. We look forward to helping you get ready for this great sacrament. <i>Pueden comunicarse con un padre o diacono con seis meses de anticipacion a la fecha de matrimonio. Estamos dispuestos a ayudarlo en este proceso</i>
DEACONS	Baptisms Please contact Parish Office for information
Joe Peralez, III Raul Rangel Deacon Deacon jperalez@cdob.org rrangel@cdob.org	Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick This sacrament helps with serious illnesses or disabilities of the aged. Contact the office for more information.
PARISH STAFF	Unción de los Enfermos <i>Este sacramento ayuda en una enfermedad seria o en la fragilidad de la vejez. Pueden llamar a la oficina.</i>
Mari Morin Receptionist/Secretary Bulletin Editor recept-shedinburg@cdob.org	Quinceañera Services Please Contact the parish office for more information. <i>Favor de llamar a la oficina</i>
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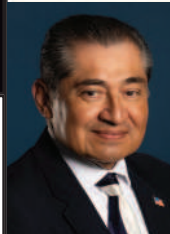
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