

Our Lady of Sorrows

Nuestra Señora de los Dolores

Fr. David Garnier — Pastor

Dcn. Humberto Carrasco

Office Hours

Tues—Fri: 10:00AM—5:00PM

Closed 1:00PM—2:00PM

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Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 PM - Spanish/Bilingual

Sunday Masses

8:00 AM - Spanish

10:30 AM - English

Weekday Masses

Tue. & Thurs. 9:00AM English

Wed. & Fri. 9:00 AM Spanish

Friday Adoration 9:30AM-12:00PM





Lecturas de la Semana

Monday Jas 1:1–11 / Mk 8:11–13
 Tuesday Jas 1:12–18 / Mk 8:14–21
 Wednesday *Ash Wednesday*
 Jl 2:12–18 / 2 Cor 5:20–6:2 /
 Mt 6:1–6, 16–18
 Thursday Dt 30:15–20 / Lk 9:22–25
 Friday Is 58:1–9a / Mt 9:14–15
 Saturday Is 58:9b–14 / Lk 5:27–32
 Sunday *First Sunday of Lent*
 Gn 2:7–9; 3:1–7
 Rm 5:12–19 or 5:12, 17–19
 Mt 4:1–11

Pray for the Sick



PRAY for the faithful departed of our community.
 OREMOS por los difuntos de nuestra comunidad.

PRAY also for the sick of the community / OREMOS también por los enfermos:

Dolores, Hernandez, Lazaro Moreno, Pepe & Bea Martinez, Oscar Mercado, Jesús y Consuelo Maya, Lidia Ramos, Leonardo De La Cruz, Frances Alaniz, Bertha Lopez, Florentino Guerrero, Salvador and Marie Olivarez, Sylvia Tirado, Edward and Beatrice Casas, Manuel Sanchez

In order to maintain an updated prayer list we are removing names that have been on the parish's prayer list longer than three months. Please call the parish office to add a name or remove your name from the list. 713-673-5601 Everyone needs prayers; we always pray for all parishioners.

Con el fin de mantener actualizada la lista de las personas que nos piden oraciones, quitaremos los nombres que han estado en la lista por más de un tres meses. Por favor, llama a la oficina de la parroquia para añadir o quitar un nombre de la lista. Todos necesitamos oraciones; siempre oramos por todos los feligreses. En cada Misa seguiremos añadiendo una petición por las intenciones especiales.



Sunday, February 15

8:00am—9:00am Misa en Español
 9:00am—10:15am CCE Classes
 10:30am—11:30am Mass in English
 11:30am—1:00pm Confirmation Classes
 3:00pm—6:00pm Potluck Party for Fr. David's Ordination and Birthday

Tuesday, February 17

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa

Wednesday, February 18

ASH WEDNESDAY

9:00 am Santa Misa (Español)
 12:00 pm Holy Mass (English)
 7:00 pm Santa Misa (Español)

Thursday, February 19

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa

Friday, February 20

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa
 10:00am—12:00pm Eucharistic Adoration
 5:00pm—7:00pm Fish Fry Fridays
 7:00pm—8:00pm Way of the Cross/Via Crucis

Saturday, February 21

5:00pm—6:00pm Mass / Misa

Sunday, February 22

8:00am—9:00am Misa en Español
 9:00am—10:15am CCE Classes
 10:30am—11:30am Mass in English
 11:30am—1:00pm Confirmation Classes

Tuesday, February 24

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa

Wednesday, February 25

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa
 6:30pm—8:00pm Youth Group

Thursday, February 26

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa

Friday, February 27

9:00am—10:00am Mass / Misa
 10:00am—12:00pm Eucharistic Adoration
 5:00pm—7:00pm Fish Fry Fridays
 7:00pm—8:00pm Way of the Cross/Via Crucis

Saturday, February 28

5:00pm—6:00pm Mass / Misa

(Carta en español en la página 5)

“What’s In Your Heart?”*By Fr. Joseph Juknialis*

In the past fifty years, there seems to have been a quiet but noticeable shift in the lived faith of Catholics in the pews. None of it has been officially or formally decreed, though it might very well be the natural unfolding of what the Second Vatican Council was about. It seems to have simply happened, perhaps by the workings of the Holy Spirit. I would highlight four common shifts.

Our faith seems to have moved from a primary concern with doctrine, or what we believe, to spirituality, or how we live out what we believe as people of faith and recognize where God is in our lives.

There is a greater focus on what is in our hearts. This suggests that while actions are important, where our actions originate and what they say about who we are can also be important in trying to understand why we do what we do.

We pray differently. While the rosary and devotional prayer are nurturing to the faith of many, we have also discovered forms of meditation, quiet reflection, and praying with sacred Scripture.

Confession no longer seems to be only about reporting the kinds and numbers of sins; it is also about what is in our hearts and how we find themselves relating to others. We confess both actions and attitudes that are destructive rather than moral lists.

It seems that all of this echoes this week’s gospel, which focuses on divisive anger, lustful lifestyles, and faking the truth, that is, what is in our hearts.

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Todos los feligreses están invitados a participar en nuestra parroquia de muchas maneras. Estas son algunas de las oportunidades que puede encontrar personalmente y espiritualmente gratificantes.

Se necesitan miembros del Comité de Decoración para:

- Organizar y decorar la iglesia para eventos, bodas y funerales.

Se necesitan voluntarios en el Grupo de Cocina para:

- Organizar, planificar y vender desayunos los domingos. *(Pueden crear su propio grupo o ayudar a un grupo establecido).*
- Organizar y dirigir nuevos eventos, como vender pescado frito, platillos de barbacoa, platos de enchiladas, etc..

Otras oportunidades en la parroquia:

- Se necesitan servidores del altar para todas las Misas.
- Músicos, especialmente para la misa en inglés
- Persona para ayudar con fotografía y video.
- Persona para ayudar con PowerPoint y A / V.



News and Announcements



Schedule for Ash Wednesday February 18, 2026

Ash Wednesday is the first day of Lent. It is a day for fasting, abstinence, prayer and almsgiving. Lent is time of penance in preparation to celebrate the mysteries of the Passion, Death and Resurrection of our Savior, Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

*"Remember you are dust,
and unto dust you will return."*
-Genesis 3:9

**Holy Mass at 9:00am,
12:00pm and 7:00pm**



Horario de Miércoles de Ceniza 18 de febrero de 2026

El Miércoles de Ceniza es el primer día de Cuaresma. Es un día de ayuno, abstinencia, oración y limosna. La Cuaresma es un tiempo de preparación para celebrar los Misterios de la Pasión, Muerte y Resurrección de Nuestro Salvador, Jesucristo, el Hijo de Dios.

*"Recuerda que polvo eres
y en el polvo te convertirás."*
-Genesis 3:9

**Santa Misa a las 9:00am,
12:00pm y 7:00pm**



fish fry

FRIDAYS

Friday, February 20 & 27
5:00PM — 7:00PM
(while supplies last)

Join us for a delicious meal!
\$12 plate includes fish, two sides, and bread.

\$1/\$2 drinks **\$2 Desserts**



**17th Ordination Anniversary
& Birthday Potluck
for Fr. David**
(Ordination Anniversary: February 7 / Birthday: February 21)

Date:
Sunday, February 15, 2026

Time:
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Location:
Our Lady of Sorrows' Parish Hall

What to bring:
Bring a dish to share with everyone.
Monetary gifts can be sent to Fr. David via Zelle
using his phone number 832-494-7265

(Letter in English on page 3)

“¿Qué hay en tu corazón?”*Por el Padre Joseph Juknialis*

En los últimos cincuenta años, parece haberse producido un cambio discreto pero notable en la fe de los católicos. Nada de esto ha sido decretado oficial ni formalmente, aunque bien podría ser el desarrollo natural de lo que se propuso el Concilio Vaticano II. Parece haber sucedido simplemente, quizás por obra del Espíritu Santo. Destacaríamos cuatro cambios comunes.

Nuestra fe parece haber pasado de una preocupación principal por la doctrina, o lo que creemos, a la espiritualidad, o cómo vivimos lo que creemos como personas de fe y reconocemos la presencia de Dios en nuestras vidas.

Hay un mayor enfoque en lo que hay en nuestros corazones. Esto sugiere que, si bien las acciones son importantes, su origen y lo que dicen de quiénes somos también puede ser importante para comprender por qué hacemos lo que hacemos.

Rezamos de manera diferente. Si bien el rosario y la oración devocional nutren la fe de muchos, también hemos descubierto formas de meditación, reflexión silenciosa y la oración con la Sagrada Escritura. La confesión ya no parece limitarse a informar sobre la clase y cantidad de pecados; también se trata de lo que hay en nuestro corazón y cómo nos relacionamos con los demás.

Confesamos tanto acciones como actitudes destructivas en lugar de listas morales.

Parece que todo esto refleja el evangelio de esta semana, que se centra en la ira divisiva, los estilos de vida lujuriosos y la falsificación de la verdad, es decir, lo que hay en nuestro corazón.

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In an effort to be prepared in case of an emergency, we are creating a food pantry to help people in our community during emergencies.

We ask that you support the parish and donate any of the following items to grow our food pantry efforts.

- Bottled water
- Powdered milk
- Shelf Stable Milk
- Canned soups
- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruit
- Canned tuna
- Canned tomatoes
- Dried fruits
- Granola bars
- Cereal
- Nuts
- Crackers
- Peanut butter
- Jellies and jams
- Pancake mix
- Syrup
- Vegetable oil
- Rice
- Lentils
- Dried beans
- Dried pasta
- Noodles
- Oats
- Trail mix
- Beef Jerky
- Personal hygiene items
- First aid kits
- Batteries
- Can Openers and Kitchen Tools
- Candles and Matches
- Blankets

Thanks to all who have responded the call to help. Many people have been assisted. We hope to keep helping more families.



CMGConnect

ONLINE SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

All volunteers of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston are required to complete the Safe Environment Video Training online CMGConnect Safe Haven as a condition of volunteering. Training is available in English and Spanish. Visit galvestonhouston.cmgconnect.org to complete the training.

Se requiere que todos los voluntarios de la Arquidiócesis de Galveston-Houston completen la capacitación en video sobre de Ambiente Seguro en línea CMGConnect Safe Haven como condición para ser voluntario. La capacitación está disponible en inglés y español. Visite galvestonhouston.cmgconnect.org para completar la capacitación.



Requirements to be a Sponsor for Baptism

- ◇ Must be at least 16 years old or older.
- ◇ Must be a baptized Catholic who has already received the sacraments of Communion and Confirmation.
- ◇ If a sponsor is married, he or she must be married in the Catholic Church.
- ◇ If a sponsor is single, he or she cannot be living with anybody of the opposite sex without the Sacrament of Matrimony.
- ◇ One sponsor is enough, but if there are two, then it must be a man and a woman.
- ◇ People who are only civilly married or who live in common law cannot be godparents. The godparent must set an example of Christian life to the godchild.



The Parish Hall Is Available for Private Rental

- Anniversaries
- Reunions
- Memorials
- Birthday Party
- Retirement Party
- Wedding Reception



Maximum occupancy: 100 people.
Included: 12 tables and 100 chairs.
Rental guidelines: No alcohol permitted
Events must conclude by 9:00pm

For more information contact (713) 673-5600

Funeral Planning



During a time of loss, we want to provide support and guidance for you and your family. When a family member or relative is in hospice, please contact the parish office to speak with the priest. Together, we will make arrangements for the funeral and any other necessary services.

The priest will work with you to help plan the funeral Mass, burial, and any additional memorial services, ensuring that your loved one's wishes are respected and that your family has the spiritual support it needs.

Parish Office Phone: (713) 673-5600

We are here to assist you through every step of the process, offering comfort and prayer during this difficult time. Please reach out, and we will guide you in making appropriate arrangements for your loved one's funeral and remembrance.

Sacrament of Marriage And Convalidation



If you wish to be married in the Catholic Church or have your marriage convalidated (recognized by the Church), please contact the parish office to begin the preparation process. This includes meeting with the priest, completing necessary paperwork, and attending marriage preparation classes. Please reach out to the parish office at (713) 673-5600 for more details and to schedule an appointment.

Sociedad del Altar

Estos son los grupos que hacen la Limpieza de la Iglesia:

Sábado, Febrero 21

Dolores Maldonado, Gloria García,
Claudia García, María Huerta, Petra Rivera,
Edilia Bastard y Dominica Contreras

Sábado, Febrero 28

Teresa Nolazco, Teresa Huerta y Maria Castillo

Sábado, Marzo 7

María Pereira, María López, Carmen Balleza,
Mariana Torres y Carmen Herrera



Muchas gracias a todas las personas que apoyan en la limpieza de la iglesia.



Religious Education

Parents and students must attend Mass on Saturday or Sunday.

All students are to use their yellow envelope for Mass attendance.

If your child is sick or unable to attend class, please notify Mrs. Oralia Guerrero (832) 858-9561.

Se les pide a todos los padres y estudiantes a asistir a Misa los Sábados o Domingos.

Los estudiantes deben de usar su sobre amarillo para marcar la asistencia a Misa.

Upcoming Second Collections / Próximas Segundas Colectas

February 14 & 15

Maintenance fund
Fondo de mantenimiento

February 18

Archdiocesan Social Ministries
Ministerios Sociales de la Arquidiócesis

Offertory Collection Report: February 8, 2026

Colecta del 8 de febrero de 2026

Entire Sunday Collection / Toda la Colecta de Domingo	\$ 2,155.00
Children's collection / Colecta de los niños	\$ 88.00
Online giving contributions / Contribuciones hechas en linea	\$566.00
Regular collection total / Total Colecta Regular	<u>\$2,809.00</u>
Average Weekly Expenses / Gasto semanal aproximado	\$6,000.00
Weekly Deficit / Deficit Semanal	(\$3,191.00)
Second Collection / Segunda Colecta (Youth fund)	\$389.00
Diocesan services fund/ Fond de servicios diocesanos	n/a
Sunday Breakfast / Desayuno Dominical (Misioneras)	\$805.00

Liturgical Schedule

Eucharistic Adoration / Adoración Eucarística

Fridays after Mass, from 9:30am to 3:00pm

Parish Office

Main Line: (713) 673-5600
Emergency: (832) 494-7265
Fax: (713) 673-5667

Office Staff

Oralia Guerrero
C.C.E. / Catecismo
(832) 858-9561

Reconciliation / Reconciliación

By appointment or Saturday at 3:30pm

Por cita o Sabado 3:30pm
Berenice Alejandre
Business Manager
(281) 881-4705
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Please consider making a pledge to the Building Fund. Start now by scanning the code below.

Please DONATE

Ongoing Garden Cleanup

All parishioners are welcome to take care and plant flowers in the church gardens.

¿Te gusta la jardinería?
Todos los parroquianos son bienvenidos a plantar y cuidar los jardines de la Iglesia.

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING
Our parish is grateful for your continued support. Thank you!

www.osvhub.com/ourladyhouston/funds

DESAYUNO DOMINICAL

Domingo, 15 de Febrero
(Grupo de Hombres) y 22 de Febrero
(Ramitas de Fe)

EN EL SALON PARROQUIAL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, waffles, pan dulce y café

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sunday, February 15 (Men's Group)

IN THE PARISH HALL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, sweet bread, waffles, coffee



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER FOR WEEKEND MASSES?

Children, both male and female, who have received their First Eucharist are eligible to begin their training.

Los niños y niñas, que han recibido su Primera Eucaristía son elegibles para comenzar su entrenamiento de servidor.



To be an altar server you need to attend training. Additional training sessions may be added.