

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 1pm—2pm

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Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 PM - Spanish/Bilingual

Sunday Masses

8:00 AM - Spanish

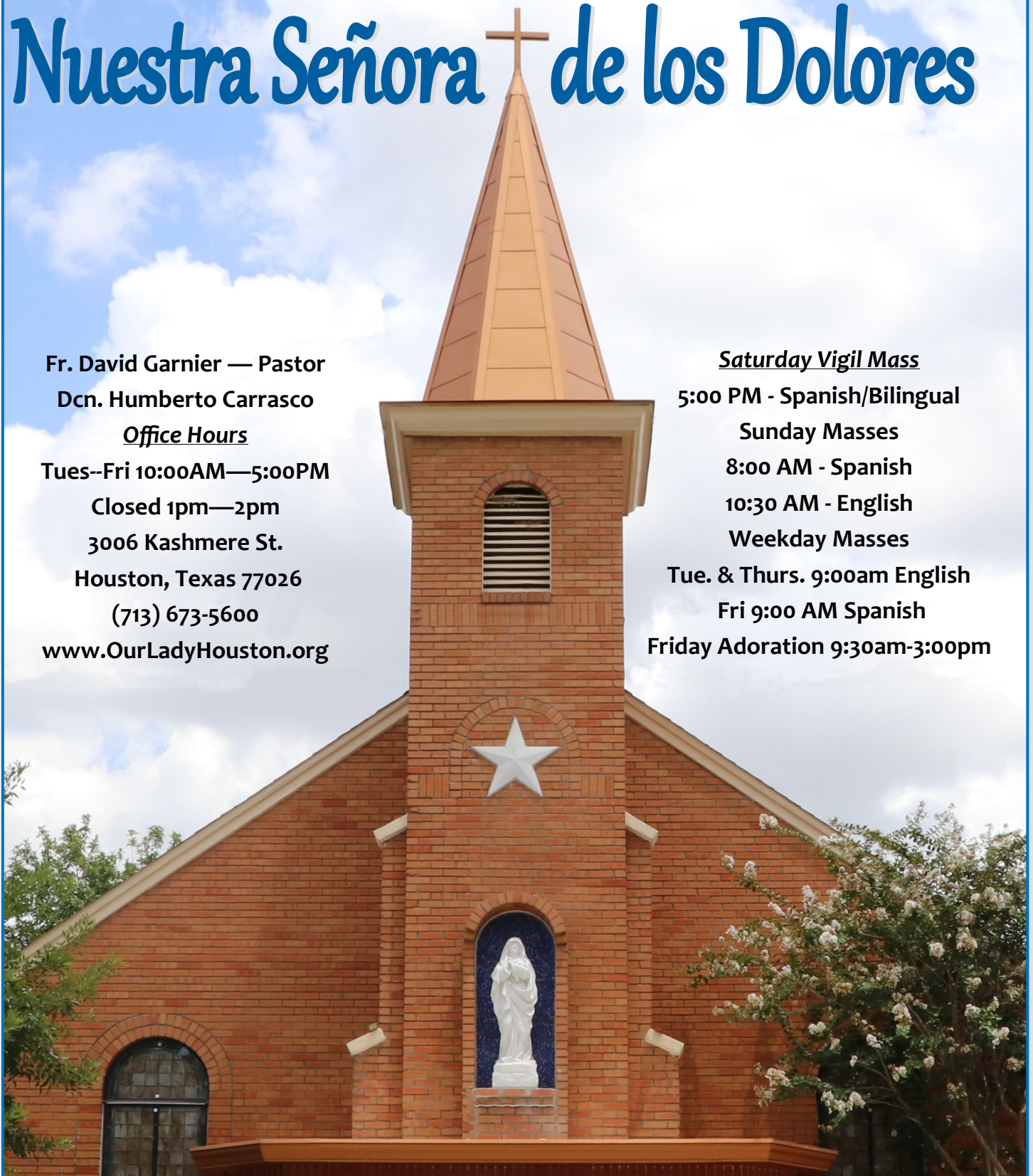
10:30 AM - English

Weekday Masses

Tue. & Thurs. 9:00am English

Fri 9:00 AM Spanish

Friday Adoration 9:30am-3:00pm





Lecturas de la Semana

Monday	<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha</i> Ex 1:8–14, 22 / Mt 10:34–11:1
Tuesday	<i>St. Bonaventure</i> Ex 2:1–15a / Mt 11:20–24
Wednesday	Ex 3:1–6, 9–12 / Mt 11:25–27
Thursday	Ex 3:13–20 / Mt 11:28–30
Friday	Ex 11:10–12:14 / Mt 12:1–8
Saturday	Ex 12:37–42 / Mt 12:14–21
Sunday	<i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Gn 18:1–10a Col 1:24–28 Lk 10:38–42

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: Oscar Mercado, Jesus y Consuelo Maya, Consuelo Lidia Ramos, Leonardo De La Cruz, Ana de la Rosa, Lisette Serrano, Guadalupe Garcia, Adan Garcia, Nancy Romero, Erick Rangel, Olivia Martinez, Maria Quintanilla, Aleck Talamantes, Julie Yanez, Leonarda Maldonado, Salvador & Marie Olivarez, Beatrice & Edward Presas, Jose L. Martinez, Eva y Fernando Aguilar, Juan & Maria Lopez, Ruby Clay, Fr. Norberto Conde, Benjamin Otero, Francisco Alvarez, Guadalupe Delgado, Armida y Pedro Peña, Ana S. Cárdenas, David Alvarado, Adriana Cruz, Pedro Torres, Alejandro García, Angelica Herrera, Arcadio Bonilla, Oralía & Florentino Guerrero, Eduardo Cruz, Susie Rojas, Tomas Aguirre, Uriel Cruz, Luisa Benítez, Fred Chevalier, Eloísa & Leonor García, Luisa Santibañez, Margaret García, María D. Maldonado, Marta Bernal, Antonio & Mayda Perez, Elizabeth Peña, Mary L. Rodriguez

Contact the office if you want to be added to the prayer list. Póngase en contacto con la oficina si desea ser agregada a la lista de enfermos.



Sunday, July 13

8:00am—9:00am

Misa en Español

10:30am—11:30am

Mass in English

Tuesday, July 15

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

Thursday, July 17

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

6:30pm—7:30pm

Baptism class

Friday, July 18

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

9:30am—3:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, July 19

5:00pm—6:00pm

Mass / Misa

Sunday, July 20

8:00am—9:00am

Misa en Español

9:00pm—12:00pm

Confirmation Students

Saint Presentation—Hall

Mass in English

10:30am—11:30am

Tuesday, July 22

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

Thursday, July 24

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

Friday, July 25

9:00am—10:00am

Mass / Misa

9:30am—3:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, July 26

5:00pm—6:00pm

Mass / Misa

Sunday, July 27

8:00am—9:00am

Misa en Español

9:00am—12:00pm

CCE Registrations in Hall

10:30am—11:30am

Mass in English

(Carta en español en la página 5)

“Love of the Law”

By Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

Years ago, I saw a chart that identified the faith of the Old Testament as a religion of law and that of the New Testament as a religion of love. This is not only seriously wrong, it is also dangerously biased. The two commandments to love as recorded in today's gospel originate in Deuteronomy 6:5 and Leviticus 19:18, respectively. Several of the prophets describe God's love of Israel in tender, even passionate, terms. (See Isaiah 43:1, Jeremiah 31:3.) To think otherwise is to tread alarmingly close to a form of antisemitism. We must remember that the religion Jesus loved deeply, and which he sought to bring to fulfillment, was the religion of ancient Israel. Part of the error of that chart might have been a misunderstanding of the meaning of law. We might think of law as “proscription” or “restriction” (you must... or you must not...). The Hebrew meaning is more flexible. Some translate the Hebrew word torah as “instruction” or “directive.” The psalmist delights in the law because it refreshes the soul and gladdens the heart. Today's first reading tells us that the law is already in our hearts. The law of love was certainly in the heart of the Samaritan who cared for the stranger on the side of the road. If we can see that laws are meant to help us care for ourselves, others, and the world, we will soon realize that living as the laws direct us might bring us to a deep love for the law.

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Don't Take a Vacation from Mass This Summer!

Summer is a time for rest, travel, and fun—but our relationship with God doesn't take a break. Whether you're at the beach, visiting family, or enjoying a staycation, the Mass is always the most important part of our week. Here's why staying connected to Sunday Mass matters:

- ◇ God doesn't stop loving us in the summer—we stay rooted in that love through the Eucharist.
- ◇ The Mass strengthens us for whatever the week brings—travel, work, family, or fun.
- ◇ Mass is celebrated everywhere! No matter where you are, there's a Catholic church nearby.

Going away? Use www.masstimes.org to find a Catholic church near your destination.

This summer, let's keep the Lord's Day holy—and encourage one another to keep Christ at the center of every season.

News and Announcements

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.



Junta de Planificación del Festival

Jueves, 31 de Julio, 2025

6:30pm—7:30pm

¡Todas los interesados en formar parte de la planificación y organización de nuestro festival del día de Nuestra Señora de los Dolores y otros eventos, están invitados a asistir!

Festival Planning Meeting

Thursday, July 31, 2025

6:30pm—7:30pm

All interested in becoming part of the planning and organizing of Our Lady of Sorrows' Festival and other events are welcome to attend!

2025-2026 FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION (CCE)

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS ON SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025

Visit www.ourladyhouston.org to register and pay online.

Must pay in full. Must bring a copy of child's baptism certificate.

Online Meeting Baptism Class for Parents and Godparents:

Thursday, July 17, 2025 at 7:00pm

Visit ourladyofsorrowstx.flocknote.com/signup/215775 to sign up.

Fees for the class: Parents (fee covers both parents) \$25

Godparents (fee covers only one godparent) \$25

*Junta por Internet * Clase de Bautismo para Padres y Padrinos:

Jueves, 17 de Julio de 2025 a las 7:00pm

Visite ourladyofsorrowstx.flocknote.com/signup/215775 para registrarse.

Costo de la clase: Padres (la tarifa cubre a ambos padres) \$25

Padrinos (la tarifa cubre solo a un padrino) \$25



(Letter in English on page 3)

“Amor a la Ley”

Por la Hna. Dianne Bergant, CSA

Hace años, vi un diagrama que identificaba la fe del Antiguo Testamento como una religión de ley y la del Nuevo Testamento como una religión de amor. Esto no solo es gravemente erróneo, sino también peligrosamente sesgado. Los dos mandamientos de amar, tal como se registran en el evangelio de hoy, se originan en Deuteronomio 6:5 y Levítico 19:18, respectivamente. Varios profetas describen el amor de Dios por Israel con ternura, incluso pasión. (Véase Isaías 43:1, Jeremías 31:3). Pensar de otro modo es acercarse alarmantemente a una forma de antisemitismo. Debemos recordar que la religión que Jesús amaba profundamente, y que buscaba llevar a su plenitud, era la religión del antiguo Israel.

Parte del error de ese diagrama podría haber sido una mala interpretación del significado de la ley. Podríamos pensar que la ley es "proscripción" o "restricción" (debes... o no debes...). El significado hebreo es más flexible. Algunos traducen la palabra hebrea torá como "instrucción" o "directiva". El salmista se deleita en la ley porque refresca el alma y alegra el corazón. La primera lectura de hoy nos dice que la ley ya está en nuestros corazones. La ley del amor, sin duda, estaba en el corazón del samaritano que cuidó del forastero al borde del camino.

Si comprendemos que las leyes tienen como objetivo ayudarnos a cuidar de nosotros mismos, de los demás y del mundo, pronto nos daremos cuenta de que vivir según sus directrices puede llevarnos a un profundo amor por la ley.

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¡No te tomes vacaciones de la Misa este verano!

El verano es tiempo de descanso, viajes y diversión, pero nuestra relación con Dios no se toma un descanso. Ya sea que estés en la playa, visitando a la familia o disfrutando de unas vacaciones en casa, la Misa siempre es el momento más importante de nuestra semana. Por eso es importante mantenernos conectados con la Misa dominical:

- ◇ Dios no deja de amarnos en verano; nos mantenemos arraigados en ese amor a través de la Eucaristía.
- ◇ La Misa nos fortalece para lo que nos traiga la semana: viajes, trabajo, familia o diversión.
- ◇ ¡La Misa se celebra en todas partes! No importa dónde estés, hay una iglesia católica cerca.

¿Te vas de viaje? Usa www.masstimes.org para encontrar una iglesia católica cerca de tu destino. Este verano, santifiquemos el Domingo del Señor y animémonos unos a otros a mantener a Cristo en el centro de cada temporada.

Clama con **ALEGRÍA** AL SEÑOR!

Estamos llamados a Clamar con Alegría al Señor! y extender su amor a los demás. A través de su donación al Fondo de Servicios Diocesanos, apoya 64 ministerios vitales que se preocupan por los vulnerables, educan a nuestros jóvenes y forman futuros sacerdotes. Comprométase este fin de semana en su parroquia, o en línea en archgh.org/dsf, y únase a nosotros para compartir el amor y la misericordia de Dios con los más necesitados.

ESCANEA AQUÍ PARA DONAR



Cry Out with **JOY** TO THE LORD!

We are called to Cry Out with Joy to the Lord! and extend His love to others. Through your gift to the Diocesan Services Fund, you support 64 vital ministries that care for the vulnerable, educate our youth, and form future priests. Make your commitment this weekend in your parish, or online at archgh.org/dsf, and join us in sharing God's love and mercy with those most in need.

SCAN HERE TO MAKE A GIFT



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:

Sabado, Julio 19

Maria Pereira, Maria Lopez, Carmen Balleza,
Mariana Torres y Carmen Herrera

Sábado, Julio 26

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

Sábado, Agosto 2

Rosa Flores, Teresa Nolazco,
Erika Martínez, Teresa Huerta y Sandra Perez



*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.

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN.

Visit our website www.ourladyhouston.org
to register and pay online.

LAS INSCRIPCIONES YA ESTAN ABIERTAS EN LINEA

Visite la pagina de internet de la iglesia para
inscribirse y pagar.

www.ourladyhouston.org

Upcoming Second Collections / Próximas Segundas Colectas**July 12 & 13**

St. Vincent de Paul Black Bag collection
Fondo de utilidades y mantenimiento

July 19 & 20

Energy needs
Colecta para necesidades de energia

Offertory Collection Report: July 6, 2025**Colecta del 6 de Julio de 2025**

Entire Sunday Collection / Toda la Colecta de Domingo	\$ 2,415.00
Children's collection / Colecta de los niños	\$ 44.00
Online giving contributions / Contribuciones hechas en linea	\$471.00
Regular collection total / Total Colecta Regular	\$2,930.00
Average Weekly Expenses / Gasto semanal aproximado	\$6,000.00
Weekly Deficit / Deficit Semanal	(\$3,070.00)
Second Collection / Segunda Colecta (Utility fund)	\$397.00
Diocesan services fund/ Fond de servicios diocesanos	\$200.00
Sunday Breakfast / Desayuno Dominical ()	n/a

Liturgical Schedule**Eucharistic Adoration / Adoración Eucarística**

Fridays after Mass, from 10:00am to 6:00pm

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, Saturday at 4:15pm
Por cita, Sabado 4:15pm

Berenice Alejandre

Business Manager
(281) 881-4705
balejandre@olosch.com

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DESAYUNO DOMINICAL

Domingos, 13 de Julio (Misioneras)
y 20 de Julio (Grupo de Hombres)

EN EL SALON PARROQUIAL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, pancakes, pan dulce y café

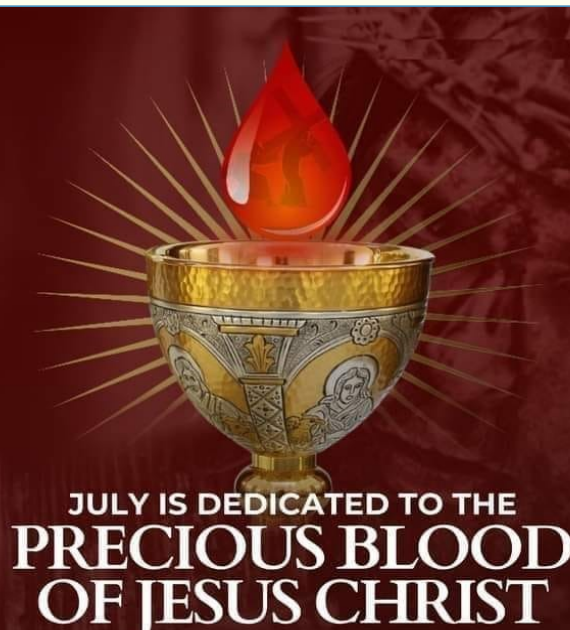
SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sundays, July 13 & 20

IN THE PARISH HALL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, pancakes and coffee



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