

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

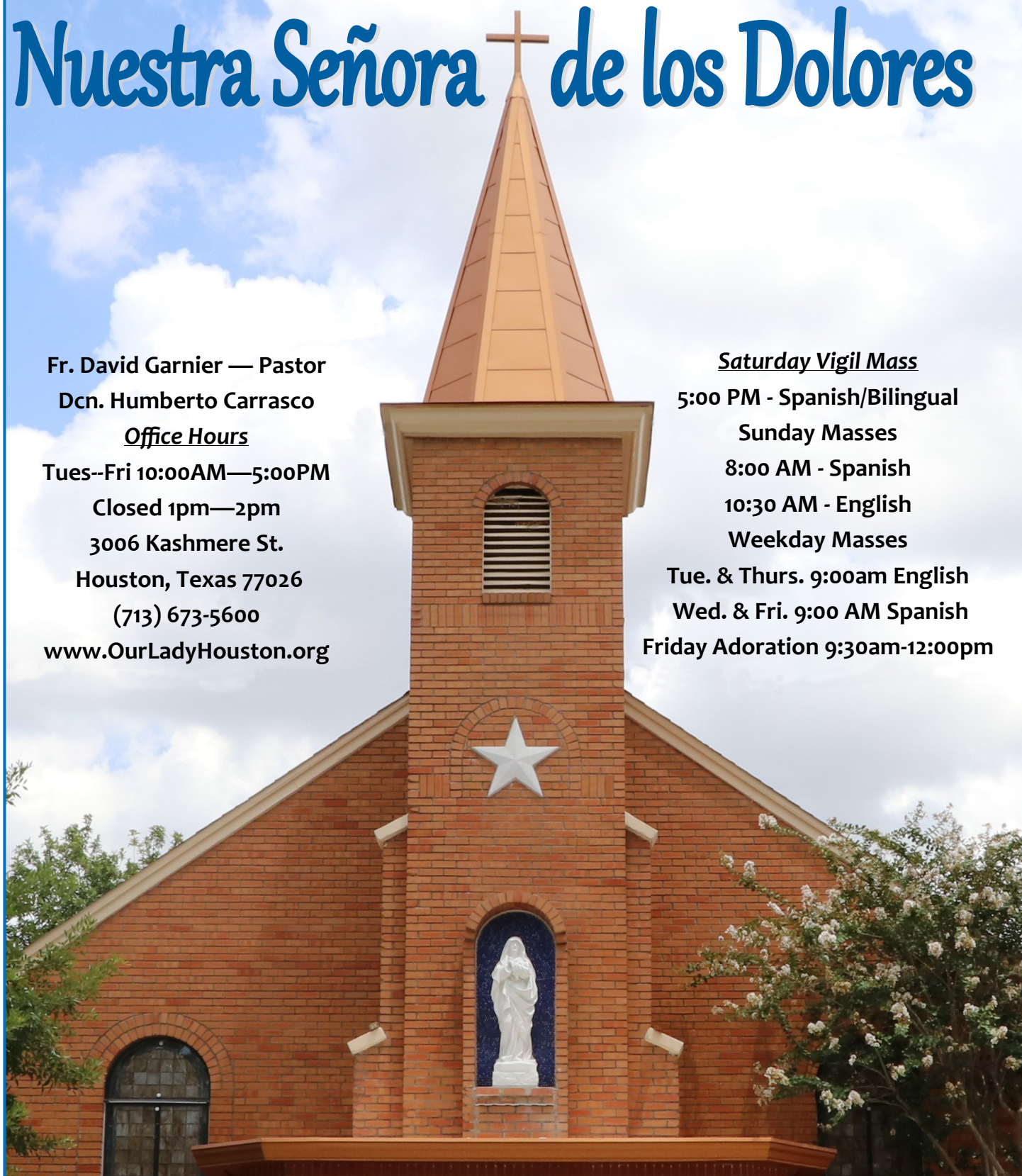
10:30 AM - English

Weekday Masses

Tue. & Thurs. 9:00am English

Wed. & Fri. 9:00 AM Spanish

Friday Adoration 9:30am-12:00pm





Lecturas de la Semana

Monday	<i>Sts. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael</i> Dn 7:9–10, 13–14 or Rv 12:7–12ab / Jn 1:47–51
Tuesday	<i>St. Jerome: Zec</i> 8:20–23 / <i>Lk</i> 9:51–56
Wednesday	<i>St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus</i> Neh 2:1–8 / <i>Lk</i> 9:57–62
Thursday	<i>Holy Guardian Angels</i> Neh 8:1–4a, 5–6, 7b–12 / Mt 18:1–5, 10
Friday	Bar 1:15–22 / <i>Lk</i> 10:13–16
Saturday	<i>St. Francis of Assisi</i> Bar 4:5–12, 27–29 / <i>Lk</i> 10:17–24
Sunday	<i>Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Habakkuk 1:2–3; 2:2–4 2 Tm 1:6–8, 13–14 Lk 17:5–10

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, Jesús y Consuelo Maya, Lidia Ramos, Leonardo De La Cruz, Ana de la Rosa, Lisette Serrano, Guadalupe García, Adán García, Nancy Romero, Erick Rangel, Olivia Martínez, María Quintanilla, Aleck Talamantes, Julie Yáñez, Leonarda Maldonado, Salvador & Marie Olivarez, Beatrice & Edward Presas, José L. Martínez, Eva y Fernando Aguilar, Juan & María López, Ruby Clay, Fr. Norberto Conde, Benjamín Otero, Francisco Álvarez, 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. Rodríguez

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, September 28

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, September 30

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
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Wednesday, October 1

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
10:00am—12:00pm	Taller de Oracion y Vida
6:30pm—8:00pm	Youth Group Begins

Thursday, October 2

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
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Friday, October 3

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
10:00am—12:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, October 4

5:00pm—6:00pm	Mass / Misa
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Sunday, October 5

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, October 7

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
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Wednesday, October 8

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
10:00am—12:00pm	Taller de Oracion y Vida
6:30pm—8:00pm	Youth Group

Thursday, October 9

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
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Friday, October 10

9:00am—10:00am	Mass / Misa
10:00am—12:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, October 11

8:00am—2:00pm	Community Garage Sale
5:00pm—6:00pm	Mass / Misa

Sunday, October 12

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

(Carta en español en la página 5)

“Woe to the Complacent!”*By Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA*

In traditional societies, a woe is a frightening declaration. It was more than a warning. It was considered performative. This means that as soon as the words were spoken, what it described began to happen. The first verse in today's first reading states the woe; the last verse describes what will happen. And it did happen. Those with wealth and prestige were the first to be exiled from the land. It should be noted that the problem was not that they were wealthy. The Bible does not condemn wealth. The issue is how it was acquired and how it is used. The wealthy are condemned because their wealth made them complacent, indifferent to the struggles of the poor. A similar situation is found in the Gospel passage. It tells of two men: one quite prosperous and the other suffering overwhelming indignity. Their fates after death are reversed. One might think that they got their just deserts. But that is not the point of the story. The rich man wants the poor man to comfort him, but it is too late. Then, at least send the poor man to warn the rich man's family. And here is the point of the story: that should be unnecessary. They (and we) have the religious tradition, Moses, and the prophets, who have always taught that we must do what we can for our needy brothers and sisters. If they (or we) do not listen to our religious teachings, we probably will not listen to someone from the dead. Woe to the complacent!

***The wealthy are condemned because they were complacent,
indifferent to the struggles of the poor.***

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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.



News and Announcements

YOUTH GROUP

All High School students are
invited to attend
**WEDNESDAYS FROM
6:30PM — 8:00PM**

STARTING OCTOBER 1



Community
Garage Sale!

Want to be part of our
fall garage sale?

\$30 per space —
20 spaces available

Call the office to reserve your spot!

Saturday, October 11, 2025

8:00am—2:00pm

¿Quieres ser parte de nuestra venta de
garaje de otoño?

\$30 por espacio - 20 espacios disponibles

¡Llame a la oficina para reservar su lugar!

Sábado, 11 de octubre de 2025

8:00am—2:00pm

DESAYUNO DOMINICAL

Domingo, 28 de Septiembre
(Ramitas de Fe)

y 5 de Octubre (Padres de Confirmación)
EN EL SALON PARROQUIAL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, pancakes, pan dulce y café

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sundays, September 28
(Ramitas de Fe)

& October 5 (Confirmation Parents)
IN THE PARISH HALL

9:00AM — 12:00PM

Menu: Tacos, pancakes and coffee

***Online Meeting* Baptism Class for Parents and Godparents:**

Thursday, October 9, 2025 at 7:00pm

Visit ourladyofsorrowstx.flocknote.com/signup/228274 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, 9 de Octubre de 2025 a las 7:00pm

Visite ourladyofsorrowstx.flocknote.com/signup/228274 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)

“¡Ay de los complacientes!”

Por la Hna. Dianne Bergant, CSA

En las sociedades tradicionales, un ay es una declaración aterradora. Era más que una advertencia. Se consideraba performativo. Esto significa que tan pronto como se pronunciaban las palabras, lo que describían comenzaba a suceder. El primer versículo de la primera lectura de hoy enuncia el ay; el último versículo describe lo que sucederá. Y sucedió. Aquellos con riqueza y prestigio fueron los primeros en ser exiliados de la tierra. Cabe destacar que el problema no era que fueran ricos. La Biblia no condena la riqueza. La cuestión es cómo se adquirió y cómo se usa. Los ricos son condenados porque su riqueza los hizo complacientes, indiferentes a las luchas de los pobres. Una situación similar se encuentra en el pasaje del Evangelio. Habla de dos hombres: uno bastante próspero y el otro sufriendo una indignidad abrumadora. Sus destinos después de la muerte se invierten. Uno podría pensar que recibieron lo que merecían. Pero ese no es el punto de la historia. El rico quiere que el pobre lo consuele, pero ya es demasiado tarde. Entonces, al menos envíen al pobre a advertir a su familia. Y aquí está la clave de la historia: eso debería ser innecesario. Ellos (y nosotros) tenemos la tradición religiosa, Moisés y los profetas, quienes siempre han enseñado que debemos hacer lo que podamos por nuestros hermanos necesitados. Si ellos (o nosotros) no escuchamos nuestras enseñanzas religiosas, probablemente no escucharemos a un difunto. ¡Ay de los complacientes!

Los ricos son condenados por ser complacientes, indiferentes a las dificultades de los pobres.

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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.



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:

Sábado, Octubre 4

Teresa Nolzco, Teresa Huerta y Maria Castillo

Sábado, Octubre 11

María Pereira, María López, Carmen Balleza,

Mariana Torres y Carmen Herrera

Sábado, Octubre 18

Dolores Maldonado, Gloria García,

Claudia García, María Huerta, Petra Rivera,

Edilia Bastard y Dominica Contreras



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

September 27 & 28

Maintenance fund

Fondo de mantenimiento

October 4 & 5

Archdiocese of Military Services collection

Colecta para la Arquidiócesis de Servicios Militares

Offertory Collection Report: September 21, 2025

Colecta del 21 de agosto de 2025

Entire Sunday Collection / Toda la Colecta de Domingo	\$ 1,920.00
Children's collection / Colecta de los niños	\$ 45.00
Online giving contributions / Contribuciones hechas en linea	\$646.00
Regular collection total / Total Colecta Regular	\$2,611.00
Average Weekly Expenses / Gasto semanal aproximado	\$6,000.00
Weekly Deficit / Deficit Semanal	(\$3,389.00)
Second Collection / Segunda Colecta (Youth fund)	\$403.00
Diocesan services fund/ Fond de servicios diocesanos	n/a
Sunday Breakfast / Desayuno Dominical ()	\$748.00

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

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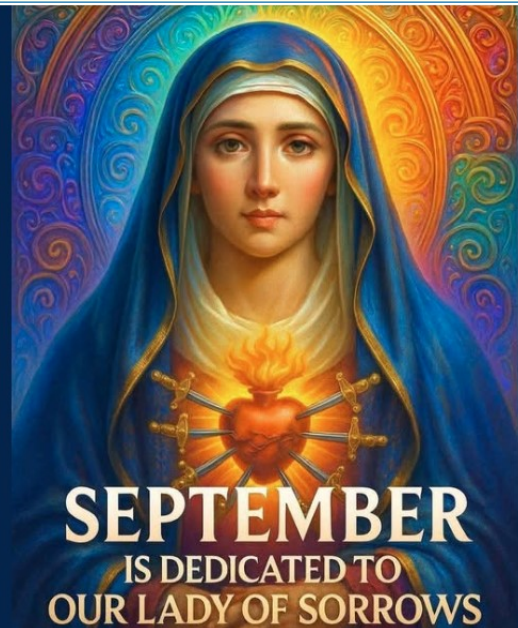
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**Sociedad del Altar**

Invitamos a toda la comunidad a ofrecerse como voluntarios para cuidar nuestro Santuario.

Algunas responsabilidades incluyen:

- Cuidado del altar, sacristía y santuario, mantener la iglesia limpia y acogedora
- Limpieza de la iglesia los sábados por la mañana y entre misas
- Decorar para días festivos y eventos especiales.

Agradecemos a los voluntarios actuales que brindan su servicio a nuestra parroquia y deseamos que otros también se presenten y brinden su servicio.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si desea ayudar en este ministerio. 713-673-5601



FEAST DAY: SEPTEMBER 29