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**St. James Catholic Church**

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# Mass Schedule

**Monday, 06/02**

No Mass

**Tuesday, 06/03**

6:30 A.M. Eugene Trobl by Robert/JoAnn Trobl (SJ)  
Victor Technik by Jerome/Georgia Pavliska  
9:30 AM Communion Service (TN&R)  
6:00 P.M. For The People of The Parish (SP)

**Wednesday, 06/04**

10:00 A.M. For World Peace (HN&R)  
5:30 P.M. J.D. Burger by Anna Burger (SJ)  
Bernard Hajovsky by Leonard/Kathy Frederick and Family

**Thursday, 06/05**

12:00 P.M. Charlie Evan by Tillie Evan (SH)

**Friday, 06/06**

6:30 A.M. Victor Technik by JoAnn Hajovsky (SJ)

**Saturday, 06/07**

5:30 P.M. Sestak Family by Family (SJ)  
August Petras by Leonard/Kathy Frederick and Family

**Sunday, 06/08**

8:00 A.M. Ray Esparza by Family (SH)  
Santos Valdez by Perez Family  
9:30 A.M. Mary Tomas by Family (SJ)  
Bob Maddox by Bea Maddox  
11:30 A.M. Cesario Almaraz by Family (SP)  
5:15 P.M. Aloys Brzozowski, Jr. (SH)  
Dorothy Bludau/Family

Benefit Kolache Bake Sale for Maggie Tatsch, grand-daughter of our parishioner, Frank & Suzanne Benes on Tuesday, June 17 at St. James Hall. Kolaches will sell for \$8.00 per dozen. To order please call Jeanette @ 672-2730, Lupe @ 672-6909, Lois @ 672-3031 or Georgia @ 672-3056. Place orders by June 10th.

**Sacrificial Giving: Thank You!**

St. James	\$2,035.00
Sacred Heart	\$1,518.72
St. Patrick	\$ 513.40

**St. James Church**

**Flowers at the Tabernacle:** Ursula Holubec  
**Flowers at the Altar:** in honor of 11th wedding anniversary of Chuck/Cheryl Pavliska  
**Flowers at the Pulpit:** in thanksgiving for birthday of Dawson Janca  
**Additional Flowers at the Altar:** weekend of May 18th were provided by Glen/Sandra Brown, in honor of the birthday of their sons, Dillon and Colby Brown  
**Flowers at the Blessed Mother:** weekend of May 25th were provided by the Knights of Columbus

**Sacred Heart Church**

**Flowers at the Tabernacle:** community

**Ministers for Next Sunday**

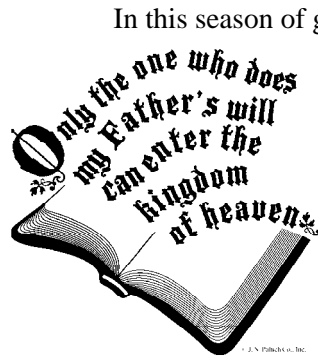
**Thank You for Serving**

5:30 PM Lector: Doris Baros  
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry  
William Berger/Marvin Siegel  
Ushers: Bobby LaFleur/Billy Mikesch  
Michael Simper/James Sestak  
8:00 AM Lector: Rocio Leon/Yolanda DeLaBarreda  
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso  
Patsy Camarillo/Mary Porras  
Ushers: Volunteers  
9:30 AM Lector: Leon Netardus  
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry  
Mary Ellen Shelton/Cecilia Williamson  
Ushers: Lance Benes/Glenn Brown  
John Davis/Gerald Fougerat, Jr.  
11:30 AM Lector: Rosalba Villegas  
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso  
Lupe Almaraz/Rosa Melchor  
Ushers: Volunteers  
5:15 PM Lector: Teen ACTS  
Min. of Comm.: Berny/John Klapuch  
Ushers: Volunteers

**ACTS NEWS**

Songfest will be held every first Saturday at the 5:30 p.m. mass at St. James Church and then every 3rd month, February, May, August, and November there will be no potluck after the mass.  
Plans are under way for the ACTS picnic, please watch bulletin for details.  
No June Area Gatherings

**GRADUATION ADDRESS**



In this season of graduations, we have an ancient model for a brilliant graduation address. Moses exhorts the people of Israel to take the words of God—the commandments—to heart and make an earnest effort to pass them on to succeeding generations. This message applies to us as well. Superficial knowledge of the Lord's words will not do.

To say over and over "Lord, Lord!" or "Yes, Lord!" while doing nothing is all too common, even today.

And Paul does not contradict Moses when he says that we are justified by faith apart from observance of the law. If we have faith in the Lord, then we love the Lord. Out of that love we will want to know God's will and act in accord with God's every word. Jesus' great love for us brings justification entirely out of proportion to the sins of those who have faith in the Lord and try to keep God's word.

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**Bulletin deadline every Monday at 5 pm**

**Dear friends -**

**Happy Summertime!** I hope each of you gets some well-deserved break this summer. If any of you are looking for a *CHEAP GET-AWAY* for yourself and your family, I offer my little cabin, located about 100 miles from Gonzales on the Tres-Palacios River, a few miles from Palacios, Texas and about forty miles from the Gulf at Matagorda. Call me if you'd like to reserve some time there - The accommodations are "frugal but adequate" for a day, or several days, away from your usual surroundings. All members of our Catholic Community are welcome. I also have some free evenings during the summer and would love to come to your home to share a meal, or just a little visit. Call me if your time permits. I'll throw in a blessing of your home and family - no charge! -- Fr. Paul

**Deacon Candidates:** Recently, I received correspondence by e-mail from Mrs. Maria Gonzalez, secretary to Fr. Jim Rutkowski, Director of the Diaconate Program for the Archdiocese of San Antonio, stating: "I am pleased to advise that the Diaconate Selection Board has recommended the acceptance of Mr. William Johnson of your parish, into discernment for the Diaconate Formation Program beginning August 2008. Acceptance is provisional in nature, in that Bill will be in discernment for the first year of the Program. At the end of the discernment period, an evaluation will be made concerning his suitability for continuation in the program." You may recall that two years ago, both Bill and John Klapuch had applied for the Diaconate. At that time, the Office accepted only twenty candidates, including John. The rest were put on a waiting list. John will be entering his third year of preparation this year, and is due to be ordained deacon in 2011. Now, the Office has invited those who were on that waiting list to begin the Formation Program.

The road ahead for Bill will be a demanding and challenging one. I will be meeting with him regularly during this time, and ask the help of our Catholic Community in giving Bill the support and feedback he will need to grow in spirit and to develop the knowledge and skills he will need to serve our people. -- Fr. Paul

**Eucharistic Adoration this Friday, 6:30 am-12 midnight** at Sacred Heart. Come and be still with your Lord. Let His presence fill you. Thanks to all who have committed an hour of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

**Please remember our parishioners and their family members who have died during the past month:** Abran Zavala Sr., Mary Lou Douglas, and Michelle Studler.

**Special Collection This Weekend:** Religious Education. We thank you for your generosity!

**Congratulations to Juan Jose Reyna and Alexandra De Leon,** who celebrate the sacrament of Matrimony this Saturday, June 7, at 3 pm at Sacred Heart!

**St. Patrick's News -** We are making plans for the third and final stage of the St. Patrick building project - the badly-needed renovation of the interior of the church. Archbishop Gomez has given us permission to proceed with the project as the money is available. Soon, we will be soliciting the financial help of the St. Patrick's community. Though we will do no mail-out campaign to the rest of our Catholic Community, we will invite you to participate as well, to help our fellow Catholics as well, to the extent you are able. Our slogan for the campaign is "St. Patrick's: The Little Church That Could!"

**Summer Vacation Bible School: ...will be held** the week of June 9-13, at St. James Parish Hall. For all children, age 4-grade 5. Registration forms are available at the church entrances. If you can help with Vacation Bible School this year, please call Cheryl Pavliska, 437-2726, or Rene Singleton, 540-3507.

**Queridos Amigos -**

**¡Feliz Tiempo de Verano!** Espero que cada uno puede descansar por un rato en estos meses. Si está buscando un lugar muy barato para ustedes y su familia, yo ofrezco mi cabaña, que se hubica como 100 millas de distancia de Gonzales, en el Rio Tres Palacios, unos diez millas de Palacios, Texas y como cuarenta millas de la playa de Matagorda. Llámeme si quisieras reservar tiempo allí - es un lugar simple pero adecuado para pasar un día, o varias días, fuera de su casa. Todos los miembros de la Comunidad Católica están invitados. Tengo también tiempo libre en el verano en las tardes, y tendría ganas de visitarles en su casa, compartiendo una comida o una visita. Llámeme si su tiempo permite. Al pasar por su casa, ofrezco también una bendición de ustedes y su hogar - ¡gratis! -- Padre Paul

**Candidatos para el Diaconado:** Recientemente, recibí un correo electrónico de Sra. María Gonzalez, secretaria al Padre Jim Rutkowski, Director del Programa del Diaconado para la Arquidiócesis de San Antonio. La carta dice: "Tengo el placer de avisarle que la Mesa de Selecciones para el Diaconado ha recomendado la aceptación del Sr. William Johnson de su parroquia, al discernimiento para el Diaconado, empezando en Agosto de 2008. Después del año de discernimiento, habrá una evaluación para su continuación en el programa." Acaso recuerda usted que hace dos años, Bill y John Klapuch habían aplicado para el diaconado. En ese tiempo, la Oficina aceptó solo veinte candidatos, incluyendo a John. Los demás tuvieron que esperar. En agosto, John entrará su tercer año de estudios, y debe ser ordenado como diácono en 2011. Ahora, la Oficina ha aceptado a todos aquellos que estaban esperando, a empezar el programa de formación.

El camino hacia el diaconado es largo y difícil. Yo me juntaré regularmente con él, y pido la ayuda de nuestra Comunidad Católica en darle el apoyo y el consejo que necesitará para crecer en espíritu y desarrollar su conocimiento y las habilidades que se necesitan para servir bien a nuestra comunidad. -- Fr. Paul

**Adoración Eucarística este Viernes, 6:30 am - 12 medianoche** en Sagrado Corazón. Venga para pasar tiempo en silencio con tu Señor, abriendo tu corazón a su presencia. Gracias a todos que han comprometido una hora de oración ante el Santísimo.

**Recuerden en su oración nuestros parroquianos y sus familiares que fallecieron en el mes pasado:** Abran Zavala Sr., Mary Lou Douglas y Michelle Studler.

**Colecta Especial este Fin de Semana:** Educación Religiosa. ! Gracias por su generosidad!

**Felicidades a Juan Jose Reyna y Alexandra de Leon,** que celebran el sacramento del matrimonio este sábado, Junio 7, a las 3 pm en Sagrado Corazón!

**Noticias de San Patricio:** Estamos planificando el tercer, y último, paso del proyecto de construcción en San Patricio - la renovación del interior de la iglesia. Arzobispo Gómez nos ha dado permiso de seguir con el proyecto, si hay disponible el dinero. Muy pronto vamos a solicitar la ayuda financiera de las familias de San Patricio. No vamos a enviar cartas al resto de nuestra comunidad Católica, pero vamos a invitar su participación, al extento que pueden. Llamamos nuestra campaña "San Patricio: La Iglesia Chiquita que Sí Puede!"

**Escuela Bíblica de Verano:** se llevará a cabo la semana de Junio 9-13, en el Salon de St. James. Para todos los niños de 4 años de edad hasta el grado 5. Formas de registración están disponibles en las entradas de las iglesias. Si puede usted ayudar con la Escuela Bíblica este año, llame a Cheryl Pavliska, 437-2726, o Rene Singleton, 540-3507.



**The Holy Rosary** will be recited before the 9:30 A.M. mass by the following: 1st Sunday-Youth, 2nd Sunday-St. James Altar Society, 3rd Sunday-Catholic Daughters of America, 4th Sunday-Knights of Columbus, and 5th Sunday-Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus.

**El Santo Rosario** se reza cada Domingo antes de la misa de 8:00 A.M.

**Divine Mercy** Monday-Friday @ 3 pm at Sacred Heart Church.

**Scriptural Rosary:** every Monday @ 5:00 P.M. in the St. James Church.

**The Holy Rosary** will be recited every Monday @ 6:30 P.M. at Sacred Heart Church.

**Bible Study** every Monday @ 7:30 P.M. in the Sacred Heart Hall.

**Estudio Bíblico** Lunes a las 7:30 P.M. en el Salón de Sacred Heart.

**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help** every Wednesday after 5:30 P.M. Mass at St. James Church.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** every First Friday after the 6:30 A.M. Mass at Sacred Heart Church.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28-34
- Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Mk 12:38-44
- Sunday: Hos 6:3-6; Ps 50; Rom 4:18-25; Mt 9:9-13

“Everyone who listens to these words of mine and acts on them will be like a wise man who built his house on rock.”

— *Matthew 7:24*



*Week-At-A-Glance:*

- Sun June 1, 9 am, SH.....Guadalupanas
- Sun June 1, 12:30 pm, SP.....Guadalupanas
- Tues June 3, 7 pm,.....Pastoral Council
- Fri June 6, SH.....Adoration
- Sun June 8, 9 am, SH.....Santo Nombre

**Sacred Heart Guadalupanas** will meet every first Sunday of the month and participate in the 8:00 A.M. Mass.

**St. Patrick’s Guadalupanas** will meet every first Sunday of the month and participate in the 6:30 P.M. Mass every Tuesday.

**The Santo Nombre** will meet every second Sunday of the month and participate in the 8:00 A.M. Mass.

**Knights of Columbus** participate in the 9:30 A.M. Mass every fourth Sunday of the month and meet at 7 P.M. every second Wednesday of the month at the K.C. Hall. Officer/Business meeting held on the last Wednesday of the month at 7:30 P.M.

**St. James Choir** practice will be on Monday evenings at 6 P.M. at St. James Church.

**The Altar Society** will meet every second Tuesday of the month in the conference room at 9 A.M.

**ACTS Core Committee** will meet every third Tuesday of the month in the CCD Center at 6:30 P.M.

**Catholic Daughters of America** will meet every fourth Tuesday of the month in the St. James Hall at 6 P.M.

## **Office Hours**

Monday-Friday  
8:30—12:00 PM  
1:00 PM—5:30 PM

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## **Sacrament of Baptism Interview with Parents**

Second Tuesday of Each Month  
anytime between 7:00 and 8:30 PM at office  
or second Tuesday of Each Month  
anytime between 5:00 and 6:00 PM at St. Patrick  
or by special appointment with Deacon.

## **Class for Parents and Godparents 4th Sunday of Each Month**

6:15 PM at Sacred Heart  
*Baptism celebrated at the end of any Sunday Mass  
Preparation may be done before child is born.*

## **Sacrament of Marriage**

Please Call Office  
At least Six Months Prior to wedding

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

(Confession)  
Saturday 4:30-5:15 PM (St. James)  
Tuesday 5:45-6:15 PM (St. Patrick)  
Immediately before or after Masses (on request)  
or by special appointment

## **Adult Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist**

Call office or join our RCIA group

## **Mass Schedule**

### **Saturday**

5:30 PM—St. James

### **Sunday**

8:00 AM—Sacred Heart (Spanish)  
9:30 AM—St. James  
11:30 AM—St. Patrick (Spanish/English)  
5:15 PM—Sacred Heart

### **Monday**

no services

### **Tuesday**

6:30 AM—St. James  
9:30 AM—Care Inn (every other week)  
6:00 PM—St. Patrick (Spanish/English)

### **Wednesday**

9:30 AM—Cartwheel Lodge (every other week)  
5:30 PM—St. James

### **Thursday**

12:00 PM—Sacred Heart

### **Friday**

6:30 AM—St. James (on First Fridays —  
Sacred Heart)