

Hope Guevara

St. James Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Monday, 9/14

No Mass

Tuesday, 9/15

- 6:30 A.M. Paul J. Raaz by Margaret Aschenbeck (SJ)
- 9:30 A.M. Fr. Gus Amanzeh by Fr. Paul (TN&R)
- 6:00 P.M. For Rain (SP)

Wednesday, 9/16

- 10:00 A.M. Communion Service (HN&R)
- 5:30 P.M. Lillian Malatek by (SJ)
Mike/Patsy Darilek
Henrietta Sitka by Stan/Joyce Tieken

Thursday, 9/17

- 12:00 P.M. Hattie Lesak by Husband, Anton Lesak (SH)
Justine Darilek by Mike/Patsy Darilek

Friday, 9/18

- 6:30 A.M. Marian Kuntschik by Margaret Zella (SJ)

Saturday, 9/19

- 5:30 P.M. Ernest Almaraz by Wife/Family (SJ)
Leola/Herman Gleinser, Pete Davis, and Rhonda
Mikeska by Family

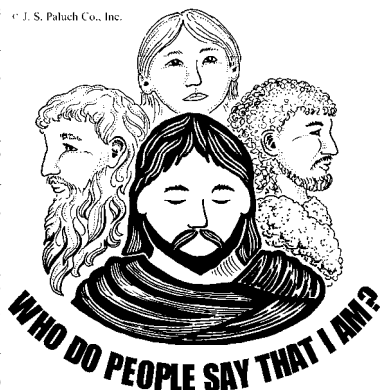
Sunday, 9/20

- 8:00 A.M. Living/deceased Members of (SH)
Rudolfo/Sara Perez Family by Family
Lupe Valdez by Linda Valdez
- 9:30 A.M. Frances Brunkenhoefer by (SJ)
Mike/Patsy Darilek
Suzanna Camarillo by Josie Rodriguez
- 11:30 A.M. For The People of The Parish (SP)
- 5:15 P.M. Frank/Florence Hrnirik by Family (SH)
Leslie Bludau by Family

LISTENING AND RESPONDING

There are three interwoven themes in today's readings: listening to God, faith vs. good works, and losing our life in order to find it. How are they related?

The Suffering Servant of Isaiah undergoes much distress and ridicule, but is able to bear it because he has listened to the promptings of God day after day. The psalm tells us that God listens, too. God hears our prayers for help and is always ready to save us. As our faith deepens, so does our desire to do the works of justice and charity that build up the reign of God. God directs our actions in ways we often cannot see, and we don't always see the results. We are called upon in faith to trust that what we do is enough, and that willingness to listen to God's promptings will lead us in the right way.



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Week-At-A-Glance:

- Sat Sep 12, SHC.....Jamaica
- Sun Sep 13, 11 am.....First day CCD K-5
- Sun Sep 13, 11 am, SJCR.....CAFÉ Class
- Mon Sep 14,.....CIELO begins
- Tues Sep 15, 5 pm, SJCR.....Catholic Daughters
- Tues Sep 15, 7 pm.....ACTS Core
- Wed Sep 16, 6:30 pm.....CCD 6-12
- Sep 17-20.....Men's ACTS Retreat
- Sat Sep 19, 8 am.....Cemetery Clean up
- Sun Sep 20,.....Catechetical Sun.
- Sun Sep 20, 11 am.....CCD K-5
- Sun Sep 20, 11 am, SJCR.....CAFÉ Class

The Lord GOD is my help,
therefore I am not disgraced.
— Isaiah 50:7



Ministers for Next Sunday

Thank You for Serving

- 5:30 PM Lectors: Kermit Thiele
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
Joe Vana/Marvin Siegel
Ushers: James Darilek/A.A. Kotzebue
Billy Mikesh/Bobby LaFleur
- 8:00 AM Lector: Lupe/Jose Carmen Mendoza
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
Lidia/Abel Ascencio
Ushers: Volunteers
- 9:30 AM Lector: Mens ACTS
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
Mens ACTS
Ushers: Bobby Tomas/Jason Tomas
Gerald Fougerat/Michael Fougerat
- 11:30 AM Lector: LaClaire Hermann
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
John Kelly/Rosalba Villegas
Ushers: Volunteers
- 5:15 PM Lector: Bonnie SanMiguel
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
John/Berny Klapuch
Ushers: Volunteers

St. James Church

Flowers at the Tabernacle: Lois Philips
Flowers at the Altar: in memory of Leslie/Leslie Gene Bludau by Dorothy Bludau and family

Sacred Heart Church

Flowers at the Altar: in memory of Ernestina Arellano by Gloria/Michael Torres and Marcelino Arellano

Stop by the church office during office hours to schedule mass intentions for the year 2010.

We hope you enjoyed our fiestas! Thanks to all who worked very hard to make our Fiesta Guacamole and our Sacred Heart Jamaica such great events. It is very important for a community like ours to come together to have fun and to support one another's efforts.

Welcome to all of our children who will attend Religious Education Classes this year! We, your community, promise our support for you as you learn your faith, and grow in your friendship with God.

RCIA - Are you an adult interested in receiving the sacraments, in returning to the Church, or craving a deeper knowledge of faith? RCIA may be for you! Sessions begin today, Sept. 13 at 8 am (English) and 11 am (Spanish), both at St. James. Come check it out!

The St. James Youth Choir will have choir practice on Wednesday from 4:00 to 5:00 pm beginning this Wednesday, Sept. 9. All students attending Gonzales schools or any private schools are invited to join the choir.

Catechetical Sunday: At next weekend's masses, we will ask our community's blessing on our Catechists - those who have come forward to teach in our programs of religious education. Catechists, may you grow in faith through sharing it with those whom our community entrusts to your care.

This Sunday, please welcome Father John Makothakat, who celebrates the 5:30, 9:30, 11:30 and 5:15 masses, allowing me to spend some good "Jamaica Time" Saturday, ad to attend our annual Gold Family Reunion in Nada, Texas this Sunday. -- Fr. Paul

Please pray for the men of our parish who go on an ACTS Retreat this coming weekend. And please receive them well at the Return Mass next Sunday at 9:30 am.

Would you like to be an altar server? This special ministry is open to all boys and girls who have received First Eucharist, and who are attending mass regularly. We will have a special meeting THIS COMING SUNDAY, SEPT. 20, AT 2:30 PM, in St. James Church, for all the children from Sacred Heart and St. James who are interested.

Do you need, or do you know someone who needs, a ride to church? We are trying to discern what need there may be to organize an effort to provide transportation for those who would like to come but are unable to do so. Please call the rectory, 672-2945.

eSPIRITu - did you receive your copy in the mail? If not, do two things - take a copy from the church entrance, and call us at the office so we can put your name on the mailing list!

CAFÉ - Our "Catholic Apostles Furthering Education" invite you to join them in the St. James Conference Room Sundays at 11 am. This week's topic is "Organizations of Our Church, Part II." Next week there is no class.

Our community's blessing on Carlos and Ana Pedraza, and to Rodolfo and Marlene Rosas, who celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony this Saturday, Sept. 19, at Sacred Heart Church.

Special Collection at St. Patrick's Next Weekend: Jeremiah Fund - to help the needy in the Waelder area.

OVASE Coordinator: Mrs. Pat Perez - 830-491-1183.

¡Esperamos que todos gozaron mucho en las fiestas! Gracias a todos los que trabajaron mucho para el éxito de la Fiesta Guacamole y la Jamaica de Sagrado Corazón. Es muy importante para comunidades como la nuestra, unirnos para diversión, y para apoyar los esfuerzos de los unos y otros.

Bienvenidos a todos los niños y jóvenes que asistirán en las clases de Educación Religiosa en este año. Nosotros, su comunidad de fe, prometemos nuestro apoyo en el trabajo importante de aprender su fe y crecer en su amistad con Dios.

RICA - ¿Eres un adulto interesado en recibir los sacramentos, en regresar a la iglesia, y deseando un entendimiento mas a fondo de la fe? ¡Acaso RICA es el programa que buscas! Sesiones empezarán ahora mismo a las 8 am (inglés) y 11 am (español). ¡Vengas a ver!

El Coro de Jóvenes de St. James empezará sus prácticas este miércoles, sept. 9, 4-5 pm. Todos los estudiantes que atienden las escuelas de Gonzales, o escuelas privadas, están invitados.

Domingo de Catequistas: En las misas del próximo domingo, pediremos la bendición de nuestra comunidad sobre los catequistas - los que van a enseñar en los programas de educación religiosa. Catequistas, esperamos que crezcan en la fe por compartirla con los que su comunidad confiamos a su cuida.

Este domingo, favor de recibir al Padre John Makothakat, que celebra las misas de 5:30, 9:30, 11:30 y 5:15, librándome a pasar mas tiempo en la Jamaica el sábado, y atender nuestra Reunión Familiar de la familia "Gold" en Nada, Texas este domingo. -- Fr. Paul

Recen por los hombres de nuestra parroquia que participarán en el retiro de ACTS el próximo fin de semana. Y recíbelos bien cuando regresan para la misa de 9:30 el próximo domingo.

¿Quieres ser monaguillo(a)? Este ministerio especial está abierto a todos los hombrecitos y mujercitas que han recibido su Primera Eucaristía, y asistirán regularmente en la misa. Habrá una junta especial EL DOMINGO QUE VIENE, SEP. 20, A LAS 2:30 PM en la iglesia de St. James, para todos los niños y niñas de St. James y Sagrado Corazón que están interesados.

¿Necesita usted, o conozca alguien que necesita, transporte a la iglesia? Estamos tratando que saber qué necesidad existe para organizar un esfuerzo de proveer transportación para los que quieren venir, pero no pueden. Llame a la rectoría, 672-2945.

eSPIRITu - ¿recibiste tu copia en el correo? Si no, haga dos cosas - lleve una copia de la entrada de la iglesia - y llámenos en la oficina para que pongamos su nombre en la lista de correo.

CAFÉ - Los Apóstoles Católicos Promoviendo la Educación les invitan a la junta en el St. James Conference Room este domingo a las 11 am. Tópico será "Organizaciones de Nuestra Iglesia, Parte II. No habrá clase el próximo domingo.

Extendemos la bendición de nuestra comunidad sobre Carlos y Ana Pedraza, y sobre Rodolfo y Marlene Rosas, que celebran el sacramento de matrimonio este sábado, sep. 19, en Sagrado Coarazón.

Colecta Especial en San Patricio el próximo fin de semana - Fundo de Jeremias - para ayudar a los necesidades en la area de Waelder.

Coordinador de OVASE: Sra. Pat Perez - 830-491-1183.



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.

Sacrificial Giving: Thank You!

St. James	\$3,470.50
Sacred Heart	\$1,353.42
St. Patrick	\$ 741.65
CCD	\$1,279.96

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
 Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
 Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Lk 7:31-35
 Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16; Lk 7:36-50
 Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Lk 8:1-3
 Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Lk 8:4-15
 Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54; Jas 3:16 — 4:3;
 Mk 9:30-37

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

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

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 7 P.M.

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

Sacred Heart Choir practice every Wednesday at 7 pm at Sacred Heart Parish Hall .

Bulletin deadline every Monday at 5 pm

Office Hours

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

Office E-mail: catholic@stx.rr.com
Fr. Paul's E-mail: PaulRaaz@stx.rr.com

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—Texan Nursing/Rehab. (every other week)

6:00 PM—St. Patrick (Spanish/English)

Wednesday

9:30 AM—Hill Country Nursing/Rehab. (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)