

Hope Guevara

St. James Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Monday, 9/21

No Mass

Tuesday, 9/22

6:30 A.M. Georgia Technik by (SJ)
M/M Dennis Kutach Family
9:30 A.M. Communion Service (TN&R)
6:00 P.M. For Rain (SP)

Wednesday, 9/23

10:00 A.M. Paul J. Raaz by Evelyn Kridler (HN&R)
Frank, Jim, and Buck Okruhlik by Tracy Kocian
5:30 P.M. Rudy Hrcirik by Jean Hrcirik (SJ)

Thursday, 9/24

12:00 P.M. Suzanna Camarillo by Laura Wilson (SH)

Friday, 9/25

6:30 A.M. Emma Garcia by Jay Tinsley Family (SJ)

Saturday, 9/26

5:30 P.M. Burgess Kridler by Evelyn Kridler (SJ)
and Family
Skinny Malatek by Family

Sunday, 9/27

8:00 A.M. Secundino Reyna by Children (SH)
Deceased Family Members of Selso/Maria
Cresencia Martinez
9:30 A.M. Angeline Malatek by (SJ)
Mike/Patsy Darilek
Suzanna Camarillo by Dorothy Bludau/Emily
Kuntschik
11:30 A.M. Cesario Almaraz by Family (SP)
Paul A. Martinez by Family
5:15 P.M. Our Military by Divine Mercy Group (SH)
Suzanna Camarillo by M/M Larry Mercer

St. James Church

Flowers at the Tabernacle: Pat Schurig
Flowers at the Altar: in memory of Jesse Hidalgo by Kenny/
Lena Hernandez and family
Flowers at the Pulpit: in memory of Hattie Lesak by Anton
Lesak

Sacred Heart Church

Flowers at the Altar: community

Week-At-A-Glance:

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| Sun Sep 20,..... | Catechetical Sun. |
| Sun Sep 20, 11 am..... | CCD K-5 |
| Sun Sep 20, 11 am, SJCR..... | CAFÉ Class |
| Tues Sep 22, 6 pm, SJH..... | Catholic Daughters |
| Tues Sep 22, 6:30 pm, SPC..... | Pastoral Council |
| Wed Sep 23, 6:30 pm..... | CCD 6-12 |
| Wed Sep 23, 7 pm..... | KC mtg. |
| Sat Sep 26, 8 am, SJH..... | Women's ACTS mini-retreat |
| Sat Sep 26, 9 am or 7 pm, SJC..... | First Comm. Parent mtg |
| Sun Sep 27, 11 am..... | CCD K-5 |
| Sun Sep 27, 11 am, SJCR..... | CAFÉ Class |
| Sun Sep 27, 6:15 pm, SHC..... | Baptism class |

Ministers for Next Sunday
Thank You for Serving

5:30 PM Lectors: Doris Baros
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
Jeanette/Bill Technik
Ushers: Michael Simper/Mike Brzozowski
Tim Knesek/James Sestak
8:00 AM Lector: Sandra Mendoza/Fernanda Velazquez
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
Gloria/Arnulfo Moreno
Ushers: Volunteers
9:30 AM Lector: Sandra Brown
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
Sheryl/James Barborak
Ushers: John Davis/Jeffrey Simper
Greg Tieken/John Holubec
11:30 AM Lector: David Ibarra
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
Lupe Almaraz/Rosa Melchor
Ushers: Volunteers
5:15 PM Lector: Barbara Stefinsky
Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
Gerald Bazan/Lupe Saldana
Ushers: Volunteers

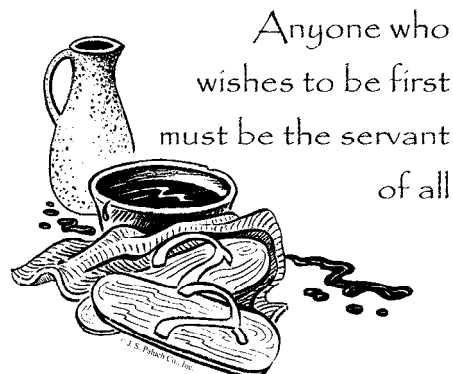
Stop by the church office during office hours to schedule mass intentions for the year 2010.

HOW DO WE TREAT THE MESSENGER?

Let's not be too hasty in defining who is "the wicked one" and who (namely us) is just! We are very quick to label others as evil, because we tend to label ourselves as good guys. We don't like it when we are brought up short by a prophetic voice that brings us some bad news about our own behavior. We don't like to be reproached for transgressions of the law or charged with violations of our training.

We may condemn and abuse those who bring us up against these truths about ourselves when, if we were really good, we would thank them for helping to keep us on the right path. This is the way they treated the prophets and the way they treated Jesus. Is this also the way we treat those whose message we don't like?

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Catechetical Sunday: At this 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.

A warm welcome back home to our Brothers in Christ who return from retreat for the 9:30 mass this weekend. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide them. Special prayers go out to the Women's ACTS Team for a deeply spiritual retreat coming up successful retreat.

CAFÉ - Our "Catholic Apostles Furthering Education" invite you to join them in the St. James Conference Room next Sunday at 11 am. We will study "Angels: What the Bible and Church teach us about angels."

Special Collection at St. Pat's Today: Jeremiah Fund - to help the needy in the Waelder area.

Are you a Single Catholic Young Adult considering a vocation as a priest, sister or religious brother? Come to a Day of Reflection this Saturday, Sept. 26, 9 am - 3 pm at Assumption Seminary, 2600 W. Woodlawn in San Antonio. Call the Archdiocesan Vocation Office, 210-735-0553 to register or receive more information.

Please remember in prayer our parishioners who recently passed away: John Janecka and Jesus Antonio San Miguel. John is buried in our Gonzales Catholic Cemetery, and Jesus in the Gonzales Memorial Cemetery.

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 SUNDAY, SEPT. 20, 2:30 PM in St. James Church, for all the children of St. James and Sacred Heart who are interested.

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! You can still register for sessions on Sundays at 8 am (English) and 11 am (Spanish), both at St. James. Come check it out!

The St. James Youth Choir has choir practice Wednesdays, 4-5 pm. All students attending Gonzales schools or any private schools are invited to join the choir.

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.

Nominations for Pastoral Council: All nominations need to be in by Monday, Sept. 21. Extra nomination sheets are available at the church entrances. Selections of Candidates will take place next Sunday, at the 8:00 and 9:30 masses.

Domingo de Catequistas: En las misas de este 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.

Una bienvenida a nuestros hermanos en Cristo que regresan de su retiro para la misa de 9>30 este fin de semana. Pedimos al espíritu Santo que los siga guiando en la vida. Ofrecemos oraciones especiales a los que están preparando para el retiro de mujeres, para que tengan un encuentro profundo con Dios.

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 "Ángeles: Lo que la Biblia y la Iglesia Nos Enseñan."

Colecta Especial en San Patricio Hoy: **Fundo de Jeremias** - para ayudar a los necesitados en la area de Waelder.

¿Eres un Joven Adulto, Católico y Soltero(a) considerando una vocación como sacerdote, hermana o hermano religioso? Venga a un Día de Reflexión este sabado, sept. 26, 9 am - 3 pm en el Seminario de la Asunción, 2600 W. Woodlawn in San Antonio. Llame a la Oficina de Vocaciones, 210-735-0553 para registrar o para conseguir mas información.

Recuerden en sus oraciones nuestros parroquianos que recientemente fallecieron: John Janecka y Jesús Antonio San Miguel. John está enterrado en el Cementerio Católico de Gonzales, y Jesús en el Gonzales Memorial Cemetery.

¿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 ESTE DOMINGO, 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.

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! Clases son los domingos a las 8 am (inglés) y 11 am (español). ¡Vengas a ver!

El Coro de Jóvenes de St. James tiene su práctica los miercoles, 4-5 pm. Todos los estudiantes de las escuelas de Gonzales o escuelas privadas están invitados.

¿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.

Nominaciones para el Concilio Pastoral: Todas las nominaciones se necesitan regresar a la oficina por el lunes, sept. 21. Mas formas están disponibles en las entradas de la iglesias. La selección de candidatos tomará lugar el próximo domingo el las misas de 8:00 y 9:30.



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!

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| St. James | \$2,855.36 |
| Sacred Heart | \$1,188.50 |
| St. Patrick | \$ 461.03 |

The fruit of righteousness is sown in peace for those who cultivate peace.

— James 3:18



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13
- Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Lk 8:19-21
- Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6
- Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9
- Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Lk 9:18-22
- Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-45
- Sunday: Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

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.

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

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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—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)