

Hope Guevara

St. James Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Monday, 10/19

No Mass

Tuesday, 10/20

6:30 A.M. Gerry Parr by Adeline Molnoskey (SJ)
 Joyce Brown by Adeline Molnoskey
 9:30 A.M. Communion Service (TN&R)
 6:00 P.M. People of The Parish (SP)

Wednesday, 10/21

10:00 A.M. Paul J. Raaz by John/Berney Klapuch (HN&R)
 5:30 P.M. Living/Deceased Members of (SJ)
 David Espinosa Family by Family

Thursday, 10/22

12:00 P.M. Marian Kuntschik by (SH)
 Elsie Spitzenberger
 Rosalinda Esparza by Genaro/Lupe Saldana

Friday, 10/23

6:30 A.M. Hattie Lesak by Tony Lesak (SJ)
 Carl Wood by Leonard/Kathy Frederick and Family

Saturday, 10/24

5:30 P.M. Colby Brown by Family (SJ)
 Geraldine Parr by Leonard/Kathy Frederick and Family

Sunday, 10/25

8:00 A.M. Hector Lopez Godinez by (SH)
 Mary Grifaldo/Katie Ramirez
 Santos Valdez by Familia Silva
 9:30 A.M. Paul J. Raaz by Ben/Bernice Barborak (SJ)
 Mary Tomas by Ruby Gandre
 11:30 A.M. For The People of The Parish (SP)
 5:15 P.M. Suzanne Camarillo by (SH)
 Terry/Ruthann Campion

St. James Church

Flowers at the Tabernacle: Jeanette Technik
Flowers at the Altar: thanksgiving by Kennon/James Brunkenhoefer
Flowers at the Pulpit: in memory of Charlie Tomas by Brian, Sandra, Jeremy and Jenna Philips

Sacred Heart Church

Flowers at the Altar: 54th wedding anniversary of John/Nonie Tabera
Flowers at the Pulpit: 54th wedding anniversary of John/Nonie Tabera

Week-At-A-Glance:

Sun Oct 18, 9:30 am, SJC.....CDA Sunday
 Sun Oct 18, 11 am.....CCD K-5
 Sun Oct 18, 11 am, SJCR.....CAFÉ Class
 Tue Oct 20, 5 pm.....CDA Officers Mtg.
 Tue Oct 20, 7 pm.....ACTS Core Mtg.
 Wed Oct 21, 6:30 pm.....CCD 6-12
 Sun Oct 25.....World Youth Day
 Sun Oct 25, 11 am.....CCD K-5
 Sun Oct 25, 11 am, SJCR.....CAFÉ Class
 Sun Oct 25, 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
 Lupe Saldana/Marvin Siegel
 Ushers: Michael Simper/Leroy Polasek
 Billy Mikesh/James Sestak
 8:00 AM Lector: Sandra Mendoza, Fernanda Velasquez,
 Max Moreno
 Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
 Joe Gomez/Enriqueta Valdez
 Ushers: Volunteers
 9:30 AM Lector: John Floyd
 Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
 Carrie Tinsley/James Darilek
 Ushers: Gerald Fougerat/Tim Knesek
 Jerome Pavliska/B.J. Philips
 11:30 AM Lector: Lucinda Rosas
 Min. of Comm.: Deacon Alfonso
 John Kelly/Josie Rosas
 Ushers: Volunteers
 5:15 PM Lector: John Klapuch
 Min. of Comm.: Deacon Terry
 Anita Dement/George Ara
 Ushers: Volunteers

TOO MUCH INFORMATION!

There is a common expression: "Too much information!" We usually use it when people tell us details about their lives that we don't want or need to know. Today, when James and John ask Jesus a simple question, making their request for places of honor in the kingdom, a simple answer might have been in order. Instead, as he often does, Jesus answers a question with a question; today it's about drinking the cup of suffering. Then, once the others are indignant over James and John's outrageous request, he proceeds to give them what may have been "too much information" for followers who were simply interested in the pursuit of glory. But this information, though it can sometimes seem "too much" for us, is essential for our lives as disciples. In Isaiah, in Hebrews, and in Mark today, we learn this information: it is in suffering, in weakness, in self-giving service to others, that we come to understand the kingdom. It is the information we need to find our place and come to be honored in the reign of God.

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The St. James Altar Society will have their annual Thanksgiving dinner for members and their families on Sun., Nov. 8 starting at 1 pm. Each family is asked to bring a vegetable or salad and a \$3.00 wrapped gift. For additional information contact Georgia Pavliska @ 672-3056.

All Saints' and All Souls' Days: These special days, dear to all Catholics, will soon be upon us again! All Saints' Day, Nov. 1, falls on Sunday this year, and all our masses that weekend will celebrate the saints in Word and in song. Nov. 2 is All Souls' Day, and mass will be held in our Catholic Cemetery at 5:30 pm. All are welcome!

The books have been placed at our church entrances for those who wish to write names of persons you wish remembered in a novena of masses beginning Nov. 2. Also, the 5:15 mass on Nov. 1 will be dedicated to our parishioners and their immediate family members who have died since last All Souls' Day, Nov. 2, 2008. We will soon be sending invitations to the families of those buried from our Catholic Community. If there are other immediate family members who died since last Nov. 2 whom you wish remembered, please call our office, 672-2945, to add them to the list. Their name will be called and you and your family will be invited to light a candle in their memory.

Special Mass this week: Tuesday, 4:15 at St. James - Cielo. Theme - Giving Thanks! All are welcome.

Special Collection This Weekend: World Mission Sunday. This is the day when Catholics around the world unite in prayer and financial support for the Church in mission lands. Gifts offered on this day will build churches and chapels; support seminarians, religious and catechists; provide media evangelization programs; and offer emergency assistance to over 1,150 mission dioceses. Thanks for your generosity!

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 "The Catechism": What is it and how does it affect us?" Next week we study "All Saints/All Souls' Days".

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

Our Community's Blessing on Andrew Rodriguez and Alison Guerra, who celebrate the sacrament of Matrimony this Saturday, Oct. 24, 2:30 pm at St. Cyril and Methodius Church in Shiner. Alison is a member of our Catholic Community.

Please remember our parishioners and their family members who have recently died: James Yackel and Pete Cantu. James is buried in the Evergreen Memorial Cemetery in Wharton, and Pete in the Gonzales Catholic Cemetery.

The Gonzales Youth Center Fall Bar-B-Q is set for Sun. October 18, from 11:00 to 2:00 at the Gonz. Jr. High Cafeteria. Tickets are \$7. This event needs your help. If you would like to help prepare, serve, make desserts, need tickets or need more information call Pat Anders at 857-3483, 672-7664.

Liturgical Ministers' Training: Have you considered serving our Catholic Community as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister? We will have a training session Sunday, Nov. 8, 1-4 pm at St. Patrick, and a repeat of the workshop Nov. 15, 2-5 pm at Sacred Heart. Ministers should be, first of all, Catholics who have been baptized and confirmed, and who participate in Mass and receive the sacraments regularly. They should have a willingness to serve our community in times both convenient and inconvenient. Lectors should be people who have a natural love for God's Word and who read the scriptures regularly. Eucharistic Ministers should have a well-cultivated devotion to the Eucharistic Presence of Christ, be receiving communion regularly, and disposed to spending time in the presence of our Eucharistic Lord. Please speak directly with Father Paul, 672-2945, if you are interested in attending these workshop, or just to get more information.

Día de los Santos y Día de los Muertos - ¡Estos días especiales para todos los católicos, ya se acercan! El Día de los Santos, nov. 1, cae en domingo este año, y todas las misas ese fin de semana celebrarán los santos en palabras y canto. Nov. 2 es Día de los Muertos - y se ofrecerá misa en nuestro Cementerio Católico a las 5:30 pm. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

Los libros se han colocado en las entradas de las iglesias para los que quieren inscribir los nombres de las personas que quieren recordar en un novenario de misas empezando nov. 2. También, la misa de 5:15 en nov. 1 será dedicada a nuestros parroquianos y los miembros de su familia inmediata que han muerto después de nov. 2, 2008. Enviaremos invitaciones a las familias que se enterraron desde la Comunidad Católica. Si hay otros miembros de su familia inmediata (padre, madre, hijo, hija, abuelo/a, que fallecieron desde nov. 2, 2008, y ustedes los quieren recordar en esta misa, llame a la oficina, 672-2945, y los pondremos en la lista. Llamaremos su nombre, y ud. y su familia serán invitados a prender a candle in su memoria.

Misa Especial en Esta Semana: Martes, 4:15 en St. James - Cielo. Tema - ¡Dando Gracias! Todos son bienvenidos.

Colecta Especial este fin de semana: Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. En este día, católicos a través del mundo se unen en oración y apoyo financiero para la Iglesia en territorios misioneros. Los dones que se ofrecen en este día construirán iglesias y capillas, apoyar a los seminaristas, catequistas y religiosos, extender programas de evangelización, y ofrecer asistencia en emergencia a mas de 1,150 diocesis misioneras. ¡Gracias por su generosidad!

CAFÉ - Los "Apostoles Católicos Promoviendo la Educación" les invitan al St. James Conference Room domingos a las 11. El tópico de esta semana es "El Catecismo: ¿Qué es, y como nos afecta?". La próxima semana estudiaremos "Día de los Santos, Día de los Muertos".

Nuestra comunidad bendice a Adnrew Rodriguez y Alison Guerra, que celebran el sacramento de matrimonio este sábado, oct. 24, 2:30 pm en St. Cyril y Methodius en Shiner. Alison es una miembro de nuestra Comunidad Católica.

Recuerden en sus oraciones nuestros parroquianos y miembros de su familia que fallecieron: James Yackel y Pete Cantu. James está enterrado en Evergreen Memorial Cemetery en Wharton, y Pete en el Cementerio Católico de Gonzales.

El Centro Juvenil de Gonzales tendrá su bbq de atño hoy, oct. 18, 11 am - 2 pm en la Cafetería del Junior High. Tíquetes son \$7. Este evento necesita su ayuda. Si quiere ayodar en preparar, servir, hacer postres, o si necesita tíquetes, llame a Pat Aners, en 857--3483, 672-7664.

Entrenamiento de Ministros Litúrgicos: ¿Hayas considerado servir a nuestra Comunidad Cat[ólica como Lector o Ministro Eucar[ístico]? Habrá un entrenamiento el domingo, nov. 8, 1-4 pm en San Patricio, para ser repetido el nov. 15, 2-5 pm en Sagrado Corazón. Ministros deben de ser católicos, bautizados y confirmados, que participen en la misa y reciben regularmente los sacramentos. Deben de estar dispuestos a servir a la comunidad, si los conviene o no. Lectores deben de ser personas con una devoción a la Palabra de Dios, y que leen regularmente la santa escritura. Ministros Eucarísticos deben de tener una devoción a la Presencia Eucarística de Cristo, estar recibiendo regularmente la comunión, y dispuestos a pasar tiempo en la presencia de nuestro Señor Eucarístico. Hable directamente con Padre Paul, 672-2945, si están interesados en asistir en uno de estos talleres, o para conseguir más información.



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.

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 4:20-25; Lk 12:13-21
 Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Lk 12:35-38
 Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48
 Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53
 Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Lk 12:54-59
 Saturday: Rom 8:1-11; Lk 13:1-9
 Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

Sacrificial Giving: Thank You!

St. James	\$2,302.37
Sacred Heart	\$1,228.00
St. Patrick	\$ 518.74

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

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)