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In this Sunday's readings we hear God's promise of spirit and life. We do not have to remain entombed by fear, selfishness, jealousy, greed or any other evil that kills God's life in us. Jesus passed through suffering and death so that we might have abundant life. What is the new life God is calling us to experience? What tomb do we need to leave in order to live in God's freedom and fullness of life?



Contact the Parish Office for more information.

### **MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS**

#### **Liturgical Ministries**

Eucharistic Ministers (Altar): Nancy Glover .... 254-223-0767 (Homebound): Theresa Mireles .. 254-773-4541

Lectors: Beverley Roeder ..... 254-774-1869 Altar Servers: Jennifer Stoebner.... 214-738-7482

Susan Edwards

 Ushers:
 Jay Wimberley.......
 254-721-4609

 Choir:
 Jim Mason ......
 254-773-4541

 Daily Mass:
 Ryan Colburn ......
 713-410-0784

#### Parish Organizations and Ministries

Altar Society:	Mary Helen Maldonado	254-773-4541
Adult Bible Study:	Loris Edwards	254-778-8692
Bereavement:	Hal & Dorothy Vavra	254-563-6413
Divine Mercy:	Ken Botz	254-258-2677
K.J.T. #114:	Eugene Pavlat	254-778-8954
Knights of Columbus:	Steve Loos	254-258-0879
K C Hall Management:	Joe Stewart	254-778-4611
Men of Joseph:	Dcn. Barney Rodriguez	254-773-4541
Parish Festival:	Theresa Mireles	254-773-4541
Prayer Chain:	Vicki Centeno	254-771-1330
School Trust Fund:	Terri Flores	254-778-8141
Scouting: Boy Scouts:	David Bennett	254-654-7784
Social Outreach Ministr	y: Gerald Brady	254-449-4439
Respect Life:	Kris & Janet Haynes	254-773-4541
Vocation Chalice:	Debra Hollingsworth	713-586-9800
W.O.M.E.N.	Nancy Glover	254-773-4541







Take out or dine-in

Friday March 31st 5 to 7 PM in the Ave Maria Room Early plates available beginning at 3:15pm

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Join us on Friday, April 14th at 8:15am for Mass celebrated by Bishop Joe Vasquez

In honor of St. Mary's Catholic School's 125th Anniversary.

# **Annual Easter Egg Hunt**

Join us on Sunday April 9th for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by Knights of Columbus #3444

The hunt will begin immediately following the 9:30 Mass in the soccer field.

Bring your basket & get ready to fill it with lots of great treats!

Donations of candy & plastic eggs
Are appreciated and can be left at the
Parish Office until April 4th.
(Please avoid chocolate candy)





#### **FALCONS CORNER**

#### 2023-2024 NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT

If you have any questions about enrollment please contact Mrs. Genevieve Dike at gdike@stmarys-temple.org



At 2:00 pm on Thursdays during Lent (except for 3/16 and 3/23) students will participate in Stations of the Cross in the church.

The students of St. Mary's Catholic School will present GODSPELL for their Spring Musical.



Performances will be held in the school auditorium on Friday, March 31st @ 6:30pm Saturday, April 1st @ 6:30pm and Sunday, April 2nd @ 2:30pm

Tickets are \$5.00 at the door. Doors will open 20 minutes prior to performances.



On **Friday, April 28th**, SMCS students will be participating in **WALKING FOR EDUCATION** 

The students will be walking on the school grounds as a fundraiser for tuition assistance for our students. Faculty and parents will be surrounding the perimeters to encourage and support the students in this endeavor.

If you would like to make a donation, please stop by the school office or give us a call 254-778-8141. We appreciate any and all help so all students can realize a quality Catholic Education

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### April 1st and April 2nd, 2023

#### 5:30 PM Mass

Lector: L. Chaffin & R. Colburn

EM: R. Krumnow, T. Mireles, J. Lowe Greeters: B. Lenart, D. Ramos, G. & C. Frenzel

Altar Servers: M. Collins, C. Stoebner

#### 7:30 AM Mass

Lector: Dcn. M. Hoelscher, A. Castillo EM: Dcn. M. Hoelscher, H. McGahan,

R. Coufal

Greeters: R. & J. Brugmann, M. Guenat, G. Brady

Altar Servers: A. Bailon, D. Holst

#### 9:30 AM Mass

Lector: A. Posey & W. Keller

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, N. Glover, D. Keller,

D. Ramos

Greeters: Arnold Pechal, W. & E. Wilde,

D. Bennett

Altar Servers: A., R., L. Federle, A. Gonzales

#### 11:30 AM Mass

Lector: M. Morris, M. Applewhite

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, J. Solis, J. Albers Greeters: David Frei, R. Schneider, R. Hengst

Altar Servers: L. Henderson



### **CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS**

Open to all parishioners.

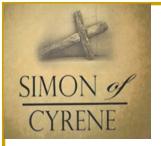
To sign-up, call Debra Hollingsworth at (713) 586-9800.

Thank you for participating in this prayer initiative and may God richly bless you with every good gift as you pray for priestly vocations!

Apr 1	Kelly Harrison	5:30pm
Apr 9	Jeffrey & Veronica Lambert	11:30am
Apr 15	Jim & Jo Ann Mason	5:30pm
Apr 22	Russell & Marilyn Krumnow	5:30pm
Apr 29	Bernie & Kathrine Lenart	5:30pm
May 7	Walter & Edla Wilde	9:30am

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

Date	Event	Location	Time
Mon. Mar 27 <sup>th</sup>	Quilting Angels	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
	Crafters	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
Tuesday - Friday	Adoration	Adoration Chapel	
Tues. Mar 28 <sup>th</sup>	Knitting & Crocheting	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
	Adult Bible Study	Regina Caeli Room	1:30 pm - 3:30pm
	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly Building	6:00 pm
	Men of Joseph	Ave Maria Building	7:00 pm
Wed. Mar 29 <sup>th</sup>	Religious Education	O'Reilly Bldg	6:30 pm
Thurs. Mar 30 <sup>th</sup>	RCIA	O'Reilly Building	6:00 pm
Fri. Mar 31 <sup>st</sup>	KC's Fish Fry	Ave Maria Building	3:00pm - 7:00pm



Thank you to all who have already made donations to the Simon Cross.

We are still in need of listed items most especially diapers and wipes.

Please place items you wish to donate in the box at the Simon Cross in the Narthex. Items will be accepted until Thursday, April 6th.

All items collected will be distributed to the selected charities after Easter.

Cash donations may be placed in the collection basket marked **Simon Cross**.

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#### March 19, 2023

Total	\$ 8,643.81
Helping Hands	\$ 333.00
World Home Missions	\$ 11.00
Building Fund	\$ 72.00
Parish School	\$ 103.00
Sunday Collection	\$ 8,124.81

Note: totals include online giving

\* Weekly Operating Expenses: \$11,500.00

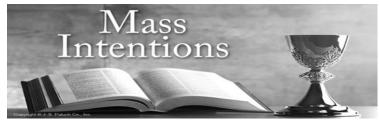


Nazareth House
"May every family be a Holy Family"
Magnificat Center
Books & Gifts

Want to help Catholics in Central Texas strengthen their faith? Want to strengthen yours?

The Magnificat Center is looking for volunteers to work in the store. The money raised through the store supports the chapel of the Incarnation, used by Central TX Catholics for Eucharistic Adoration.

No experience needed; we'll train. Flexible schedule, volunteer discount. Contact Gretchen Reilly, 254-770-3070.



# March 27th - April 2nd 2023

Manday	NO MACC	
Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:15AM	Fr. Roland
Wednesday	5:30PM	Fr. Frank
		† Mack Elliott
Thursday	8:15AM	Basilia Rodriguez
Friday	5:30PM	Rebecca Federle
		(Birthday)
Saturday	8:15AM	† Deceased members of
		the Peterson & Dowd
		Family
	5:30PM	† Mark Kosel
Sunday	7:30AM	† Bernadine Goonan
	9:30AM	† Margaret & Renee Rivas
	11:30AM	Safiatou Coulibaly
		Kyrk Kuykendall



Attention All Cursillistas!!! You lived a Cursillo and want to invite someone to live one?

Sponsorship Workshop: Saturday, April 1, 2023 9:00 - 11:00am Holy Family Social Hall

1001 Georgetown Rd, Copperas Cove TX

Cost: Donations accepted
Continental breakfast will be served.
For head count or more information, contact:
Orie Sanchez at (254) 394-0467
orgrandmaorie@yahoo.com



The TWENTY-SECOND Annual
Good Friday
Way of the Cross
Procession



April 7, 2023

This year our walk will begin at 11:00am at Our Lady of Guadalupe and will end about 2:00pm at St. Luke's.

For more information contact the Parish Office.