April 30, 2023



"Amen, amen, I say to you, I am the gate for the sheep."

On this Sunday, our Risen Lord is recognized as the good shepherd who protects us and cares for us. Being the recipients of God's care, we need to realize that Peter's words to the people of Jerusalem are addressed to us as well – we too must reform and embrace a new way of living if we wish to be a part of Christ's fold. That new way of life is to bring God's care and mercy to the poor, the vulnerable, the forgotten and abandoned through our relationships with them.



Congratulations to all our First Communicants!

As you receive your First Communion we pray that today and every day to come, you feel God's love shining down on you.



Congratulations to all our 2023 Graduating Seniors

As you graduate from High School or College, your St. Mary's Parish family would like to recognize your accomplishments.

Please contact the Parish Office for parish recognition!

MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS

Liturgical Ministries

Eucharistic Ministers (Altar): Nancy Glover 254-223-0767 (Homebound): Theresa Mireles .. 254-773-4541 254-774-1869 Lectors: Beverley Roeder Altar Servers: Jennifer Stoebner..... 214-738-7482 Susan Edwards Ushers: Jay Wimberley..... 254-721-4609 Choir: lim Mason 254-773-4541 713-410-0784 Daily Mass: Ryan Colburn

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:	Chris Reeves	254-760-6930
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



ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
WOMEN'S MINISTRY
(Women's Outreach Ministry
Evangelization Network)



Scholarship applications are still being accepted.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 15, 2023 (return to the church office)
Scholarship winner will be announced by June 4, 2023.
The amount of scholarship is \$500.

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Altar Server Overnight Trip: Saturday May 20th – Sunday May 21st

We will be visiting the Transitional Ordination in Cedar Park and St. Mary Seminary in Houston. Cost \$40.00. Call Patricia at 254-773-4541 or Susan Edwards or Jennifer Stoebner.



Save the Date: *<u>VBS 2023: *June 26th – June 30th</u>. 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Early Drop Off at 7:30 am & Late Pick up by 12:30 pm. More details to come.



Thank you to EVERYONE who made this Festival incredible!

Our sponsors, donors, volunteers, ticket sellers and everyone who prayed for the rain to stay away, we couldn't have done it without each and everyone of you!



FALCONS CORNER

2023-2024 NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT

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



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

One of our yearly traditions at St. Mary's Catholic School is **Walking for Education**. This year, the purpose of this event will be twofold. We will allocate 50% of funds raised toward our tuition assistance program and 50% toward an updated Spanish program and Classical Catholic Education materials.

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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May 6th and May 7th, 2023

5:30 PM Mass

Lector: L. Chaffin

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, L. & M. Lockhart Greeters: B. Lenart, D. Ramos, G. & C. Frenzel Altar Servers: H. Guenat-Ramirez, B. Stoebner

7:30 AM Mass

Lector: A. Castillo

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, H. McGahan,

R. Krumnow

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

Altar Servers: M. Collins, A. Gonzales

9:30 AM Mass

Lector: A. Posey

EM: Dcn. M. Hoelscher, L. Matthews,

N. & J. Glover

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

D. Bennett

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

11:30 AM Mass

Lector: A. Cabiness

EM: Dcn. M. Hoelscher, A. Ortiz

Greeters: David Frei, R. Schneider, R. Hengst Altar Servers: A. Pelawatta, D. Valdez, S. Upchurch



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!

May 7 Walter & Edla Wilde

9:30am

THE WEEK AHEAD

Date	Event	Location	Time
Mon. May 1 st	Quilting Angels	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
	Crafters	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
Tuesday - Friday	Adoration	Adoration Chapel	
Tues. May 2 nd	Knitting & Crocheting	O'Reilly Bldg	10:00 am
	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly Building	6:00 pm
	Men of Joseph	O'Reilly Building	7:00 pm
Wed. May 3 rd	Religious Education	O'Reilly Building	6:30 pm
Sat. May 6 th	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly Building	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Sun. May 7 th	Altar Society Meeting		12:30 pm



Adult Bible Study will begin a new session on Tuesday, April 18th at 1:30pm ~ O'Reilly Building No workbooks are required.

Journey with Bishop Robert Barron to more than 50 locations throughout 16 countries.

Be illuminated by the spiritual and artistic treasures of the global culture that claims more than one billion of the earth's people, and discover the full meaning of the faith.

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April 23, 2023

\$ 6.934.00
\$ 223.00
\$ 11.00
\$ 57.00
\$ 143.00
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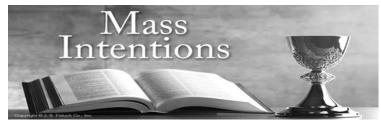
Note: totals include online giving

* Weekly Operating Expenses: \$11,500.00



THURSDAY, May 11TH at 6:30 PM

The Temple KJT Society #114 will host its monthly business meeting at St. Mary's Regina Caeli Room. Anyone interested in joining is welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Edwin Vasicek (254) 770-9224 or Gene Pavlat (254) 228-3351.



May 1st - May 7th 2023

Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:15AM	†Bernadine & †Billy
		Goonan
Wednesday	5:30PM	Arianna, Lydia & Rebecca
		Federle
Thursday	8:15AM	Safiatou Coulibaly
Friday	8:15AM	Christelle
Saturday	8:15AM	† Theresa Mireles
	5:30PM	† Antoine La Cour, Jr.
Sunday	7:30AM	Santacroce & Danowski
		Families
	9:30AM	† Richard Lewis
		† Marilyn Havranek
	11:30AM	† Rosa & † Raygene
		Jansing
		Matylda Klepac



WOMEN's Ministry Meeting
~ this Sunday, April 30th ~
at 1:00 pm in the O'Reilly Building
(upstairs meeting room)



The Altar Society will be having their monthly business meeting

Sunday, May 7, 2023 at 12:30pm in the Regina Caeli Room.



Presented by the W.O.M.E.N of St. Mary Catholic Church

Sunday, May 21, 2023 2:00pm

Doors open at 1:00

Mayborn Convention Center - Temple

\$40/person in Advance \$50/person at the Door

Admission Includes:

15 game cards, dauber, drink tickets and snacks
The prize of each Bingo Game is a designer purse

In support of the contract we have with the Mayborn Center no outside drinks or food will be allowed at this event.