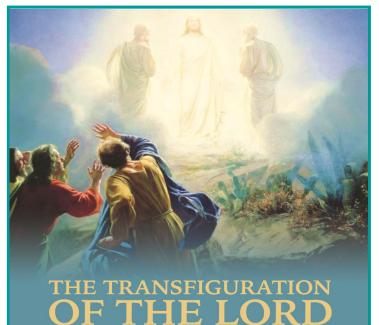
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This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Transfiguration.

Why did Jesus give these apostles this very brief experience of his glory? Because they would need that taste of His goodness for the road ahead. How does Jesus continue to feed you as he walks with you on your journey of faith?

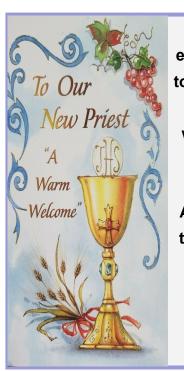
MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS

Liturgical Ministries

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

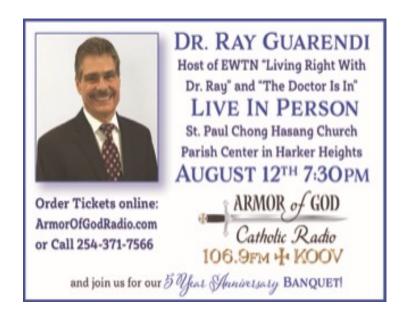
Parish Organizations and Ministries

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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:	Jay & Joyce Wimberley	254-721-4609	
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		
W.O.M.E.N.	Nancy Glover	254-773-4541	



Thank you to
everyone who was able
to stop by and visit with
Fr. Will this past
weekend, we all had a
wonderful time!

A special "Thank you"
to the Altar Society for
hosting such an
incredible event. All
your hard work was
seen and felt by all.



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Are you in need of your Sacraments?

Do you know someone who would like to receive the Sacraments but doesn't know where to start?



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC?

ARE YOU CATHOLIC IN NEED OF COMMUNION OR CONFIRMATION?

Contact Patricia St. Amour in the Parish Office for more information at 254.773.4541



FALCONS CORNER

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

St. Mary's Catholic School
"Continuing our 125 year tradition of offering
a Christ-Centered education for children

PK-3 through 8th grade"

St. Mary's Catholic School in Temple is looking for substitute teachers who would love to share their talents with our students.

If you are interested, please contact the principal, Sean Warfield, at (254)778-8141 or swarfield@stmarys-temple.org

NOTE: You must be EIM compliant



First day of school is Wednesday, August 9th!



Sunday, August 6th

Welcome Back to Class

Mass & Tailgate





Join us for Mass at 11:30am

then stay to meet the teachers, see the classrooms, drop off school supplies and Tailgate!

There will be lots of good food and great games!
Festivities end at 2:00pm

All are welcome ~ See ya there!!

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August 12th and August 13th, 2023

5:30 PM Mass

Lector: R. Henderson

EM: L. & M. Lockhart, M. HudkinsGreeters: R. Beck, B. & D. Keller, E. BigonAltar Servers: M. Collins, T. Lucksinger, R. Sagredo

7:30 AM Mass

Lector: C. Warren

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, R. Oujezdsky,

R. Coufal

Greeters: JR Maldonado, J. Wimberley,

S. Hoelscher

Altar Servers: O., I. & A. Ware

9:30 AM Mass

Lector: M. Pena

EM: T. Leos, R. Morales, A. Ortiz

Greeters: B. & S. McAtee, T. Hodge, J. Pena

Altar Servers: L. Ortiz, K. Edwards, A. Sandoval

11:30 AM Mass

Lector: S. McAtee

EM: A. Payne, D. Ramos, S. McAtee Greeters: D. Stolp, J. Lambert, U. Applewhite,

V. Lambert

Altar Servers: D. Valdez, F. Sanchez, D. Applewhite

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!

Aug 13th	Jeffrey & Veronica Lambert	11:30am
Aug 20th	Kelly Harrison	7:30 am
Aug 27th	Ryan Colburn	7:30 am
Sep 3rd	Rex & Gladys Hengst	11:30am

THE WEEK AHEAD

Date	Event	Location	Time
Mon.	Quilting	O'Reilly	10:00 am
Aug 7 th	Angels	Building	
	Crafters	O'Reilly	10:00 am
		Building	
Tuesday	Adoration	Adoration	9:00 am
- Friday		Chapel	-
Tilday			5:00 pm
Tues.	Knitting &	O'Reilly	10:00 am
Aug 8 th	Crocheting	Building	
	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly	6:00 pm
		Building	
	Men of	Summer	No
	Joseph	Break	Meeting
Wed. Aug 9 th	1st Day of School	SMCS	8:00 am



Grieving With Great Hope is a 5 session grief support series to be held at St Luke's Catholic Church, in the John Paul II room of the Education Bldg.

The first session is scheduled for September 5, 2023 and each Tuesday through October 3, 2023. Each 1 ½ hour session begins at 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$10 to cover the cost of a workbook.

For more information or to register, e-mail Deacon Barney Rodriguez at bonifaciorodriguez @yahoo.com, or call the St. Mary's Parish office at 254-773-4541.

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July 30, 2023

Total	\$ 8.381.05
Helping Hands	\$ 23.00
World Home Missions	\$ 11.00
Building Fund	\$ 107.00
Parish School	\$ 108.00
Sunday Collection	\$ 8,132.05

Note: totals include online giving

* Weekly Operating Expenses: \$11,500.00



Feast day festival in West is Aug. 13

Church of the Assumption in West will host its Feast Day Festival Aug. 13 at the West K.C. Grounds. Plates of fried or baked chicken and sausage with all the trimmings will be served. (To-go line opens at 11 a.m. with plates of fried chicken only for \$13 each). Dine-in opens at 11:30 a.m.; adult plates are \$13 and child plates are \$9. The afternoon will include fun for the entire family! Live auction starts at 12:15 p.m. There will be a playground and a country store. Street tacos and nachos will be served after 2 p.m. All are welcome!

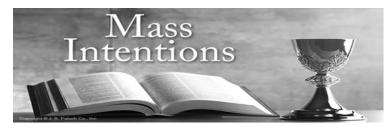
Homecoming Festival, St. Monica Cameron

St. Monica Parish in Cameron will host its Home-coming Festival 2023 Aug. 20 on the parish grounds. The day begins with a Polka Mass at 10 a.m. Barbecue beef and sausage plates will be served at 10 a.m. for \$12 a plate until sold out. There will be game booths for all ages, food booths, a live auction and a horseshoe tournament at 1 p.m. Live entertainment will go on throughout the day. All are welcome!

Save the date for a hike

Join Father Will Rooney and the Diocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting for a 5-mile hike (a two-mile route will be facilitated for younger participants) around Lake Georgetown Oct. 14. The day will begin at 10 a.m. and conclude with a vigil Mass. Participants should bring their lunch, water bottle, and glasses to view the partial eclipse on our journey

to be apostles of faith.



August 7th - August 13th 2023

Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:15AM	† Bernadine Goonan
Wednesday	5:30PM	† George Wilkenson
Thursday	8:15AM	† Rosa Jansing
Friday	5:30PM	† Eddie Edwards
Saturday	8:15AM	Sean Warfield
	5:30PM	† Mr. & † Mrs. Alfred &
		Maggie Reagan
		Herlinda McGahan
		75th Birthday
Sunday	7:30AM	Mary Helen Maldonado
		(Birthday)
		† Theresa Mireles
	9:30AM	† Richard Lewis
		† Marilyn Havranek
		† Bernadine Goonan
	11:30AM	Santacroce & Danowski
		Families



THURSDAY, August 10TH 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.