October 15, 2023

Are You the One Who Has Been Selected by God?

For many are called, but few are chosen.

Matthew 22:14

In today's Gospel we see that God continues to invite, but that the first on the list did not accept the invitation. The second tier invitees did come, but we see in the parable that it is possible to be asked to leave if we are not ready to accept all that God has to offer, both the banquet and the wedding garment. When we accept being in a relationship with God, we are called to embrace whole new ways of being and thinking which are determined by God's will, not ours. Some invited by God might not be on our list, who is it that God is calling us to accept that might be difficult right now?



Altar Flowers this
weekend have been
provided in remembrance
of the heavenly birthday of

+Juanita Castillo

by Martha Duarte



Divine Mercy Ministry Meeting Sunday, October 15th at 3pm Regina Caeli Room

All are invited for a time of prayer, learning and fellowship.

MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS

<u>Liturgical Ministries</u>

Eucharistic Ministers (Altar): Nancy Glover 254-223-0			
Lectors:	Beverley Roeder	254-774-1869	
Altar Servers:	ltar Servers: Jennifer Stoebner		
	Susan Edwards		
Ushers:	Jay Wimberley	254-721-4609	
Choir:	Jim Mason	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:	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 Humphreys	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



Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's mission in your prayers and be generous in the next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

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FALCONS CORNER—Upcoming Events for SMCS



Join us for a day of fun and family!
There will be lots of great treats & things to do for everyone!

ST. MARY'S

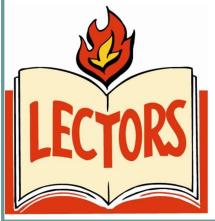
Candy • Face Painting • Games
Food Trucks • Vendor Market • Cake Walk
Dunk Tank & More!

& TRUNK OR TREAT



Don't forget to wear your costumes!

St. Mary's Catholic School



Thursday, October 19th in the Church

We will have Lector Ministry
Training at 6:15pm
immediately followed by
Extraordinary Minister Training
at 7:00pm.

All members of these ministries are asked to attend.



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October 21st and October 22nd, 2023

5:30 PM Mass

Lector: E. Bigon

EM: D. Shepard, P. Engbrock, M. Hudkins

Greeters: J. Sladacek, B. Lenart, R. Wilde

Altar Servers: S. & B. Stoebner

7:30 AM Mass

Lector: M. Guenat

EM: Dcn. M. Hoelscher, L. & M. Lockhart

Greeters: R. Coufal, J. Flinn, J. Wimberley,

L. Lagut

Altar Servers: L. Ortiz, R. Mosmeyer

9:30 AM Mass

Lector: J. Hattemer

EM: J. & N. Glover, M. Bennett, D. Matocha

Greeters: K. Bartz, E. & T. Degenhardt,

M. Jimenez

Altar Servers: E., J. & T. Bennett, A. Gonzales

11:30 AM Mass

Lector: A. Cabiness

EM: Dcn. B. Rodriguez, L. Matthews,

A. Payne

Greeters: R. Krumnow, B. & D. Stewart

Altar Servers: L. Barton, S. Upchurch, A. Pelawatta

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!

Oct 22nd Rex & Glayds Hengst 9:30am Oct 29th Bruce & Stephanie McAtee 9:30am

THE WEEK AHEAD

Date	Event	Location	Time
Mon. Oct 16 th	Quilting Angels	O'Reilly Building	10:00 am
	Crafters	Regina Caeli	10:00 am
	Knights of Columbus	Regina Caeli Room	7:00 pm
Tuesday - Friday	Adoration	Adoration Chapel	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Tues. Oct 17 th	Knitting & Crocheting	O'Reilly Building	10:00 am
	Adult Bible Study	Regina Caeli Room	1:30 pm — 3:30 pm
	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly Building	6:00 pm
	Men of Joseph	Ave Maria Room	7:00 pm
Wed. Oct 18 th	Religious Education	O'Reilly Building	6:30 pm
Thurs. Oct 19 th	RCIA	O'Reilly Building	6:30 pm

I am very excited to announce that in the next few months we will be developing Choir Scholas. Initially we will practice in the Church getting the basic training and

working to bring together a Youth Choir, Men Choir and Mixed Voice Choir for the 9:30 Sunday Mass.

Look in the upcoming bulletins for when we will start singing.

Anyone interested please contact me or the Parish Office.

James Mason, Dir. of Liturgical Ministries, (254) 773-4541.



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October 8, 2023

Total	\$ 10.557.90
Helping Hands	\$ 83.00
World Home Missions	\$ 11.00
Building Fund	\$ 312.00
Parish School	\$ 293.00
Sunday Collection	\$ 9,585.90

Note: totals include online giving

* Weekly Operating Expenses: \$11,500.00

SAVE THE DATE

Knights will be pre-selling plates after all Masses on Sat. October 14th & Sun. October 15th



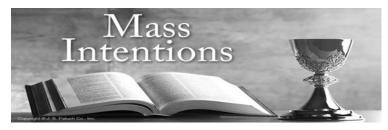
Adult Plates - \$14

Includes: Garden Salad, Dinner Roll Large Spaghetti plate, Dessert Water or Tea

Kid's Plates - \$7

(Small Spaghetti Plate, roll, dessert & water or tea.)





October 16th - October 22nd 2023

Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	8:15AM	† Theresa Mireles
		† Mary Ann Colburn
Wednesday	5:30PM	† Laurel Clements
Thursday	8:15AM	Megan Grysko
Friday	5:30PM	† Hermino Rueda
-		† Theresa McAtee
		(Birthday Remembrance)
Saturday	8:15AM	† Nancy Hubnik
		† Jo Ann Camp
	5:30PM	† James Chaffin
		† Gino Castro
Sunday	7:30AM	For the People
-	9:30AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory
		Clergy and Religious
	11:30AM	Charles Mikeska Family
		Cruz Jimenez III





THURSDAY, October 19TH 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.

Sunday, October 22nd after the 7:30am & 9:30am Masses

the KJT Society #114 will have lots of delicious baked goods for sale. Stop by and grab a treat!

