



# *6th Sunday of Easter*

Sunday, May 25, 2025



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### Sunday Worship

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30 pm  
 Sunday 7:30 & 9:30 am

### Daily Mass

Saturday: 8:15 am  
 Tuesday & Thursday: 8:15 am  
 Wednesday & Friday: 5:30 pm

### Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 pm  
 Sunday 8:45 am

## St. Mary's Catholic School

Catholic Education in the Classical Tradition  
 Pre-K through 8th Grade

### NOW ENROLLING

Enroll Now for the 2025-2026 School Year at St. Mary's Catholic School!

We invite you to join St. Mary's Catholic School in Temple for the 2025-26 school year! We're accepting applications. We offer a nurturing, academically rigorous program in the classical tradition. St. Mary's partners with parents to create an environment where children can truly thrive in their relationship with Jesus Christ!

For more information or to schedule a school tour, contact Megan Swoda, Admissions Coordinator, at 254-778-8141 or email [megan.swoda@stmarys-temple.org](mailto:megan.swoda@stmarys-temple.org).

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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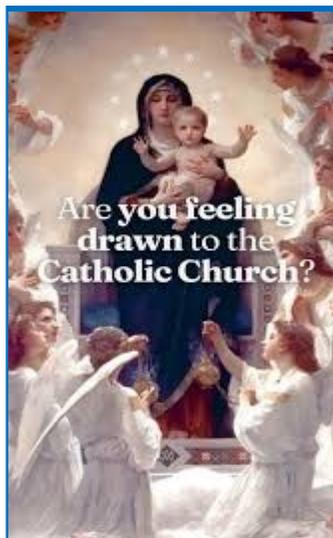


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## BAPTISM CLASSES

If you are a parent or Godparent in need of a Baptism preparation class. Please contact Julie Rex in the Parish Office or Register online.

Classes are offered every 2nd Tuesday of the



If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or in need of Sacraments please contact Julie Rex in the Parish Office for more information.

All are welcome and invited to attend Mass and get more information about Catholic Faith Formation.

# Parish Giving

May 18, 2025

Sunday Collection	\$	8,401.45
Parish School	\$	68.00
Building Fund	\$	53.00
Other	\$	52.00
Helping Hands	\$	37.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>8,611.45</b>

*Thank you for your continuous generosity.  
Your giving makes a difference!*

## THE WEEK AHEAD

Date	Event	Location	Time
Mon. May 26 <sup>th</sup>	Quilters	O'Reilly Building	9:00 am
	Boy Scouts	O'Reilly Building	6:30 pm
Tuesday - Friday	Adoration	Adoration Chapel	
Tues. May 27 <sup>th</sup>	Knitters & Crocheters	Ave Maria Room	10:00 am
	Adult Bible Study	O'Reilly Building	1:00 pm
	Cub Scouts	O'Reilly Building	6:30 pm
	Men of Joseph	Ave Maria Building	7:00 pm

# the RESCUE project



We live our lives according to the stories we believe... but what if there is another story?

That story is the gospel! **The Rescue Project** seeks to proclaim the gospel in a compelling and attractive way over eight weeks in a small group format. All adults and teens are invited to join us in discovering the story.

**CREATED. CAPTURED. RESCUED. RESPONSE.**

Thursdays  
6 PM - 8 PM  
O'Reilly Building  
Begins June 5th



Let us know you are coming or find out more by scanning the QR code

[stmarytempletx.org/rescue](http://stmarytempletx.org/rescue)



## KC Council 3444



St. Mary's School Gym

Saturday, June 21, 2025

8:00 a.m. Check-In Time | 9:00 a.m. Start Time

Team Event: \$40 per Team

1st, 2nd, 3rd Place: Cash Prizes

(Prize Fund Depends on Number of Entries)

Double Elimination; 2 out of 3 Games Match

2 Divisions: Regular Division and Backyard Division

Entry Deadline: Thursday, June 19 by 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Ryan Colburn -- [ryancolb@swbell.net](mailto:ryancolb@swbell.net)

St. Mary's Church Office -- 254-773-4541



# Join us FOR ALL THE FUN!



## WATER PLAY



# It's a Popsicle Party

Summer Smiles with Every Bite

Absolutely Free!



**Family Fun Night!**  
**Wednesday, June 4th at 6:00pm**  
**Soccer Field - Ave Maria Building**

**Register Now**

## Vacation Bible School

June 16-20

# COME TO THE TABLE!

**For Students**  
**Preschool: PreK-4 & Kindergarten**  
**Elementary: Incoming Grades 1-4**

**Time:** 9am-12pm  
**Location:**  
 Preschool-Ave Building  
 Elementary-School Cafeteria  
 Ages 18 & up need to be EIM certified.  
[stmarytempltx.org/vbs](http://stmarytempltx.org/vbs)

**Junior Helpers:** Incoming Grades 5-8  
**High School Helpers:** Incoming Grades 9-12  
**Adult Volunteers:** Leaders/Helpers

**Price per child:** \$30 (for 1 child), \$50 (for 2 children), \$65 (for 3+ children)

All payments and registrations must be completed online by the first day of VBS. After registering, a consent form will be emailed to you. For scholarship assistance, contact Julie Rex at [re@stmarytempltx.org](mailto:re@stmarytempltx.org).

## AFTERPARTY CHOIR CAMP

**INCOMING 4<sup>TH</sup> - 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**  
**DATE: JUNE 16 - 19, 2025**  
**TIME: 12:30PM - 1:30PM**

**PROVIDE MUSIC FOR MASS AT 11:00AM ON JUNE 20, 2025**

**TO REGISTER USE THE QR CODE**



## 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!

Jun 1st	Oscar & Natalia Fuentes	9:30am
Jun 7th	Theresa Medrano	5:30pm
Jun 15th	Kathleen Hampton	7:30am
Jun 22nd	Ryan Colburn	7:30am
Jun 28th	Kris & Janet Haynes	5:30pm

Call or Text Debra Hollingsworth at (713) 586-9800 if interested in filling an "Open" slot!



## Liturgical Ministries



### All Liturgical Ministers:

Please check the Ministry Scheduler Pro for all upcoming daily and weekend Mass schedules.



## Mass Intentions

May 26<sup>th</sup> – June 1<sup>st</sup>

<b>Monday</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8:15AM</b>	† Marvin Taylor III
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>5:30PM</b>	Mattie Lou Hoelscher
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8:15AM</b>	Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life
<b>Friday</b>	<b>5:30PM</b>	Dina Desarno
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:15AM</b>	† Frances MacDonald
	<b>5:30PM</b>	† Loretta Kuykendall
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7:30AM</b>	John Mikeska Family
		Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance #31
		† Clem & † Anna Jo Mikeska
	<b>9:30AM</b>	For the Parishioners of St, Mary's Catholic Church



OUR OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FOR

MEMORIAL DAY  
MONDAY, MAY 26, 2025

We remember this day and thank the brave men and women who have fought and continue to fight so courageously for our nation.

Saint Mary's  
Catholic Church  
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## JOIN US FOR YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

For Students entering 9-12 grades & just graduated  
presented by Fr. Will Rooney & seminarians

**WEDNESDAYS**  
**6:30-8PM**

**JUN 04, 11, 25**  
**JULY 02, 09, 16, 23, 30**

Join us for an exciting journey through Venture: The Bible Timeline for High School! This engaging Bible study will help you uncover God's plan throughout salvation history and see how it connects to your life today.

Sign up here



Location: O'Reilly Building  
Youth Room

## Attention All 2025 Graduates

Whether you're graduating from High School or College, your St. Mary's Parish family wants to honor your amazing achievement!  
Join us on Saturday, June 7th at the 5:30 PM Mass.

You'll receive a special blessing, followed by a reception in the O'Reilly Building.  
Wear your graduation regalia—you've worked hard, and now it's time to celebrate with your parish community that loves and prays for you!

Please sign up by May 30th so we can include your name and graduation details in the celebration.

