



ST. OSEPH

CATHOLIC CHURCH—HONEY CREEK

"Where Stewardship is Our Way of Life"

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WELCOME

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., (12:30 p.m. Español), 5:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES: CHAPEL

Monday and Wednesday:

7:00 p.m. Mass

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday:

8:00 a.m. Mass

ADORATION: CHAPEL

Mon & Tues, 8 a.m. -10 p.m. Wednesday 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION):

Sunday - Thursday By Appointment Saturday: 4:15-4:45 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

WEBSITE:

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PARISH INFORMATION

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY	August 13	7:00 p.m.	Linda Echols-Sharon Petri, Mike Thatcher—Genell Slay
TUESDAY	August 14	7:00 p.m.	VIGIL MASS, Marco Aurelio Betancourt
WEDNESDAY	August 15	8:00 a.m.	Living and Deceased of the Altar Society
		7:00 p.m.	For the Sick in our Parish
THURSDAY	August 16	8:00 a.m.	Marian Neugebauer-Hope and Jimmy Mayer
FRIDAY	August 17	8:00 a.m.	Martin Hernandez-Parish Staff
SATURDAY	August 18	5:00 p.m.	Charles Knull-Yong Galloway, Adan Salazar-Blanca Salazar
SUNDAY	August 19	8:00 a.m.	Martin Hernandez-Parish Staff,
			For the Repose of the Soul of Roy Rivas-Cynthia Weaver
	August 19	10:00a.m.	Chris Barton-Ray and Pat Barton,
			For the Healing of Fr. Len-Deacon Mike and Judy Pawelek
	August 19	12:30p.m.	Hector Saenz-Quiroz Family, Fr. Francis -Hispanic Community
	August 19	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Dominic Hoang Van Tien– Yen Khang Van

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stella Carillo, Josie Espinoza, Jesse Gonzales, Paul Guel, Cora Gustin, Rick Harden, Gloria Hernandez, Kenneth Holliday, Terri Jones, Madeline Kammer, Ed Mata, Helen Median, Dennis Moore, Cecilia Ricker, Ben Rodrigues, Robin Ruff, Corina Sanchez, and Joseph Sinnegan

Names for inclusion in the Prayer List may be self-submitted, or submitted by family or friends of someone in need of prayer to Imelda Quiroz in the Parish Office. Unless you are an immediate family member, please obtain permission from the person whose name is being placed on the list prior to submission. Submitted names will be placed on the Prayer List for two weeks. All information shared with the Parish Office is kept in confidence, with the exception of the person's name, which will be published in the Parish Bulletin .

STEPHEN MINISTY

Stephen Ministers provide confidential care during difficult times such as coping with the loss of a loved one, illness, or any challenge in life. If you, or someone you know could benefit from a Stephen Minister, please contact Judy Pawelek at 210-279-2799

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Please call the Faith Formation Office for information (830) 980-2268, ext. 210

MARRIAGE: Please see the Pastor before or after Mass for an appointment. Please make arrangements at least SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE. CLASSES ARE REQUIRED.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Call to make arrangements (210) 416-4516

QUINCEANERA: Please see the Pastor before or after Mass for an appointment.

VOCATIONS

Are you considering priesthood, permanent diaconate, sisterhood or brotherhood? Please see the Pastor before or after Mass.

EMERGENCY

WHEN SOMEONE IS NEAR DEATH 210-416-4516

If you need a priest for anointing and/or when someone is near death, for funeral arrangements, or for home/hospital Communion, please call (210) 416-4516. Requests will be carefully managed as soon as possible. We are here to serve you at any time, 24 hours a day/7days a week.

TELEFONO DE EMERGENCIA (210) 416-4516

Si usted necesita un sacerdote para uncíon de los enfermos cuando alguien está a punto de morir, arreglos funerarios, communión en casa o en hospital (210) 416-4516.
Las Peticiones serán atendidas a la brevedad possible. Estamos aquí para servirles en cualquier momento 24 horas al día *7 días a la semana* Gracias

8/5/2018 - 8/12/2018 WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 12, 2018

Regular Mass Schedule

Monday, August 13, 2018

8:00AM - 10:00PM Eucharistic Adoration - Day Chapel

7:00 PM MOM Min.-Taste & See Bk. Share - Room 203

7:00 PM Sp Women's ACTS Mtg. - Parish Hall

7.00 PM Daily Mass - Day Chapel

Tuesday, August 14, 2018

8:00AM - 5:00PM Eucharistic Adoration - Day Chapel 7:00 PM Mass-Assumption Vigil - Main Church

Wednesday, August 15, 2018 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM Mass - Main Church 7:00 PM Mass - Main Church

Thursday, August 16, 2018

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Day Chapel

10:00 AM Honey Bee Prayer Quilters - Room 202

6:45 PM Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe - Parish Hall

7:00 PM Matachines Practice - St. John Hall

Friday, August 17, 2018

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Day Chapel 7:00 PM Piedras Vivas - Parish Hall

Saturday, August 18, 2018

Regular Mass Schedule

Spanish Theology Talks - Parish Hall

Sunday, August 19, 2018

Regular Mass Schedule

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Day of Obligation

August 14, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Vigil in Main Church – (No 8 a.m. Mass) August 15, Wednesday, 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Mass in Main Church

Eucharistic Adoration Schedule - August 14, Tuesday 8:00 - 5:00pm August 15, CLOSED

Parish office closed - August 15

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUG 12

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

[9a]/Eph 4:30--5:2/Jn 6:41-51

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13,

14/Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Ez 2:8--3:4/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111,

131 [103a]/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk

11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12,

16 [10bc]/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12/Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62

[cf. 7b]/Mt 18:21--19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/ls 12:2-3.

4bcd, 5-6 [1c]/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32/Ps 51:12-13, 14

-15, 18-19 [12a]/Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Prv 9:1-6/Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13,

14-15 [9a]/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58

ATTENTION!



AUGUST 15, 2018 - THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

This feast is a very old solemnity in the church. It has been celebrated throughout the church from the sixth century on. Originally celebrated in the East, the ancient title is the Dormition of Mary, or the Falling Asleep of Mary.

The teaching is that Mary was assumed into heaven after her "falling asleep in the Lord" before her body suffered any decay. Since Mary was untouched by the stain of sin, she was unable to experience the "wages of sin," which is death. But her Assumption also says something about humanity as well. Sin only has power over us if we allow it. Mary was freed from this power in her Immaculate Conception, and when she responded "yes" to God. We were freed from that power when Jesus died and rose, conquering death. Now, we must respond "yes" to claim the victory that was already won for us. This doctrine of the church--even though the church has been celebrating this belief for centuries--was not declared a dogma until November 1, 1950 by Pope Pius XII.

What significance does this feast have for our lives as Christians today? This feast is above all an assurance and hope of our continued life with God. God will not leave us orphaned or alone to suffer the emptiness of death. Rather we believe that death is merely a transformation of our present state into an even more glorious and eternal relationship with God. The holy day has always been celebrated in the church on August 15.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RETIRO DE ACTS 2018

Les invitamos cordialmente a asistir a nuestro retiro de ACTS en español para Mujeres el 4 de Octubre al 7 de Octubre, 2018. El retiro se celebrara en el centro de Eagles Wings Retreat Center en Burnet, TX. Empieza el Jueves por la noche y concluye el Domingo después de la Misa de 12:30. Solicitud de inscripción están disponibles en la oficina de la parroquia, en la página web de la parroquia, o en el vestibulo de la iglesia. Para obtener más información sobre el retiro por favor póngase en contacto con Maria Gonzalez glzvaz@hotmail.com (210) 286-1276 o Victoria Steward victoriasteward@hotmail.com (830) 743-3576.

PIEDRAS VIVIAS

El Grupo de Oracion en el Espiritu Santo "Piedras Vivas" Se Reune todos los Viernes de 7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m. en el Salon Paroquial de St. Joseph - Honey Creek.

CDA COUNTRY BOOTH DONATIONS

The Catholic Daughters of America would appreciate your donations for the Country Store/Parish Festival. There will be boxes at the downstairs entrance and foyer of the church. Thank you so much!! Some items needed are: Any Flavor Cake Mixes and Frosting, Cans of Spaghetti/Pasta Sauce, Boxes of Hamburger Helper, Brownie Mix, NEW Pot Holders & Dish Towels, Whole Kernel and Cream Corn 15.25 oz.....full list of items needed can be found on our parish website www.stjoseph-honeycreek.org

Interested in becoming a member of CDA? Contact Carmen Hanshaw at (713) 882-3672. Next meeting: Sept.5!!!



RCIA INFORMATION MEETING

We invite you to look deeper into the beauty of the Catholic faith and how you can develop a relationship with Jesus Christ in the Catholic Church. RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process open to adults, teens, and children ages 7 years or older. Please join us on **August 22 at 7:30 p.m.** to learn more about

RCIA. Please contact Charles NoII at 830-980-2268 or <u>CharlesN@stjhc.church</u> for additional details.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

All are invited to the Faith Formation Registration Ice Cream Social!!

Wednesday, August 22 in the Parish Hall from 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Come meet our Faith
Formation Team, complete
Registration Forms, meet other
Families and Learn how you
can become a Catechist!

<u>Please note</u>: This weekend there will be a Second Collection for the St. Joseph Cemetery. It will be taken in the PURPLE basket at the same time as the First Collection, but staggered. Thank you.

COMMUNITY

LA VOZ DEL DESIERTO EN CONCIERTO

Asiste con toda tu familia a este extraordinario evento traído desde España ... por primera vez en San Antonio, Texas.
Un grupo de sacerdotes católicos que nos llevarán al Tabor con su música. AGOSTO 12 Teatro Lila Cockell ó pm - Música, reflexiones, oración y confesiones

PAQUETE FAMILIAR: En la compra de 2 boletos de adulto, entran 3 jóvenes o niños Gratis!! joven adicional \$10. Para mas información llame Virgen de Guadalupe Radio al 830-388-3009

NUN RUN

The Archdiocesan Vocation Office invites single women ages 18-45 to a "Nun Run" experience Saturday, September 22, 2018. Participants will have the opportunity to tour three Sisters' homes/convents but will get to know six different religious congregations and will get to learn about their life, discuss their charism and pray with the sisters. To register, please contact Vocation Office at 210-735-0553 or www.archsa.org/vocations

5K DISCERNMENT DASH FOR VOCATIONS

Sunday, October 7, 2018 - Beginning at 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Come help the Archdiocesan Vocation Office build the culture of vocations! From Assumption Seminary to Our Lady of the Lake University. All are welcome! Parishes, youth groups, friends, and family members! More information and registration at: www.archsa.org/vocations/discernment-dash vocations@archsa.org or 210-735-0553

"Behind and prior to every Vocation to the Priesthood or the Consecrated Life, there is always someone's powerful and intense prayer." - Pope Francis

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord. Put God in your marriage. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Weekends in San Antonio on September 7-9, 2018 or November 2-4, 2018. Submit your application on line: www.mesanantonio.org or call Ed and Cindy Turski at 602-421-4154 for more info.

FAITH FORMATION

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE

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REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Faith Formation Registration is now open for the 2018-2019 School year! Pick up your forms today in the Church Gathering Space, the Faith Formation Office or from our website. Classes will begin the week of September 9, 2018. All families registering after September 7, 2018 will be assessed a \$35 late fee. Any child receiving the sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation in the 2018-2019 school year will be required to present to the Faith Formation Office Original Birth Certificates and Original Sacramental Certificates. Please also note that preparation for these sacraments is a two year commitment. Enrollment in Faith Formation in first grade for First Communion and ninth grade for Confirmation is required. Please contact Sue Torres in the Faith Formation Office at 830-980-2268 for details and additional questions.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Are you being called to share this journey? The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori based religious formation for children. It seeks to create and facilitate a sacred, "hands-on" space for children called an atrium, in which both the children and the catechists can hear, ponder, and celebrate the most essential mysteries of the Christian faith as revealed in the scriptures and the liturgy. This methodology came to St. Joseph in 2017 and has been received with joy by the children. Being with the children in the atrium each week allows the adult glimpses into the mystery of God and His abundant love. Please call faith formation office for more details.

Grant me, O Lord, a mind to know you, a heart to seek you, wisdom to find you...and a hope of finally embracing You. - St. Thomas Aquinas

www.LeadingTeensToParadise.org



MS & HS



Time to Register Faith Formation!! Go online for the forms packet! Late fee after 9/7! New fee schedule can also be paid online!

Save the Date



Confirmation now has online Applications to match your Family with a mentor.



One Day Only! One Retreat Only! Confirmation Retreat for everyone! Saturday, October 6th @ 9am - 5pm

Young Adults

Young College Faith Sharing Tuesdays starting August 28th 8:30-9:30pm

Contact Rick Zapf

Young Adult Conferences September 14-16 EncounterHouston.com

> January 3-7 Seek2019.com

Young Couples Faith Sharing Groups coming soon!

FAITH FORMATION

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Theology on Tap - San Antonio 7:00 P.M. at Blue Star Brewery - San Antonio, TX - 4th Thursday of every month

Theology on Tap - Hill Country 7:00 P.M. at Random Beer Garden - 2nd Monday of every month

Worship on the River - 6:30 PM at River Walk - San Antonio Every 2nd Thursday of the month - Adoration, Confession, and Fellowship with other young adult Catholics down at the River

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please join us in Adoration on Monday or Tuesday at any hour 8 a.m. - 10 p.m., or Wednesday 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Day Chapel. Drop in when you can, and please prayerfully consider committing to a specific hour on any of these days.



For God will hide me in his shelter in time of trouble,
Will conceal me in the cover of his tent;
and set me high upon a rock - Psalm 27:5

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A FREE GIFT FOR YOU!

Go to Formed.org. | Enter our PARISH CODE on the homepage: b155b Create a personal account with your email and password Download the free FORMED app today and enjoy the great video and audio wherever you go!

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Church and her teachings? There is a place for you, here with us. As an adult, you become Catholic through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA will meet weekly during the year, beginning in September. Our meetings will last approximately 1 1/2 - 2 hours on Sunday mornings. This process is for you if you:

- Have never been baptized
- Were baptized in another Christian faith
- Were baptized Catholic, but didn't receive First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

You will be guided and supported in the faith through instruction. If you or someone you know would like to learn more about becoming Catholic, contact Charles Noll at 830-980-2268, ext. 210, or <u>CharlesN@stjhc.church</u>.

PARISH INFORMATION

PASTORAL COUNCIL

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OUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE TO GOD COLLECTION 7-15-2018

Regular	\$23,851.47
	\$166.26
SVDP	\$4,618.32

The next second collection (Sept 8-9) will be for The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Thank you for your generous contributions!

ONLINE GIVING MADE EASY

Online Giving is now available for parishioners with WeShare, an easy and convenient way to save time and support the church. Donating is simple, safe, and completely secure. With WeShare, you can set up a recurring weekly or monthly transaction using your checking, savings, or credit card account. You can decide how much to give to any collection and make

changes any time, day or night. Plus, you can leave your checkbook at home on Sundays. If you have any questions or concerns about the program or would like help setting up your account, please call our parish office at (830) 980-2268 ext. 205 If you would like to enroll in Online Giving, please visit: www.stjoseph-honeycreek.org

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PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER

Pregnant? Need Help? Call The Bulverde/Spring Branch Pregnancy Care Center (830) 885-2277. Services are confidential & free of charge.



THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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