

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

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| Monday | 05 | 8:00AM | +Communion Service |
| Tuesday | 06 | 8:00AM | +Alfredo Segura |
| Wednesday | 07 | 6:30PM | +Pete Elisondo |
| Thursday | 08 | 8:00AM | +Richard Hernandez |
| Thursday | | | La Bahia Nursing Home |
| | 08 | 10:00AM | +Augustine Gutierrez +Guadalupe Gutierrez +Santiago Zamora |
| Friday | 09 | 8:00AM | +Gloria Flores |
| Saturday | 10 | 6:00PM | +David Garcia and +Andres Garcia |
| Sunday | 11 | 9:00AM | +Living & Deceased of the Parish |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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| Monday: | 2 Kgs 5:1-15 b, Lk 4:24-30 |
| Tuesday: | Dn 3:25 34-43, Mt 18:21-35 |
| Wednesday: | Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs, Dt 4:1, 5-9, Mt 5:17-19 |
| Thursday: | Saint John of God, Religious, Jer 7:23-28, Lk 11:14-23 |
| Friday: | Saint Frances of Rome, Religious Hos 14:2-10, Mk 12:28-34 |
| Saturday: | Hos 6:1-6, Lk 18:9-14 |
| Sunday: | FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 Eph 2:4-10, Jn 3:14-21 |

NEXT WEEK'S ASSIGNMENTS

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| Saturday 10 | 6:00 PM Immaculate Conception |
| Lector: | Jim Bluntzer |
| Eucharistic Ministers: | Ken and Patricia Yaklin and Sylvia Bustamante |
| Altar Servers: | Carson Albrecht, Cameron Capistran, Justin Livas and Teresa Justice |
| Ushers: | Robert Diebel, Mike Berger, E.J. Bammert |
| Offertory: | David & Andres Garcia Family |
| Sunday 11 | 9:00 AM Immaculate Conception |
| Lector: | Madelyn Reitz |
| Eucharistic Ministers: | Adam and Doreen Lumbrezer, Mary Linda Smith, Regina Smith and Mary Rubio |
| Altar Servers: | Abby Yanta, Madelyn Friedrichs, Keantrey and Keana Garner |
| Ushers: | Joe Reitz and Kolby Janssen, and Ernest Martinez |
| Offertory: | Mr. & Mrs. Michael Janssen and Family |
| Sunday 04 | 5:00 PM La Bahia (4:30 PM Rosary) |
| Lector: | Ramiro Rubio |
| Altar Servers: | Marla Reyna and Joslyn Monroy |
| Note: If you are assigned and cannot be present, please call the office as soon as possible to find a replacement. | |

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

The Purification of the Temple and of Religion

The Gospel today, tells us about the purification of the temple. It also announces the replacement of the old temple with the new one. We are the new temple, but like the old, we often need purification from all that hinders our offering up to God's acceptable sacrifices.

The second reading shows what kind of purification the Church needs: St. Paul tells us that we must avoid reasoning like the "Jews" and the "Greeks". The first reading, the Decalogue, shows us concretely which sacrifices are acceptable to God. It is an invitation to purify our religion of false notions that do not give proof of our love for God and love of our neighbors.

During Lent, let us make every effort to fulfill the demands of the commandments which Jesus puts them in simple terms for us:

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." (John 15: 34)

God bless!



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday – Friday 8:30AM – 3:00PM
Saturday – Monday the Office is CLOSED
Father can be reached, at any time, for an emergency at **361-243-1178**.
CCD office phone number **210-390-5261**
Bulletin cut off day is on Tuesday.

Baptisms are on the first Sunday of every month.

Marriage: Those planning to get married by the Church must contact Fr. Charles, at least six months before the wedding date.

Church website: www.goliadcatholic.org

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Immaculate Conception:

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| Children | \$2.00 |
| Loose Change/Building Fund | \$524.00 |
| Envelopes | \$1,686.00 |
| Loose Checks | \$300.00 |
| Rice bag | \$176.00 |
| Total | \$4,388.00 |

La Bahia: NO MASS

DISCIPLES ON THE JOURNEY

We still have a few of the Faith – Sharing booklets for Lent: “The Disciples on the Journey” in the church office.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for the physical and spiritual healing of: Dolores Henning, Judy Bammert Gilliam, Karen Garcia, Ernest Gonzales, Arian Nunez, Evelyn Franke Sedita, A.J. Bammert, Derek Byrd, JoAnn Barber, Gladys Stauss, Samuel Arenhas, Emilio Mendoza, Sr., Everly Elisondo, Michelle Watkins, Paula Camacho, Ray Parr, DeDe Waggner, Lisa Meyer, Sylvia Villarreal, Judy San Miguel, Virginia Zillig, DaCoda Fleming, Chanston Fleming, Gordon Watkins, Luis Rodriquez, Haley Tanner, Joe Murphy, Jr., Eloisa Ramos, Elvira Ramos, Bill Goynes, Anita Coronado, Michael Schrimsher, Roger Camacho Jr., Robin Rossler, Rumaldo Perez, Andy Pompa, Natalie Garay, Virginia Martinez, Beverly Batey, Bernard Deckert, Bobby Fikac, Caitlin Gutierrez, Wanda Baxter, Mary Foerster, Denise Renfeldt, Juanita “Janie” Hernandez, Raegen Garcia, Lucy Gutierrez, Cindy Skinkis, Mitchell Friedrichs, Luis Hernandez, Loretta Pfenninger, and Mary Alice Grace.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



Jacque Rojas
will receive
The Vocation Statue
Sunday, March 11, at 9:00 AM
Mass.

CONFIRMATION

REMINDER

On **March 4, 2018** immediately following Mass there will be a meeting for parents and sponsors of candidates being confirmed this year. The meeting will be in the CCD building. Thank you!

CATHOLIC KNOWLEDGE BOWL

THANK YOU AND CONGRATULATIONS to all 6 teams who participated in the Catholic Knowledge Bowl. The participants will tell you it was a rewarding experience and a lot of fun. Our parish was well represented. Our Family Team placed **FIRST** and we placed **THIRD** in the Adult division. **WELL DONE!** Let's start thinking about next year!

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 40 CANS FOR LENT

Thus far the parishioners have donated an equivalent of 1292 cans for Lent. Please continue this food drive for the needy in the community. The KC's will contribute these donations and can goods to the Goliad County Outreach where they use the funds to purchase 5 cans for a dollar from the Golden Crescent Food Bank in Victoria.

LENTEN ACTIVITIES

Fridays during Lent - Stations of the Cross at 6:00 PM, followed by Lenten Soup. Provided by:

March 09 – Knights of Columbus
March 16 – St. Margaret Mary

Lenten Penance Services:

March 14th - 5:00PM at St. Peter and Paul, Myersville
March 19th - 6:00PM at Our Lady of Guadalupe, Cuero
March 20th - 6:00PM at Immaculate Conception, Goliad
March 22nd - 5:30PM at Holy Cross, Yorktown

VOCATION STATUE

The Vocation Statue Sign-up Sheet for the Knights of Columbus Fraternal Year beginning in July is now available at the back of the Church.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 5 – Choir Practice at 6:00 PM
March 6 – **NO** Divine Mercy Prayer Group
March 7 – KCs meeting after Mass
March 7, 21, & 28 CCD 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM
March 12 – St Margaret Mary 6:00 PM
March 21 – CDA 6:00 PM