

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

May 22, 2016

*The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.*

— Romans 5:5b

Masses for the Week



## SUNDAY - May 22 - The Most Holy Trinity

7:30 am - Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family - Clergy  
10:00 am - Vincent Rippamonti †

## MONDAY - May 23

8:00 am - Paul J. Bittlebrun †

## TUESDAY - May 24

8:00 am - Margie Brosch †

## WEDNESDAY - May 25 - St Bede the Venerable, Priest, DoCh St Gregory VII, Pope; St Mary Magdalene de Pazzi, Virgin

8:00 am - Dorothy Koenig †

## THURSDAY - May 26 - St Philip Neri, Priest

8:00 am - Sr. Katherine Vallone †

## FRIDAY - May 27 - St Augustine of Canterbury

8:00 am - Johnny Aguillon †

## SATURDAY - May 28 - Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am - †Mary & †Louis Pawlik  
10:00 am - Mass with Healing Service - Fr. Phi Nguyen, Celebrant  
5:00 pm - †David & †Jimmy Hobbs

## SUNDAY - May 29 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:30 am - †Genoveva & †Eric Salinas  
10:00 am - Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family - Clergy

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun: Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15  
Mon: 1 Pt 1:3-9; Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9-10c; Mk 10:17-27  
Tue: 1 Pt 1:10-16; Ps 98:1-4; Mk 10:28-31  
Wed: 1 Pt 1:18-25; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 10:32-45  
Thu: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12; Ps 100:2-5; Mk 10:46-52  
Fri: 1 Pt 4:7-13; Ps 96:10-13; Mk 11:11-26  
Sat: Jude 17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2-6; Mk 11:27-33  
Sun: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

### NEXT WEEKEND - May 28 & May 29

#### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION

and LECTORS

Sat. 5:00 pm - Diedra Kalina,  
Volunteer, Volunteer

Mary Bianchi

Sun. 7:30 am - Volunteer,  
James/Connie Novak

Claudia Schoener

Sun. 10:00 am - John Vecera,  
Donna Maxey, Volunteer

Melody Vecera

#### ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat. 5:00 pm - Volunteer, Volunteer, Volunteer  
Sun. 7:30 am - Strelczyk, Strelczyk, Volunteer  
Sun. 10:00 am - Mary Post, Volunteer, Volunteer

#### USHERS:

5:00 pm - James Hill, Norman Schoener, Volunteer  
7:30 am - Gary Pribyl, Patrick Pribyl, Volunteer  
10:00 am - Howard Bludau, Volunteer, Volunteer



*This Week*

### Altar Society BAKE SALE Weekend

#### SUNDAY - The Most Holy Trinity

ExtraEnvelope: StVdP "Black Bag" Collection

#### TUESDAY - Sewing Circle - after 8:30 Mass

#### SATURDAY - MAY 28

10:00 am MASS w/HEALING SERVICE - Fr Phi, Celebrant

Confessions - 4:00 - 4:30 pm

#### SUNDAY - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



**BAKE SALE** after all weekend Masses.

We appreciate everyone's support.

This is one of the OLL ALTAR SOCIETY fund raisers we have to serve the needs for the altars. Thank you for all support.

God Bless Everyone, *Josie Marbach, President*

### Jubilee Year of Mercy

#### Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity May 22, 2016

The word *mercy*, Pope Francis declared in his announcement of the *Jubilee Year of Mercy*, "reveals the very mystery of the Most Holy Trinity" (*Misericordiae Vultus*, 2). For *mercy* is how God comes to meet us; *mercy* is the fundamental law helping us recognize everyone as brothers and sisters; *mercy* is the bridge connecting God and humanity, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness. God's self-revelation as a life-giving, love-sharing Trinity of Persons draws us closer to God in friendship and communion. Both Judaism and Islam consider *mercy* one of God's most important attributes. Israel unceasingly proclaims God boundless in mercy. Islam addresses the Creator as "Merciful and Kind," believing divine mercy limitless, its doors always open. May this *Jubilee Year of Mercy*, Pope Francis prays, open us to more fervent dialogue, deepen our mutual understanding, eliminate all closed-minded disrespect, and drive out every form of violence and discrimination. —Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co., Inc. Papal quotes Copyright © 2015, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission.

Weekly Offering

THANK YOU .... *Your Generosity is Appreciated*

WEEKEND of 5-14/15-16 Count - 476

Envelopes..... \$ 3,025.00

Loose..... 834.75

Other Donations..... 375.00

Total Operating Income..... \$ 4,234.75

ExtrEnvlp: .....(AltarSrvr Edu Fund)..... \$ 263.00

Extra Envlp:.....(D.S.A.)..... \$ 45.00

### Please Pray for Our Sick.....

Tina Moya, Betty Echeveste, Cheryl Barker, Clifton Lau,  
Fr. Dan Morales, Cecilia Edwards, Sharon Traylor,  
Mary Louise Bittlebrun, Fredaline Najvar, Eve Bek  
& Jewell Correll



# IMPORTANT MESSAGES

There is a sign-up sheet on the table at the Church entrance for parishioners who would like to have the VOCATION CRUCIFIX for one week. Please look at your calendars and take one week to pray that our Parish is blessed with young people who will answer God's call to the priestly/religious life.  
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**CURRENT AND FUTURE ALTAR SERVERS**  
Please make plans to attend the next altar server meeting on Sunday, May 22, 2016 at 5:00 pm. If you have comments or questions please call Suzie at 361-649-1972.

## ATTENTION: GRADUATING H.S. SENIORS

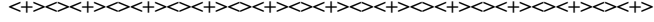


Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family will be honoring all Graduating High School Seniors on Sun. June 5, 2016 at the 10:00 am Mass with a brunch to follow. To avoid missing anyone, please contact Donna Parsons at 550-3538 for more information.  
If you know of a parish H.S. graduate, help spread the word.  
**Please respond by May 31, 2016.**

# HERE'S NEWS

## OUR LADY OF LOURDES 2016 FESTIVAL UPDATES

**2016 Parish Festival** is in need of **NEW Chairmen.** **Gerald Schilhab & Donna Maxey** have ended their terms of service as **Festival Chairmen.** If interested in these volunteer positions, please contact Gerald Schilhab, 571-4678 or Donna Maxey, 576-2670.



**2016 LIVE AUCTION** is in need of **NEW Chairmen.** **Donna & David Maxey** have ended their terms of service as Live Auction Chairmen. If interested in this position, please contact Donna Maxey, 576-2670.

This festival is a major fund raiser for the church and has been successful every year due to the volunteers that give their time to make the festival the best it can be. There's extreme pleasure in working with everyone associated with the festival. So if this is something that your heart tells you to do, please contact Gerald Schilhab and Donna Maxey.



## Generations of Faith ~ GOF Religious Education Classes

**2016-2017 GOF Registration**  
**Registration & Medical Forms are now online.**  
Go to: [www.lourdesvictoria.org](http://www.lourdesvictoria.org).  
Click: Faith Formation. Then Click: Religious Education  
**NOTE:** Only 1 Registration Form per family, however, each child needs a separate Medical Form.  
**Aug 28 - GOF Classes Resume**



The regularly scheduled First Saturday Mass with Healing Service celebrated by Fr. Phi Nguyen at Our Lady of Lourdes Church is being rescheduled due to June 4, 2016 Ordinations of Priests and Deacons for the Diocese of Victoria. This adjustment is being made to create an opportunity for laity to attend and priests to participate in this spiritual journey of their brother Priests and Deacons.



**10:00 AM - MAY 28, 2016**  
**MASS & HEALING SERVICE**  
**Come Join Us**  
at Our Lady of Lourdes Church  
as Fr. Phi Nguyen, Chaplain at IWBS convent, celebrates Mass and Healing Prayer Service.



**VOCATION CRUCIFIX**  
At the 10:00 am Mass, **Kenny and Melissa Spann** will take possession and continue our prayers. Next to take possession, on May 29, at the 7:30 am Mass, is Lawrence and Barbara Yanta.  
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## PICNICS & FESTIVALS

**St Michael Church, Cuero, TX** announces its Annual **SPRING FESTIVAL Sun. May 22 on the parish grounds.** Roast Beef Dinner w/trimmings served from 11 am - 1 pm with a drive thru line for plates to go. Also Live Auction, Bingo, Raffle, Country Store and game booths for all ages. Contact 361-275-3554 for more info.  
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**Sacred Heart Parish, Hallettsville, TX** invites all to their **SPRING PICNIC, Sunday May 29, 2016** at the K.C.Hall Dinner served from 10:30a - 1:30p - Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing, all trimmings.  
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**Ss Cyril & Methodius Church, Shiner, TX** invites all to come celebrate Memorial Day weekend in the festivities of the **30th Annual SPRING PICNIC at the KC Park, 102 S. Ave G.** Pre-picnic activities begin Saturday, May 28, from 6 pm -10 pm. On Sun. May 29, a Motorcycle Run beginning at 10:30 am. Also on Sunday, dinner served from 10:30a -2:00p (3-meats). Free music by various artists starting at 11am. Evening dance 9pm -1am with the Emotions. Call 361-594-3836 for details.

## THE EMMAUS CENTER ANNOUNCES

**MEN'S SUPPORT GROUP FOR SEXUAL ADDICTIONS**  
The incidence of sexual addiction is increasing at an alarming rate across the nation. Men are disconnecting from reality to pursue the illusion of love, acceptance and affirmation they find through pornography, fantasy, anonymous encounters, and affairs. To help men overcome, **The Emmaus Center** is offering a structured group experience called **WALKING FREE.** The goals include eradicating life-dominating sin patterns, establishing guiding foundations of truth, and encouraging life-changing relationships of love and trust in the lives of group members. The group meets once a week and utilizes both large and small group settings for ministry. Meetings are confidential; meeting times and locations are not publicized. For more information, please call the Emmaus Center at 361.212.0830.