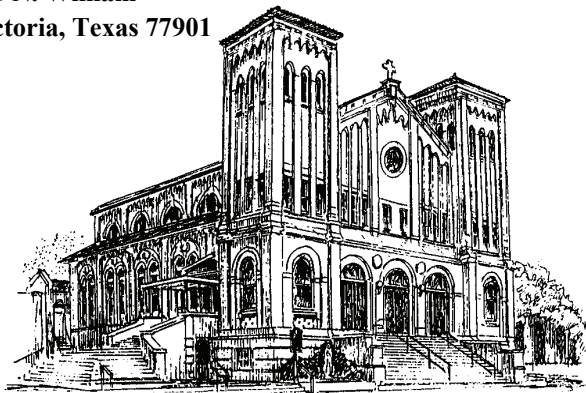


# OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## **MASS SCHEDULE:**

Daily (Mon-Sat): 8:00 a.m.  
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

**BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS:** First Sunday of every month

**NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME** - Registration forms online at  
[www.lourdesvictoria.org](http://www.lourdesvictoria.org) or email: [ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org](mailto:ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org)

## Pentecost Sunday

May 20, 2018

"Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth."

~Psalm 104

Masses for  
the Week



### PENTECOST SUNDAY - May 20

7:30 am - John Family

10:00 am - Living & Deceased Members of the Kenneth F. & Mary Ann Bernhard Family

### MONDAY - May 21

8:00 am - Special Intention (Patricia Goslin)

### TUESDAY - May 22

8:00 am - Teresa Berger Dodson

### WEDNESDAY - May 23

8:00 am - Rev. Msgr. Thomas C. McLaughlin †

### THURSDAY - May 24

8:00 am - Charles Tater, Jr. †

### FRIDAY - May 25

8:00 am - Vlasta Dziadek †

### SATURDAY - May 26

8:00 am - Winfred Kainer †

5:00 pm - Gene Jolly †

### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY - May 27

7:30 am - Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family

10:00 am - Reinhart A. Schoener †

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-11; Mk 9:38-40

Thursday: Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-20; Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12;  
Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-3, 8; Mk 10:13-16

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22;  
Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

### NEXT WEEKEND - May 26 & 27, 2018

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION

and **LECTORS**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** - Pat & Arleen Brennan, John Novak  
Harvin Suggs

**Sun. 7:30 am** - Alvin & Claudia Schoener, Sherry Kainer  
Pat Krenek

**Sun. 10:00 am** - Donna Maxey, Pauline Liz Lemke  
Hinojosa

### ALTAR SERVERS:

**Sat. 5:00 pm** - Suzie Ryan, Standby x2

**Sun. 7:30 am** - Dennis Strelczyk, Standby x2

**Sun. 10:00 am** - Cy & Carly Richter, Maddy Urbano

### USHERS:

**Sat. 5:00 pm** - Julius Cano, John Novak, Norman Schoener

**Sun. 7:30 am** - Gary Pribyl, Patrick Pribyl, Standby

**Sun. 10:00 am** - Howard Bludau, Standby x2

**Confirmation** will be on June 3 at the 10:00am Mass with Bishop Emeritus David Fellhauer presiding.

Lord, send out  
your  
Spirit  
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of the  
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## THIS WEEK

### Pentecost Sunday

**Collection/Envelope:** *Weekly Stewardship*  
**2nd Collection:** *Needs of the Retired Priests of the Diocese of Victoria*

**MONDAY - Altar Society Meeting & Member of the Year Banquet @ 6:00 pm**

**TUESDAY - Sewing Circle - after 8:00 am Mass**

**SATURDAY - Confessions - 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm**

### The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

**Collection/Envelope:** *Weekly Stewardship*  
**2nd Collection (Extra Envelope):** *St. Vincent de Paul*

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The disciples gathered on the fiftieth day after the Resurrection were not keeping their first Pentecost. For them, Pentecost was the fiftieth day after Passover, a feast of the first fruits of the harvest. It was the second most important feast of the year. Today, Jews gather on the eve of the feast to study scripture and the law, and after the feast begins at sundown, spend the day in joyful social gatherings. The meaning of the celebration is the giving of the law on Mount Sinai, so for Christians the connection to the gifts of the Holy Spirit is obvious. In Sicily and in the Pantheon in Rome, today the descent of the Holy Spirit is enacted with a stunning ritual. Some churches there have an "eye" in the roof open to the sky, called an *oculus*. After the Gospel today, thousands of rose petals fall from the *oculus* onto the assembly. Churches and homes are decked in greenery and flowers to express the new life the Holy Spirit brings on this, the "birthday of the church."

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

<i>Weekly Offering</i>	<b>WEEKEND of May 12/13, 2018</b>	<b>Count - 544</b>
	<b>Total Operating Income</b>	<b>\$ 4,211.00</b>
	<b>2nd Collection (Diocesan Services Appeal)</b>	<b>\$ 1,523.75</b>
	<b>Thank You! Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated.</b>	

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Tina Moya, Clifton Lau, Cecilia Edwards, Mimi Waida, Mary Ruth Kainer, James Rung, Tom Goslin, Michael Berger, Lawrence Yanta, Paul Tasin, Cheryl Blaylock, Mary Ann Bernhard, Matt Brown, Wade Shumbera, Cole Ohrt, Cody Arnold, Gerald Yankey, Bobby McCan, Ramona Perez, Darren Mikulik, Steve Motal, Monsignor Joseph Hybner

## - EVENTS ALL AROUND -

**Sacred Heart Church, Hallettsville, TX** will be celebrating its 136<sup>th</sup> year in existence with the **ANNUAL SPRING PICNIC** on **Sunday, May 27, 2018 at the KC Hall**. Dinner of country fried chicken & stew served from 10:30 am-1:30pm. Short memorial @ 1:00 pm. Music, fun & entertainment all afternoon.

**Shiner Catholic Church, Shiner, TX** is having its 32<sup>nd</sup> **ANNUAL SPRING PICNIC** at the KC Park on Sunday May 27, 2018. Pre-picnic activities on Saturday, May 26, 2018. Sunday dinner 10:30 am-2:00 pm (stew, fried chicken, sausage). For details, call 361-594-3836 or visit [www.sscmshiner.org](http://www.sscmshiner.org).

**St. Mary Catholic Church, Hallettsville, TX** will have their Parish Picnic on **Sunday, June 10, 2018** at the Parish Hall. The day begins with Mass being celebrated at 9:15 am. Meal features St. Mary's stew, sausage & all the trimmings beginning at 10:30 am. Live music and various games will be provided throughout the day. Auction begins at 1:00 pm.

### Camp David 2018

REGISTRATION 2018 NOW OPEN!!!

Jr. High-Session 1: June 10-12, 2018

Jr. High-Session 2: June 13-15, 2018

Elementary Camp: June 13, 2018

Contact: [www.victoriadiocese.org/camp-david](http://www.victoriadiocese.org/camp-david)

### 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Vocation Camp "Quo Vadis"

will be held July 1<sup>st</sup> through July 4<sup>th</sup> at Camp Kubena in Ledbetter, Texas, near LaGrange. Young men of the parish are encouraged to attend. The registration form and fee are due by June 23. The total fee for the camp is \$75.00. The camp is open to all young men who are going into the 9<sup>th</sup> grade next school year through 21 years of age. Please call Fr. Tommy Chen at (361) 552-6140 with any questions.

### Rocky Mountain High Retreat

(for high school age young people)

**July 7-July 15, 2018**

Sonlight Christian Camp in Pagosa Springs, Colorado

Registration deadline is Friday, May 25, 2018

For further information, contact:

**The Office of Youth Ministry**

[weggert@victoriadiocese.org](mailto:weggert@victoriadiocese.org); (361) 573-0828 ext. 2232

### The Victoria Diocese 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Catholic Conference

All Parish Catechetical Leaders, Catechists and people of the parish, "Save" the date, October 20, 2018, for the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Catholic Conference at the Cathedral Center in Victoria, Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church.

### Continuing Christian Education - CCE Classes

Kindergarten thru 10th grade

8:30-9:45 am on Sunday

**Contacts: Martha Nichols - (361) 571-0337**

[marthan@lourdesvictoria.org](mailto:marthan@lourdesvictoria.org)

**Tammy Fikac - (361) 573-1179**

[tgfikac@yahoo.com](mailto:tgfikac@yahoo.com)

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - RCIA

"My soul longs for you, O God." (Ps 42:2)

Come and join a process of encounter with our loving and merciful God Who welcomes you to His family.

**Contact: Sr. Miriam, MCSH - (361) 575-3813**

[sistermiriam@lourdesvictoria.org](mailto:sistermiriam@lourdesvictoria.org)

**Knights of Columbus Council #1329** Chicken BBQ will be held May 20<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am until sold out. Prices are \$8 per chicken or 3 for \$22. Spanish rice and beans are available for \$1.50 per pint. Proceeds benefit various council charity projects. Location is Airline at Ben Wilson. For info, call the hall Sunday morning at 575-9214.

### MEETING & MEMBER OF THE YEAR BANQUET

Our Lady of Lourdes Altar Society will honor Evelyn Simper as the member of the year at the May 21<sup>st</sup> meeting (6:00 pm). Meat will be provided. Members are asked to provide a side dish and/or dessert. Please call Diane Heller @ 550-7710 or Connie Novak @ 575-5806 to make your reservation.

### Come Out, Have Fun, Meet Friends



Knights of Columbus Council #1329 Bingo Night on May 23. Hall opens 6:00 pm. Bingo games from 7:30 pm until 10:00 pm. \$10.00 per Bingo sheet pack for 10 games. Food and drinks available. Location is Airline at Ben Wilson. Proceeds benefit various council charity projects. For info, call the hall Wednesday evening at 575-9214.

### ATTENTION: The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus goes back at least to the 11<sup>th</sup> century, but through the 16<sup>th</sup> century, it remained a private devotion, often tied to devotion to the Five Wounds of Christ. This feast is now commemorated on every First Friday of the month. The Feast of the Sacred Heart is one of the most popular in the Catholic Church. It is celebrated in the spring on a different date each year (19 days after Pentecost Sunday). This year, the Solemnity falls on June 8<sup>th</sup>. Please mark your calendar. On that day, we will have a prolonged exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for Adoration. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Please check it and sign your time for adoration.

### Hike the Camino de Santiago plus Fatima pilgrimage!

This tour begins in Sarria, the most popular Camino starting point, covering the last 100km of the Camino Francés to converge on Santiago de Compostela with an additional stop in Fatima and Porto. Limited spots available for the **June 25-July 7** pilgrimage. If you are interested in joining this spiritual journey, contact Jane Lakatos at [jhlakatos@gmail.com](mailto:jhlakatos@gmail.com).

### HEALING THE WHOLE PERSON

St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church is hosting a Healing the Whole Person retreat, led by the John Paul II Healing Center, on July 12-14<sup>th</sup>. Learn more, and register for this amazing retreat at <http://jpiihealingcenter.org/>. Early Registration opened on April 9<sup>th</sup> and Online Registration closes on July 2, 2018. For local questions you may contact Pat Hoelscher @ [pat623@icloud.com](mailto:pat623@icloud.com).

**Caregiver Support Groups** - The Emmaus Center is interested in starting support groups for caregivers of individuals with dementia or Alzheimer's. Please call (361) 212-0830 if interested in attending.

**Grief Groups** have begun to meet. The Victoria group meets Fridays at 10:00 am. To register, please call (361) 212-0830.

If you are registered in a Catholic church in the Diocese of Victoria, you may subscribe to *The Catholic Lighthouse* online at <https://www.victoriadiocese.org/subscribe-now>, or by calling 361-573-0828.