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**September 19th, 2021**

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WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE			WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE			SPECIAL LITURGICAL EVENTS		
Tuesday	8:00 – 9:00 am	Saturday	5:00 pm 7:00 pm	English Spanish	<b>First Friday</b> Mass	9:00 am 5:00 pm 7:00 pm	English English Spanish	
Wednesday	5:00 – 6:00 pm	Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 am 5:00 pm	English Spanish English	<b>First Friday</b> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament ... Evening Prayer and Benediction	8:00 am 7:00 pm		
Thursday	8:00 – 9:00 am 6:00 – 6:45 pm	Monday	7:00 am	English				
Friday	10:00 – 11:00 am	Tuesday	7:30 am	English				
Saturday	8:00 – 10:00 am	Wednesday	7:00 pm	English	<b>First Saturday</b> Confession Mass	8:00 - 8:45 am 9:00 am	English	
		Thursday	7:30 am 7:00 pm	English Spanish				
		Friday	9:00 am	English				

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## Week Mass Schedule and Intentions

### Sunday, September 19

8:00 a.m. † Chuck Grossman (Birthday)  
10:30 a.m. † Alonso Guillen  
† Tomas Carreon  
Pro-Populo

### Monday, September 20

7:00 a.m. † James & Trudy Hodges

### Tuesday, September 21

7:30 a.m. † Regina Santo

### Wednesday, September 22

7:00 a.m. † Regina Santo

### Thursday, September 23

7:30 a.m. Unborn  
7:00 p.m. † Andres Garcia  
† Lorena Garcia  
† Guadalupe Garcia

### Friday, September 24

9:00 a.m. † Tomas Serapio

### Saturday, September 25

5:00 p.m. † Tomas Serapio  
7:00 p.m. † Andres Garcia  
† Lorena Garcia  
† Guadalupe Garcia

### Sunday, September 26

9:00 a.m. Pro-Populo  
10:30 a.m. † Andres Garcia  
† Lorena Garcia

#### Faith Formation classes

Classes for grades 5-8 will begin on Wednesday, September 22, from 6:30 to 8:00 in the Faith Formation Room. If you are registered for the Sacraments please keep coming the following Wednesdays. Children who are not registered for Sacraments only twice a month. Please be very aware of the health of your children, it is not mandatory to bring them if they feel bad. They will not fail if they do not attend classes, you also have the option of teaching them at home, just call Oralia Aguilar and pick up the books and instructions to do so.

#### Clases de Formación de Fe

Las clases para los grados 5-8 comenzará el Miércoles 22 de Septiembre, de 6:30 a 8:00 en el Salón de Formación de Fe. Si estan registrados para los Sacramentos favor de seguir viniendo los Miercoles siguientes. Los niños que no estan registrados para Sacramentos solo dos veces al mes. Por favor esten muy pendientes de la salud de sus hijos no es obligación traerlos si se sienten mal. No van a reprobar si no asisten a clases, también tiene la opción de enseñarles en casa, solo llame a Oralia Aguilar y recoja los libros e instrucciones para hacerlo.



### Baptism Formation Sessions (for Baptisms of Children Under Age 7)

If you have a child under the age of 7 years who needs to be baptized, please contact Deacon Ray at [deaconray@suddenlink.net](mailto:deaconray@suddenlink.net) to schedule an appointment for Baptism Formation. Days and times of meetings are flexible and Deacon Ray will work with you to find a convenient time.

**For baptism of adults and children over the age of 7, please contact the parish office.**

### PREPARACION BAUTISMAL

¿Cuándo? Cada Tercer Martes del mes, de 6:00 a 8:00 pm  
¿Dónde? En el salón de Formación de Fé  
Registración: llamar a la oficina **936-634-6833**  
Por favor de llamar antes del día de la clase.

## Collection September 4th & 5th, 2021

General Funds ..... \$8,591.27

### READINGS OF THE WEEK



**Sunday, September 19:** 1 Timothy 2:1-8; Psalm 28:2,7-9

Luke 7:1-10

**Monday, September 20:** Ezra 1:1-6; Psalm 126:1-6;

Luke 8:16-18

**Tuesday, September 21:** Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13; Psalm 19:2-5;

Matthew 9:9-13

**Wednesday, September 22:** Ezra 9:5-9; Tobit 13:2-4, 7-8;

Luke 9:1-6

**Thursday, September 23:** Haggai 1:1-8; Psalm 149:1-6, 9;

Luke 9:7-9

**Friday, September 24:** Haggai 2:1-9; Psalm 43:1-4; Luke 9:18-22

**Saturday, September 25:** Zechariah 2:5-9, 14-15; Jeremiah 31:10-13;

Luke 9:43-45

**Sunday, September 26:** Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6;

Psalm 19:8, 10, 12-14, Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

### Saints and Feasts of the Week

**Monday, September 20** — St. John Chrysostom

**Tuesday, September 21** — Exaltation of The Cross

**Thursday, September 23** — Our Lady of Sorrows



Please join us for the 34th annual National Life Chain Sunday October 23rd 2:00-3:00 pm on Timberland Drive. Meet at Kiwanis Park at 1:45 to pick up signs. Come and pray for the pre-born. Dr. Stacy Trasancos of the St. Philip Institute will be giving a presentation on the Church's teaching on the use of contraceptives Sunday, October 24th at 6:30 pm in the Faith Formation building. All are encouraged to attend.

Únase a nosotros para la 34ª edición anual de National Life Chain, el Domingo 23 de Octubre de 2:00-3:00 pm en Timberland Drive. Reúnase en Kiwanis Park a la 1:45 pm para recoger los letreros. Ven y reza por los no nacidos. La Dra. Stacy Trasancos del Instituto St. Philip dará una presentación sobre la enseñanza de la Iglesia sobre el uso de anticonceptivos el domingo 24 de Octubre a las 6:30 pm en el edificio de Formación de Fe. Se les invita a todos a asistir.



God Is Good All the Time

**St. Patrick Catholic School**  
Look out for our Pumpkin Patch at the end of the month!

**Escuela Católica San Patricio**  
Esté atento a nuestro Pumpkin Patch a fin de mes!



**Please, keep in your prayers: Father Denzil (For a Full and speedy Recovery)**

Ruth Begin, Tomas Martinez, Rose Ward, Madeline Largent, Joe & Jeraldine Molandes, Danny, Michelle & Daniella Zapata, Doris Philips, Cristian Roman, Krystal Segura Garza, Ennett Julio Whitehead, Cathy George, Benjamin Triana, Theda & Steve Moseley, James Minshew, Denise Bennefield, Gladys Partridge, Eddie Kupec, Mary Ellen Allday, Beau, Josephine "Jo" Boyd, Agustín Aguilar & Family, Clemente Jasso & Family, Tyler Dunn, Nicole Rawls, Ann & Pat Thomas, Lisa Bennett, Robert & Maricela Rosales & Family, Hermilio & Maribel Ramirez & Family, Martha Ramirez & Family, Imogene Ramos & Grandchildren, and Steven Brunner, Mark Brewer, Nora, Gabriel and Bryce Muñoz.

**Men & Women in Service:**

Cullen Hanks, Nick Grossman, Anthony Gage Guerrero, Isabel Enriquez, Jeremy Pritchard, Lorraine C Tate, Timothy Gergen, Brenden Klenk, Tanner Crocker, and Caleb Green.

## Please remember St. Patrick Catholic Church in your will.

### Adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

#### Monday through Friday of this week

after 8am Mass to 6pm.

We are looking for permanent adorers.

Please consider signing up at the church foyer to spend an hour with the Lord Jesus!

### East Texas Sanctity of Life Banquet

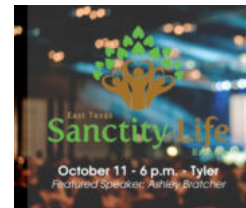
You are invited to join the Diocese of Tyler for the 6th Annual East Texas Sanctity of Life Banquet with featured speaker Ashley Bratcher. Bratcher is an actress who has starred in Christian films in the U.S. This year's banquet will take place on Monday, Oct. 11 at 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Conference Center in Tyler.

For tickets, visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2021-east-texas-sanctity-of-life-banquet-tickets-158020879705?aff=affiliate1>

### Banquete de la Santidad de la Vida en el Este de Texas

Está invitado a unirse a la Diócesis de Tyler para el 6to Banquete Anual de la Santidad de la Vida del Este de Texas con la oradora Ashley Bratcher. Bratcher es una actriz que ha protagonizado películas cristianas en Estados Unidos. El banquete de este año se llevará a cabo el lunes 11 de octubre a las 6 p.m. en el Holiday Inn Conference Center en Tyler.

Para boletos, visite: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2021-east-texas-sanctity-of-life-banquet-tickets-158020879705?aff=affiliate1>



### Christian Initiation

#### RCIA/RICA

ARE YOU SOMEONE, OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO ...

Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?

Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?

Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? We offer you the opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about the teachings and traditions of our Catholic Faith, and invite you to join us on the Journey of Faith where you will have the chance to fall in love with Jesus.

Individuals are accompanied on the Journey of Faith as they prepare to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and/or Holy Eucharist. There are separate sessions for children/youth. Both the Adult and Children's sessions begin on:

Sunday, September 26, 2021, after the 9:00 am Mass, at the Faith Formation Building.

We welcome you to participate in the RCIA/RICA (Christian Initiation) process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm, accepting setting. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 936-634-6833.

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### Iniciación Cristiana

#### RICA/RICA

¿ERES ALGUIEN O CONOCES A ALGUIEN QUE ...

¿Ha expresado interés en convertirse en católico?

¿Tiene un niño mayor de siete años que no ha sido bautizado?

¿Fue bautizado católico cuando era niño, pero no ha celebrado los sacramentos de la Confirmación y la Eucaristía? Le ofrecemos la oportunidad de reunirse en un grupo pequeño para aprender más sobre las enseñanzas y tradiciones de nuestra fe católica, y lo invitamos a unirse a nosotros en el viaje de la fe, donde tendrá la oportunidad de enamorarse de Jesús. Se acompaña a las personas en el Viaje de la Fe mientras se preparan para celebrar los sacramentos del Bautismo, la Confirmación y / o la Sagrada Eucaristía. Hay sesiones separadas para niños / jóvenes. Tanto las sesiones de adultos como las de niños comienzan el Domingo 26 de septiembre de 2021, después de la Misa de las 9:00 am, en el Edificio de Formación de Fe.

Le damos la bienvenida a participar en el proceso de RICA / RICA (Iniciación Cristiana) con sus preguntas, sus percepciones y su historia de fe en un ambiente cálido y de aceptación. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial al 936-634-6833.

### MINISTRIES AND LEADERS OF OUR PARISH

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