



MASS SCHEDULE

Mon., Aug. 2	8:15 a.m.	Hortence Silva Gonzales †
Tues., Aug. 3	6:15 a.m.	Donald Testerman
	8:15 a.m.	Martha & Eddie Bubela †
Wed., Aug. 4	6:15 a.m.	Crystal Pechacek
	8:15 a.m.	Bill Paradoski †
Thurs., Aug.5	6:15 a.m.	Al Galiano †
	8:15 a.m.	Elizabeth Guidry †
Fri., Aug. 6	8:15 a.m.	Robert Clay †
Sat., Aug. 7	8:15 a.m.	Madeline Garland †
	5:00 p.m.	George Turney †
Sun., Aug. 8	8:00 a.m.	Blanche Smith †
	10:00 a.m.	Marie Meschwitz †
	12:00 p.m.	Community of St. Rose
	5:00 p.m.	Viola Yorek †

Masses are also being offered for: Stella Ciedewicz, Madelyn Bartula, Robert Sarlay, Jr., Theresa Gray Espinoza, Stella Ciedewicz, Willie Schilling, In honor of the Infant of Prague, Philip J. Lester, Sacred Heart-Special Intention, Sacred Heart-Thanksgiving.

Please pray for our sick friends and relatives:
Clarice Cheyney Gorneck.

Scripture readings for the week:

Mon. Jer 28:1-17; Mt 14:13-21

Tues. Jer 30:1-2,12-15,18-22; Mt 14:22-36

Wed. Jer 31:1-7; Mt 15:21-28

Thurs. Jer 31:31-34, Mt 16:13-23

Fri. Dn 7:9-10,13-14; Lk 9:28b-36

Sat. Hb 1:12-2:4 ; Mt 17:14-20

Sun. Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2,8-18; Lk 12:32-48

VOCATION UPDATES

This Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. Mass, Pat Hall will receive the Traveling Crucifix. Let us join with her as she prays for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

YOU'RE INVITED - Adoration every Thursday, 9 a.m. - 7p.m.

Holy Hour for Vocations 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Come spend time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

Dear St. Rose Community,

It is with heartfelt gratitude that we would like to thank you for the hospitality that you have shown us while we were here. We will be returning to our respective seminaries in the next few weeks to continue our studies and wanted to let you know how much we have appreciated our time here. A special thank you to everyone that showed us around and taught us how things work here, as well as to everyone who made sure that we ate well. Finally, thank you for your prayers and know that you will be in ours.

Sincerely,

David Angelino, Michael Applegate, Christian Mondragon,
Angel Alvarez, Alfonso Tran

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Book Club

Next selection is **Eat, Pray, Love** by Elizabeth Gilbert – a Spiritual Journey through Italy, India and Bali during a very tumultuous time in Elizabeth's life. Buy now and read this summer. Meetings Aug 5, 12, 19, 26 & Sept 2. Last meeting is dinner and viewing the movie starring Julia Roberts!

Living in the Spirit of the Word

Open to men & women

Quick Journey thru the Bible - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7-8:30PM
RSVP for babysitting. Contact: Joy Stevens 713-249-3697.
Snacks provided by participants.

Bible 101

Open to men & women

By popular vote, the class has decided to spend the next two (or three) Wednesdays studying the book of Ruth. After Ruth, we will continue our weekly sessions, prayerfully allowing the Holy Spirit to lead us in the direction we should go.

Contact: Evelyn Brown evelynbrown3@att.net 713 686-1062

New on the CD Rack: Finding the fullness of Faith

Stephen Ray

Stephen Ray was raised in a devout, loving, Baptist family. Since his conversion to the Catholic Faith, he has become an international speaker and is the author of three best-selling books, Crossing the Tiber, Upon this Rock, and St. John's Gospel. He shares with us his amazing conversion to Catholicism and explains why he is convinced this is the Church founded by Christ over 2000 years ago.

Retrouvaille

4 Stages of Marriage – The 4 stages of marriage are: (1) Romance, (2) Disillusionment, (3) Misery, and (4) Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 Stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4th Stage of Awakening. Don't give up without learning about the 4th Stage of Awakening. If your marriage suffers from Disillusionment or Misery please contact Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i). For confidential information about or to register for the September program beginning with a weekend in Victoria on September 10-12 call 979-543-3493 or email: lbconner@sbcglobal.net or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org

ACTS MEN'S RETREAT

OCTOBER 14-17, 2010

Come and experience an ACTS retreat weekend! ACTS stands for Adoration, Community, Theology and Service and it provides a retreat environment of spiritual renewal and fellowship. It is a chance to connect our spiritual and secular lives as well as develop new friendships. This year the 2nd Annual St. Rose Men's ACTS Retreat will take place at the Kaiserhof Retreat Center in Tomball, Texas on October 14th - 17th, 2010.

THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**Holy Eucharist honoring the visiting relics of
Blesses Mother Teresa of Calcutta**

Christian Relating:

Is there an App for that?

iBelieve, iLove, iServe, iWitness

Come join the Young Adult community of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston to venerate together the Blood, Sandals, Rosary and Crucifix of Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta as her Missionaries of Charity travel the country in the wake of Mother Teresa's 100th birthday on August 26th, 2010.

The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated on:

July 26th, 2010 at 6:15p.m.

St. Vincent DePaul Catholic Church

6800 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, TX 77025

Mass will be celebrated by

Bishop Vincent M. Rizzotto

with homily by

Fr. Manuel LaRosa-López

Blessed Mother Teresa's relics will be displayed for veneration beginning at 4:00p.m. and will stay displayed until 9:00p.m.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from 5:00p.m. to 6:00p.m.

THE WORD OF LIFE

As Catholics, called to reflect the light of Jesus in places of great darkness, we must speak out and work tirelessly on behalf of our brothers and sisters in captivity. We must educate others on what we can do to eradicate the deplorable trade of women and children for profit. And we must pray for the rescue and restoration of victims, for the redemption of traffickers, and for the protection of all human life.

~ Diane Bayly, "Sex Trafficking: The New Slavery" USCCB *Respect Life Program* (2010-2011)

VOLUNTEER CHEER-HAPPENINGS

Second Family Care

Need to go to therapy? Just had a baby? Had surgery? Need to get testing done? Can't drive (temporary or permanent)? St. Rose has a Second Family ministry of volunteers to take you to the doctor, pharmacy, grocery store, dentist, church, etc. at no charge. Need us? Call Jo Ann Jones @ 713-686-5087 or Betty Markoski @ 713-695-2331.

This Week in our Parish

Monday Aug. 2

6:30 p.m. Basketball, WH

7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary, RA

Tuesday, Aug. 3

9:00 a.m. Exercise Wisely, FC

10:30 a.m. Scripture Sharing, FC

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7:00 p.m. Total Board of Ed., RB

Wednesday, Aug. 4

10:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Bible Study, RC

6-6:45 p.m. Confessions

Thursday, Aug. 5

9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Adoration, CHPL

9:30 a.m. Thursday Club, - hamburgers

5:30 p.m. St Rose ACTS Group, RC

6:00 p.m. Rosary for Vocations, CHPL

6:30 p.m. Men's ACTS, FC

7:00 p.m. Book Club, RC

7:15 p.m. Hispanic Choir, CH

Friday, Aug 6

9:00 a.m. Exercise Wisely, FC

6:30 p.m. Grupo de Oracion, FC

Saturday, Aug 7

4-4:45 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, August 8

8:00 a.m. Mass

10:00 a.m. Mass

12:00 p.m. Mass (Sp.)

5:00 p.m. Mass



If you would like an opportunity to mentor a special child, please see Peggy in the Church Office

STORY OF THE WEEK

"I know what KIDS HOPE means," said a child. "It means, I hope, I hope, I hope my mentor is coming today!"

Our Mission: KIDS HOPE USA builds caring relationships... one child, one hour, one church, one school.

Operation Backpack benefits the many students in our community who need the basic tools to begin the school year in a position to succeed. This annual community-wide school supply and backpack drive, coordinated by the YMCA of Greater Houston, will end August 22, 2010. Your participation can make a huge difference in the life of a student!

Supplies needed: backpacks, paper, pencils, notebooks, etc. Collection boxes are located in the church and office entrances.

Journey of Hope, Mission of Love

Many thanks to Virginia Madden, Chuck Froehlich, Dorothy Pepper, George Stokan and Peggy Wilgis for their gifts of time talent and treasure to the children of San Carlos Mission outside of Laredo, Texas. There were 80 happy children at the Vacation Bible School, ranging from 3 to 14 years of age. The older children served as assistants and did a very good job. It was a joy to watch how well the older children took care of the younger ones.

Several mothers of the children prepared authentic Mexican meals each day for the volunteers. They were delicious. Many thanks to those parishioners who generously supported this endeavor both financially and prayerfully. God bless all of you.



FOLLOW ME

Goal: \$74,182.00
Amount Paid: \$72,185.62
Amount Pledged: \$94,867.15
Number of Participants: 435



7/25/10 \$16,282.77 7/26/09 \$19,149.00

Jesus urges us to be rich in what matters to God. The psalmist warns us against hardening our hearts. Are our hearts open to what really matters?

Financial Cents: Looking back at the records that were left here in the office, I was not able to locate any recent financial year end reports to the parish. The most recent report that I could find was dated for fiscal year 2006 – four years ago.

In discussing this with Fr. Clint and the Finance Council, we overwhelmingly agreed that we needed to return to publishing year end reports to the parish. And that these reports needed to include a review of the Annual Operating Budget, the status of our Savings and Loan accounts, and most recently, the progress to date within our Legacy of Faith campaign.

As a result of this, the St. Rose of Lima report of Income and Expense for Fiscal year 2010 (ending June 30, 2010) has been published for you and is included in this week's bulletin.

Almost all of the year's highlights have already been covered in the weekly Financial Cents articles, and so the brief notes that are included on the attached report will simply provide a high level description (or reminder) for some of the more significant numbers or events.

We hope that this report will provide a clear and positive financial picture to you of the St. Rose of Lima Community. And we invite your input and feedback as to how we could make this report even more meaningful to you in the future. Please let us know.

Chuck Pearce
Business Administrator

2010 Wedding Anniversary Jubilee

The Office of Family Life Ministry and the Office of Aging are jointly sponsoring a special recognition Mass honoring older adults: The Blessings of Age: A Jubilee Celebration. This celebration on Sept. 5 will honor those celebrating 50 years of the sacrament of marriage as well as those growing older in our faith community. Please register through your parish if you will be celebrating your 50th anniversary. If you have not received any e-mail from our Office of Family Life Ministry that contains the registration instructions and procedures for these Jubilee Masses, please contact our office immediately. The deadline to receive all registrations from parishes is Aug. 2. Keep in mind the dates and times for the celebrations:

- 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration, Sept. 5 at 3 p.m.
- 25th Wedding Anniversary Celebration, Sept. 19 at 3 p.m.

CCE REGISTRATION BEGINS this weekend and will continue throughout the month of August. Registration packets will be available after all Masses on the weekends of August. You can also pick up registration materials at the parish office. Registration packets can also be accessed at the St. Rose web page at www.stroselima.org.

As you may be aware by this time, all St. Rose religious education programs will be moved to Sunday starting this fall. Grades Pre-K thru 5 will meet on **Sunday mornings from 8:15a.m. to 9:45a.m.** Children in the morning programs will then attend the 10:00a.m. Mass with their parents. Junior High (6,7,8 grades) as well as Confirmation Year I and II will meet on **Sunday afternoons from 2:00p.m. to 4:45p.m.** Afterwards, students will attend the 5:00p.m. Youth Mass. Dates and times for the public school programs have not yet been determined.

Should my child be in CCE Classes? If your child attends public school, then he or she should be enrolled in and regularly attending CCE classes here at the parish. These classes are not meant to take the place of religious formation of your children at home, but instead seek to augment what parents are already sharing with their children. If your child is in second grade or above and has not received the sacraments of reconciliation and Eucharist, then they should be enrolled in CCE classes. Students who are preparing to receive these sacraments must be enrolled in CCE classes for a full year **prior** to receiving the sacraments. If you have a child in 5th grade and above who has not been baptized or has not received the sacraments of reconciliation and Eucharist, then they should be enrolled in CCE class as well. If you have any questions about the Religious Education program here at St. Rose or need help in registering your child, do not hesitate to contact the CCE office. Classes begin on **Sunday, September 26th at 8:15a.m.**

INSCRIPCION PARA LAS CLASES DE DOCTRINA estará comenzando en este fin de semana y continuarse después de la Misa pro cada domingo en Agosto. Paquetes con información y formas de inscripción estará disponible en la iglesia, en la oficina de la parroquia o en la pagina www.stroselima.org. Clases empezaron **en domingo, 26 septiembre a las 10:15 a.m.** Para mas información, por favor llame la oficina de CCE.

Deacon John

St. Rose of Lima Catholic School

We are still accepting registrations
for Pre-K through 6th grade.
Call today for a tour or more information:
713-692-0104
www.stroselima.org

It's almost time!

The first day of school begins Friday, August 13, with our "Meet Your Teacher Day." Students and their parents can come to school beginning at 7:45 AM to complete paperwork, sign up for band, purchase lunches, learn about after-school care and much more. It's the second-best-day of the school year, second only to the last day of school....just ask your kids.

The first official day of school with classes will start the following Monday, August 16.

THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

BAUTIZO

Uno de los requisitos para que el niño(a) pueda recibir el Sacramento del Bautizo es que tanto los Padres como los padrinos asistan a las charlas pre-bautismales. Estas charlas se realizan cada otro mes. Favor llamar a la parroquia para inscribirse y saber los horarios. Las clases en la parroquia son ofrecidas en inglés o español.

CONFIRMACIÓN

La preparación para recibir el Sacramento de la Confirmación normalmente se hace mientras el candidato(a) esta en 10mo y 11mo grado. El primer año el candidato(a) deberá estar en preparatoria (High School) Católica o asistir a los cursos de preparación ofrecidos en la parroquia. Para el segundo año de preparación todos los candidatos deberán asistir a las clases ofrecidas en la parroquia durante nueve meses. Las clases en la parroquia son ofrecidas en inglés únicamente.

MATRIMONIO

La preparación de parejas para matrimonio, requiere un periodo de aproximadamente seis meses antes del día de la boda. En el caso de que alguna persona de la pareja haya estado casada previamente, se debe notificar a la parroquia con 12 o 15 meses de anticipación.

QUINCE AÑOS

La celebración eucarística de presentación de quince años se la realiza en grupo tres veces al año (Febrero, Junio y Octubre) el 1ro Sábado a las 11:00 a.m. Los candidatos deben recibir los Sacramentos Católicos: Bautizo, Primera reconciliación y Primera Comunión. La familia del candidato(a) debe inscribirse en la parroquia un año antes para ser preparados durante este tiempo. Para mayor información favor comunicarse con la parroquia.

UNICION DE LOS ENFERMOS

En el caso de enfermedad seria u hospitalización, por favor notifique a la oficinas de la parroquia. La parroquia de Santa Rosa provee los sacramentos necesarios a los pacientes de N.W. Memorial Hospital, West Janisch Health Center y Lexington Place Nursing Homes.

ENFERMEDAD

La comunidad parroquial quiere apoyar y orar por todos los enfermos, los que estén en casa u hospitalizados. Por favor notifique a las oficinas de la parroquia de los sacramentos faltantes del miembro de su familia enfermo.

PRIMERA RECONCILIACIÓN Y PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

La preparación para recibir estos sacramentos se realiza normalmente en los niños(as) que están en 2do grado. El candidato(a) debe haber sido bautizado en la iglesia católica, haber asistido de manera continua a las clases del CCE (doctrina) por 2 años. Tanto los padres como los niños(as) deben asistir a clases especiales de preparación para que los niños(as) pueden recibir estos 2 sacramentos, estas clases son ofrecidas en la parroquia en inglés y español durante el segundo año en el que el niño(a) esta asistiendo al segundo año del CCE (doctrina).

RITO DE INICIACIÓN CATÓLICA PARA ADULTOS (RCIA) **siglas en inglés)**

Loa adultos que deseen aprender mas sobre la fe Católica o que desean recibir los sacramentos del bautizo, confirmación y comunión deben comunicarse con las oficinas de la parroquia para inscribirse en el programa de RCIA. Las clases en la parroquia son ofrecidas en inglés únicas.