

*Father,
help us to live as the*

Holy Family



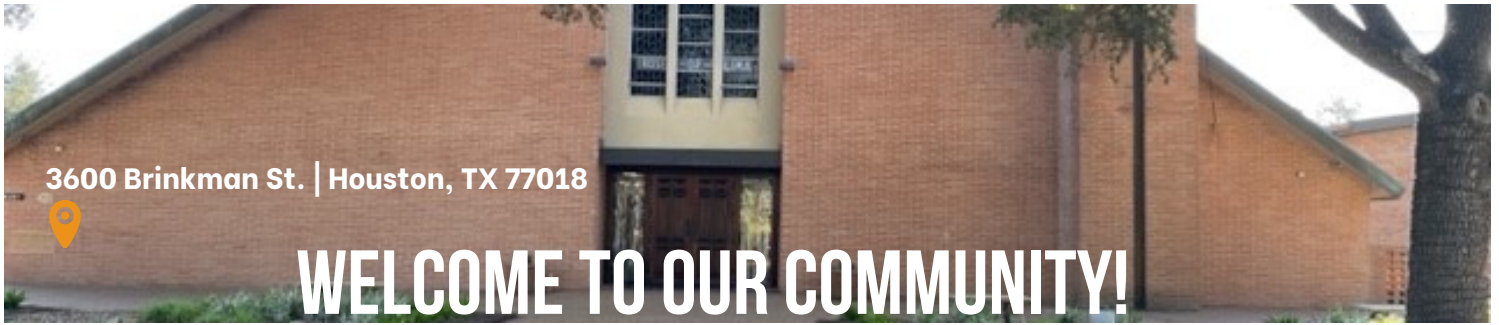
ST. ROSE of LIMA
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

*... united in respect and love.
Bring us to the joy and peace of your eternal home.
Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.*

Author Unknown

December 31, 2023

Feast of the Holy Family



3600 Brinkman St. | Houston, TX 77018

WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY!

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OUR MISSION

Making Room For All At The Table
Of The Lord Through Loving Service

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Dcn. John Murrell Director of Religious Education
Dcn. David Dufilho Director of Outreach
Dcn. Ray Rodriguez Director of Stewardship

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PAROCHIAL VICAR Fr. John Samuel



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MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS

Table with 2 columns: Day/Date and Mass Times/Intentions. Rows include Monday Jan 1, Tuesday Jan 2, Wednesday Jan 3, Thursday Jan 4, Friday Jan 5, Saturday Jan 6, and Sunday Jan 7.

“ The desire for God is written in the human heart, because man is created by God and for God; and God never ceases to draw man to himself. Only in God will he find the truth and happiness he never stops searching for...”
Swafford, Andrew, and Sarah Swafford. The Catechism of the Catholic Church: Ascension Edition. Ascension, 2022.

COLLECTIONS

The most recent financial report will be available soon. Thank you for your understanding.

*Merry Christmas
Happy New Year*

DSF PROGRESS TRACKER

PARISH GOAL	\$105,000.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$101,886.00
LEFT TO RAISE	\$3,114.00

Scan the QR code to set up online giving:

CalendarOnline:

<https://www.stroselima.org/calendar-1>

Ch=Church FC=Fellowship Center RA/RB/RC=Chpl=chapel PH=Parish Hall Admin bldg WH=West Hall EH=East Hall Upstairs Rooms



OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA

Monday-Friday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm
Lunes-Viernes: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

PRAYER LIST/LISTA DE ORACIÓN

Prayer List/Lista de Oración: Sharon Vezolles, Kyle Yao Dacdac, Balder Brooks, Matthew Smith, Jose Lopez, Artur Zancanaro, Nishah Charania, Viola Cleo Bradshaw, Ailen E. Vazquez, Ranses Ramos, Chuck Gremillion, Jasmine Armitage, Damianus Aditya Christie, Laurie Reinmann, Alysha Fath, Yolanda Falcon, Marianna Watkins, Josephine Reeves, Kerri Salinas, Jordan Anthony, Bob Olivo, Sonja Evans, David Diaz, Robert Matthew, Michelle Isler, Michelle Cole. Infant Francesca ShaSha. Mary Jo Romo. John Solis. Abel Hernandez-protection. Martha L. Tunal (*Health*). Maricela&Baby Martinez. Carol Lee (*Healing*). Oralia Perez.

Rest of the Souls of/ Por el Descanso Eterno: Cecil Burdick, Gilbert Koterias, Eleanora Hoffman, Richard Benfiel, Ana Maria Polito, Martha Cullen, Barbara Liollo, Steven Figueroa, Jordan Longoria, Edilma Rodriguez. Frances LeVrier. Angeline Phillips. Infant Henry ShaSha. Yolinda Fuentes. Theresa Rao. Barbara Witkoskie. Josie Church. William Akeroyd. Patricia Ormond.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY JAN. 1
7:30P.M. PRAYER GROUP, CHPL

TUESDAY JAN. 2
10:30 A.M. SCRIPTURE SHARING, RA
1:30 P.M. LEGION OF MARY (ENG), FC
7:00 P.M. BOY SCOUT TROOP 40, EH
7:00 P.M. TUESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY, RC

WEDNESDAY JAN. 3
8:15A.M. HEALING MASS
10:30 A.M. WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY, RC
6:00P.M. BUILDING&MAINTENANCE, FC
6:00 P.M. CONFESSION, CH
7:00 P.M. SPANISH MASS, CH
7:30 P.M. LEGION DE MARIA, RA

THURSDAY JAN. 4
9:00A.M. THURSDAY CLUB, PH
3:30P.M. SAC-STAFF MTG, PH
6:00 P.M. CONFESSION, CH.
7:00 P.M. RCIA, RB
7:00P.M. HOSPITALITY BOARD, RC

FRIDAY JAN. 5
6:30 P.M. FIRST FRIDAY, CH
7:00 P.M. GRUPO DE ORACION

Saturday JAN. 6
8:15A.M. FIRST SATURDAY MASS
4:00 P.M. CONFESSION, CH

SUNDAY JAN. 7
HOSPITALITY BOARD - DONUT SUNDAY, AFTER THE 8AM AND 10AM MASSES
1:00P.M. MINISTROS EXTRAORDINARIOS DE LA SANTA EUCHARISTIA, RB

1:15P.M. HISPANIC COMMITTEE, RC
2:00P.M. GIRLL SCOUTS 122325, RA
EDGE 3:30P.M., PH/FC/BRIDE ROOM
5:00P.M. DANZA AZTECA, WH
5:00P.M. NATIONAL CHARITY LEAGUE, RB
CONFIRMATION 2, 6:30P.M.
F.C./PH.BRIDEROOM
6:30P.M. LIFETEEN, FC/PH/BRIDEROOM

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES

Eucharistic Miracle of

BOIS-SEIGNEUR-ISAAC



BELGIUM, 1405

In the Eucharistic miracle at Bois-Seigneur-Isaac, the consecrated Host bled and stained the corporal. On May 3, 1413, the Bishop of Cambrai, Peter d'Ailly, authorized the devotion of the Holy Relic of the miracle along with a solemn procession. The first procession took place in 1414. On January 13th, 1424, Pope Martin V approved the building of the Monastery of Bois-Seigneur-Isaac. Today the monastery is the goal of pilgrimages. The corporal stained with Blood is exposed to view in the chapel.



Choir of the Chapel of the Holy Blood



Premonstratensian Abbey, Chapel of the Holy Blood



Main Altar, Laurent Delvaux (18th century)



Reliquary of the True Cross



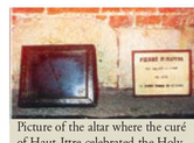
Reliquary of the Eucharistic miracle, corporal stained with Blood



Reliquary of a Thorn from the Crown of Jesus



Ancient painting of the Castle and Abbey of Bois-Seigneur-Isaac



Picture of the altar where the curé of Haut-Ittre celebrated the Holy Mass where the miracle was verified



Sanctuary of the Holy Blood, Reliquary Chapel



Interior of the Chapel of the Holy Blood

Starting on the Tuesday before Pentecost of the year 1405, the Lord appeared covered with His wounds to John of Huldenberg, master of the place. Only at the third apparition did our Lord speak ordering John "Go into the Chapel of Isaac, you will find Me there." At the same time, the parish priest, Peter Ost, heard a voice instructing him to offer the Mass of the Holy Cross in the Chapel of Isaac. The following day the pastor summoned all the faithful to assist at Mass at the Chapel of Isaac.

John of Huldenberg was among those present. The priest began the Mass, and when he unfolded the corporal he saw there a Particle of the large Host that had been consecrated the preceding Tuesday. He sought to receive the Host but the Eucharist clung to the corporal and began to

bleed. The priest turned white and John, who had observed everything, comforted him by saying: "Do not fear, this marvel comes from God", and related his visions.

For four days, that is until Tuesday after Pentecost, the Blood continued to flow, reaching the length of a finger in three breadths. Then, having stained the entire corporal, the Blood co-agulated little by little and dried up. The miracle was seen and attested to by many. The Bishop of Cambrai, Peter d' Ailly, was informed of what happened and he decided to investigate personally and had the corporal in his care for some two years. Every attempt to remove the stains of Blood on the corporal were useless.

The Bishop opened an investigation where testimonies were gathered regarding the prodigies wrought by the reliquary of the precious Blood. On June 16, 1410, the Bishop granted an indulgence of 40 days to those who visited the Chapel at Bois-Seigneur-Isaac. On May 3, 1413, he allowed the corporal to be venerated as a relic and established a solemn procession in honor of the miracle, along with public exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Even today, every year on the Sunday following the Feast of the Birth of Mary, the citizens of Bois-Seigneur-Isaac come together in prayer to celebrate the memory of this Eucharistic miracle.

PASTORAL LETTER TO THE YOUTH

Dear Amazing Teens of Our Parish,

After Christmas, the Catholic Church celebrates the Holy Family – Jesus, Mary, and Joseph. While the Bible doesn't provide extensive details about them, what we do know is both inspiring and relatable. Joseph, a remarkable figure, embraced God's plan wholeheartedly, caring for Jesus as his own and modeling a loving and faithful household. Like any family, the Holy Family certainly faced conflicts and crises, including an incident in which Jesus got lost. However, their love and faith guided them through these challenges and strengthened their bond. The Church looks to the Holy Family as a model for treating one another with respect, kindness, love, and faith in our own families.

You can bring that same love and respect into your own home, you know? Think about the little things like saying "thank you" or giving a hug, sharing a laugh at family dinners, or helping a sibling with homework. These small acts of kindness create a strong bond of love and respect within your family. Imagine Jesus, Mary, and Joseph sharing stories, laughing together, and supporting one another – these are the moments that make a family unbreakable.

But it doesn't stop there. You can even start your own family traditions that will bring you all closer together. How about a weekly game night where you can challenge each other, have fun, and create lasting memories? Or go on a family adventure once a month, whether it's exploring a new hiking trail or visiting a local museum. These shared experiences not only strengthen family bonds, but also provide opportunities for growth and discovery. And don't forget to set aside time for everyone to share their thoughts and feelings. By creating an environment where everyone feels comfortable talking, you can make your family even stronger and more filled with love and respect.

Hey, you teenagers are just like the Holy Family. You face conflict and hard times, too. In today's world, things like misunderstandings, different values, or the stress of school can really put a strain on your relationship with your family. But here's the thing – just like the Holy Family, you shouldn't avoid these conflicts. Instead, face them head-on, together.

You can build resilience by talking openly with your parents and siblings. Share your thoughts and feelings, but also listen carefully to what others have to say. Try to understand where they're coming from and find common ground. Remember that the Holy Family went through the crisis of Jesus getting lost, but their love and faith carried them through. In the same way, by approaching conflict with patience, empathy, and a willingness to compromise, you can help your family grow even stronger when the going gets tough.

To bring the qualities of the Holy Family into your own home, teens can actively work to create a culture of respect, kindness, love, and faith. Participate in prayer or spiritual activities as a family, go to church as a group, or participate in volunteer projects that have a positive impact on your community. Not only will these actions strengthen your faith, but they will also create shared experiences that bring you all closer together.

Also, volunteer to take on some responsibilities at home. Help with chores or tasks without being asked, and show kindness to your siblings. The simple act of helping your brother or sister with their homework or offering a listening ear when they're feeling down can go a long way toward fostering love and respect within your family. And don't forget to express your gratitude to your parents for all they do. Saying thank you and acknowledging their efforts will not only make them feel appreciated, but will also contribute to a harmonious family life.

In conclusion, the Holy Family shows us that love and faith can overcome anything. Try their lessons at home, and your family will become a comfortable place filled with love, respect, and enduring faith. Challenges will become exciting parts of your adventure together. Celebrate your victories, stick together through the tough times, and enjoy all the great family moments. Keep your family strong by talking about faith and what's important to each of you. Oh, and don't forget – giving thanks, being patient, and forgiving each other will make your family a warm and happy place. Follow the example of the Holy Family and watch your own family's incredible story unfold – a story filled with love, respect, and faith that will last a lifetime.

Your Friend and Pastor,
Fr. Linh Nguyen



WE ARE HIRING

Be a part of our Team

WE ARE HIRING!

Here's your chance to shine!

Position

➤ Business Manager

Contact

- ✉ frlinh@stroselima.org
- ✉ eherrera@stroselima.org



ST. ROSE of LIMA
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church is hiring a full-time Parish Business Manager for in-person work. The role involves stewardship aligned with Archdiocesan policies and Parish guidelines. If you're qualified and interested, check the job description in the QR code. Submit your cover letter, resume, and minimum salary requirements* to Deacon Ed Herrera:

eherrera@stroselima.org,
cc: Fr.Linh Nguyen at
frlinh@stroselima.org. Join us in supporting our Parish's mission and vision. *Applicants who do not include minimum salary requirements may not be considered for further review.



<https://www.stroselima.org/careers>

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church is hiring a full-time **Parish Business Manager** for in-person work, offering benefits and paid time off. The Parish Business Manager works under the direction of the Pastor to assist him with the stewardship of the Parish, in accordance with Archdiocesan Internal Controls and Policies and St. Rose of Lima Parish guidelines. The Parish Business Manager must value the organization and the responsible management of its resources in support of the Pastor and the parochial vicars, ensuring that the business, finance and human resource needs of the Parish are sustained. The Parish Business Manager of St. Rose of Lima must understand and respect the mission and vision the Pastor has set for the Parish by projecting a faith filled presence with knowledge of the Catholic Faith and in support of its social teachings. To view the job description, visit: <https://bit.ly/BusinessManagerSRL>



ST. ROSE *of* LIMA
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

WE ARE

HIRING

*Youth Ministry
Director*



JOB POSITION

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHURCH IN HOUSTON, TEXAS IS SEEKING A YOUTH MINISTRY DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR IN A FULL TIME / PART TIME POSITION TO COORDINATE OUR CONFIRMATION, EDGE AND LIFE TEEN PROGRAMS FOR MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH. IF YOU'RE QUALIFIED AND INTERESTED, CHECK THE JOB DESCRIPTION IN THE QR CODE. ***APPLICANTS WHO DO NOT INCLUDE MINIMUM SALARY REQUIREMENTS MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR FURTHER REVIEW.

SEND YOUR CV AND COVER LETTER TO :

eherrera@stroselima.org

CC: frlinh@stroselima.org

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	Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph
Sunday Dec. 31	Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6, 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2: 22-40
Monday Jan. 1	Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Tuesday Jan. 2	Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen Bishops and Doctors of the Church 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 1:19-28
Wednesday Jan. 3	Memorial of the Most Holy Name of Jesus 1 Jn 2:29-3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6; Jn 1:29-34
Thursday Jan. 4	Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Jn 1:35-42
Friday Jan. 5	Memorial of Saint John Neumann, Bishop 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100; 1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Jn 1:43-51
Saturday Jan. 6	Memorial of Saint André Bessette, Religious 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or Lk 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38
Sunday Jan. 7	The Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Join us for First
Friday devotion
at 6:30p.m. in
the Church.

The First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is based on a promise made by Our Lord Jesus Christ during an Apparition to St. Margaret Mary. This promise was implicitly approved by the Church in the 1920 canonization of St. Margaret Mary. The promise reads:

“I promise you in the excessive Mercy of My Heart that My all-powerful Love will grant to all those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months the Grace of Final Penitence; they shall not die in My disgrace nor without receiving the Sacraments; My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.”

Purpose of the Devotion: Reparation to the Heart of Jesus

In order to receive these graces we should:

1-Receive without interruption Holy Communion for nine consecutive first Fridays.

2-Have the intention of honoring the Sacred Heart of Jesus persevering in our faith until the end.

3-Offer each Holy Communion as an act of expiation for the offenses committed against this Holy Sacrament.

4-Pray: “O Lord, who in the Heart of Your Son, wounded by our sins, has deposited infinite treasures of grace - we pray, that upon receiving the homage of our love, we have offered you a sufficient reparation. Through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen. Heart of Jesus, I trust in You.”

Source: EWTN What are the 12 promises of Our Lord to those who have devotion to His Most Sacred Heart? – EWTN Global Catholic Television Network



- (1) "I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
- (2) I will establish peace in their homes.
- (3) I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
- (4) I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
- (5) I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
- (6) Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- (7) Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
- (8) Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
- (9) I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
- (10) I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
- (11) Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
- (12) I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment."



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“The Lord is with you. ...the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God.”

Sheepish Question:

Okay, again: So WHY did Jesus come into the world?

PARISH LIFE

The Hospitality Board serves to welcome all parishioners to St. Rose of Lima Catholic Community. In addition, to inform newcomers and existing parishioners about the many opportunities to use their gifts to become better stewards and contribute to the building of God's kingdom on earth. The next meeting is January 4, 2024 at 7pm in Room C. Contact Lisa Mota to join or learn more: lisam77084@yahoo.com

Holy Name Passionist Retreat Center

Saint Rose of Lima Men's Retreat January 19-21, 2024

Ain't Nothing Like the Real Presence: A Nation Guided by the Wisdom of God.

In the spirit of the Eucharistic Revival inaugurated by the United States Catholic Bishops; encounter the wisdom of God through a retreat weekend of lectures, discussions, Adoration, and Eucharistic celebrations. This can further assist us in a transformation from a desert people to a nation united and nourished by the "finest wheat." Psalm 147:14

This weekend retreat offers relaxed adult accommodations that includes 5 excellent meals, private rooms with restrooms, beautiful grounds, christian fellowship, and spiritual presentations and discussions. It's a perfect gift for self or spouse that focuses on people over things.

First 10 never before attended a Holy Name Men's retreat receive a \$100.00 discount. Registration available online at www.HolyNameRetreatCenter.com
Enter CODE below and receive a \$100.00 discount.

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Five First Saturday Devotion

"God wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart"
Mary, Mother of God

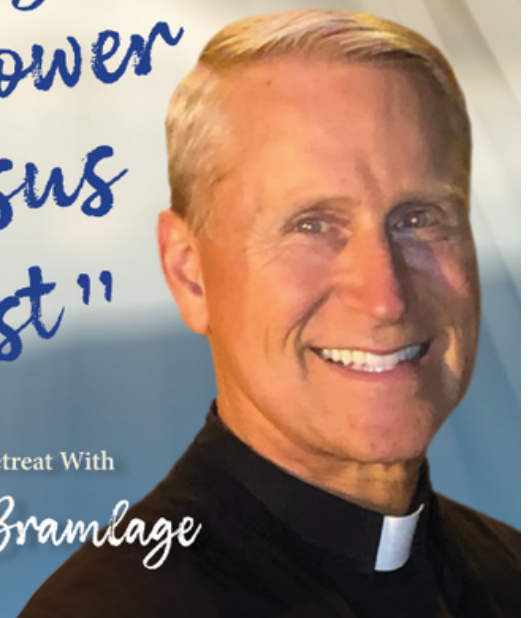


MARIAN SERVANTS OF THE INCARNATE WISDOM®

"Healing through the Power of Jesus Christ"

Weekend Retreat With

Fr. Greg Bramlage



Date
Feb. 23-25, 2024

Time
5pm (Friday)
to 11am (Sunday)

Location
Mother of Perpetual Help
Retreat Center
3417 W. Little York
Houston, TX 77091

Cost
\$250 per person
(Double occupancy)

The Marian Servants of the Incarnate Wisdom® invite you to "Save the Date" for our annual weekend retreat, to be held February 23-25, 2024 at Mother of Perpetual Help Retreat Center in Houston. Our retreat theme is "Healing through the Power of Jesus Christ". Registration and more information will be available in January 2024.

Questions or Comments?

Email: info@marianservantshouston.org

PARISH LIFE

NEED SPIRITUAL DIRECTION?

If you would like more information or to sign up, please contact:

Priscilla Phillips •
phillips.priscilla@gmail.com

Gina Waters •
gina@marianservantshouston.org

TRAVELING CHALICE

Pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Sign up sheet is in the church or you can send an email to

Fr. John • frjohn@stroselima.org

2024 dates are now available.

Sunday, January 7th 10am - SRL SCHOOL FAMILY

Saturday, January 13 5pm - Stephen Hernandez

THURSDAY CLUB

The Thursday Club is a social group that gathers to share fellowship and play cards and games. All parishioners aged 50 and over are welcome to join. The club meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month, sharing a covered pot luck lunch on the 1st Thursday (bring your own lunch on the 3rd Thursday). **Next Meeting: January 4 at 9am in the Parish Hall. For more information, contact:**

Mary Wisniewski 713.864.5925

THE ALTAR GUILD

The Altar Guild takes care of the altar, promotes the spiritual growth of its members and assists the pastor as directed. They clean the altar every week and sponsor different fundraisers throughout the year to pay for altar cloths, candles, the bread and wine consecrated at the Eucharist and other needs. We are always looking for new members, and any woman, who is a member of the parish, is invited to join the Altar Guild.

The next meeting will be Monday, January 8th 2024 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.

For more information, please contact:

Susan Russell smrussell55@comcast.net

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION?

The ministry of Spiritual Direction was formed to help people to grow in holiness and gain freedom in Christ. Spiritual Direction can help to identify God's action on a daily basis.

CÁLIZ DE VIAJE

Oren por un aumento a las vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida religiosa. Las inscripción para el Caliz está en la iglesia o puede enviar un email al P. John • frjohn@stroselima.org

Las fechas de 2024 ya están disponibles.

Domingo 7 de enero 10am - FAMILIA ESCOLAR de SRL

Sábado 13 de enero 5pm - Stephen Hernandez

WANT TO DONATE FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR?

Flowers for the altar can be donated in loving memory of a relative, or for a special occasion. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements and to find out the dates available.

THE MEN'S CLUB

The Men's Club is a social and service organization serving St. Rose. Meetings are held the first Thursday of every month at 7:00 in the East Hall. If you are interested in joining, please call or text President Rick Burrell at 713-494-5975.

PARISH LIFE

JOIN THE GATHERING!

The Gathering is back in action! It is a safe and stimulating day of fun for people with special needs (Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, Stroke, Dementia, etc.). Our theme-based "party" is held once a month, while family and caregivers are given time off to rest or run errands after dropping off their guests. Parish volunteers are on hand to assist our guests with various activities.

To join or volunteer or learn more please contact Patrick Bonorden at pebonorden@yahoo.com or 713.997.9630

ADORERS NEEDED!

No weekly commitment required, just a willingness to help when you can!

Please contact Chrissy Witney to get added to the weekly adoration scheduling email.

figgysmall@gmail.com
832.459.144

¡ÚNETE AL THE GATHERING!

¡The Gathering vuelve a la acción! Se trata de un día de diversión segura y estimulante para personas con necesidades especiales (Alzheimer, Parkinson, Ictus, Demencia, etc.). Nuestra "fiesta" temática se lleva a cabo una vez al mes, mientras que los familiares y cuidadores tienen tiempo libre para descansar o hacer mandados después de dejar a sus invitados. Los voluntarios parroquiales están disponibles para ayudar a nuestros huéspedes con diversas actividades.

Para unirse, ser voluntario u obtener más información, comuníquese con Patrick Bonorden al pebonorden@yahoo.com o al 713.997.9630.

¡SE NECESITAN ADORADORES!

No se requiere compromiso semanal, ¡solo la voluntad de ayudar cuando puedas!

Comuníquese con Chrissy Witney para que se agregue al correo electrónico semanal de programación de adoración.

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HEALING MASS

"COME TO ME, ALL YOU WHO ARE WEARY AND BURDENED..."

January 3, 2024

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH - 8:15AM
PRIMER MIÉRCOLES DEL MES - 7:00PM

Prayer Blanket Ministry

The mission of the Prayer Blanket Ministry is to provide prayers of relief to the suffering and sick of our community by making and distributing special individual lap-size blankets. These blankets convey our love and prayers to those in need. Volunteers can work as a group or individually in their own homes.

Anyone with a basic knowledge of cutting, sewing, knitting or crochet and a desire to pray for those in need is welcome to become part of this ministry.

Contact Dorothy Vetrano via email dljv96@gmail.com to get involved.

STAR: WHAT IS THE STAR GROUP?

Stitching To Assist Recovery is a group of ladies willing and able to help others to recover by making items for their comfort. The items go to many different places such as The V.A. Hospital, American Cancer society, Ben Taub Hospital, Local nursing homes and many other groups who need our help. We sew, cut, tag, stuff pillows along with other things. All provisions are provided, all you need to do is lend us a helping hand. There are no regular meetings.

No age limit, we have young girls that have just joined us.

Share your God given talents!

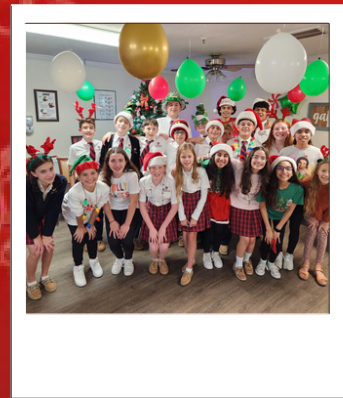
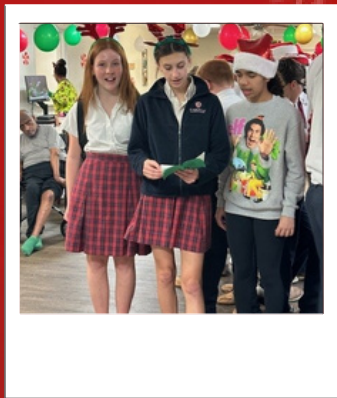
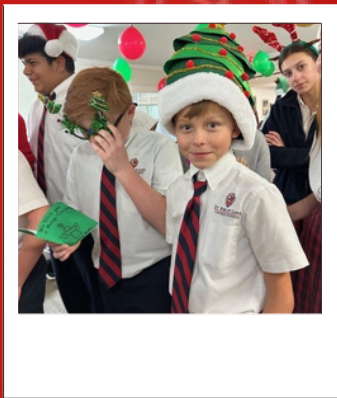
If you can help please call Jo Ann Thompson
713.682.2835

Merry Christmas



SRL SCHOOL NEWS

Our Middle School Beta Club students sang Christmas carols at the West Janisch Health Center last week. Caroling is such a wonderful way to share the joy of the Advent season with others.



Like to sing? The school choir is recruiting! Join us today.
Contact our Director of Music Jose Arredondo for more information:
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