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Holy Day Masses @ St. Thomas: 7 AM & 7 PM

Holy Day Vigil at St. Thomas: 6 PM

Confessions: 30 Minutes before Masses

Saturday Vigil Mass @ St. Thomas: 5:30 PM

Sunday Masses @ St. Thomas: 8 AM & 11 AM & 8 PM

Weekday Masses @ St. Thomas: 12:05 PM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Saturday Vigil Mass @ St. Patrick Mission: 4:00 PM

First Friday Mass @ St. Patrick Mission: 8:00 AM Every First Friday



“As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.”
 - 1 Corinthians 11:26

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday — Friday 8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

LECTORS for June 4-5, 2016

Saturday, 5:30 PM: Tanya Whitehead
Sunday, 8 AM: Agnes Flores
Sunday, 11 AM: Terri Chavarry
Sunday, 8 PM: Volunteer



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS for June 4-5, 2016

Saturday, 5:30 PM: Michael & Malynn Wahlen
Sunday, 8 AM: Deacon Bill, Linda Avila, Dianna Winstead
Sunday, 11 AM: Donna Peters, Karen Vaughan, Barbara Rychetsky
Sunday, 8 PM: Volunteers

ALTAR SERVERS for June 4-5, 2016

Saturday, 5:30 PM: T.J. Wahlen, Bethany Whitehead, Volunteer
Sunday, 8 AM: Alejandro & Andres & Adan Trevino
 Caroline Harris
Sunday, 11 AM: Mitchell & Natalie & Kimberley Peters,
 Lincoln Polasek
Sunday, 8 PM: Volunteers

MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2016

4:00 PM: @ St. Patrick Mission
 †Ruth Wright by Garrett Klatt Family
5:30 PM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle COLLECTIVE MASS
 †Delia Gonzales by Eliseo Cantu, Jr. and Family
 †Oscar & †Ella Herrera by Eliseo Cantu, Jr. and Family

SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

8:00 AM: †Maria Nguyen by John & Chi Bowman
11:00 AM: †Ismael Casarez by Mr. & Mrs. Alejandro Galvan, Jr.
8:00 PM: Safety Officers and Inspectors

MONDAY, MAY 30, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

12:05 PM: †Ruth Wright by Josephine Charba Billings

TUESDAY, MAY 31, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

12:05 PM: †David Nemece (AOD) by David & Susie Tajchman

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

12:05 PM: †Rodrigo R. Gonzalez by Gloria Valdez

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

12:05 PM: †Ismael Casarez (AOD) by Roy & Anna Alvarado

FIRST FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2016

8:00 AM: @ St. Patrick Mission
 †May Bluntzer by Joan Bluntzer
9:00 AM-12:00 Noon: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
12:05 PM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
 Graduating Seniors and Young Adults

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 2016

12:05 PM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
 Parents of Graduating Seniors and Young Adults
4:00 PM: @ St. Patrick Mission
 †Todd Havrda by Billy & Tanya Whitehead
5:30 PM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
 Darryl Schilhab (Birthday) by Charlie & Jean Chapman

SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2016 @ St. Thomas the Apostle

8:00 AM: COLLECTIVE MASS
 †Maria Nguyen by John & Chi Bowman
 †Edward Rektorik by Michael Rektorik
 Clayton McCumber (Health) by Betty Long
11:00 AM: †Ismael Pena, Jr. by Rosie Canales
8:00 PM: In Thanksgiving for Rain

Please Pray for the Sick



Louise Michalewicz, Leonard & Leona Logue,
 Hannelore Denney, Charlie Chapman, Kay Havelka,
 Juliet Johnson, Cathy Sikes, Rosemary Floyd, Kyle Tvrdik,
 George and Nelda Martinez, Gracie Herrera, Robert Cortino,
 Geneva Strmiska, Frank Nemece, Jr., Patrick Nemece,
 Cheryl Esparza, Donnie Schwirtlich, Anna Marie Kocurek,
 Dana Guajardo, Vic Havelka, Boone Hans, Dolores Torres,
 Geneva Lintner, Augi Carpenter, Elizabeth Price, Irma Clark,
 Butch Rowe, Pauline Bailey, Wayne Meaux, April Jones,
 Vivian Black, Larry Smith, Vic Wilcox, Michael Cantu,
 Proxey Prukop, Diane Saenz, Jon Kelly, Clarence Vogel,
 Jerry Vogel, Margie Vogel, Jay Robinson, Angie Ramos,
 Mr. & Mrs. Linenberger, June Fiebig, Mason Liebham,
 Arnold Family, Florence Lyssy, Ruben Puente, Ron Keely,
 Peggy Sembach, Mary Heany, Lillian Pollok, Shelby Pollok,
 Kathy Biela, Cecilia Lyssy, Becky Albert, Jackie Albert,
 Filomena Muniz, Alma Semanteris, Arnold Guerra Family,
 Glenda Tvrdik, Alice De La Sierra, Daniel Rodriguez,
 Terry Speed, Joe Saenz, Emil Prukop, Mary Jo Prukop,
 Thomas Silguero, Joe Saenz, Janice Howerton, Greer Gibson

Please call the rectory office to include/remove a person on the prayer list along with your contact information.

SAVE THE DATES

Saturday, September 24, 2016 — Middle School Youth Spectacular at the American Bank Center in Corpus Christi.
Saturday, October 22, 2016 — High School Youth Spectacular at the American Bank Center in Corpus Christi
 The theme this year is “Ambassadors of Mercy in the Family.”

THE SANCTUARY LAMP IS LIT ASKING BLESSINGS
 TO BE BESTOWED UPON OUR FAMILIES:



Steve and Joyce Compton
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CORPUS CHRISTI !



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FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Over 50 years ago the Vatican II document Declaration on Religious Liberty (Dignitatis Humanae) was released. The Vatican Synod declares that the human person has a right to religious freedom. This right is founded upon the intrinsic dignity of the human person. Each year dioceses around the country arrange special events to highlight the importance of defending religious freedom. The Fortnight for Freedom is from June 21—the vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More—to July 4, Independence Day. This year, the Church in the United States will look at the lives of more than 14 women and men of faith—from all over the world—who bear witness to authentic freedom in Christ. Five ways to celebrate the Fortnight for Freedom are: Hold a prayer vigil, gather together and celebrate religious freedom, pilgrimage to churches and pray, learn about Catholic teaching on religious freedom, and share your pictures and stories #Fortnight4Freedom.

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

In this *Jubilee Year of Mercy*, the Lectionary's Year of Luke presents a Gospel in which Jesus, who has welcomed, taught, healed, and shown God's mercy to the multitude, refuses the Twelve's demand to dismiss the crowd before him. Instead, he says, "Give them some food yourselves". In Jesus' hands, what little the Twelve has feeds five thousand ("men," and probably as many women and children), leaving twelve baskets so the Twelve can continue Jesus' ministry of mercy. Pope Francis has asked how we celebrate and live the Eucharist. Do we keep it to ourselves? Or do we "commune" not only with Jesus but with the multitude whom Jesus has given us to cherish? Entrusted to Jesus and shared with others, our limited resources can go a long way. Recognizing Jesus in the Eucharist demands that we recognize Jesus also in the hungry crowd. Adoring Jesus present in the Eucharist requires that we serve Jesus present in our neighbor.

FORMING CONSCIENCES FOR FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

The Catholic Bishops of the United States are pleased to offer to the Catholic faithful "Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship", a teaching document on the political responsibility of Catholics. This statement represents the guidance for Catholics in the exercise of their right and duties as participants in our democracy. To read this document go to the Diocese of Corpus Christi website www.diocesecc.org.

COLLECTION FOR MAY 21-22, 2016

St. Thomas the Apostle
St. Patrick Mission

\$8,371.79
\$610.00

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- Altar Flowers:** Call the Rectory Office to donate flowers for the altar.
- Bulletin:** Bulletin announcements are due Tuesdays by 10:00 AM.
- Catholic Daughters:** Next meeting is Monday, August 22nd at 6:30 PM in the I.C. Hall Foyer.
- Knights of Columbus:** Next meeting is Monday, June 6th at 6:30 PM in the K.C. Building.
- American Heritage Girls:** On scheduled 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month at 6:30 PM in the I.C. Hall Foyer.
- Boy Scouts:** On scheduled Mondays at 7:00 PM in the I.C. Hall.
- Cub Scouts:** 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM in the hall.
- Salt Youth Music Ministry:** On Sunday before Mass. Practice every Tuesday from 7:30-9:00 PM in the Church.
- Mr. Vic and Youth:** On Wednesday from 7-9 PM in the I.C. Hall for instrument practice/lessons.

ST. PATRICK MISSION

Saturday Vigil MASS — 4:00 PM
First Friday MASS — 8:00 AM

MAY THE MONTH OF MARY



We ask the Blessed Virgin Mary for her protection and for the grace to imitate her in her love of Christ, and Christ in His love of her. As the Mother of Christ, she is our mother, too, and we look to her for guidance as we look to our mothers on earth. Pray the rosary to receive the promises and graces of Mary as she intercedes for us in our daily lives.



MARRIAGE PREPARATION DATES

Engaged and Planning to Get Married. Plan to attend the Diocesan Marriage preparation event, a two-day overnight event for the engaged. The next event is June 11-12 21-22, 2016 at Pax Christi Retreat Center. Cost of \$275 per couple includes overnight accommodations, all meals and materials. Pre-registration is required and is due one week prior to the seminar. No late registrations or onsite payments will be accepted. Contact the Office of Family Life at 361-882-6191.

CONVALIDATION SEMINAR

Convalidation is the recognition and validation of a marriage by the Roman Catholic Church. A seminar is offered several times a year to prepare couples who are seeking to validate a civil or otherwise irregular marriage. Couples should speak to their priest before registering. Next seminar is July 9, 2016 from 8:00 am – 5:30 pm at Pax Christi Retreat Center. Contact the Office of Family Life at 361-882-6191 or hgarcia@diocesecc.org for information.

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