

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons, and consecrated persons.

Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call.

May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth and young adults.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen

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ORACIÓN POR LAS VOCACIONES

Dios Padre nuestro, te damos gracias por llamar a hombres y mujeres a servir en el Reino de tu Hijo como sacerdotes, diáconos y personas consagradas.

Envía tu Espíritu Santo para ayudar a otros a responder generosa y valientemente a tu llamado.

Que nuestra comunidad de fe apoye vocaciones de amor sacrificial en nuestros jóvenes y jóvenes adultos.

A través de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.

Amén



"Life is like a cash register, in that every account, every thought, every deed, like every sale, is registered and recorded." - Bishop Fulton Sheen

YOUR STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

September 24, 2023

Sunday Collection	\$ 5,530.10
Vigil Candles.....	\$ 90.66
Facilities Improvement.....	\$ 2.00
Helping Hands.....	\$ 2.00
STM School.....	\$ 4.00
Raffle.....	\$ 1,500.00
Mass Intentions.....	\$ 30.00
America Wheel Chair.....	\$ 579.66

*Second Collection Oct 7 - 8:
Facilities Improvement Fund*



Rebecca Kiessling



Keynote Speaker

*Allied Women's Center
14th Annual Gala*

October 20, 2023

*Holy Trinity Banquet Hall
20523 Huebner Road*

Check-In 6-7 pm

Dinner & Program 7-9 pm

Attire: Business or Business Casual

Attendance and the Delicious Dinner are free.
Donations requested.

Advance registration is required.

Deadline October 15th

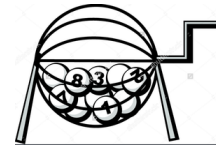
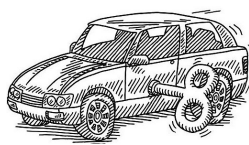
Table Sponsorships are available.

For more information and to reserve your seats,
call Tere Haring, 210-224-7077, or go to:
www.alliedwomenscenter.com

St. Thomas More

Saturday, October 14th

9:00 am to 7:00 pm



Hope to see YOU there!!

PRO-LIFE

40 DAYS for LIFE
September 27 - November 5
HELP SAVE LIVES IN SAN ANTONIO!



You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion!

Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach

40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers!

With God's help, here are the proven results in 30 coordinated campaigns:

Over 20,000 babies saved from abortion

Over 200 abortion workers converted

Over 100 abortion centers closed

Here's how to take part in 40 Days for Life in our community:

Vigil Location: Outside the Planned Parenthood; 2140 Babcock Rd. 78229

Vigil Hours: 7 am to 7 pm, Mon - Sat

Local Contact: Cindi Serna - San Antonio Coalition for Life (210) 410-9424 or Cindi@sacfl.org

Learn More: **Get Involved** - Sign up for prayer times by visiting our web address shown below.

Visit: 40DaysForLife.com/SanAntonio ; www.sacfl.org

Holy Hour

Thursday, October 5th, beginning at 6 pm.

Come... Spend some quiet one-on-one time with Our Lord...

Hope to see you there.

la Hora Santa

Viernes, el 6 de octubre, a las 7 pm.

Ven... Pasa un rato tranquilo 'uno-a-uno' tiempo con Nuestro Señor...

Espero verte allí.



A Woman's Haven™

Pregnancy Crisis Center

"Are you passionately Pro-Life"
and

looking for a job with GREAT meaning?

AWoman's Haven Pregnancy Crisis Center is hiring again!

Counselor, Nurse, & Receptionist positions are available.

We provide all training.

For more information, Email me at:
Susan.perez@awomanshaven.org

"Be the change you wish to see in the world and light up the darkness."

"...IN THIS WORLD I CANNOT SEE THE MOST HIGH SON OF GOD WITH MY OWN EYES, EXCEPT FOR HIS MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD."

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI



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ARCHDIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Archbishop Gustavo García-Siller, M.Sp.S., invites priests, deacons, men and women religious, and all the people of God to continue the synodal journey towards Eucharistic Renewal by participating in the Archdiocesan Eucharistic Congress.

Let us open our hearts for a moment of grace where a profound encounter with our Lord through the reflection and celebration of the Sacred Mysteries of the Mass will transform us to go out as missionary disciples to witness about the saving power of Jesus Christ.

Friday, November 3, 2023

St. John Neumann will kick-off the Eucharistic Congress this year, after the 11:30 am Mass. We will have Adoration in the Church starting at Noon, and will conclude with Devotion to Divine Mercy and Benediction at 6:30pm.

All are welcome.

Saturday, November 4, 2023

Campus of St. Mary's University | 8:00 AM-1:00 PM

Join thousands of the faithful. Families with their kids, Catholic school faculty and staff, and leaders from all over are invited. All are welcome to gather as one family to celebrate and share meaningful experiences and moments of encounter founded in the Eucharist as the summit of our Faith. Part of our day will include presentations by Cardinal Tobin and Fr. Torre along with a memorable Mass celebrated by Archbishop Gustavo.



CARDINAL JOSEPH
W. TOBIN, C.S.S.R.
Keynote Speaker (English)

FATHER FERNANDO
TORRE, M.SP.S.
Keynote Speaker (Spanish)



Participation is free but registration is required. **CONTACT FOR INFORMATION:** ASSEMBLY@ARCHSA.ORG | 210-734-1952
LEARN MORE AND REGISTER: WWW.ASSEMBLYSA.ORG



Healing Holidays Making your Grief Count



Grief during the Holidays is always challenging, and even more so in these past few years.

The holiday season renew memories, family ties, and traditions.

We become painfully aware that our loved one is no longer present, and the pain of the loss is confused with the spirit of the season making it difficult for families to navigate.

We live with added layer of collective grief and vulnerability.

Learning to navigate a changing world combined with the sorrow of our loss causes us to grieve on many levels.

How do we allow ourselves in these difficult times, to "make our grief count" and find our grounding?

This workshop will help identify internal and external resources that contribute to self-compassion and enhance resiliency. It will help families to embrace their grief while strengthening characteristics of resilience.

Participants will use the holidays to discover how their loved one can live on into their life story, using this special time to continue to heal.

When: Wednesday, October 11, 2023
Where: St Thomas More Catholic Church
Time: 10:00 - 11:30 am
Presenter: Chaplain Harry Miller B.Div

Contact (RSVP): Church Office (210) 655-5070
Cost: \$0. - no charge



This Week at Our Parish****St. John Neuman-Masquerade Dance Tickets After All Sunday Masses********October-Month of the Rosary -Rosary Before All Weekend Masses****

Sunday,	October 1, 2023
10:00 am	KoC Mass - Church
Monday,	October 2, 2023
7:00 pm	Guadalupanos Board Mtg - Rectory Mtg Room
Tuesday,	October 3, 2023
5:30 pm	Divine Mercy - Rectory Mtg Room
6:30 pm	Coro Alegria Choir Practice - Rectory Mtg Room
7:00 pm	Grupo de Oracion Choir Practice - Church
Wednesday,	October 4, 2023
10:30 am	Charismatic Core Grp Mtg - Rectory Mtg Room
6:30 pm	KC 3rd Degree Officers Mtg - Carolan Hall
7:00 pm	Guadalupanos Choir Practice - Church
Thursday,	October 5, 2023
6:00 pm	Holy Hour / Charismatic Prayer Grp - Church
7:00 pm	RCIA - Rectory Mtg Room
Friday,	October 6, 2023
1:00 pm	School NJHS Induction - Church
6:30 pm	Guitar Practice - Rectory Meeting Room
7:00 pm	la Hora Santa / Grupo de Oracion - Church
Saturday,	October 7, 2023
8:00 am	ACTS Team Mtg - Rectory Mtg Room
1:00 am	CDA Training Session - Carolan Hall
4:00 pm	Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia - Rectory Mtg Rm
Sunday,	October 8, 2023
8:00 am	KoC 3rd Degree Breakfast - Carolan Hall

Mass Intentions**Saturday, September 30, 2023**

8:00 am	†Aurora & Rafael Garza	
5:00 pm	†Joe A. Barrera, Sr & James A. Barrera	by Barrera Family
	Health - Deacon Rolando Guerra	by Guadalupanos
	Olga Weich - Continued Good Health and Blessings	by Pat Weinert

Sunday, October 1, 2023

8:00 am	†Charles Jimenez	by Norberto & Jeanette Pansza
	†Jose Garcia	by Volpenhein Family
10:00 am	†Juan Urbano & Mike Urbano	by Urbano Family
	†Medardo E. Morales & Evangelina G. Morales	by Morales & Briseno Families
12:00 pm	†Kathryn Marie Sweet	by Maria G. Sweet
	STM Parishioners - Living and Deceased	

Monday, October 2, 2023

8:00 am	†Vicente Khanh	by Kim Nguyen
	†Guadalupe & Demetro Garza	

Tuesday, October 3, 2023

8:00 am	†Al Weinheimer	by Carolyn Weinheimer
	†Baldemar Saldiva	by Rosa Saldiva

Wednesday, October 4, 2023

8:00 am	†Alejandro & Alejandra Reyes	by Eddie Reyes
	Birthday - Liza Stockwell	by Eddie Reyes

Thursday, October 5, 2023

8:00 am	†Michelle Osina Gonzales	by Mom
	Special Intention - Matthew Murray	by Mother
	Ordained Clergy and Religious	

Friday, October 6, 2023

8:00 am	†Homer Jimenez	by Norberto & Jeanette Pansza
	†Vicente Khanh	by Kim Nguyen

Saturday, October 7, 2023

8:00 am	STM Parishioners - Living and Deceased	
	Birthday - Rebecca McMurtry	by Rosa Saldiva
5:00 pm	†Christina C. Dominguez	by Dominguez Family
	†Margarita M. Velasquez	by Guadalupanos

Sunday, October 8, 2023

8:00 am	†Emily Mendez	by Isa Mendez
	†Viola de la Rosa	by Volpenhein Family
10:00 am	†Salome H. Briseno & Carolina B. Briseno	by Morales & Briseno Families
	Olga Weich - Continued Good Health and Blessings	by Pat Weinert
12:00 pm	†Maria Bazan	by Isela Bazan
	†Cecilia Torres	by Guadalupanos

Liturgical Roles**Saturday, October 7, 2023**

5 pm	Altar Servers - (None)	
	Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Tim, R.Alvarado, T.Guerrero, (+2 Vol)	
	Lector - R.Alvarado	

Sunday, October 8, 2023

8 am	Altar Servers - (None)	
	Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Tim, R.Saldiva, M.Nguyen, R.Davila, T.S.Garza	
	Lector - S.McCarthy	
10 am	Altar Servers - J.Cantu, M.Pereida, B.Pereida	
	Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Tim, V.Smith, H.Rodriguez, E+M.Cantu, P+R.Mendoza	
	Lector - M.Briseno	
12 pm	Altar Servers - A.Gomez, S.Obregon, Volunteer	
	Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Rojas, F.Hernandez, D+F.Malacara, T.Sweet, C.Hernandez, R.Borrego	
	Lector - N.Obregon / M.Pina	

Sanctuary Light Intention:
Arcenio Esquivel & Albert Villalobos
 by Ana Villalobos

Lecturas de la Semana del 2 - 8 oct

Lunes:	Zac 8:1-8; Sal 101:16-21,29,22-23; Mt 18:1-5,10
Martes:	Zac 8:20-23; Sal 86:1-7; Lc 9:51-56
Miércoles:	Neh 2:1-8; Sal 136:1-6; Lc 9:57-62
Jueves:	Neh 8:1-6,8-12; Sal 18:8-11; Lc 10:1-12
Viernes:	Bar 1:15-22; Sal 78:1-5,8,9; Lc 10:13-16
Sábado:	Bar 4:5-12,27-29; Sal 68:33-37; Lc 10:17-24
Domingo:	Is 5:1-7; Sal 79:9,12-16,19-20; Flp 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

Readings for the week of Oct 2 - 8

Monday:	Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21,29,22-23; Mt 18:1-5,10
Tuesday:	Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday:	Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-6; Lk 9:57-62
Thursday:	Neh 8:1-6,7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12
Friday:	Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5,8,9; Lk 10:13-16
Saturday:	Bar 4:5-12,27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Lk 10:17-24
Sunday:	Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9,12-16,19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-4