

St. Monica Catholic Church, Converse, Texas

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ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY ASUNCIÓN DE NUESTRA SEÑORA

60 Years Glorifying the Lord / 60 Años Glorificando al Señor

Thank you everyone for 60 years of fruitful ministries. / Gracias a todos por 60 años de fructíferos ministerios.

(210)658-3816 Fax:(210) 566-3821

Website: www.saintmonicaconverse.net email: parish@saintmonicaconverse.net

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Parish Office: 210-658-3816 Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., & Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm & Wed. 9 am—7pm

In case of an emergency call the office and follow the instructions.

St. Vincent De Paul: (210) 658-8791 By appointment Tues.—Thurs. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ST. MONICA SCHOOL: Early Childhood-8th Grade. Principal, Mrs. Sara Martinez 210-658-6701

PARISH STAFF

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Deacon Jose Joel Castellanos
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Groundskeeper Gilbert LaFuente
Custodian Gil Lugo

MINISTRIES

ACTS: Steve Medellin # 210-364-2695

ALTAR SOCIETY: THRIFT STORE: Open Wednesdays & Saturdays from 9 a.m. till Noon

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: Dcn. Sean Dooley 210-658-3816

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS: Meet 3rd Sat. of the month 9a.m. NO MEETINGS June or July. **Janet Swanson**, 210-744-4267 email: swansonjanet101@gmail.com.

ART & ENVIRONMENT MINISTRY: Alma Castillo, 210-659-0056

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: (Spanish) Meet via Zoom contact **Juan & Patricia Ortiz** 210-376-7126 to join.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: (English) Meet every other Sat. & Mon. contact **Fran Flores** at 210-658-2879 to join.

EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER, LECTOR, USHER OR ALTAR SERVER: Contact **Anita Moreno** 210-326-3218 to join any of these ministries.

FAMILY OF THE ROSARY (Spanish) Meets first Monday of the month in the parish hall at 6:30 p.m. **Graciela Morgan**, 210-445-5933.

GUADALUPANAS: Meets 2nd Mon. 10:00 a.m. parish hall, **Martha Corrales**, 210-274-8486

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY: **Barbara Ward** 210-995-3989

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Meets 2nd Tues.at 7:00 p.m. **Thomas Cantu**, Grand Knight, 512-736-0679

SPANISH PRAYER GROUP: Meet every Fri. 7:00 p.m. at parish hall **Gustavo Muñoz**, 210-663-5642

WELCOME MINISTRY: **Eliza Reyna**, 210-273-8851

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: **Colbe Ohnheiser** 210-334-9025 Meets every Thursday at 8pm in the Parish Hall

POWER PONT MINISTRY: Soon to be started
Call the office to sign up

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m. (English)

Sunday: 7:30 & 9:15, 11 am & 5 pm (English)
1:00 & 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday Masses Live Streamed Masses 9:15 am & 1 pm
St. Monica's Facebook or Website

The use of masks and face coverings is not required for those who are fully vaccinated. We highly encourage EVERYONE even those who are vaccinated to wear masks or face coverings, as this viruses is spreading. We will not require proof of vaccination. We also highly encourage all to be vaccinated.

Weekdays: 8:15 a.m. (Mon—Fri)

Saturday: 9 am Holy Rosary
9:30 a.m. Bilingual/bilingüe

PERPETUAL ADORATION: Hours for adoration: Monday at 9 am to Saturday at 9 am. Please come by the office to get your entry code.

HOLY HOUR: Thursday 7:00 p.m. Live-Streamed (Bilingual)

COMMITTEES

Building Board President: Tony Canez 210-857-0789

Finance Council President: Sandra Lyssy 210-862-0305

Pastoral Council President: Timo Zepeda 210-410-7647

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Gil Lugo, 210-601-9146 & Sat.; 5:30pm & Sun; 7:30am

Bill Staggs, 9:00 a.m., 210-274-8847.

Michelle Hernandez, 11 a.m., 210-215-0811

Glissie & Leonard Esquivel, Spanish 1p.m. 210.251-2902

Britt Mitchell, 5 pm., 210-414-1094.

Ernesto Diaz, 7pm Sunday or

Lupita Gonzalez 7pm Sunday or

Rafael Torres 7pm Sunday

To join the choir, call the director of the Mass you attend.

SACRAMENTS

EUCHARIST FOR HOMEBOUND/ANOINTING OF SICK: Contact the church office to setup an appointment with a priest.

INFANT BAPTISMS: Saturdays & Sundays. Please contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE & QUINCEANERA: 6 months notice required. Contact **Deacon David** at the parish office.

RCIA: Adult converts or those needing sacraments are invited. Please contact **John Miller** in the office for more information.

RECONCILIATION: Wed. 6:00p.m.& Sat. 4:00 p.m. or by appt

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: To include preparation for **First Communion and Confirmation** **Director, Janice Van Slambrouck**, 210-658-3816 x 243 Grades K– High School.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

The 9:15 a.m. and 1 p.m. Sunday Masses are live-streamed on Facebook and on the parish website:

www.saintmonicaconverse.net and click on

“Follow us” and Facebook to view streaming.

Masses Mon.—Sat. Live Streamed

THE PRIEST SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**20th Week of Ordinary Time****Monday, August 16**

Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Tuesday, August 17

Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Alejandro O.

Wednesday, August 18

Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Alejandro O.

Confessions 6:00 p.m. Fr. Alejandro O.

Thurs., August 19

Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Holy Hour (Bilingual) 7:00 p.m. Deacon

Friday, August 20

Mass 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Saturday, August 21

Rosary 9:00 a.m.

Mass (Bilingual) 9:30 a.m. Fr. Alejandro O.

Confessions 4:00 p.m. Fr. Thumma

Mass 5:30 p.m. Fr. Thumma

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**Sunday, August 22**

Masses in a.m. 7:30 a.m. Fr. Thumma

9:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

11:00 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Masses in p.m. 1 p.m. (Spanish) Fr. Alejandro O.

5 p.m. (English) Fr. Alejandro O.

7 p.m. (Spanish) Fr. Alejandro O.

ESTA SEMANA EN LA PARROQUIA

Las misas de 9:15 a.m. y 1 p.m. el domingo en directo en Facebook y en el sitio web de la parroquia:

www.saintmonicaconverse.net y haga clic en "Síguenos" y Facebook para ver la transmisión.

Misas lunes—sábado transmisión en vivo

EL HORARIO SACERDOTE SUJETO A CAMBIO**XX semana del Tiempo Ordinario****Lunes, 16 de agosto**

Misa 8:15 a.m. Padre Thumma

Martes, 17 de agosto

Misa 8:15 a.m. Padre Alejandro O.

Miércoles, 18 de agosto

Misa 8:15 a.m. Padre Alejandro O.

Confesiones 6:00 p.m. Padre Alejandro O.

Jueves, 19 de agosto

Misa 8:15 a.m. Padre Thumma

Hora Santa (bilingüe) 7:00 p.m. Deacon

Viernes, 20 de agosto

Misa 8:15 a.m. Padre Thumma

Sábado, 21 de agosto

Rosario 9 a.m.

Misa (bilingüe) 9:30 a.m. Padre Alejandro O.

Confesiones 4:00 p.m. Padre Thumma

Misa 5:30 p.m. Padre Thumma

XXI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**Domingo, 22 de agosto**

Misas de mañana 7:30 a.m. Padre Thumma

9:15 a.m. Padre Thumma

11:00 a.m. Padre Thumma

Misas de la tarde 1p.m. (Español) Padre Alejandro O.

5p.m. (Inglés) Padre Alejandro O.

7p.m. (Español) Padre Alejandro O.

REMINDER ABOUT COVID-19

With the rise of people being infected with COVID-19 Delta Variant we would like to remind everyone if you are ***feeling ill please do not come to mass.*** We are not requiring you to wear a mask but let us all be considerate to others. If anyone in your household has been tested positive for COVID please keep all your family safe and home until everyone is negative of any COVID symptoms.

The virus is thought to spread mainly from person to person: Between people who are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet). Through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes. These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs. COVID-19 may be spread by people who are not showing any symptoms.

Symptoms reported with COVID-19 include: Fever, Cough, Shortness of Breath, Chills, Fatigue, Muscle or body aches, Headache, New loss of taste or smell, Sore throat, Congestion or runny nose, Nausea or Vomiting, Diarrhea.

Let us continue to pray for all those who are ill and for families who have been effective by COVID.

RECORDATORIO de COVID-19

Con el aumento de personas infectadas con el variante delta de COVID-19, deseamos recordarles a todos que, si se ***sienten enfermos, por favor no vengán a misa.*** No requerimos el uso de mascarilla, pero seamos considerados con los demás. Si alguien en su hogar ha dado positivo en la prueba de COVID, mantenga a toda su familia a salvo y en casa hasta que todos tengan un resultado negativo de cualquier síntoma de COVID.

Se cree que el virus se transmite principalmente de persona a persona: entre personas que están en contacto cercano una a otra (dentro de unos 6 pies) a través de las gotitas respiratorias que se producen cuando una persona infectada tose o estornuda. Estas gotitas pueden caer en la boca o la nariz de las personas que están cerca o posiblemente ser inhaladas hacia los pulmones. El COVID-19 puede ser transmitido por personas que no presentan ningún síntoma.

Los síntomas que se presentan con COVID-19 incluyen: Fiebre, Tos, Dificultad para respirar, Escalofríos, Fatiga, Dolores Musculares o Corporales, Dolor de Cabeza, Nueva pérdida del gusto u olfato, Dolor de Garganta, Congestión o Secreción Nasal, Náuseas o Vómitos, Diarrea.

Sigamos orando por todos los que están enfermos y por las familias que han sido afectadas por COVID.

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



- Mon 8/16 8:15 a.m. (SI) Don Molin
† Osvaldo Camerena & family
† John & Christiana Ubah
- Tue 8/17 8:15 a.m. (B) Adrian Castillo
(SI) Carol Pailer
† John & Christiana Ubah
- Wed 8/18 8:15 a.m. (B) Valeria Love
(SI) Conversion of Sinners
† John & Christiana Ubah
- Thurs 8/19 8:15 a.m. (SI)
† Paul Perez
† John & Christiana Ubah
- Fri. 8/20 8:15 a.m. (SI) Rebecca Garcia
† John & Christiana Ubah
- Sat. 8/21 9:30 a.m (SI) St. Monica Parishioners
† John & Christiana Ubah
5:30 p.m. (SI) Conversion of Sinners
† Eugene Roller
- Sun. 8/22 7:30 a.m. † Jose L. Saucedo III
† Rafael & Maria Zuluaga
9:15 a.m. † Cody Joplin
† William Johnson
11:00 a.m. † Armando Hernandez Sr.
† John & Christiana Ubah
† Dennis & Ebele Nnajoifor
1:00 p.m. (SI) Hector Gonzalez
(SI) Anita Perez
5:00 p.m. (SI) St. Monica Parishioners
7:00 p.m. † Leonardo Nuno



This week altar flowers:
60th Wedding Anniversary
Francisco & Dolores Espinoza
& Spanish Prayer Group
13th Anniversary

COLLECTION REPORT

August 8th \$ 22,209.00
Online: \$ 1,237.00



Collection for St. Vincent de Paul \$ 4,820.00
Online Collection for St. Vincent de Paul \$ 82.00
Online Collection for St. Monica School \$ 150.00

August 22nd Second Collection will be for:
Foreign Mission Appeal



We are here to Pray for you
Estamos aquí para orar por ti

***In our prayers let us ask the Lord for health
for our sisters and brothers who are ill:***
***En nuestras oraciones pidamos al Señor por la salud
para nuestras hermanas y nuestros hermanos enfermos:***

Glyssie Esquivel, Barbara Abat, Teri Pearce, Reynaldo Vela, Rivera family, Richard Castillo, Andrea Trevino, Angel Cantu, Maria J. Ramos, Yari Carrillo, Larry, Linda Duncan, Arthur Thomas, Lisa Lee, Barbara Cantley, Suzie Littrell, Alena Quintero, Nildia Johnston, Lucy Barajas, Bill Ohler, Monica Gutierrez, Tim Knotts, Lisa Lee, Douglas Raul Perez, Bob Andrews, Tyler Acosta, Mary Hernandez, Lily DeHaro, Jo-Ann Case, Guadalupe Chagoya, Michael, Helen Arispe, Irma Juarez, Monica Trott, George Campbell & family, Joanne & Sebastian, Manuel, Elva Lopez, Arcadio Blonski, Dorothy Hernandez, Maria del Carmen Andrade, Luis M Vega Torres, Silivia Vega, Dolores Vaquera & family, Sara Chase, Benjamin

For the repose soul of /Por el eterno descanso de:

Yselda V. Marinell
John (Poppy) Sheehan

Please call the office to add the name in the bulletin.
Por favor hablen a la oficina para agregar nombres al boletin.



Having a Mass said for a specific prayer intention is a wonderful way to glorify God. You may request a Mass to be said for a living or deceased person, or for a particular intention. Mass intentions provide opportunities for prayerful remembrance of anniversaries and birthdays, and additional prayers for a deceased loved one. A donation of \$10 is requested.

Ofrecer una Misa para una intención específica de oración es una manera maravillosa de glorificar a Dios. Usted puede solicitar una misa para una persona viva o fallecida, o para una intención particular. Las intenciones de Misa brindan oportunidades para el recuerdo en oración de aniversarios y cumpleaños, y oraciones adicionales por un ser querido fallecido. Se solicita una donación de \$10 cuando se pide una intención.



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in memory for:
Cecilia & Filomena Urrabazo

We appreciate your faithfulness in tithing during these difficult times.

Apreciamos sus ofertas semanales en estos momentos

St. Monica, pray for us.
Santa Monica. ruega por nosotros.



Come and See



Why, What and How to share our faith to others

Have you struggled to share your faith with others?

Come join a day retreat to help us to understand:

- Why sharing the faith is so important today
- What is the hope we have to share
- How we can better prepare to share the faith

When: 21 August 2021

Time: 9 am to Noon, 8:30 check-in

Where: St Monica Parish Hall

If you would like to attend registration is on the St. Monica's

Website at <https://saintmonicaconverse.net>

Sponsored by St Monica ACTS Ministry

Ven y mira

Por qué, qué y cómo compartir nuestra fe con los demás

¿Ha luchado por compartir su fe con los demás?

Únase a un retiro de un día para ayudarnos a comprender:

- Por qué compartir la fe es tan importante hoy.
- Cuál es la esperanza que tenemos para compartir.
- Cómo podemos prepararnos mejor para compartir la fe.

Cuándo: 21 de agosto de 2021

Hora: 9 am al mediodía, 8:30 registro

Dónde: Salón parroquial de Santa Mónica

Si desea asistir, el registro está en el sitio web de Santa Mónica

en <https://saintmonicaconverse.net>

Organizado por el Ministerio de ACTS de Santa Mónica

NOW ENROLLING

2021-2022 School Year

3 years to 8th Grade

Phone # (210) 658-6701

E-mail: office@saintmonica.net



SAINT MONICA
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

AHORA INSCRIBIENDO

Año escolar 2021-2022

3 años hasta el octavo grado

Teléfono: (210) 658-6701 (oficina)

!!! No Application fee for 2021-2022 !!!

Registration Fee: \$475 (1st student), \$425 (per sibling up to only 2 siblings) Fee covers Archdiocesan Testing & PTC dues, Curriculum Resources, and Technology Support.

All fees support our operations and are non-refundable.

Discounts

- \$75 Registration Fee discount for military families for each family.
- 10% Tuition discount for each sibling.
- 5% Tuition discount for military families per child.
- \$35 tuition discount for families that receive Hope for the Future funding for 2021-2022

Tuition Rates: Payment is accepted only through FACTS.

PreK3 to 8th Grade \$5,000

\$500 for 10th month sign up (Aug thru May)

\$454.55 for 11th month sign up (July to May)

Price of fees does not include FACTS fee of \$20 to \$50 depending on your tuition payment plan (we do not receive this fee FACTS does)

!! No cobro por aplicaciones para el 2021-2022!!!

Cuota por inscripción: \$475 (1er estudiante), \$425 (por hermanos, no más de dos). Esta cuota cubre las Pruebas de la Archidiosis y PTC cuotas, materiales para plan de estudio, y apoyo tecnológico. Todas estas cuotas apoyan nuestras operaciones y no se devuelven.

Descuentos ;

- \$75 descuento en la cuota de inscripción para familias militares, por cada familia.
- 10% descuento de colegiatura por cada hermano.
- 5% descuento de colegiatura para familias militares, para cada niño.
- \$35 descuento de colegiatura para familias que reciben Hope for the Future ayuda para el año 2021-2022.

Precios de colegiatura: pagos son aceptados nada más a través de FACTS. Pre-K a 8avo año \$5,000

\$500 por 10 meses (de Agosto a Mayo)

\$454.55 por 11 meses (de Julio a Mayo)

Estos precios no incluyen un cargo adicional de FACTS de \$20 a \$50 dependiendo del plan de pago escogido (no recibimos este cargo, solamente es para FACTS).

UNITY AND CHARITY

Ladies, if you are wanting a new ministry to join, please come to our first meeting of the year. St. Monica CDA Court #2489 will begin the 2021-22 year with a meeting on Saturday, August 21, 2021 at 9 AM in the St. Monica Middle School building in room 103.

CDA Court #2489 - 20th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, August 22, 2021 at 9:15 AM Mass

Our court is blessed to celebrate our anniversary and honor the five Charter Members who are still actively involved with our court.

Please join us for this wonderful Mass and celebration.



UNIDAD Y CARIDAD

Damas, si desean unirse a un nuevo ministerio, por favor vengan a nuestra primera reunión del año. La Corte #2489 de las Hijas Católicas de América (CDA) de Santa Mónica comenzará el año 2021-22 con una reunión el sábado, 21 de agosto de 2021 a las 9 a.m. en el edificio de la escuela secundaria Santa Mónica en el salón 103.

Corte CDA # 2489 - Celebración del vigésimo aniversario Domingo 22 de agosto de 2021 a las 9:15 AM Misa

Nuestra corte tiene la suerte de celebrar nuestro aniversario y honrar a los cinco miembros fundadores que todavía participan activamente en nuestra corte.

Únase a nosotros para esta maravillosa celebración y misa.

Journey with Mary, from God's eternal thought, through Scripture, and all of Church history. See her care for all humanity and her battles against the evil one. See Mary's love as she pursues us and we develop a closer devotion to her.



Discover our Mother Mary, destined to be the Queen of Heaven in this 10-week study to be held at St. Monica Parish. You choose - Mondays 6:30-8:30pm or Tuesdays 9:30am-noon beginning September 13/14th. To register or for information, call Annette Winfield at (210) 885-0861

Valla de jornada con María, desde el pensamiento eterno de Dios, a través de las Escrituras y toda la historia de la Iglesia. Veala cuidar de toda la humanidad y sus batallas contra el maligno. Vea el amor de María mientras ella nos persigue y desarrolle una devoción más cercana a ella.

Descubra a nuestra Madre María, destinada a ser la Reina del Cielo, en este estudio de 10 semanas que se llevará a cabo en la parroquia de Santa Mónica. Usted elige: lunes de 6:30-8:30 p. M. O martes de 9:30 a. M. Al mediodía a partir del 13 y 14 de septiembre. Para registrarse o para obtener información, llame a Annette Winfield al (210) 885-0861

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Religious Education Class Registration



In addition to participating in the Mass as a family, having a child in religion class will help cultivate your child's relationships with their peers and elders in our church community. In a world that seems morals are blurred, children need a place where they can experience and be surrounded in a solid moral environment. Many school age children have a natural curiosity about God and spirituality. Regularly attending religious education classes allows them to have their questions answered, expands their theological knowledge and helps them to grow spiritually in their relationship with our Lord.

Children are going to get their "biases" from one place or another. Why not send them to religion classes and help influence their religious decisions? If they don't get their influences from you, as a parent, they will get them from friends, TV, movies, etc. Those possibilities can be frightening.

Classes for Kindergarten through High School are held on Wednesday evenings: 6:25-7:35 PM. St Monica holds classes for ALL students, and not just for those preparing for the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

To register: you can go to our website where you will find additional information and an electronic registration form; you can stop by the Pastoral Center during office hours; or you can send an email requesting information – jan@saintmonicaconverse.net Any additional questions, contact Jan Van Slambrouck 210-658-3816 x 243

Inscripción a la Clase de Educación Religiosa

Además de participar en la Misa en familia, tener un hijo en la clase de religión ayudará a cultivar las relaciones de su hijo con sus compañeros y mayores en nuestra comunidad eclesial. En un mundo donde parece que la moral es borrosa, los niños necesitan un lugar donde puedan experimentar y estar rodeados de un entorno moral sólido. Muchos niños en edad escolar tienen una curiosidad natural por Dios y la espiritualidad. Asistir regularmente a clases de educación religiosa les permite obtener respuestas a sus preguntas, expande su conocimiento teológico y les ayuda a crecer espiritualmente en su relación con nuestro Señor.

Los niños van a recibir sus "prejuicios" de un lugar u otro. ¿Por qué no enviarlos a clases de religión y ayudar a influir en sus decisiones religiosas? Si no obtienen sus influencias de usted, como padre, las obtendrán de amigos, televisión, películas, etc. Esas posibilidades pueden ser aterradoras.

Las clases desde kindergarten hasta la escuela secundaria se llevan a cabo los miércoles por la noche: 6: 25-7: 35 PM. Santa Mónica ofrece clases para TODOS los estudiantes, no solo para aquellos que se preparan para los sacramentos de la Eucaristía y la Confirmación.

Para registrarse: puede ir a nuestro sitio web donde encontrará información adicional y un formulario de registro electrónico; puede pasar por el Centro Pastoral durante el horario de oficina; o puede enviar un correo electrónico solicitando información: jan@saintmonicaconverse.net Si tiene preguntas adicionales, comuníquese con Jan Van Slambrouck a 210-658-3816 x 243

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Doing service work puts the needs of others ahead of your own, which benefits the people you're helping as well as yourself. Donating your time to a special cause quickly enhances your sense of well-being, especially if you're drawing on your unique talents or skills. Why not show off those special skills in the Religious Education program!

Anyone interested in helping this wonderful group, please attend the In-Service meeting on Wednesday, August 25th at 6:30 PM in the parish hall. Any questions, contact Janice Van Slambrouck at 210-658-3816 or Jan@saintmonicaconverse.net

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS

Hacer un trabajo de servicio pone las necesidades de los demás antes de las suyas, lo que beneficia a las personas a las que está ayudando, así como a usted mismo. Donar su tiempo a una causa especial mejora rápidamente su sensación de bienestar, especialmente si está aprovechando sus talentos o habilidades únicas. ¿Por qué no mostrar esas habilidades especiales en el programa de Educación Religiosa?

Cualquier persona interesada en ayudar a este maravilloso grupo, por favor asista a la reunión de servicio el miércoles 25 de agosto a las 6:30 pm en el salón parroquial. Si tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con Janice Van Slambrouck a 210-658-3816 o Jan@saintmonicaconverse.net

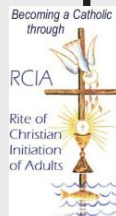
ADULTS SEEKING SACRAMENTS WELCOME!

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS)

Adults seeking to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

Adults from another Christian tradition - Baptists, Methodists, Episcopalians, etc. - who wish to become members of the Catholic Church.

Adults who were baptized in the Catholic Church as infants and who now wish to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.



ADULT CONFIRMATION

Adults who have celebrated Baptism and First Communion, but still need Confirmation.

For more information or to register for either of these, please contact John Miller at 210-658-3816 ext. 234 or rcia@saintmonicaconverse.net

CATECHUMENATE FOR CHILDREN

If you have a child 7-years or older who has not been baptized or was baptized in another faith, please contact John Miller or 210-658-3816 ext. 234 or rcia@saintmonicaconverse.net

PARA LOS ADULTOS QUE BUSCAN SACRAMENTOS ¡BIENVENIDOS!

RCIA (RITO DE INICIACIÓN CRISTIANO PARA ADULTOS) Adultos que buscan recibir los sacramentos del Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Eucaristía.

Adultos de otra tradición cristiana - bautistas, metodistas, episcopales, etc. - que deseen convertirse en miembros de la Iglesia Católica.

Adultos que fueron bautizados en la Iglesia Católica de bebés y que ahora desean recibir los sacramentos de la Confirmación y la Santa Eucaristía.

CONFIRMACIÓN PARA ADULTOS

Los adultos que han celebrado el Bautismo y la Primera Comunión, pero todavía necesitan Confirmación.

Para obtener más información o para registrarse para cualquiera de estos sacramentos, por favor comuníquese con John Miller 210-658-3816 ext. 234 o rcia@saintmonicaconverse.net

CATECUMENADO PARA NIÑOS

Si tiene un niño de 7 años o más que no han sido bautizados o han sido bautizados en otra fe, comuníquese con John Miller 210-658-3816 ext. 234 o rcia@saintmonicaconverse.net

YOUR SUPPORT IS APPRICIATED!

We are grateful to those who have continued to give. Since we depend on you for weekly contributions. We kindly ask that you continue to contribute either by:

- Dropping off your donation at the church office during office hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri. Wed. hours 9 a.m. to 7 p.m..
- Mailing it to the church office: 501 North St., Converse; 78109
- Giving online, Visit <https://saintmonicaconverse.net> and slide "Give" in the upper menu for the online giving link.



It will explain how to set up your ParishSOFT Giving Account. Each year during the Summer, some of us make travel plans to go on vacation. It is our hope whenever possible, you'll take some time to arrange and decide to continue your tithes to St. Monica's Church. We pray that during your vacation, you stay safe and well, have fun, and create loving memories with your loved ones.

Thank you for your continual support and prayers.

AGRADECEMOS SU APOYO!

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- Dejando su donación en la oficina de la iglesia durante el horario de oficina de 9 a.m. a 5 p.m.
- Enviándolo por correo a la oficina de la iglesia: 501 North Street, Converse; 78109.
- Donando en línea, puede hacerlo yendo a <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stmcc>. Se le explicará cómo configurar su Cuenta de Donación ParishSOFT. Dando su diezmo en línea, visite:

<https://saintmonicaconverse.net>, dele en "Give" en la parte alta del menú para el link de dar. Ahí se explicará cómo empezar la cuenta para el ParishSoft. Cada año, durante el verano, algunos de nosotros viajamos o salimos de vacaciones. Esperamos que, siempre que sea posible, se den el tiempo de continuar dando su diezmo a la iglesia de Santa Mónica. Oramos para que durante estén bien y a salva, se diviertan, y formen buenos recuerdos con sus seres queridos.

Gracias por su apoyo constante y sus oraciones.

Need Baptismal Preparation Class?

Parents & Godparents must attend a baptism preparation class in order to baptize a child. English class will be held the first Saturday of the month and Spanish class on the second Saturday of the month. *Please call the office to sign up.*



Necesita la clase de preparación bautismal ?

Padres y padrinos deben asistir a una clase de preparación para el bautizo de su niño. La clase de inglés se llevará a cabo el primer sábado del mes y la clase de español el segundó sábado del mes. *Por favor llame a la oficina para inscribirse.*

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