

St. Monica Catholic Church, Converse, Texas



St. Monica / St. Augustine: Pray for Us

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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

Weekdays: 8:15 a.m. (Mon—Fri)

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

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

1st FRIDAY MASS: 8:15am English &
7pm Spanish

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Hours for adoration:

Sunday at 8 pm to Saturday at 12 Noon

Please come by the office to get
your entry code.

Phone Number: (210)658-3816 **Fax Number:** (210) 566-3821

Working Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., & Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm
& Wed. 9 am—7pm

Website: www.saintmonicaconverse.net

Email: parish@saintmonicaconverse.net

For an emergency: Call the office and follow the instructions.



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 segundo sábado del mes.

Por favor llame a la oficina para inscribirse.



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

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

MINISTRIES

ACTS: Nancy Zepeda

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

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: Dcn. Sean Dooley

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS: Meet 3rd Sat. of the month 9a.m. NO MEETINGS June or July.

Contact: Janet Swanson

ART & ENVIRONMENT MINISTRY: Alma Castillo,

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: (Spanish) Meet Tues. 6–7:30pm & Wed. 9 to 11am in the Parish Hall contact **Lupita Ruiz**

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP: (English) Meet every 2nd & 4th Sat. at 10am & the following Mon. at 6pm contact **Sylvia Benavides**

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

FAMILY OF THE ROSARY Graciela Morgan

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

HEALING HEART: Elsa Lopez

HOMEBOUD: Barbara Ward

WELCOME MINISTRY: Eliza Reyna

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

SPANISH PRAYER GROUP: Meet every Fri. 7:00 p.m. at parish hall: **Gustavo Munoz**

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: **Colbe Ohnheiser** Beginning Sept.7th will meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:45pm in the Parish Hall

POWER POINT MINISTRY: Claudio Corrales & Gabby Olivares

VOCATIONS: Elvia Armenta

Contact the parish office for more information on any of the above ministries.

COMMITTEES

Pastoral Council President: Timo Zepeda

Finance Council President: Sandra Lyssy

Building Board President: Tony Canez

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Gil Lugo, Sat.; 5:30pm & Sun; 7:30am

Bill Staggs, 9:15 a.m.,

Michelle Hernandez, 11 a.m.,

Glissie & Leonard Esquivel, Spanish 1p.m.

Britt Mitchell, 5 pm.,

Ernesto Diaz, 7pm Sunday or

Lupita Gonzalez 7pm Sunday or

Lizette Parrilla 7pm Sunday

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

SACRAMENTS

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

INFANT BAPTISMS: 3rd Saturday of the month in English & 4th Saturday of the month in Spanish. Please contact the parish office to register.

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

RCIA: Adult converts or those needing sacraments are invited. Please contact **Timo Zepeda** 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** Grades K– High School. Email: RE@saintmonicaconverse.net 210-658-3816

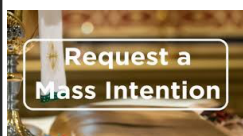


**We are here to Pray for you
Estamos aquí para orar por ti**

*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, Teri Pearce, Reynaldo Vela, Richard Castillo, Andrea Trevino, Angel Cantu, Maria J. Ramos, Linda Duncan, Maria J., Arthur Thomas, Lisa Lee, Raul Perez., Barbara Cantley, Suzie Littrell, Alena Quintero, Nildia Johnston, Lucy Barajas, Tim Knotts, Lisa Lee, Douglas, Bob Andrews, Tyler Acosta, Mary Hernandez, Lily DeHaro, Jo-Ann Case, Luis M Vega, Michael, Helen Arispe, Irma Juarez, Joanne & Sebastian, Brenda, Dolores Vaquera & family, Sara Chase, Jose Martinez Navarro, Ruddy Ballesteros DeLeon, John Cortez, Andrew, Jennifer Sanchez, Irma Mendez, Kenia Aguilar, Debbie Garcia, Armando Agüero, Preston Trinkle, Lisa Veenstra, Ruben Pacheco Angel Cantu, Barbara Garza, Evan Pesek, Laura Cynthia Peters, Bill Eastman, Velma Duran, Herlinda & Pablo Garcia, Mary Kirby Catarina Garza, Ernesto Sosa, Connie Martinez, Adam Thomas, Felix Davila, Michael Burgos, Ruben Pacheco, Johnny Quinata, Lola Mata, Tom Siguenza



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.

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

MASS SCHEDULE:

The 9:15 a.m. & 1 p.m. Sunday Masses & Mon—Sat daily Masses are live-streamed on Facebook.

HORARIO DE MISA:

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

**THE PRIEST SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE
EL HORARIO SACERDOTE SUJETO A CAMBIO**

**22nd Week in Ordinary Time
22^o Semana de Tiempo Ordinario**

Monday/Lunes, August 29 Passion of St. John the Baptist
Martirio de san Juan Bautista

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

Tuesday/Martes, August 30

Mass/Misa 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Wednesday/Miércoles, August 31

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

Confessions/Confesiones 6:00 p.m. Fr. Thumma

Thurs./Jueves, September 1

Mass/Misa 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

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

Friday/Viernes, September 2 First Friday

Primer viernes

Mass/Misa 8:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Mass/Misa 7:00 p.m. Fr. Thumma

Saturday/Sábado, September 3 SS. Pontian, Pope and
Hippolytus, Priest,

Martyrs

Santos Ponciano, Papa, y Hipólito, presbítero, mártires

Rosary/Rosario 9:00 a.m.

Mass/Misa (Bilingual) 9:30 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Confessions/Confesiones 4:00 p.m.

Mass/Misa 5:30 p.m. Fr. Thumma

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
23^o Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Sunday/Domingo, September 4

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

Misas de la mañana 9:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma

11:00 a.m. Fr. Thumma

Masses in p.m. 1 p.m. (Español) Fr. Thumma

Misas de la tarde 5 p.m. (English) Fr. Alejandro O.

7 p.m. (Español) Fr. Alejandro O.



Mass Intentions for the week



Mon 8/29 8:15 a.m. (A) Scott & Annette Winfield
(SI) Priest & Persecuted Catholics of Nicaragua

Tue 8/30 8:15 a.m. (B) Carlos Cortes
(SI) Souls in Purgatory

Wed 8/31 8:15 a.m. (B) Rodolfo Roa Casas
(SI) Conversion of Sinners
† Ramona Delgado, † Estrella N. Ledesma

Thurs 9/1 8:15 a.m. (SI) Holy Souls in Purgatory

Fri 9/2 8:15 a.m. (B) Bernadette Andrews \
(SI) Holy Souls In Purgatory
(SI) Isais Alvarez Hernandez

Sat 9/3 9:30 a.m. (B) Carolina Castellanos
(SI) Frost Family, (SI) Salisbury Family

5:30 p.m. (SI) Eddie Sosa
(SI) Manuel Sosa, (SI) Everardo L. Ledesma
† Scott Case † Pablo N. Daquila

Sun. 9/4 7:30 a.m. (B) Carmenlita Arispe
(SI) Mary Kirby (SI) Tomas G. Torres
(SI) Eliseo Corrales
† Mary Irene Orozco † Leonel Barrera Sr.

9:15 a.m. (B) Darrick Dove, (SI) James Durnin
(SI) Chamorro Hospitality Group
† Jesus Armando Juarez Sr., † Frank Molinar

11:00 a.m. (SI) Gil Chagoya
(SI) Jose Brown, (SI) Jody Trinidad
† Howard Benavides , † Bob Hovis

1:00 p.m. (SI) Roberto Garcia (SI) Amrocio Acosta
(SI) Ramon Barela (SI) Florencia Rodriguez
(SI) Margarita Sepulveda (SI) Ivan Zuniga
(SI) Eldido,
† Gilardo Esqueda, † Josehina Fabian
† Cirilo Ibarra Velasquez, † Rigoberto Oropeza
† Maximino Alvarez, † Antancsio Nuno

5:00 p.m. (B) Alexis Grace Montoya
(SI) Conversion of Sinners, (SI) Tito Montes
† Margaret Rose

7:00 p.m. (SI) Souls In Purgatory
(SI) Carmen Rosa Diaz
† Bienvenida Tejada Jimenez

This week altar flowers are for
50th Wedding Anniversary of:
Mary & Emilio Sanchez



Altar Flowers

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn as
Special Intention for Priest



Weekly
Offering

COLLECTIONS

August 21st \$ 11,646.00

Online: \$ 2,373.00

Collection at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary \$ 1,270.00

Collection for St. Vincent de Paul \$ 290.00

Online Collection for St. Vincent de Paul \$ 307.00

September 4th NO Second Collection

St. Monica, pray for us.



Santa Monica. ruega por nosotros.

Stay Connected with your Saint Monica Family



Este conectado con su familia de Santa Mónica.

Download Our New Parish App!

Our new St. Monica app is now available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more. Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for myparish.



¡Descargue nuestra nueva aplicación parroquial (Parish App)!

Nuestra nueva aplicación Santa Mónica ya está disponible para descargar para teléfonos inteligentes iPhone y Android. Manténgase conectado con nuestra parroquia durante toda la semana con notificaciones instantáneas, un calendario. También disfrute de un gran número de funciones adicionales como oraciones, lecturas diarias, recordatorios útiles para silenciar su teléfono antes de la misa o la confesión, y mucho más. Descargue nuestra aplicación hoy en myparishapp.com o busque myparish en la tienda de aplicaciones de su teléfono app store for myparish.

Stay Connected to St. Monica

We have adopted a new way of communicating with you. This week you may receive a message from the new system of our parish, Evangelus.

This is not a scam.

We encourage you to open the message and follow the link to create a profile. Go ahead and join eva.us/stmcc or **text to join STMC to 55321**. If you were on Flocknote we have already migrate your information into Evangelus. Don't forget we also have MyParish App you can download on to your cell phone.



Manténgase conectado con Santa Mónica

Hemos adoptado una nueva manera de comunicarnos con ustedes. Esta semana recibirán un mensaje de el nuevo sistema de nuestra parroquia, Evangelus.

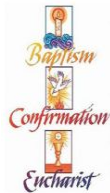
Esto no es scam. Les pedimos que abran el mensaje y sigan la liga para crear una cuenta. Vayan a eva.us/stmcc o **mande mensaje de texto a 55321.**

Si ya están en Flocknote, ya pasamos su información a Evangelus.

Recuerden que tenemos la app MyParish que puede bajarse en su teléfonos celular.

RCIA

Adult seekers or those Adults needing Baptism, 1st Communion, Confirmation or Children (Age 7-17) needing baptism are invited. Please contact RCIA@saintmonicaconverse.net for more information.



RCIA
Rite of
Catholic
Initiation of
Adults

RCIA TEAM OPPORTUNITIES

St. Monica's RCIA Ministry Team has multiple opportunities for you to journey with those who are seeking a relationship with God. Led by the Holy Spirit, they enter the way of faith and conversion as they prepare for initiation into the Catholic Church. Call the office 210-658-3816 or email: RCIA@saintmonicaconverse.net to be a part of this ministry

RCIA

Adultos en busca o para aquellos adultos necesitando Bautismo, 1a. Comunión, Confirmación, o para niños (edad 7-17) que necesiten bautismo están invitados. Para más información, por favor comuníquese a RCIA@saintmonicaconverse.net

OPORTUNIDADES DEL EQUIPO DE RCIA

El Ministerio de RCIA de Santa Mónica tiene muchas oportunidades para usted y poder acompañar a los que están buscando una relación con Dios. Dirigidos por el Espíritu Santo, ellos entran en el camino de fe y conversión mientras se preparan para su iniciación en la Iglesia Católica. Comuníquese con la oficina o email a RCIA@saintmonicaconverse.net para ser parte de este ministerio.

If you have ever wanted to serve in the Liturgy as a Lector, Altar Server or an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, come and join the training on the following dates: **All training will be done in the church at 6:30pm.**

August 30 for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

September 13 for Altar Servers

September 14 for Lectors

We hope to see you there and bring a friend.



Si alguna vez a querido servir en la Liturgia como Lector, Monaguillo o Ministro Extraordinario de la Santa Comunión, acompáñenos a el entrenamiento en estas fechas:

Todo el entrenamiento será en la iglesia a las 6:30 pm.

30 de Agosto para Ministros Extraordinarios de la Santa Comunión

13 de Septiembre para Monaguillos

14 de Septiembre para Lectores

Esperamos verlo ahí y traiga a un amigo!!

St. Monica Family**St. Monica Bereavement Support Ministry will resume on September 15, 2022.**

The Mission: of the St. Monica Bereavement Ministry is to accompany the grieving of St. Monica Parish.

Our team members are made up of parishioners who have lost a spouse, parent, grandparent, child, sibling, aunt, uncle, friend. If you have lost a loved one and searching for a safe place to lay your grieving; please consider the **Bereavement Ministry.**

The Vision of the St. Monica Bereavement Ministry is to Provide Faith Care Always because we know; Love Never Dies. The first meeting will be in the **Goertz room of Stubben Hall on Thursday, September 15, 2022, beginning at 6:30 P.M. Please feel free to attend.**

The workshops/sessions are free and will also be announced during Masses and in the bulletin. If you have questions or just want to talk, please do not hesitate to contact:

Deacon Sean W. Dooley at (210) 274-7085 or via my emails; sw.dooley@att.net or deaconsean@saintmonicaconverse.net .

*Blessed are those who mourn,
for they shall be comforted.*

**El Ministerio de Apoyo al Duelo de Santa Mónica se reanudará el 15 de Septiembre del 2022.**

La Misión de este Ministerio es acompañar el duelo de la Parroquia de Santa Mónica.

Nuestro equipo está formado de feligreses que han perdido un cónyuge, padre, abuelo, hijo, hermano, tía, tío, amigo. Si usted a perdido a un ser amado y está buscando un lugar seguro donde descansar de us duelo, por favor considere este Ministerio.

La Visión del Ministerio de Apoyo al Duelo es el proveer cuidado de fe siempre, porque sabemos que el amor nunca muere.

La primera reunión será en el cuarto **Goertz del Hall Stubben el Jueves 15 de Septiembre, 2022, a las 6:30 pm. Por favor siéntase libre de atender.**

Los talleres/sesiones son gratis y también serán anunciados durante las Misas y en el boletín.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o necesita hablar con alguien, por favor no dude en comunicarse con:

el Diácono Sean W. Dooley Al (210)274-7085
o via email: sw.dooley@att.net o deaconsean@saintmonicaconverse.net

*Bienaventurados los que lloran,
porque ellos serán consolados.*



September 28 - November 6
40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

HELP SAVE LIVES IN SAN ANTONIO!

You can protect mothers and children by joining this world-wide 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 Planned Parenthood; 2140 Babcock Rd; San Antonio, Texas 78240

Vigil hours: 7 am to 7 pm daily – no Sundays

Local contact: Cathy Nix, San Antonio Coalition for Life, 210 668-1993, cathy@sacfl.org or tammy@sacfl.org

Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at the web address shown below!

40daysforlife.com/SanAntonio



28 de Septiembre - 6 de Noviembre
40 DÍAS POR LA VIDA.

AYUDA A SALVAR VIDAS EN SAN ANTONIO!

Protege a madres y bebés uniéndote a la movilización pro-vida más grande de la historia.

40 Días por la Vida ha logrado tener más de 1,000,000+ voluntarios en 63 países.

Con la ayuda de Dios, aquí están los resultados:

- Más de 20,000 bebés salvados del aborto
- Más de 200 trabajadoras del aborto convertidas
- Más de 100 centros de aborto cerrados

Contribuye a expandir este impacto y forma parte de la campaña de 40 Días por la Vida:

Ubicación de la vigilia: Fuera de Planned Parenthood
2140 Babcock Rd 78240

Horas de la vigilia: 7 am – 7 pm a diario (No en Domingo)

Contacto local: Cathy Nix o Tammy Villaseñor;
cathy@sacfl.org o tammy@sacfl.org 210.668.1993

Aprende más y únete a nosotros:

40daysforlife.com/SanAntonio



Hadley - Pre-K
&
Jackson - Kinder



Julianne Zamago
St. Monica's - 8th Grade

Genesis Alvarez



Mineli Robles
&
Arilyn Jaramillo



Savannah Acosta
2nd Grade

Harrison Corrales
1st Grade



Thank you for sharing your 1st Day of School Picture

HALL RENTAL AVAILABLE

Getting ready to have a Baby Shower, a Birthday or Christmas party why not consider renting.

St. Monica's Parish Hall.

Do you have an upcoming wedding, Quince, Birthday or planning a shower, need a place to have your meeting or reception for up to 200 people? For more information, please call the office during business hours, Monday – Friday from 9 – 5:00 pm. and Wednesdays from 9:00 am – 7:00 pm.



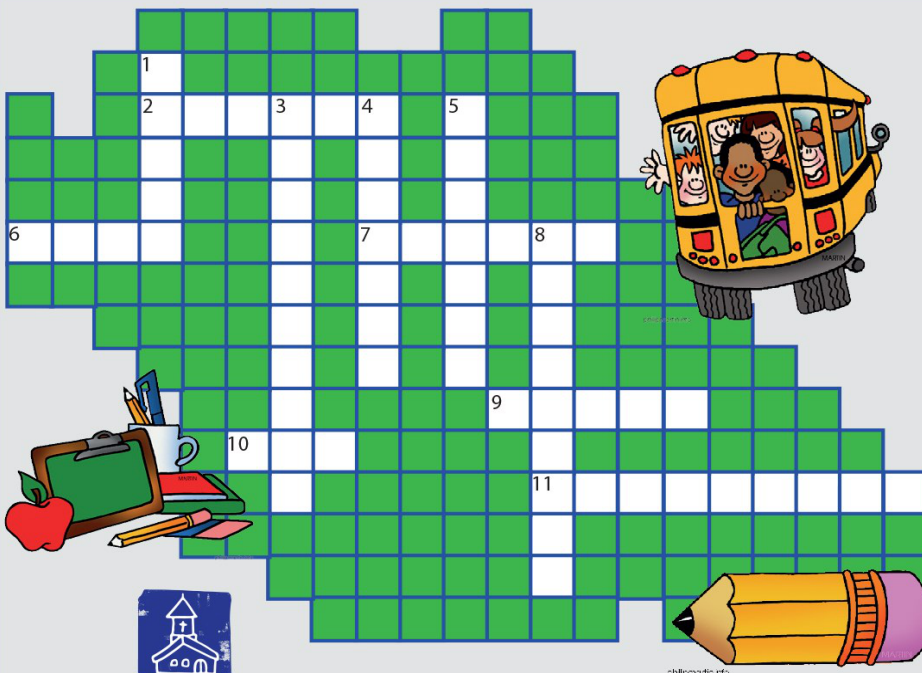
SALÓN DISPONIBLE PARA RENTAR

Preparándose para tener un Baby Shower, Cumpleaños o fiesta para navidad?? Porque no considera el rentar el salón de la Iglesia??

el salón parroquial de Santa Mónica?

¿Tiene una próxima boda, quinceañera, cumpleaños o está planeando una celebración y necesita un lugar para tener su reunión o recepción para hasta 200 personas? Para obtener más información, llame a la oficina durante el horario comercial, de lunes a viernes de 9 a 5:00 pm. y miér salón disponible para rentar coles de 9:00 am a 7:00 pm.





SUNDAYKIDZ

Across

2. Used for writing; and has an eraser.
6. Used for sticking things together, usually in art class.
7. Playtime on the playground.
9. What you read and learn with.
10. Painting, drawing, coloring
11. The bag students use to carry belongings to and from school.

Down

1. Popular fruit given to a teacher as a gift.
3. Large green area on the wall of a classroom.
4. The school room where all the books are.
5. The adult who helps you learn throughout the year.
8. The yellow vehicle used to take children to and from school.

Answers: Across (2) pencil (6) glue (7) recess (9) books (10) art (11) backpacks
Down (1) apple (3) chalkboard (4) library (5) teacher (8) schoolbus

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A Student's Prayer for a New School Year

Lord Jesus, I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year. Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me. Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings. Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers. Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities. Help me to be attentive to my teachers and let me experience Your presence in my new friends. Jesus, inspire me to do my best this year!

Amen



Oración de un Estudiante para un Año Escolar Nuevo

Señor Jesús, te pido tu ayuda al comenzar este año escolar nuevo. Permíteme experimentar Tu presencia en todas las bendiciones que pones delante de mí. Abre mis ojos a los nuevos desafíos y las oportunidades emocionantes que este año escolar nuevo traerá. Abre mi corazón y mi mente para nuevos amigos y nuevos maestros. Dame un espíritu entusiasta con mis estudios y valentía para captar nuevas oportunidades. Ayúdame a poner atención a mis maestros y permíteme experimentar tu presencia en mis nuevos amigos. Jesús, inspírame a hacer lo mejor este año!!

Amén

St. John Paul II Catholic High School News

Application Information:

We are still accepting applications for the 2022/2023 year. Please visit our Website or call 830-643-0802, for more information.

Fall Sports Start:

We wish our Cheer, Cross-Country, Dance, Drumline, Football and Defending State Champion Volleyball Team a successful and safe season as practices begin.

Ways to Visit JPH:

To request more information, Or schedule a campus visit or Shadow Day Please contact us at 830-643-0802 or email admissions@johnpaul2chs.org

St. John Paul II Catholic High School

6720 FM 482 New Braunfels, Texas 78132 830-643-0802

St. John Paul II Catholic High School is an Archdiocesan, Roman Catholic college preparatory high school for young women and men that affirms the dignity of all persons; prepares students for excellence in college; engages students in the great works of our Western, Catholic tradition; and deepens young persons' relationship with Christ.

Noticias de la Preparatoria Católica San Juan Pablo II Información para Solicitud:

Seguimos aceptando solicitudes para el año 2022-2023. Por favor visite nuestra website o llámenos al 830-643-0802 para más información.

Deportes de Otoño Empiezan:

Les deseamos a nuestro Cheer, Campo Traviesa, Baile, Banda de Tambores, Fútbol y al equipo de Volley Ball Defendiendo su Campeonato de Estado, una temporada exitosa y segura, ya que empiezan sus prácticas.

Maneras de visitar JPH:

Para pedir más información, o programar una visita a nuestro campus, o Shadow Day por favor comuníquese al 830-643-0802 o email admissions@johnpaul2chs.org

San Juan Pablo II Escuela Preparatoria Católica

6720 FM 482 New Braunfels, Texas, 78132-0802

La Escuela San Pablo II es una escuela de la Arquidiócesis, Católica Romana preparatoria para muchachos y muchachas jóvenes que afirma la dignidad de todas las personas; prepara a los estudiantes para excelencia en la universidad; involucra a los estudiantes en el gran trabajo de nuestras tradiciones Católicas, Occidental, y profundiza la relación con Cristo de las personas jóvenes.



EL CAMINO DE SAN ANTONIO MISSIONS:

Caring for Creation

OUTDOOR MASS AND PILGRIMAGE

SUNDAY,
SEPT. 11
2022



8 AM

OUTDOOR MASS AT MISSION ESPADA

(10040 Espada Rd.)
CELEBRATED BY ARCHBISHOP
GUSTAVO, M.SP.S.

9 AM

PILGRIMAGE TO MISSION SAN JUAN (9101 Graf Rd.)

The Season of Creation (Sept. 1-Oct. 4) encourages us to celebrate the gift of creation and work together for our common home.

Join us to celebrate the 7th anniversary of *Laudato Si* and the Season of Creation with an outdoor Mass with Mariachi at Mission Espada followed by a 1.5-mile (30-min) walk to Mission San Juan.

Bring water bottles and wear comfortable shoes.
Please RSVP to help us plan accommodations.



RSVP: www.ArchSA.org/Caring-for-Creation
or scan the QR code.

For more information, contact Karla Vasquez at
210-357-5601 or email Karla.Vasquez@ArchSA.org.



El Camino de San Antonio Missions: *Cuidado de la Creación*

Misa al aire libre y peregrinación
Domingo, 11 de septiembre de 2022
a las 8:00 AM

Acompañe al Arzobispo Gustavo García-Siller, M.Sp.S., mientras celebramos la *Temporada de la Creación* con una Misa de Mariachi en Misión Espada seguida de una Peregrinación en apoyo a la creación de Dios por el sendero del río a Misión San Juan. Durante la *Temporada de la Creación* patrocinada por el Papa Francisco, se nos anima a celebrar el don de la creación y actuar juntos para cuidar nuestra casa común. La Peregrinación nos llevará a la Misión San Juan donde el Arzobispo

Gustavo brindará una bendición especial. ¡Habrà café, tacos y paletas! Traiga una botella de agua y use zapatos cómodos mientras nos reunimos para proteger, restaurar y disfrutar de la creación de Dios. El transporte patrocinado por VIA se proporcionará desde la Misión de San Juan de regreso a la Misión Espada.

Para obtener más información, visite www.ArchSA.org/Caring-for-Creation. Si desea ser voluntario, envíe un correo electrónico a Karla Vasquez (Karla.Vasquez@ArchSA.org) o llame al 210-357-5602.

¡Esperamos que se una a nosotros el domingo 11 de septiembre!

8:00 AM: Misa de Mariachi en Misión Espada (10040 Espada Rd.)

9:00 AM: Peregrinación desde Misión Espada hasta Misión San Juan (1.5 millas)
10:15 AM: Bendición en Misión San Juan (9101 Graf Rd.)

* Un evento del Festival del Patrimonio Mundial *

Women's Fellowship is back!

Ladies sometimes we just need time away from our everyday chores and have some girl time. Bring your cup of coffee, and meet other ladies within your St. Monica community. Don't forget to bring your rosary.

Meetings will be held on the first Saturday of the month at 8am beginning Saturday September 3rd in Room 102 Mollicone Building



Momentos de Compartir están de Regreso!

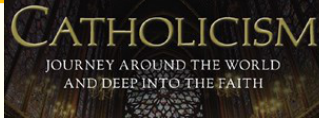
Damas, a veces necesitamos tiempo alejados de el quehacer diario, y tener tiempo con otras mujeres. Trae tu taza de café, y reúnete con otras mujeres de la comunidad de Santa Mónica. Y no se les olvide traer su Rosario.

Las juntas serán el primer Sábado del mes, a las 8:00 am comenzando el 3 de Septiembre en el salón 102 del Edificio Mollicone



Filmed in 50 locations throughout 15 countries, the Catholicism Series and Study Program is on-location and in the streets illustrating the splendor of the global Church. The Study Program expands and reinforces the film with extensive commentary and questions for understanding and application. Please join us to take this epic journey around the world and deep into the faith. The Program lasts 21 weeks and begins on September 12th in St Monica Parish Hall. You may attend Mondays 6:30- 8:30 pm or Tuesdays 9:30- 11:30 am. The study is free. The Study Guide/workbook is available for \$22-\$25 at: <https://bookstore.wordonfire> . Please order at least 2 weeks prior to assure delivery.

For info and to register you may contact Annette Winfield at annettethecatechist@gmail.com. Additional information on program is available at: catholicismseries.com/watch



Filmado por en 50 lugares y 15 países, el Programa de Estudio y Series Catolicismo es en-alcacil e y en las calles ilustrando el esplendor de la Iglesia global. El Programa de Estudio expande y reafirma el filme con comentarios extensivos y preguntas para entender y aplicar. Acompañenos a tomar esta jornada épica alrededor del mundo y profunda en la fe. El Programa dura 21 semanas y comienza el 12 de Septiembre en el Salón de la Parroquia de Santa Mónica. Puede atender la clase del Lunes de 6:30-8:30 pm or Martes 9:30-11:30. El estudio es gratis. El libro guía/libro de trabajo se consigue en <https://bookstore.wordonfire> por \$22-25. Por favor ordénelo al menos dos semanas antes de la clase para asegurar entrega. Para más información y para registrarse puede comunicarse con Annette Winfield al Annettecatechist@gmail.com. Más información en el programa está disponible en: catholicismseries.com/watch

CATHOLIC'S DIVORCE HEALING PROGRAM

St. Monica, is happy to inform you of this healing ministry for men and women who have suffered from divorce or separation.

Surviving Divorce is a 12-week program that covers different topic, for example: anger, forgiving, emotional healing, children, annulment and other topics. It doesn't matter if you divorced last week or several years ago, this program offers valuable insight for everyone.

Starts Thursday September 15th at 7:00pm In the Parish Hall

Contact Leroy Kruse 210-560-5375



Programa de Sanacion de un Divorcio de Católicos

Santa Mónica informa con gusto este ministerio de sanación para hombres y mujeres que hayan sufrido un divorcio o separación.

Sobreviviendo Divorcio es un programa de 12 semanas que cubre diferentes temas, por ejemplo: enojo, perdón, saneamiento emocional, niños, anulamiento y otros temas. No importa si te divorciaste la semana pasada o hace varios años, este programa ofrece valuable visión para todos.

Comienza el Jueves 15 de Septiembre a las 7:00 pm en el salón de la parroquia.

Comuníquese con Leroy Kruse al 210-560-5375 para más información y para inscribirse.

We are enrolling for the 2022/2023 Religious Education school year!!

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 RE@saintmonicaconverse.net

*****Volunteers Needed*****

Would you like to join a group that helps mold the future of our church! Our Religious Education Center is in need of additional volunteers – teachers, aides, coordinators and office help. Classes meet on Wednesday evenings. All that is required is a loving heart, dedication, and a willingness to share God's word. Fair Warning: being a part of this group can be quite addictive and produce a warm, fuzzy feeling! If interested in joining, please email: RE@saintmonicaconverse.net



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



¡Estamos inscribiendo para el año escolar de Educación Religiosa 2022/2023!

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: re@saintmonicaconverse.net

Se necesitan Voluntarios

Le gustaría ser parte de un grupo que ayuda a moldear el futuro de nuestra iglesia?? Nuestro Centro de Educación Religiosa necesita voluntarios adicionales -maestros, ayudantes, coordinadores y ayuda en la oficina. Las clases son los Miércoles en la noche. Todo lo que se necesita es 7n corazón amoroso, dedicación y estar dispuesto a compartir la palabra de Dios. Le avisamos! Ser parte de este grupo causa adicción y un sentimiento muy bonito!! Si está interesado en ayudarnos, email a: RE@saintmonicaconverse.net

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3. She is the patron saint of wives and abuse Victims
4. The city of Santa Monica, California is named after Monica, as were the "weeping" springs outside the city.

Saint Monica Quote

"Nothing is far from God"

Feast Day is
August 27th



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FIESTA DE
Santa Mónica**

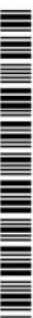
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1. Es la mamá de San Agustín de Hippo, y oro por 17 años por su CONVERSIÓN
2. A través de sus oraciones con stantes, el esposo de Santa Mónica y su suegra también se convirtieron.
3. Es la Santa Patrona de las esposas y víctimas de abuso.
4. La ciudad de Santa Monica, California, es nombrada después de Mónica, así como los manantiales "lloradores" afuera da la ciudad.

Cita de Santa Mónica

"Nada está lejos de Dios"

Día de su Fiesta
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