

St. Monica Catholic Church
501 North St.
Converse, Texas 78109

Behold the Lamb of God John 1:29



Este es el Cordero de Dios Juan 1:29

Pastor: Fr. Thumma Prathap

Email: pastor@saintmonicaconverse.net

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Lubin Moreno

Email: vicar@saintmonicaconverse.net

Working Hours:

Mon., Tue., Thur., & Friday

9:00 am - 5:30 pm

Wed. 9 am - 7pm

Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1pm Mon. - Fri.

Sat: 10am - 2pm & Sun: 10am - 3pm

St. Monica Catholic Church Converse



ST. MONICA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal: Mrs. Karmen Chavez

Early Childhood - 8th Grade

Academy Day Care 18 months - 3 year olds

210-658-6701

E-mail: office@saintmonica.net

*You can still register your child for the
2025/2026 School Year*

*Todavía puede registrarse para el
Año 2025/2026*

www.saintmonicaconverse.net/saint-monica-catholic-school

St Monica Catholic School

MASS SCHEDULE: The 9:15 a.m. & 1 p.m. Sunday
Masses are live-streamed on Facebook.

HORARIO DE MISA: Las misas de 9:15 a.m. y 1 p.m. el
Domingo son transmitido en vivo en Facebook.

THE PRIEST SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE
EL HORARIO DE SACERDOTES ES SUJETO A CAMBIO

Monday/Lunes, January 19th

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

Tuesday/Martes, January 20th

Saint Fabian, Pope & Martyr & Saint Sebastian, Martyr
 San Fabián, Papa y Mártir & San Sebastián, Mártir

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

Wednesday/Miércoles, January 21st

Memorial of Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr
 Memoria de Santa Inés, Virgen y Mártir

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

Confessions / Confesiones 5:30 p.m.

Thursday/Jueves, January 22nd

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

Holy Hour 7:00 p.m.

Friday/Viernes, January 23rd

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

Saturday/Sábado January 24th

Memorial de St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church /
 Memoria de San Francisco de Sales, Obispo y Doctor de la Iglesia

Rosary (Bilingual/Bilingüe) 9:00 a.m.

Mass 9:30 a.m. Fr. Lubin

Confessions / Confesiones 3:30 p.m.

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

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
3º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Sunday/Domingo, January 25th

Masses in a.m. 7:30 a.m. Fr. Thumma
 & Dcn. Sean

Misas de la mañana 9:15 a.m. Fr. Thumma
 & Dcn. Luis Gomez

11:00 a.m. Fr. Thumma
 & Dcn. Luis Gomez

Masses in p.m. 1 p.m. (Español) Fr. Lubin
 & Dcn. Joel

3 p.m. (Español) Fr. Lubin
 & Dcn. Luis Mata

Misas de la tarde 5 p.m. (English) Fr. Lubin
 & Dcn. David

7 p.m. (Español) Fr. Lubin
 & Dcn. Luis Mata



COLLECTIONS

for January 11th \$ 14,362.00
 Online collection \$ 3,061.18

Online Collection for St. Vincent de Paul \$ 325.00

Online Collection for St. Monica School \$ 15.00

January 25th - Second Collection

The Church in Latin America in support of priests, sisters and catechist

Welcome Back, Fr. Thumma!

We pray that your travels were peaceful and filled with many blessings. Please know that our prayers are with your sister as she celebrated her 50 years of religious life.

May our Dear Lord continue to walk alongside her, strengthening and blessing her always.



Mass Intentions

Mon 1/19 8:15 a.m. (SI) St. Monica Parishioners

Tue 1/20 8:15 a.m. (SI) Janice Watt
 (B) Lorraine Rose
 (B) Daniela Hernandez
 † Howard Benavides
 † Holy Souls in Purgatory

Wed 1/21 8:15 a.m. (SI) Conversion of Sinners
 † Tere Mata

Thurs 1/22 8:15 a.m. (B) Isabella Campos
 (B) Tammy Rose
 † William Clouse

Fri. 1/23 8:15 a.m. † Vicenta Hernandez
 † William Clouse
 † Holy Souls in Purgatory

Sat. 1/24 9:30 a.m. (B) Fr. Alejandro Del Bosque
5:30 p.m. † Leissa Sutton

Sun. 1/25 7:30 a.m. † Thomas Wilhelmi
 (B) Courtney Sheehan
 † Jose Luis Saucedo III
 † Preston Trinkle

9:15 a.m. (SI) Herlinda & Pablo Garcia
 (B) Pablo Garcia
 † Souls in Purgatory

11:00 a.m. (B) David Rittiman
 † Irma Kotanan
 † Christopher Tufino
 † Tom Silk

† Ofelia Escobedo
 † Emiliano Lopez Sr.
 † Gloria Nunez
 † Daniel Lueb

1:00 p.m. (SI) Rafael Torres
 (B) Genevive Montoya
 † Tere Mata
 † Gilberto Marquez Lopez

3:00 p.m. † Jose Manuel Robles
 † Julio Roman

5:00 p.m. (SI) Juanita Roussett
 (SI) Conversion of Sinners
 † Kyra & Kapryna Lynn Tyquiengco
 † Jose S. Cruz

† Angie Hernandez
 † Maria Benavides
 † Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00 p.m. (SI) Ludy Kent
 (B) Lupita Ruiz

This week's sanctuary lamps are for the repose
 of the soul of *Tere Mata*
 And for the Birthday of *Lorraine Rose*



Altar Flowers

This week's Altar Flowers are for the
 Special Intention of
Elidia De La Torre and Family

¡Bienvenido de nuevo, Padre Thumma!

Esperamos que su viaje haya sido tranquilo y lleno de bendiciones. Le recordamos que nuestras oraciones acompañan a su hermana en su 50.º aniversario de vida religiosa. Que nuestro Señor la acompañe, fortaleciéndola y bendiciéndola siempre.



*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 de nuestras hermanas y nuestros hermanos enfermos:*

Glyssie Esquivel, Reynaldo Vela, Angel Cantu, Olga B., Linda Duncan, Maria J., Maxine Lerma, Helen Arispe, Arthur Thomas, Lisa Lee, Luis M Vega, Barbara Cantley, Suzie Littrell, Alena Quintero, Irma Mendez, Brenda, Nildia Johnston, Manuel M., Lucy Barajas, Tim Knotts, Lisa Lee, Douglas, Tyler Acosta, Melissa, Diane Thatcher, Maria F., Jennifer Sanchez, Irene Cantu, Leo Cantu, Jose Martinez, Vanessa P., John Cortez, Andrew, Velma Duran, Jan Beland, Ernie & Sally Gonzales, Kenia Aguilar, Dolores Vaquera & Family, Sara Chase, Navarro, Catarina Garza, Debbie Garcia, Armando Aguero, Rose, Paul D., Angel Cantu, Barbara Garza, Evan Pesek, Pawlick family, Laura Cynthia Peters, Bill Eastman, Felix Davila, Ernesto Sosa, Robert, Adam Thomas, Gabriel M., Michael Burgos, Rob Wick, Barbara Rials, Trini & Jackie Cantú, Tony Rippy, Eduardo Guevara, Adalene, Blanca, Donelia Jimenez, Janet Hillson, Pablo Martinez, Aleda, Lucy Zamora, Emma Phillips, Lee Myers, Ariel & Clara Casiano, Jeannie & Paul, Maria Ramos, Anna Cortez, Ignacio Urabazo, Becky Cortez, Francis, Mary Gutierrez, Judy Gutierrez Kahn, Juan Esquivel, Alfredo Covarrubias & Family, Sergio Martinez Ortiz, Lee Myers, Rocio Martinez Ortiz, Derrick Hensley, Edith, Rocio Martinez, Hector Balderas, Diana Palomo, Christina S., Vicky Guevara, Mary Angel Garcia, Manuel Lozano, Sophia Pusateri, Sylvia Gonzales, John Baldwin, Maria Luisa Nieto, Anna Roberta Kotso, Manuel & Tenchia Trevino, Julie Martinez, Nicholas Kerwin, Nick Ramos, Daniela Basulto, Ginobili Villa, Joann & Sebastian, Leticia Carmelino, Maria J., Carlos Alberto Garcia, Gil Chagoya, Donna Ann Salinas, Michael Thompson, Marissa Rubio, Melquiades Cardenas, Mary Lou Thompson, Farzad Farzan, Camelia Pineda, Maya Kadinca Roa, Mike Say, Mark Rivera, Karen Margarita Gomez Roa, Jose & Rosa Haydee Soltero, Francisco Valenzuela, Vickie Rubio, Rafael Torres, Nicole Marie Mondani, Juan Pablo Torres, Reynaldo Ricky Yanong, Olivia Rodriguez, Raul Ramirez, Jorman Guerra George San Augustin, Dcn. Joel Castellanos, Richard Valentino, Matthew Chavez, Diana Villela, Miguel Rodriguez, Linda Olin, Rogelio Rodriguez, Rebeca Silva, Marilyn Luther, Michael Deriso, Linda Santillan, Samuel Saldana, Iker Andre Ceja Marquez, Clemente Hernandez Orozco, Maria Ramirez Rodriguez, Linda Gomez, Jesus Garcia, Mauro Daniel Torres, Betty Chrisman, Wilson Washington, Christy Arriola, Agnes McKenzie, Nora Landin, Monica Martinez,

*Please
pray for
the sick*

Weekly Contributions/Updates

Dear St. Monica Family,

All contributions must have been received and processed by December 31st to be included in your 2025 year-end giving record. We are sincerely grateful for your generosity and continued support of our parish.

If you would like a copy of your end-of-year contribution statement, please contact the parish office by calling 210-658-3816 or emailing: parish@saintmonicaconverse.net to submit your request. All requests must be received by January 31st, and statements will be sent on January 31st.

Yours Truly,

Fr. Thumma



Contribuciones/Actualizaciones semanales

Querida familia de Santa Mónica,

Todas las contribuciones deben haber sido recibidas y procesadas antes del 31 de Diciembre para incluirse en su registro de donaciones de fin de año 2025. Estamos sinceramente agradecidos por su generosidad y su continuo apoyo a nuestra parroquia. Si desea una copia de su declaración de contribución de fin de año, por favor contacte a la oficina parroquial llamando al 210-658-3816 o enviando un correo electrónico a: parish@saintmonicaconverse.net para hacer su solicitud. Todas las solicitudes deben ser recibidas antes del 31 de Enero y las declaraciones se enviarán el 31 de Enero.

Atentamente, P. Thumma

Knights of Columbus (KofC) Council 9681 invites all Catholic Men to join the largest Catholic Fraternal Organization for Men in the World. With over 2 million members worldwide, the KofC support the Holy Roman Catholic Church from the Pope to the Parish. KofC serves the Church at all levels, from funding Pope Leo initiatives to assisting Father Thumma and St Monica with service projects. Membership offers men the opportunity to support the parish through service, strengthen their faith through our COR program and build lifelong relationships with other men in the parish. There will be members of the council available after all Masses 17 and 18 January. Please stop by and find out what being a member of the Knights of Columbus can mean to you.

For more information contact Grand Knight Stephen Steele at stevesteelegk@gmail.com or the Knights of Columbus website: KofC.org.



Los Caballeros de Colon (CdC), Consejo 9681 invita a todos los hombres Católicos a unirse a la Organización Fraternal Católica de Hombres más grande del mundo. Con más de 2 millones de miembros en todo el mundo, CdC apoya a la Santa Iglesia Católica Romana, desde el Papa hasta la Parroquia. CdC sirve a la Iglesia en todos los niveles, desde financiar las iniciativas del Papa León hasta ayudar al Padre Thumma y a Santa Mónica con proyectos de servicio. La membresía ofrece a los hombres la oportunidad de apoyar a la parroquia mediante el servicio, fortalecer su fe a través de nuestro programa COR y forjar relaciones duraderas con otros hombres de la parroquia. Habrá miembros del consejo disponibles después de todas las misas del 17 y 18 de Enero. Visítenos y descubra lo que significa para usted ser miembro de Caballeros de Colón.

Para más información, comuníquese con el Gran Caballero Stephen Steele en stevesteelegk@gmail.com o visite el sitio web de Caballeros de Colón: KofC.org.

“Pastor’s Voice”

Defending Life Through Prayer and Love

Dearest St. Monica Family,

On January 22, the Church in the United States observes the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. This day invites us to pause, to pray, and to reflect deeply on the sacred gift of human life. It is not a day of argument or accusation. It is a day of prayer, conscience, and compassion.

Sacred Scripture reminds us that life begins in the loving plan of God. The Psalmist proclaims, “You formed my inmost being; you knit me in my mother’s womb.” God does not see life as accidental or disposable. Every child is known, loved, and willed by God. Through the prophet Jeremiah, the Lord speaks clearly: “Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you.” These words reveal a profound truth. Life is sacred from its earliest beginning because it comes from God.

The Church has always defended the dignity of every human person, especially the most vulnerable. Unborn children have no voice. They depend entirely on the courage, love, and moral responsibility of others. To pray for them is an act of faith. To protect them is an act of justice. To support mothers and families is an act of love.

St. Teresa of Calcutta once said, “The greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion.” She spoke not with anger but with deep compassion. She saw clearly that when life is not welcomed, society itself is wounded. Her words challenge us to build a culture where every child is received as a gift, and every mother is supported with care and respect.

This day also calls families to reflect. Parents are the first protectors of life. Children learn the value of life at home, through words spoken with care, through respect for others, and through prayer. When families pray together for life, hearts are shaped in truth and love.

As a parish community, we lift our voices in prayer. We pray for unborn children, that their lives may be protected. We pray for mothers and fathers facing difficult choices, that they may find support, hope, and guidance. We pray for lawmakers and leaders, that they may defend life with wisdom and courage. We pray for healing for those who carry wounds from the past, trusting in God’s mercy and compassion.

May this Day of Prayer renew our commitment to life. May it deepen our faith, strengthen our families, and move our hearts to act with love, respect, and responsibility. Let us entrust every human life to the loving care of God, who alone is the Author of life.

God bless America. God bless your family.

Yours truly,

Rev. Thumma Prathap

January 17 & 18, 2026

“Voz del Pastor”

Defendiendo la Vida Mediante la Oración y el Amor

Querida Familia de Santa Mónica,

El 22 de Enero, la Iglesia en Estados Unidos celebra el Día de Oración por la Protección Legal de los Niños No Nacidos. Este día nos invita a tomar una pausa, orar y reflexionar profundamente sobre el don sagrado de la vida humana. No es un día de discusión ni de acusación. Es un día de oración, conciencia y compasión.

La Sagrada Escritura nos recuerda que la vida comienza en el plan amoroso de Dios. El salmista proclama: “Tú formaste mis entrañas; me tejiste en el vientre de mi madre”. Dios no ve la vida como algo accidental ni desechable. Cada hijo es conocido, amado y querido por Dios. A través del profeta Jeremías, el Señor habla con claridad: “Antes de formarte en el vientre materno, te conocí”. Estas palabras revelan una profunda verdad. La vida es sagrada desde su inicio porque proviene de Dios.

La Iglesia siempre ha defendido la dignidad de toda persona humana, especialmente de los más vulnerables. Los niños no nacidos no tienen voz. Dependen enteramente de la valentía, el amor y la responsabilidad moral de los demás. Orar por ellos es un acto de fe. Protegerlos es un acto de justicia. Apoyar a las madres y a las familias es un acto de amor.

Santa Teresa de Calcuta dijo una vez: “El mayor destructor de la paz hoy en día es el aborto”. Habló no con ira, sino con profunda compasión. Vio claramente que cuando no se acoge la vida, la sociedad misma resulta herida. Sus palabras nos desafían a construir una cultura donde cada niño sea recibido como un regalo y cada madre sea apoyada con cuidado y respeto.

Este día también invita a las familias a reflexionar. Los padres son los primeros protectores de la vida. Los niños aprenden el valor de la vida en casa, mediante palabras cariñosas, el respeto a los demás y la oración. Cuando las familias rezan juntas por la vida, los corazones se forjan en la verdad y el amor.

Como comunidad parroquial, elevamos nuestras voces en oración. Oramos por los niños no nacidos, para que sus vidas sean protegidas. Oramos por las madres y los padres que enfrentan decisiones difíciles, para que encuentren apoyo, esperanza y guía. Oramos por los legisladores y líderes, para que defiendan la vida con sabiduría y valentía. Oramos por la sanación de quienes cargan con heridas del pasado, confiando en la misericordia y la compasión de Dios.

Que este Día de Oración renueve nuestro compromiso con la vida. Que profundice nuestra fe, fortalezca a nuestras familias y nos impulse a actuar con amor, respeto y responsabilidad. Encomendemos cada vida humana al cuidado amoroso de Dios, único Autor de la vida.

Dios bendiga a Estados Unidos. Dios bendiga a su familia.

Atentamente,

Rev. Thumma Prathap

17 y 18 de Enero de 2026

Religious Education Aides Needed

Our Religious Education program is in need of aides for all grade levels, Kindergarten through High School, on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m.

For more information, please contact our Religious Education Director, Mrs. Toni Espinosa, at 210-658-3816 ext. 242 or re@saintmonicaconverse.net.



Se Necesitan Asistentes de Educación Religiosa

Nuestro programa de Educación Religiosa necesita asistentes para todos los grados, desde Pre-escolar hasta preparatoria, los Miércoles por la tarde a las 6:30 pm. Para mas información, comuníquese con nuestra Directora de Educación Religiosa, la Sra. Toni Espinosa al 210-658-3816 ext. 242 o re@saintmonicaconverse.net.

A New Year, A New Opportunity to Serve

As we begin this New Year, we thank God for the many blessings He has poured out upon our parish community. A new year is also a beautiful time to reflect, renew our faith, and ask how we can more fully place our gifts at the service of the Lord and His Church.

Our parish is inviting you to prayerfully become more involved in the life of the Church by serving in our liturgical ministries. We are currently welcoming new volunteers for ministries such as Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers, and other areas of service.

No experience is necessary—training will be provided. What is needed is an open heart, a willingness to serve, and a love for the Eucharist and our parish community. If you have been discerning a way to become more involved, we invite you to prayerfully consider saying “yes” this year. Your time and talents make a difference, and through your service, you help build up the Body of Christ.

All trainings will be held in the church at 6:30pm.

We look forward to having you joining us.

Let us begin this New Year by serving the Lord with joy.

Jan 26th Monday - Altar servers & now training for live-streaming Masses 9:15am & 1pm, Solemnity Masses along with other special events held in the church

Feb 2nd Monday - Eucharistic Ministers in English

Feb 3rd Tuesday - Eucharistic Ministers in Spanish

**Nuevo Año, Nueva Oportunidad para Servir**

Al comenzar este Año Nuevo, agradecemos a Dios por las muchas bendiciones que ha derramado sobre nuestra comunidad parroquial. Un nuevo año también es un momento hermoso para reflexionar, renovar nuestra fe y preguntarnos cómo podemos poner nuestros dones al servicio del Señor y de su Iglesia.

Nuestra parroquia los invita a participar más activamente en la vida de la Iglesia, sirviendo en nuestros ministerios litúrgicos. Actualmente damos la bienvenida a nuevos voluntarios para ministerios como Lectores, Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión, Ujieres y otras áreas de servicio.

No se necesita experiencia; se proporcionará capacitación. Lo que se necesita es un corazón abierto, disposición para servir y amor por la Eucaristía y nuestra comunidad parroquial. Si ha estado buscando la manera de involucrarse más, lo invitamos a considerar con oración dar su “sí” este año. Su tiempo y talento marcan la diferencia, y a través de su servicio, usted contribuye a la edificación del Cuerpo de Cristo.

Todas las capacitaciones son en la Iglesia a las 6:30 pm.

Esperamos contar con su presencia.

Comencemos este Año Nuevo sirviendo al Señor con alegría.

Lunes 26 de Enero - Monaguillos y capacitando para misas transmitidas en vivo de 9:15 am y 1 pm., Misas de

Solemnidad, junto con otros eventos especiales en la Iglesia

Lunes 2 de Febrero - Ministros de la Eucaristía en Inglés

Martes 3 de Febrero - Ministros de la Eucaristía en Español

N S Z Y I J W Y Y D J H B W Y M U Y S O
 N A W A Y C L F O K G U I Y M O B N B J
 Y O F G V S T Q R Q U V G H U B A B A T
 Q M C O F B J E S U S U Q S L F P Y R G
 W O R L D G X N E V E W L N O Q T K E L
 B Q K A M P O V R A N K S E E N I O M A
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Away

Jesus

Lamb

Sins

Takes

Baptize

John the Baptist

Ranks

Son

Water

Dove

Know

Remain

Spirit

World

Today is the _____

Sunday of _____

What color was used today at Mass?

From which book of the Bible is today's first reading?

Jeremiah Isaiah Daniel Wisdom

Is this from the Old or New Testament?

From which book of the Bible is today's second reading?

Romans 1 Corinthians Galatians Numbers

From which Gospel is today's Gospel?

Mark John Luke Matthew

Who recognized Jesus as the Lamb of God??

a) Thomas b) The Pharisees c) John the Baptist



Get ready and Save the Date

Join us for a day of fun with family and friends!

Enjoy delicious food, lively music, local vendors, games for all ages, and best of all plenty of fellowship with your fellow parishioners.

More details coming soon.
We look forward to celebrating together!



Prepárense y reserven la fecha

¡Únase a nosotros para un día de diversión con familiares y amigos!!

Disfrute con comida deliciosa, música, vendedores locales, juegos para todas las edades y lo mejor de todo, mucha compañerismo con sus feligreses.

Más detalles muy pronto.
¡Esperamos celebrarlo juntos!

THE PERFECT VALENTINE'S DAY PRESENT IS SPENDING YOUR TIME TOGETHER!

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND THE NEXT LOVESTRONG MARRIAGE RETREAT AT ST. MONICA!!

Come to this special weekend devoted to all married couples!

The mission of the LOVESTRONG Marriage ministry is to support and strengthen married couples in our community by providing time together prioritizing their commitment to each other and deepening their Christ-centered bond. Spend the weekend celebrating the purpose of your marriage and the love you share.

This Retreat is being offered to all married couples and is filling up fast! The cost of the retreat is \$150, and financial assistance is available. Space is limited, so register early! The registration covers all meals on the three days and retreat materials. We do not provide childcare, so please make arrangements for your children. All Retreat Couples must commit to attending the entire 3-day weekend's activities.

The LOVESTRONG Marriage Retreat will start on Friday evening, February 13 and continue through Sunday afternoon, February 15. This is not an overnight retreat- so you get to sleep in your own comfy bed every night!

Register by visiting www.LOVESTRONGMarriage.com

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact: Lead Couple: Chris and Elizabeth Haaland (210) 379-2031 clhaaland@att.net



EL REGALO PERFECTO DE SAN VALENTÍN ES PASAR TIEMPO JUNTOS!

¡HAGA PLANES PARA ASISTIR AL PRÓXIMO RETIRO MATRIMONIAL LOVESTRONG EN ST. MONICA!

¡Ven a este fin de semana especial dedicado a todas las parejas casadas!

La misión del Ministerio Matrimonial LOVESTRONG es apoyar y fortalecer a las parejas casadas en nuestra comunidad brindándoles tiempo juntos, priorizando su compromiso mutuo y profundizando su vínculo centrado en Cristo. Pase el fin de semana celebrando el propósito de su matrimonio y el amor que comparten.

Este retiro será en Inglés, pero se recomienda encarecidamente que asistan las parejas bilingües, para que pronto se puedan ofrecer futuros retiros en Español en Santa Mónica. El costo del retiro es de \$150, ¡pero hay asistencia financiera disponible! La inscripción cubre todas las comidas de los tres días y los materiales para el retiro. No proporcionamos cuidado de niños, por lo que deberá hacer arreglos para sus hijos. Todas las parejas del retiro deben comprometerse a asistir a todas las actividades durante el fin de semana de 3 días.

Este Retiro Matrimonial LOVESTRONG comenzará el Viernes 13 de Febrero por la tarde y continuará hasta el Domingo 15 de Febrero por la tarde. ¡Este no es un retiro nocturno, por lo que podrá dormir en su propia cama cómoda todas las noches! Para más información visite:

www.LOVESTRONGMarriage.com

Si tiene alguna pregunta o necesita más información, comuníquese con: Pareja principal: Chrysta y Michael Colwell - mckc07@yahoo.com or (210) 912-9065

9 DAYS FOR LIFE January 16-24

Pray to protect human life!

Join Catholics nationwide in prayer for the protection of human life! You can download the novena or get the daily prayers and reflections by email or text message.



9DAYSFORLIFE.COM

9 DÍAS POR LA VIDA 16 al 24 de ENERO

¡Reze por la protección de la vida humana!

¡Únete a los católicos de todo el país en oración por la protección de la vida humana! Puede bajar la novena u obtener las oraciones y reflexiones diarias por correo electrónico o mensaje de texto.

St Monica Catholic School



FEB 4TH 2026
Applications open

MID MARCH 2026

Expected Application Close Date

A GUIDE TO TEFA FOR FAMILIES



Senate Bill 2 established TEFA to help families access funds for approved educational expenses starting in 2026-27. With final rules released on November 25, 2025, families now have clarity on how the program will work.

ELIGIBILITY

Any Texas resident **eligible for public school (PK-12)** may apply.

This includes:

- Children entering PK3-PK4 who meet Texas eligibility
- Students currently in public, private, or homeschool settings
- Students with TEFA qualifying disabilities

There is no income limit to apply, but awards are offered based on State priority groups.

PRIORITY GROUPS

BASED ON THE FPL (FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL)

1	≤ 500% + Children with disabilities	2	≤ 200%
3	200% - 500%	4	≥ 500% (20% cap of total awards) Public school students may have priority in this group.

FEDERAL POVERTY LEVELS

Household Size	200% of FPG Yearly Income	500% of FPG Yearly Income
2	\$42,300	\$105,750
3	\$53,300	\$133,250
4	\$64,300	\$160,750
5	\$75,300	\$188,250
6	\$83,920	\$215,750
7	\$108,300	\$270,750

ALLOWABLE EXPENSES

Tuition/Fees	Books/Materials	Tutoring	Therapies	Meals	Assessments	Technology	Transportation
Participating Private Schools			Therapies not covered by government or private insurance.	Provided at school for a fee		10% Cap	Commercial Only
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

*All purchases must be through the TEFA portal from approved providers.

\$10,800*

Award per student (85% of public funding).

Additional funding may be awarded based on a student's IEP for disabilities - up to \$30,000.

*TEA currently estimates this amount to be \$10,800, and the final amount will be released in January 2026.

PARENT: As defined by Education Code, §29.351(5), a resident of this state who is a natural or adoptive parent, managing or possessory conservator, legal guardian, custodian, or other person with legal authority to act on behalf of a child.

PARENT RESPONSIBILITY

Families must:

- Use funds only for approved expenses
- Not withdraw cash or request reimbursement
- Keep receipts
- Ensure annual testing (Grades 3-12)
- Report public school enrollment
- Follow all TEFA rules

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Choose **ONE** item from each column.

1 Proof of Residency	2 Proof of Citizenship	3 Proof of Income
• Lease, mortgage, or utility bill • Texas ID/driver's license • Voter registration • Government agency letter • Notarized affidavit	• Birth certificate • U.S. passport • Naturalization certificate • DHS documents	• IRS transcript (if available) • Most recent tax return (2024) • Texas Workforce Commission income data

WHAT IF FUNDS RUN OUT?

If funds run out, eligible students go on a state waitlist. If more funds become available, awards may be offered mid-year, prioritized, and begin the month after approval.

WHAT'S NEXT?

When applications open on the Texas Comptroller Website, you will apply and select one approved school. Upon completion, eligibility will be determined. Awarding is expected to go out mid-April. If your child is selected, you'll receive instructions to accept the award in the TEFA portal. Your child's TEFA account is then created so you can choose approved schools, providers, and services.



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“All your children shall be taught by the Lord; great shall be the peace of your children.” Isaiah 54:13

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW HOPE FOR THE FUTURE + TEFA

Hope for the Future has been the bridge.
TEFA is the next step making Catholic education possible for more families than ever.

WHAT IS HOPE FOR THE FUTURE (HFF)?

Hope for the Future (HFF) is the Archdiocese of San Antonio's tuition assistance program. Thanks to incredible donors, Hope for the Future provides partial tuition assistance to families so their children can attend Catholic schools within the Archdiocese of San Antonio.

WHAT IS AN TEXAS EDUCATION FREEDOM ACCOUNT (TEFA)?

TEFA is a new program created by the State of Texas. Starting in 2026, families could receive approximately \$10,000 per child, per year to cover tuition and other educational expenses, often enough to pay for the full cost of Catholic school tuition in most of our schools.

HOW DO HFF AND TEFA WORK TOGETHER?

Most families who qualify for HFF fall into a TEFA priority group. While the selection of TEFA recipients is subject to a lottery with no guarantee that an application will be awarded, it is an incredible opportunity for our families. TEFA could cover up to 100% of K-8 tuition, plus extra expenses (uniforms, books, meals, technology, therapies). Have a high schooler? TEFA will still cover a majority of the tuition. HFF will continue to award qualifying families a portion of their students' tuition for those families not selected for TEFA.

SHOULD HFF FAMILIES APPLY FOR ESA?

We encourage all families to apply to both due to the TEFA lottery. Hope for the Future will still be available for qualifying families not awarded TEFA.

WHAT ARE THE NEXT STEPS FOR HOPE FOR THE FUTURE FAMILIES?

1. Stay connected: Sign up at sacatholicschools.org to receive TEFA updates.
2. Gather documents: You'll need your child's birth certificate and proof of residence when applications open, along with any supporting documentation to qualify in a specific tier.
3. Attend events at your current or future school to guide you through the process. To receive information about these events, make sure to sign up to stay connected today.



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LO QUE LOS PADRES NECESITAN SABER HOPE FOR THE FUTURE + TEFA

Hope for the Future ha sido el puente.
TEFA es el siguiente paso para hacer posible la educación católica para más familias que nunca.

¿QUÉ ES HOPE FOR THE FUTURE (HFF)?

Hope for the Future (HFF) es el programa de asistencia para colegiatura de la Arquidiócesis de San Antonio. Gracias a donadores extraordinarios, Hope for the Future ofrece ayuda parcial en la colegiatura a familias para que sus hijos puedan asistir a escuelas católicas dentro de la Arquidiócesis de San Antonio.

¿QUÉ SON LAS CUENTAS DE LIBERTAD EDUCATIVA DE TEXAS (TEFA)?

TEFA es un programa reciente creado por el Estado de Texas. A partir de 2026, las familias podrían recibir aproximadamente \$10,000 por hijo al año para cubrir la colegiatura y otros gastos educativos. En la mayoría de nuestras escuelas, este monto puede cubrir por completo el costo de la colegiatura católica o dejar un saldo muy pequeño para la familia.

¿CÓMO FUNCIONAN JUNTOS HFF Y TEFA?

La mayoría de las familias que califican para HFF se encuentran en un grupo prioritario de TEFA. Aunque la selección de beneficiarios del TEFA está sujeta a una lotería y no hay garantía de que una solicitud sea aprobada, sigue siendo una oportunidad increíble para nuestras familias. TEFA podría cubrir hasta el 100% de la colegiatura de Kinder a 8.º grado, además de gastos adicionales (uniformes, libros, comidas, tecnología, terapias).

¿Tienes un estudiante de preparatoria? TEFA aún cubrirá la mayor parte de la colegiatura. HFF seguirá apoyando a las familias con una parte de la colegiatura de sus hijos en caso de que no sean seleccionados para TEFA.

¿LAS FAMILIAS DE HFF DEBEN APLICAR PARA TEFA?

Motivamos a todas las familias a aplicar a los dos programas debido a la lotería del TEFA. Hope for the Future seguirá disponible para las familias que califiquen y que no sean beneficiadas con TEFA.

¿CUÁLES SON LOS SIGUIENTES PASOS PARA LAS FAMILIAS DE HOPE FOR THE FUTURE?

1. Mantente conectado: Regístrate en sacatholicschools.org para recibir actualizaciones sobre TEFA.
2. Reúne documentos: Necesitarás el acta de nacimiento de tu hijo y comprobante de domicilio cuando abran las solicitudes, junto con cualquier documentación adicional que respalde tu elegibilidad en un nivel específico.
3. Asista a los eventos en su escuela actual o futura para recibir orientación durante el proceso. Para recibir información sobre estos eventos, asegúrese de inscribirse y mantenerse conectado hasta hoy.



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The Opportunity

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For years, many Catholic families have wanted to send their children to a faith-filled, academically excellent Catholic school—but tuition made it feel out of reach. That's about to change.

Thanks to Senate Bill 2, the State of Texas will soon offer Texas Education Freedom Accounts (TEFA)—public funds that help families cover private school tuition and educational expenses. This includes Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of San Antonio.

You may also hear this opportunity referred to as an Education Savings Account (ESA). ESA is the general term used nationwide for programs that allow families to use public education funds for educational expenses. TEFA is simply the official name for Texas' ESA program. Both terms refer to the same opportunity designed to give families greater access to the education they choose for their children.

With \$1 billion in TEFA funding available for the 2026–2027 school year, now is the time to prepare to take the next step in your child's education and faith journey.

Why Families Choose Catholic Education:

- ♦ Catholic education provides safe, welcoming communities where your child can thrive.
- ♦ Prayer, Mass, and religious instruction are part of the rhythm of the school day.
- ♦ Families value a community that reinforces their Catholic values at school and home.
- ♦ Teachers and staff partner with you in forming both character and intellect.
- ♦ Catholic education emphasizes virtues like compassion, honesty, and service.

Aplicaciones Abren Pronto!

Se abre una nueva Puerta para las familias Católicas.
Descubra como las Cuentas de Libertad Educativa de Texas (TEFA) pueden ayudar a su familia a elegir una educación Católica.

La Oportunidad

**Tu hijo merece una Educación Católica.
Ahora está a tu Alcance.**

Durante muchos años, muchas familias Católicas han deseado mandar a sus hijos a una escuela Católica de fe y con excelencia académica, pero la matrícula lo hacía parecer inalcanzable - Eso está a punto de cambiar.

Gracias al Proyecto de Ley Senatorial 2, el Estado de Texas pronto ofrecerá Cuentas de Libertad Educativa de Texas (TEFA), fondos públicos que ayudan a las familias a cubrir la matrícula de escuelas privadas y los gastos educativos. Esto incluye a las escuelas católicas de la Arquidiócesis de SA.

También es posible que escuche hablar de esta oportunidad como Cuenta de Ahorros para la Educación (ESA). ESA es el término general utilizado a nivel nacional para los programas que permiten a las familias utilizar fondos públicos de educación para gastos educativos. TEFA es simplemente el nombre oficial del programa ESA de Texas. Ambos términos se refieren a la misma oportunidad diseñada para brindar a las familias un mayor acceso a la educación que elijan para sus hijos.

Con \$1 mil millones en fondos de TEFA disponibles para el año escolar 2026-2027, ahora es el momento de prepararse para dar el siguiente paso en la educación y el camino de fe de su hijo.

¿Por qué las familias eligen la educación Católica?

- ♦ La educación Católica ofrece comunidades seguras y acogedoras donde su hijo puede prosperar.
- ♦ La oración, la misa y la instrucción religiosa forman parte del ritmo de la jornada escolar.
- ♦ Las familias valoran una comunidad que refuerza sus valores Católicos en la escuela y en casa.
- ♦ Los maestros y el personal colaboran con usted en la formación de su carácter e intelecto.
- ♦ La educación católica enfatiza virtudes como la compasión, la honestidad y el servicio.

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STAY CONNECTED AND LEARN HOW ESA FUNDS CAN HELP YOUR CHILD REACH THEIR GOALS.

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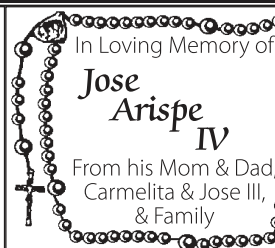
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