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Pastor

Oswaldo Sandoval
913-381-2755 Ext. 112

Parochial Vicar

Anthony Mersmann
913-381-2755 Ext. 124

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm,
Sunday: 8:30 am (live stream), 10:30 am,
12:30 pm (Spanish - live stream)

Weekday Masses

Monday-Saturday 8:30 am
(Open to the public, no registration required. Live stream)
Wednesday 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm and
Wednesday 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Parish Office hours

Monday thru Thursday
9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Friday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

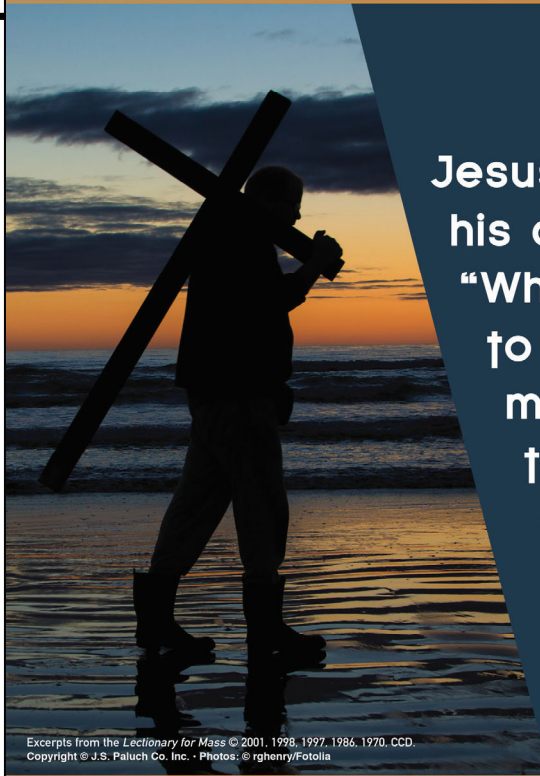
Holy Cross Catholic School

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Early Education Center

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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Jesus said to his disciples, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me."

Matthew 16:24

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AUGUST 30, 2020



Anointing of the Sick

Individually by appointment, and 1st Saturday after the 4pm Mass, every other month. Please call if you need this Sacrament at any other time.

Baptisms

Once a month during the 4:00 pm and 10:30 am Masses. Parent classes are every other month.

Matrimony

Six months notice required. Couples should contact the Parish office for more information.

RCIA

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church or you are an adult who was baptized Catholic but did not receive the other Sacraments, please contact Dave West 816-560-7853 or Sam Amaro 913-314-5767 You may also call the parish office and ask for either Fr. Oswaldo or Fr. Mersmann. RCIA with Dave will start at 7pm on Sept 14. RICA with Sam will start at 7pm on Sept 17.

PARISH STAFF

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Readings for Next Sunday:

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

EZ 33:7-9 ROM 13:8-10 MT 18:15-20

Welcome to Church of the Holy Cross!

We invite you to join the parish! Please visit our website www.holycrossopks.org to register online.

Upcoming bulletin deadlines:

Bulletin deadlines are Tuesdays at Noon, a minimum of two weeks in advance of your requested publication date. Please

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday

8:30 am Spec Int. - Jon Thoennes

Tuesday

8:30 am Frederick Baceski

Wednesday

8:30 am Spec Int. - Jim & Gerry

7:00 pm Spec Int . - Marcel Lyle (Spanish)

Thursday

8:30 am James Perkins

Friday

8:30 am Carroll Mitchell

Saturday

8:30 am Dominic Pham

4:00 pm Monte Goodnow

Sunday

8:30 am Lynn Salisbury

10:30 am Kathleen Carucci

12:30 pm Tila Bonelo (Spanish)

Please Pray for Those Asking for Prayers:

Mary Ann Gabel, John Manning, Lyette Schuchardt, Joan Swanson, John Schartz, Layne Mays & Family, Kathy Eilenberger , JoAnn Cooper and James Watson

Adoration Chapel

The adoration chapel is now open. If you have previously signed up and for some reason cannot honor your commitment, please remove your name from the sign-up sheet or contact Ruth Kuse at the number below. If you have thought about making an hour commitment, we currently have these open time slots:

Sunday: 3 am; 9 am; 1 pm; 7pm

Monday: 2 am; 3 am; 3 pm

Tuesday: 1 am; 2 am; 3 am; 4 am

Wednesday: 1 am; 3 am; 4 am; 8 pm

Thursday: 2 am; 3 am; 3 pm

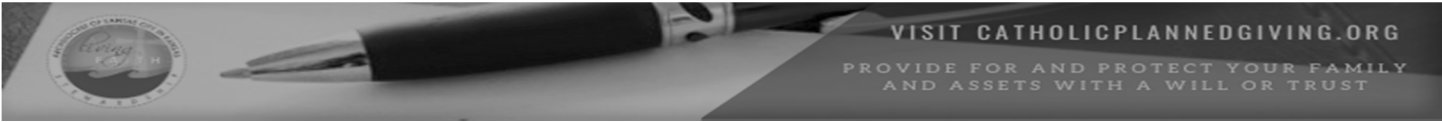
Friday: 12 am; 1 am; 2 am

Saturday: 4 am; 5 am; 8 am; 12 pm; 3 pm; 6 pm; 7 pm

If you can visit Jesus and commit one hour a week, please call or text Ruth Kuse at 913-963-3700 cell or 913-258-5008 home.

Three week running collection information

	Week of	Week of	Week of
	8/8/20	8/16/20	8/23/20
Ordinary Collection	\$ 24,806.00	\$ 12,943.00	\$ 12,943.00
Special Collections			
Other Contributions	\$ 398.00	\$ 991.00	\$ 529.00
TOTAL	\$ 25,204.00	\$ 13,934.00	\$ 13,472.00



In communion with family and church, Holy Cross Catholic School will provide our students with a high quality education and a Christ centered approach to the world community.



Holy Cross Catholic School - "Be the Light"



As you can imagine, it has been a very busy week at Holy Cross Catholic School. Our wonderful parents volunteered their time last weekend getting our school grounds manicured and the inside of the building cleaned and updated. It was so wonderful to have the families and students back in the building in small groups during Orientation Week. The students were so excited and loved seeing their teachers again. Our teachers and staff have been working tirelessly to prepare for a school year unlike any other in Holy Cross history. As we start welcoming our students back into the classroom, please continue to keep us in your thoughts and prayers. We want our students and staff to feel safe and comforted through this journey. We are finding comfort in the fact that God is walking alongside us as we start on Monday, August 31.

Blessings, Mrs. Wagner

NO MASS SIGN UP REQUIRED

As of August 29th, Holy Cross will no longer require signing up for week-end masses. Fr. Oswaldo has made this decision after consulting with other parishes in the Archdiocese. Surrounding parishes are not requiring signing up.

Please be assured that we will continue to sanitize between masses. Here is additional information that you should still keep in mind:

- *We will continue to ask you to sanitize as you come into church.
- *Mask use will still be required for attending Mass and while you are inside the church during Mass celebrations.
- *Arrive early, half hour before the scheduled Mass start time is optimal.
- *Follow 6' safe distancing guidelines while you are here.
- *Restrooms will be limited to one person at a time, so please plan ahead.
- *Narthex is off limits, for the most part. Speak to an usher if you have the need to step out into the narthex. Otherwise, please remain in your indicated pew.
- *Bring sanitizer to be used every time you touch or displace your mask.
- *Use your foot to remove kneelers.
- *If you become ill and have recently attended Mass, please contact the church immediately to let us know.
- **USHERS ARE VERY MUCH NEEDED!!! If you are able to help, please contact Pat Sheldon - pat.sheldon@yahoo.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Afternoon Program: Tuesday from 5-6pm

Family Program: Tuesday (every other week) from 7-8pm

Confirmation Program: Sunday from 5-6pm

RE Classes for K-6 will start in September, more information about the date is coming soon.

For this Catechetical Year 2020-2021 families need to pick up a Family package on September 22nd for those in Year 1 or those are coming back (initiated) the picking up will be from 5-7:30pm

Those in Year 2 (students who will receive the sacrament this spring) will pick up their package on Saturday, September 26th from 9:00-11:30am

More details about Confirmation will come soon

First Communion Certificates of the catechesis of the good shepherd can be picked up this week!

Contact us at 913-428-3117

Patricia Argueta or Aida Zavala pargueta@holycrossopks.org

Catechism Corner

What is the meaning of the word "Amen" with which we conclude our profession of faith?

The Hebrew word "Amen" which also concludes the last book of Sacred Scripture, some of the prayers of the New Testament, and the liturgical prayers of the Church, expresses our confident and total "yes" to what we professed in the Creed, entrusting ourselves completely to him who is the definitive "Amen" (Revelation 3:14), Christ the Lord. Further reading: CCC 1061-1065

St. Mary's Food Kitchen

On Friday August 21, the Parishioners of Holy Cross provided enough PASTA to feed 818 people who are less fortunate and need our help. Thank you so much, everyone, who so generously provided the pasta and fruit.

For the remainder of the year,

WE WILL GO BACK TO SACK LUNCHES. It was a real challenge to serve this many people .

Stewardship Reflection

"What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" (Matthew 16:26)

St. Francis of Assisi once said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent, and treasure to gain more of the world's riches. We need to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world.



Encuentro

La Iglesia Holy Cross es una comunidad diversa y acogedora, unida en la fe Católica y comprometida en formar a la gente en la imagen de Cristo, para servir mejor al Señor y al prójimo.

MISAS EN ESPAÑOL:

miércoles 7:00 pm; domingo 1 2:30 pm

MISAS EN INGLÉS:

sábado 4:00 pm y domingo 8:30 am, 10:30 am

RECONCILIACIÓN (BILINGÜE):

miércoles 6:00—7:00 pm, sábado 3:00—4:00 pm

(Ambos sacerdotes disponibles)

MATRIMONIOS:

Llaman a la parroquia 6 meses antes de la fecha en que desean casarse para programar la primera entrevista con el sacerdote.

BAUTISMOS:

Se ofrecen el 1^{er} sábado y el 3^{er} domingo del mes. Comuníquese con la oficina para confirmar fechas, horarios y para registrarse.

PLÁTICA PRE-BAUTISMAL:

Padres y padrinos tomarán una clase de preparación, el 1^{er} sábado del mes, **9:30 am**. Favor de **NO** traer niños. **Deben anotarse con anticipación para plática y bautizo**, llamando a la oficina de la iglesia.

SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL:

Nuestra recepcionista habla español. Llaman directo a la oficina de la iglesia, **381-2755**, lunes—jueves, 9am—3pm.

RICA (Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos)

Si estás interesado en unirte a la Iglesia Católica o si eres un adulto que fue bautizado como Católico pero no recibiste los otros Sacramentos, comunícate con Samuel Amaro. Envía un texto al (913) 314-5767 y él se comunicará contigo. También puedes llamar a la oficina de la parroquia y hablar con el Padre Oswaldo o el Padre Mersmann. RICA con Dave (en Inglés) comenzará el 14 de septiembre a las 7pm. RICA con Samuel (en Español) comenzarán el 17 de septiembre a las 7pm.

Lecturas para el Próximo Domingo:

Domingo 23 de Tiempo Ordinario

EZ 33: 7-9 ROM 13: 8-10 MT 18: 15-20

Catecismo

¿Cuál es el significado de la palabra "Amen" con la que concluimos nuestra profesión de fe?

La palabra Hebrea "Amén", que también concluye el último libro de la Sagrada Escritura, algunas de las oraciones del Nuevo Testamento, y las oraciones litúrgicas de la Iglesia, expresa nuestro seguro y total "sí" a lo que profesamos en el Credo, encomendándonos completamente a Aquel que es "Amén" definitivo (Apocalipsis 3:14), Cristo el Señor.

Lecturas adicionales: CCC 1061-1065

Capilla de Adoración

¡Somos bendecidos! La capilla de adoración ya está abierta. Jesús está esperando que lo visites. Durante este tiempo de pandemia y malestar social en todo el país, Jesús es la respuesta a nuestras necesidades. ¿No ha dicho Él: "Vengan a mí los que van cansados, llevando pesadas cargas, y yo los aliviaré." Como iglesia, estamos tratando de llenar cada hora de adoración para que Jesús no esté solo en la capilla. Si te has registrado previamente y por alguna razón no puedes cumplir con tu compromiso, elimina tu nombre de la hoja de registro o contacta a Ruth Kuse al número proporcionado debajo. Si has pensado en comprometerte, actualmente tenemos estos horarios disponibles:

domingo: 3 am; 9 am; 1 pm; 7pm

lunes: 2 am; 3 am; 3 pm

martes: 1 am; 2 am; 3 am; 4 am

miércoles: 1 am; 3 am; 4 am; 8 pm

jueves: 2 am; 3 am; 3 pm

viernes: 12 am; 1 am; 2 am

sábado: 4 am; 5 am; 8 am; 12 pm; 3 pm; 6 pm; 7 pm

Si puedes visitar a Jesús y comprometerte a una hora por semana, llama o envía mensaje de texto a Ruth Kuse al 913-963-3700 cel o 913-258-5008 casa. Hagámosle compañía a Jesús a todas horas durante el día. Gracias.

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Programa de la Tarde: Martes de 5-6pm

Programa Familiar: Martes (cada 2 semanas) de 7-8pm

Programa de Confirmación: Domingo de 5-6pm

Las clases de ER para los grados K-6 comenzarán en septiembre, pronto se dará más información sobre la fecha.

Para este año catequético 2020-2021, las familias deben recoger un paquete el 22 de septiembre. *Estudiantes en año 1* o aquellos *que regresan* (iniciados) podrán recoger el paquete de 5:00-7:30pm

Aquellos en año 2 (estudiantes que recibirán el sacramento esta primavera) recogerán su paquete el sábado 26 de septiembre de 9:00 a 11:30am.

Más detalles sobre Confirmación vendrán pronto.

¡Los Certificados de Primera Comunión de la catequesis del Buen Pastor se pueden recoger esta semana!

Preguntas contáctenos al 913-428-3117
Patricia Argueta o Aida Zavala
pargueta@holycrossopks.org

Reflexión de la Semana

"¿Qué beneficio tendría para uno ganar el mundo entero y perder su vida?" - (MATEO 16:26)

San Francisco de Asís dijo una vez: "Recuerda, eres lo que eres a los ojos de Dios, y nada más". A menudo olvidamos esta sabiduría de corresponsabilidad cuando gastamos todo nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoros para obtener más riquezas del mundo. Necesitamos establecer nuestras prioridades basadas en los valores de Dios y no en los valores del mundo material.

Escuela Católica Holy Cross



Como puede imaginar, ha sido una semana muy ocupada en la Escuela Católica Holy Cross. Nuestros maravillosos padres ofrecieron su tiempo como voluntarios el fin de semana pasado para arreglar los terrenos de la escuela y limpiar y actualizar el interior del edificio. Fue maravilloso tener a las familias y estudiantes de regreso en el edificio en grupos pequeños durante la Semana de Orientación. Los estudiantes estaban muy emocionados y les encantó volver a ver a sus profesores. Nuestros maestros y personal han estado trabajando incansablemente para prepararse para un año escolar como ningún otro en la historia de Holy Cross. A medida que comenzamos a dar la bienvenida a nuestros estudiantes al salón de clases, continúen manteniéndonos en sus pensamientos y oraciones. Queremos que nuestros estudiantes y personal se sientan seguros y reconfortados durante este viaje. Encontramos consuelo en el hecho de que Dios está caminando a nuestro lado cuando iniciemos el año escolar el lunes 31 de agosto.

Bendiciones, Sra. Wagner

Ayuda Técnica Para la Transmisión de Misas En Vivo

Si puedes ayudarnos con la ejecución de la transmisión en vivo para nuestras Misas en Español (miercoles y domingo), por favor envía un correo electrónico a churchoffice@holycrossopks.org o llama a la oficina de la parroquia para programar un entrenamiento contigo. Gracias por considerar ayudarnos durante esta pandemia.

Mantente Comunicado:

Estén atentos para las actualizaciones de nuestros próximos eventos. Las actualizaciones se publicarán en nuestro sitio web www.holycrossopks.org, en nuestra página de Facebook **Holy Cross - Overland Park, KS** y a través de Flocknote. Suscríbete a nuestras actualizaciones de Flocknote enviando un mensaje de texto con "hcop" al número **84576**. Nuestra oficina está trabajando un horario reducido. Puedes comunicarte con nosotros por correo electrónico a churchoffice@holycrossopks.org. También puedes acceder los videos de las Misas transmitidas en Español en nuestro sitio web.

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