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The Diocese of Tyler is committed to **respecting the dignity** of all persons and to helping anyone who may have been hurt or abused by a priest, deacon, religious, or anyone working in the name of the Church. Any current or past cases of abuse involving Church personnel should also be reported to civil authorities and the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (903) 266-2159 or vac@dioceseoftyler.org

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Welcome to Our Parish

Mass Schedule

Saturday / Sabado
5:30 p.m. – English
7:00 p.m. – Español

Sunday / Domingo
7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. - English
11:30 a.m. – Español

Tuesday / Martes
5:30 p.m. - English

Wednesday / Miércoles
8:00 a.m. - English
7:00 p.m. - Español

Thursday / Jueves
6 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. – Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 p.m. – Mass

Friday / Viernes
8:00 a.m. - English
7:00 p.m. – Español

Online Donations To Sacred Heart , please visit the following:
www.givecentral.org/location/870 or scan our QR code



Office Hours
Horario de la Oficina
Monday – Thursday
Lunes – Jueves
1:00-5:30 p.m.

Religious Education for Children
Faith Formation Classes:
Wednesdays 6:30p.m. – 8:00p.m.
Classes start in September.

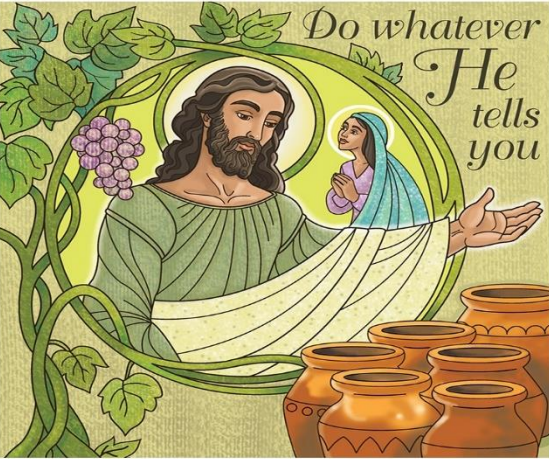
Sacramental Prep Classes:
Sundays 10:30a.m. – 11:20a.m.
Classes start in October.

Faith Formation Coordinator:
Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099

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Most Reverend Gregory Kelly Bishop – Diocese of Tyler
Fr. Selvan Melkias, Parish Administrator

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 19, 2025

“Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.”
-Psalm 96



Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
19 de Enero de 2025

“Cuenten a todas las naciones las maravillas del Señor.”
-Salmo 96

Exposition of the Holy Sacrament
First Friday of Every Month
8:00 a.m. – English Mass
Exposition of the Holy Sacrament
9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m. – Mass in Spanish

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento
Primer Viernes de Cada Mes
8:00 a.m. – Misa en Ingles
Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento
9:00 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m. – Misa en Español

Confessions / Confesiones
Saturdays 4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. or by appointment.
Baptism Formation / Formacion de Bautizo
Please call the office to schedule & fill out forms before attending classes.
Spanish Classes: 3rd and 4th Monday of the Month with: Laurencio Velásquez (903) 434-2904
Jesus Verduzco (903) 285- 1746
English Classes: 3rd and 4th Monday of the Month with: Amanda Angel (903) 807-9349
Marriage Formation / Formación De Matrimonio
Couples should contact the office 9-12 months before marriage formation.
Anointing of the Sick / Unción De Los Enfermos
By appointment or emergency.
Quinceañeras
Please contact the office to schedule & fill out forms. A Saturday class will be required.
Bible Study (English)
New Members Welcome!
Monday’s 5:30 P.M.
David Rice (817) 713-5905
Choir (English)
Stephanie Hyman – Music Director
Choir (Spanish)
Monday’s @ 7:00 P.M
Corazón González – Directora de Música
Jóvenes Y Adultos Para Cristo
Grupo De Evangelización
Sundays 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Fridays 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Juan and Betty Guerrero (469) 438-1061
Texas Rosary Rallies
texasneedsfatima.org
Secretary / Bookkeeper – Marisol Hernandez

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults(RCIA)
Instruction in the Catholic Faith for Adults:
English: Greg Leitheiser (972) 444-0776

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA)
Instrucción en la Fe Católica Para Adultos:
Spanish: Cristina Narvaez (903) 204-0099
Classes start in October.

The Role of Mary

Mary’s role in the wedding at Cana is highlighted in the Gospel reading for the 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C. She notices that the wine has run out and asks Jesus to help. Her faith and care for others are evident in her actions.

Mary’s request to Jesus shows her trust in His ability to help. She serves as an example of faith and intercession. Just as she asked Jesus to help at the wedding, we can ask her to intercede for us with her Son.

Reflecting on Mary’s role can inspire us to have faith and trust in Jesus. We should follow her example by bringing our needs to Jesus and believing in His power to help. Mary’s care and faith remind us to turn to Jesus in times of need.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — All shall behold your vindication. (Isaiah 62:1–5)

Psalms – “Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.” (Psalm 96)

Second Reading – The Spirit distributes gifts to each person. (1 Corinthians 12:4–11)

Gospel – Jesus transforms water into wine. (John 2:1–11)
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Offerings & 2nd Collection Schedule

January 11-12:

1st Collection: \$ 3082.00

2nd Collection: \$

2nd Collection – January 26th: Church in Latin America

2da Colecta – 26 de enero: Iglesia en América Latina



Oremos Por...

Ernie Snapka, Peter Vella, Susan Marchionda, Sam Vella, Nora Holder, Dudley & Sally Salsbury, Henry Russell, Lauren Herman, Elizabeth Mckenzie-Smith, Maria Gonzalez, Ray Banning, Julianne Pinto, Davi Morais, Blanca Padilla

Altar Servers Formation Class
Class Date Moved to January 25th

A friendly reminder that the date for the Altar Server class is getting close.

The class is scheduled for January 25th at 11am and will be taught by our Acolyte, David Rice. We will only be accepting 15 children/youth for the program so please make sure to sign up as soon as possible.

East TX Food Bank – Mobile Pantry

The distribution for the East TX Food Bank last Wednesday was a success and this time 286 families were helped. As always, we appreciate our parish volunteers for helping with this wonderful service which is available to Mount Vernon and the surrounding communities. Remember it is never too late to start volunteering. It is always great to have plenty of helping hands, so please feel free to come by the office for more information and to sign up.

Bishop Gregory Kelly Installation

Bishop Kelly will be installed as the 5th Bishop of Tyler on Monday, February 24, 2025, at 2:00p.m. at the Brookshire Center in Tyler.

Schedule of Events for the Installation of Bishop Kelly

Sunday, Feb. 23, 2025
5 p.m. - Entrance into the Cathedral and Evening Prayer (Cathedral, Tyler)
6:15 p.m. - Reception (Cathedral Center, Tyler)

Monday, Feb. 24, 2025
2 p.m. - Mass of Installation (Brookshire Center, Tyler)
– TICKETS REQUIRED **
4:30 p.m. - Reception (Brookshire Center, Tyler)

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

All couples in the Diocese of Tyler who are celebrating an anniversary that ends in 0 or 5 or 50 or more years of marriage in the year 2025 are cordially invited to attend the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 8, 2025. The Mass will begin at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception (423 S Broadway Ave, Tyler, TX 75702), there will be a reception at the Cathedral Center following the Mass. Certificates will be mailed to couples celebrating 50 years or more of marriage. Please complete the online registration form or contact the Diocese office (903-534-1077) to RSVP by Friday, January 31, 2025.

VIRTUS – SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASS

Volunteers, if you have not completed your Ethics in person class, please make sure to attend this class being offered in Mt. Pleasant. The class will keep you compliant for 3 years.

VIRTUS training attendees should already have completed background check and review policy online, contact the Parish Office for assistance with this step.

DATE: Monday, January 20, 2025
TIME: 6:00p.m. – 9:00p.m.
LOCATION: St. Michael’s, 1403 E 1st St, Mt. Pleasant, Tx 75455

El Papel de María

El papel de María en la boda de Caná se destaca en la lectura del Evangelio del 2º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario del Año C. Ella nota que el vino se ha acabado y le pide a Jesús que la ayude. Su fe y su preocupación por los demás son evidentes en sus acciones.

La petición de María a Jesús muestra su confianza en Su capacidad para ayudar. Ella sirve como ejemplo de fe e intercesión. Así como le pidió a Jesús que la ayudara en la boda, podemos pedirle que interceda por nosotros ante su Hijo.

Reflexionar sobre el papel de María puede inspirarnos a tener fe y confianza en Jesús. Debemos seguir su ejemplo llevando nuestras necesidades a Jesús y creyendo en Su poder para ayudar. El cuidado y la fe de María nos recuerdan que debemos recurrir a Jesús en tiempos de necesidad.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Todos verán tu justicia. (Isaías 62:1-5)

Salmo — “Cuenten a todas las naciones las maravillas del Señor.” (Salmo 96)

Segunda lectura – El Espíritu distribuye dones a cada persona. (1 Corintios 12:4-11)

Evangelio — Jesús transforma el agua en vino. (Juan 2:1-11)
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Mass Intentions

Intenciones de la Misa

Sunday Mass, 9:30 a.m. - Helga Schumacher

Please turn in your mass intentions to the Parish Office before the date that you are requesting.

Por favor entregue sus intenciones de misa a la Oficina Parroquial antes de la fecha que solicita.



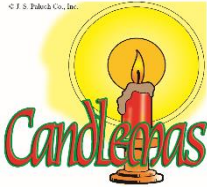
With Joyful Hearts, We Welcome You Into Our House of Prayer

Visitors: Thank you for celebrating the Most Holy Eucharist with our faith community. We pray you will have a safe journey home.

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Visitantes: Gracias por celebrar la Santísima Eucaristía con nuestra comunidad de fe. Oramos para que tenga un buen viaje a casa.

The Presentation of the Lord
Sunday, February 2nd



La Presentación del Señor
Domingo 2 de febrero

Clase De Formación Para Monaquillos

La fecha de la clase se trasladó al 25 de enero

Un recordatorio amistoso de que la fecha de la clase de monaguillo se acerca.

La clase está programada para el 25 de enero a las 11 a. m. y será impartida por nuestro acólito, David Rice. Solo aceptaremos 15 niños/jóvenes para el programa, así que asegúrese de inscribirse lo antes posible.

Banco de Alimentos del Este de Texas: despensa móvil

La distribución del Banco de alimentos del este de Texas del miércoles pasado fue un éxito y esta vez se ayudó a 286 familias. Como siempre, agradecemos a nuestros voluntarios de la parroquia por ayudar con este maravilloso servicio que está disponible para Mount Vernon y las comunidades aledañas. Recuerde que nunca es demasiado tarde para comenzar a trabajar como voluntario. Siempre es bueno contar con muchas manos que ayuden, así que no dude en pasar por la oficina para obtener más información y registrarse.

Instalación del Obispo Gregory Kelly

El obispo Kelly será instalado como quinto obispo de Tyler el lunes 24 de febrero de 2025 a las 14:00 horas en el Brookshire Center de Tyler.

Programa de Eventos para la Instalación del Obispo Kelly

Domingo 23 de febrero de 2025

5:00 p.m. - Entrada a la Catedral y Oración Vespertina (Catedral, Tyler)
6:15 p.m. - Recepción (Cathedral Center, Tyler)

Lunes 24 de febrero de 2025

2 p.m. - Misa de Instalación (Brookshire Center, Tyler)
– SE REQUIEREN ENTRADAS **
4:30p.m. - Recepción (Brookshire Center, Tyler)

Misa Diocesana de Aniversario de Bodas

Todas las parejas de la Diócesis de Tyler que celebren un aniversario que termine en 0, 5, 50 o más años de matrimonio en el año 2025 están cordialmente invitadas a asistir a la Misa de aniversario de bodas diocesana el sábado 8 de febrero de 2025. La misa comenzará a las 2:00 p. m . en la Catedral de la Inmaculada Concepción (423 S Broadway Ave, Tyler, TX 75702), habrá una recepción en el Centro de la Catedral después de la misa. Se enviarán certificados por correo a las parejas que celebren 50 años o más de matrimonio. Complete el formulario de registro en línea o comuníquese con la oficina de la Diócesis para confirmar su asistencia antes del viernes 31 de enero de 2025.

VIRTUS – CLASE DE AMBIENTE SEGURO

Voluntarios, si no han completado su clase de Ética en persona, asegúrense de asistir a esta clase que se ofrece en Mt. Pleasant. La clase los mantendrá en cumplimiento durante 3 años.

Los asistentes a la capacitación de VIRTUS ya deben haber completado la verificación de antecedentes y la revisión de la política en línea; comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial para obtener ayuda con este paso.

FECHA: lunes 20 de enero de 2025

HORARIO: 6:00 p. m. a 9:00 p. m.

UBICACIÓN: St. Michael’s,1403 E 1st St, Mt. Pleasant, Tx 75455