



Holy Rosary Parish



3600 Travis Street - Houston, Texas 77002

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil - Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m. (Latin)
11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.
3:15 p.m. (Vietnamese)
5:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)

Time Out Room may be used

Sunday during
9:30 & 11:00 a.m. Masses
in the Parish Center

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

12:05 p.m.
5:15 p.m.

ROSARY

Recited weekdays at 5:00 p.m.
Sat. & Sun. at 4:45 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Weekdays 15 minutes before
all weekday Masses

EVENING PRAYER

Weekdays after
5:15 p.m. Mass in Sacristy

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays 12:45 - 5:00 p.m.
Benediction 5:05 p.m.

PRIESTS ON STAFF

Fr. Joseph Konkel, O.P. Ext. 107
Pastor
Fr. Juan Torres, O.P. Ext. 103
Parochial Vicar
Fr. Isidore Vicente, O.P. Ext. 104
Parochial Vicar

Adjunct Staff

Fr. William Brenda, O.P. Ext. 102
Fr. Albert Moraczewski, O.P.
Ext. 102

In Residence:

Fr. James Burke, O.P.
Fr. Austin Green, O.P.
Priory 713-526-6322

PARISH OFFICE

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110 - Wedding Coordinator

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SIXTH SUNDAY IN EASTER

April 27, 2008

SECOND COLLECTION this Sunday, April 27th, Home Missions Collection. Today's special collection is the *Catholic Home Missions Appeal*. It supports missions here in the United States. Please give generously today to assist fellow Catholics here in America. It's one practical way that our parish community can be good stewards of God's gifts and make a difference.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & CONVALESCENT Kathleen McEvoy, Louise Bering, Denise Akeroyd Scanlin, Mary Willoughby, Marion Spiers, Ursel Lange, Earley Magnuson, Virginia Geaslin, Fr. Brenda, Fr. Albert Moraczewski, O.P. and the Friars of Holy Rosary.

FACE TO FACE CONFESSIONS - Fr. Austin Green will be available to hear face to face confessions at 11:30 a.m.-12 before the weekday noon Mass on **First Friday, May 2**, and **First Saturday, May 3**, in the confessional before the Blessed Mother's altar.

FIRST FRIDAY is May 2. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after the 12:05 pm Mass and will conclude with the Benediction before the 5:15 pm Mass.

FIRST SATURDAY is May 3. Fatima Devotions will be prayed at 11:30 am before the 12:05 Mass. All are invited to attend.

ALTAR FLOWERS are in memory of *Mrs. Billye Sullivan*, and *Mr. Jack Sullivan*.

COFFEE AFTER MASS will be served today, April 27th, in the Parish Hall, Room 200. All are welcome. Please join your fellow parishioners for some social moments.

HERE'S WHAT'S COOKING ... for April 30th, Burritos, corn salsa, flan, coffee and tea, will be served on Wednesday, after the 12:05 p.m. Mass **until 1 p.m.** in the Parish Hall, Room 200. Welcome. **Please note that there will be no take-outs.**

MARIAN DAY CELEBRATION: Please read the back of the bulletin this week and next for information on celebrating *Marian Day* under the patronage of *Our Lady of Lavang*, on Sunday, May 11, Mother's Day.

"CATHOLIC LIFE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE": A 15-minute radio program, hosted by Fr. Austin Green, O.P., is aired every Sunday morning at 5:30a.m. (KWWJ-AM, 1360, Baytown) & 6:45 a.m. (KYOK-AM, 1140, Conroe). May 4th, *Ascension*: "I am with you always, to the end of the world.."

THIS SUNDAY AND NEXT SUNDAY ARE THE LAST TIMES TO PURCHASE A RAFFLE TICKET. Help support our Dominicans! The Gala Committee will be selling raffle tickets after all Masses in support of the Dominican priests and brothers. First prize is an Hermès sterling silver necklace and matching bracelet, second prize is a fabulous trip to Costa Rica for one week, Club Del Mar Condo, with \$1,000. towards air fare, and third prize is a Hammaoam "Botamir" Persian Rug, size 4' x 2" X 2'x2" . Tickets cost \$25 a piece, or 5 chances for \$100. Purchase tickets from a committee member and see our raffle display in the vestibule of the church. Thanks for your support! Drawing will occur at the Southern Dominican Gala on May 8th. You do not have to be present to win.

SOUTHERN DOMINICAN GALA: The 2008 Southern Dominican Gala, which will honor the *Archdiocesan Catholic Chaplain Corps.*, is fast upon us, and the Gala Committee would like to extend an invitation to all our parishioners here at Holy Rosary. This year's festive Gala will begin at **6:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 8th at the Houstonian**, and will include a silent auction, beverages, dinner, live music and dancing. Funds raised by the Gala are used right here for the building projects at Holy Rosary parish; also in support of the education of Dominican Seminarians, as well as for the care of our elderly Dominican priests and brothers. Ticket costs range from \$200 to \$1,000 for individuals, and from \$2,000 to \$10,000 for tables of ten. If you are interested in receiving an invitation, contact Carole in the parish office at 713-529-4854 ext. 109 **before April 29th.** The Gala Committee hopes to see you there in support of our very worthy cause!

DOMINICAN SISTERS OF HOUSTON present a final talk in the yearlong series of events celebrating the 125th anniversary of the Dominican Sisters in Houston. Author and professor of theology at the University of Notre Dame, Mary Catherine Hilkert, O.P. will be speaking from 9 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 3rd at the Dominican Sisters' meeting room. Topic: "The School of Friendship: Human Desires and God's Holy 'Trick'". Cost \$10 per ticket with reception to follow. For further information and reservations please call 713-747-3310.

ST. PETER CLAVER CHURCH will host a Zydeco dance and Bar- B- Que on Saturday, May 3 from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m., cost \$10.00. For further information please call 713-674-3338.

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER KONKEL: Special thanks to all the volunteers who participated in last Sunday's Time and Talent Sunday. Many of the special activities which occur at Holy Rosary Parish are the result of the efforts of many volunteers. If you have an interest in a specific activity at the parish and would like to volunteer to help, please do not be shy and please do not think that you can only volunteer once a year. The parish is always looking for assistance in many areas.

Fr. Brenda is still at St. Joseph's Hospital undergoing tests and therapy. Your prayers and good wishes for his recovery are most welcome. Fr. Moraczewski continues in residence at Maloney Hall at St. Dominic's Nursing Home. All the friars at Holy Rosary appreciate your prayers and support not only for the other friars, but also for all the parishioners who are held in your prayers.

Memo...special cover for Marion Day celebration...original cover moved to June 6th