



# ST. FAUSTINA

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

*His Eminence Daniel Cardinal DiNardo Archdiocese of Galveston - Houston*

Rev. Dat Hoang, Pastor  
Rev. Christopher Meyer  
Msgr. Chester Borski

28102 FM 1093, Fulshear TX 77441  
P.O. Box 1099, Fulshear TX 77441  
PH: 346-773-3500 (Parish Office)  
PH: 346-773-3449 (CEC Building)

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 PM (Incense Free Mass)  
Sunday 7:00 AM  
8:30 AM  
10:15 AM  
12:00 PM  
1:30 PM (Español)  
4:30 PM

### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION MASS

First Saturday of each month @ 8:00AM

### MASS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Second Saturday of each month @ 7:00PM  
In the Community & Education Center

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday thru Friday 8:30 AM  
Monday 6:30 PM  
Thursday 6:30 PM (Español)

### PRIVATE PRAYER

The Church is open for private prayer

Tuesday—Thursday, 9AM - 4PM

Fridays 9AM—10AM

### RECONCILIATION

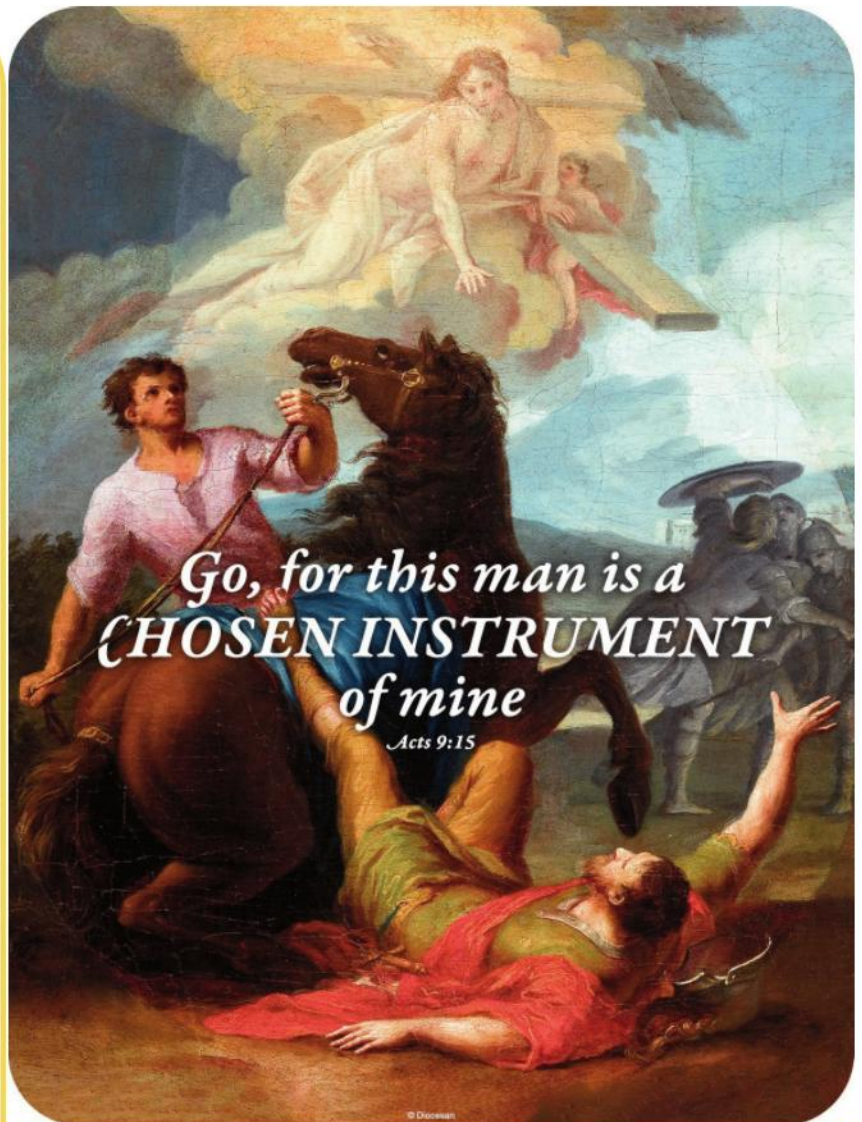
Wednesday 5:00PM—6:30PM  
Thursday 9:00AM  
Saturday 3:00PM—5:00PM

[www.saintfaustinachurch.org](http://www.saintfaustinachurch.org)

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[www.flocknote.com/StFaustinaCCTX](http://www.flocknote.com/StFaustinaCCTX)  
or text DIVINE to 84576.



January 22, 2023

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"St. Faustina Catholic Church is a community where the deep love and mercy of God is lived, experienced and shared."*

### PARISH CLERGY

**Rev. Dat Hoang, Pastor**

**Rev. Christopher Meyer**

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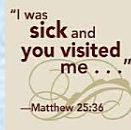
Alicia Villarreal Manuel Duran

Luzmila de Avila de Guevara

**OFFICE PHONE: 346-773-3500**

**After Hours Emergency Number for  
Grave Illness or Death:  
346-387-0339**

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound—If your loved one or you are in need of prayers, blessings and/or Holy Communion at home, hospital, or retirement home, please email: homeboundvisit@saintfaustinachurch.org or call the parish office at 346-773-3500



## **Mass Intentions** **FOR THE WEEK**

### Saturday January 21, 2023

5:00 pm +Ardine LeBlanc

### Sunday January 22, 2023

7:00 am People of the Parish

8:30 am +Michele Peña

10:15 am Demny & Ellis Family (Lvg)

12:00 pm +Patrick Tuttle

1:30 pm +Carlos Pineda

4:30 pm +Victor D'Souza

### Monday January 23, 2023

6:30 pm +Julio Lugo

### Tuesday January 24, 2023

8:30 am +Daniel Fennesy

### Wednesday January 25, 2023

8:30 am +Roberto Rodriguez  
Carroll Family (Lvg)

### Thursday January 26, 2023

8:30 am +Richard Doyle

Deacon Randy Graham (Birthday)

6:30 pm +Luis Carlos Latorre

Julie Meyer (Lvg)

### Friday January 27, 2023

8:30 am +Samuel Moreau

Brian Lennox (Birthday)

**NOTE: Not all intentions are printed in the bulletin.**

## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

Thursday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-35

Friday: Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-75; Mk 4:35-41

Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-10; 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

## **Bulletin / Website / Announcement Submission Deadlines**

Ten days prior to Sunday publication date. (Wednesday by noon.)

Submit notices to [communication@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:communication@saintfaustinachurch.org) with bulletin in the subject line.

**Baptism:** The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children under the age of seven is celebrated the 2nd Saturday of each month. Parents are to attend a 2 session preparation class which is held on the 3rd and 4th Monday of each month. Parents must attend both sessions before baptism of their child. It is recommended that the class be attended before the birth of the child. This will ensure minimal wait before their baby is baptized.

Sponsors are welcome but are not required to attend the class.

Children who have attained seven years of age are to be involved in their preparation for the sacraments. Contact the office for more information.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Any parishioner who is scheduled for serious surgery should receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick prior to the hospitalization. Please contact the office to arrange for a time to celebrate the sacrament.

Parishioners in danger of death due to sickness or old age should be anointed and receive viaticum. Please contact the parish office or after-hours emergency number for the ministry of a priest.

**Marriage:** Couples desiring to marry in the church, please email [marriageprep@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:marriageprep@saintfaustinachurch.org) at least six to nine months ahead of anticipated wedding date. **Week day, evening and Saturday appointments** are available.



**Low Gluten Hosts** are available to those in need. Please see one of the Deacons or Acolytes before the Mass you are attending so we are able to accommodate you.



## Stewardship, a disciple's response . . .

### SERVICE



### Phase II – Rectory Construction Anticipated Completion date June 2023

Would you like to help contribute to the additional costs for:

- Landscaping
- Fencing
- Appliances (Washer, Dryer, Refrigerator, Freezer)
- Furniture
- Kitchen Essentials
- Linens
- Etc.

Faith Direct Phase II - Rectory  
or text \$ amount to 346-220-1045



### PRAYER

**"Who is a Christian Steward?"** All too often, stewardship is presented only as financial support of the Church. This is too limiting. Stewardship also involves sharing our time and talent in prayer service.

***"Always seek to do good to one another and to all." (II Thessalonians 5:14)***



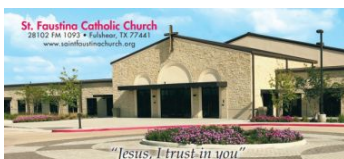
The new year is a meaningful time to reflect on your generosity. The gifts you share help here in our community, throughout the year, with your thoughtful stewardship.

One special way to give is eGiving. It can simplify your stewardship and provide steady, consistent support to the parish - so we can be ready with programs, services, and ministries for church families and those in our community. Your recurring gifts will sustain our parish.

It's easy to get started. Here are the ways to sign up:

- Visit [faith.direct/TX676](http://faith.direct/TX676)
- Call Faith Direct Customer Service at 866-507-8757
- Text "Enroll" or \$ amount to 346-220-1045

Thank you and may God bless your generosity.



**Giving online and wish to discontinue receiving envelopes?**

**Please email [info@saintfaustinechurch.org](mailto:info@saintfaustinechurch.org) to let us know.**

### SACRIFICIAL GIVING



## ST. FAUSTINA YOUTH FORMATION

# PARISH TRIVIA NIGHT

*Fundraiser*

DINNER • SILENT AUCTION • DRINKS • PRIZES

Benefiting:  
St. Faustina Youth Ministry

**FEBRUARY 17TH**  
**6:30 PM**

Childcare Available

<https://saintfaustinachurch.org/trivia-night>

## YOUTH MINISTRY summer camps

High School  
Outgoing 9th-12th  
graders  
June 5-10, 2023



Junior High  
Outgoing 6th-8th  
graders  
June 11-18, 2023

Our youth are invited to join us next summer as we go to Life Teen Camp Covecrest and Hidden Lake! More information and registration can be found on our website:

Covecrest for High School: [www.saintfaustinachurch.org/cc2023](http://www.saintfaustinachurch.org/cc2023)

Hidden Lake for Junior High: [www.saintfaustinachurch.org/hl2023](http://www.saintfaustinachurch.org/hl2023)

There will be an informational meeting on January 24th 7:00 pm





## ST. FAUSTINA FAITH FORMATION

### JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH RALLY

2023 Archdiocesan Junior  
High Rally



CHRIST: YESTERDAY,  
**TODAY AND  
FOREVER**

**Saturday, February 18th, at Sts. Simon and Jude Church**  
Junior High Youth are invited to the Archdiocesan Youth  
Rally! Find out more and register on our website:  
<https://saintfaustinachurch.org/youth-rally>

### Question Of The Week

In Anticipation of the Fourth  
Sunday in Ordinary Time:  
January 29, 2023  
Gospel Reading - Matthew 5:1-12a

**Adults:** How do I thank God  
for the many blessings he  
has bestowed on me?

**Children:** Who can I be a  
blessing to today?

*As part of our parish goal to build up and support the  
domestic church, we are providing a 'Question Of The  
Week' for our parishioners to pray and think over in  
preparation for the upcoming Gospel reading.*

## Have you heard about **FORMED?**

At St. Faustina, we offer all  
parishioners access to Formed, a  
website with over 4,000 Catholic  
studies, movies, audio dramas, talks,  
e-books, and even cartoons for our  
children. Much of FORMED's  
content is available in both English  
and Spanish. To set up your free  
account, visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup)  
and select our parish.

### **Congratulations!**

Congratulations to our newly Confirmed,  
who received this great Sacrament from  
Cardinal DiNardo this past Sunday!



If you are an adult who has not received Confirmation,  
more information is available on our website:  
<https://saintfaustinachurch.org/adult-confirmation>





# FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY

## Marriage Preparation



Couples desiring to marry in the Catholic church should visit the Matrimony page under Sacraments on the parish website for detailed information. Complete and submit the marriage preparation inquiry template at least six to nine months ahead of the desired wedding date. A member of the Family Life Ministry team will reach out to you.

If you would like to volunteer to assist in this ministry as an assessment facilitator, sponsor couple, or wedding assistant, please email Deacon Randy at [deaconrandy@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:deaconrandy@saintfaustinachurch.org).

## New Day

A Journey  
From grief  
to healing

Un viaje  
Del dolor a  
la curación



## Lost a loved one?

Come heal by sharing your thoughts and challenges with others who have lost a loved one. Thursdays from 7:00 to 8:45 pm in the Education Building starting on January 5th.

## Grief Support

### ¿Perdiste a un ser querido?

Ven a sanar compartiendo tus pensamientos y desafíos con otras personas que han perdido a un ser querido. Jueves de 7:00 a 8:45 pm en el Edificio Educativo a partir del 5 de enero.



For Engaged Couples or Married Couples who would like to learn more:

## CREIGHTON MODEL Natural Family Planning Introductory Session

First Thursday of each month—7:00pm  
Community and Education Center

Presented by: Kataryna Cooper, FCP  
Register at  
[aramirez@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:aramirez@saintfaustinachurch.org)

FINANCIAL *Peace*  
UNIVERSITY  
at St. Faustina Parish

## Financial Fitness

Make it your goal to get your personal finances in shape in 2023.

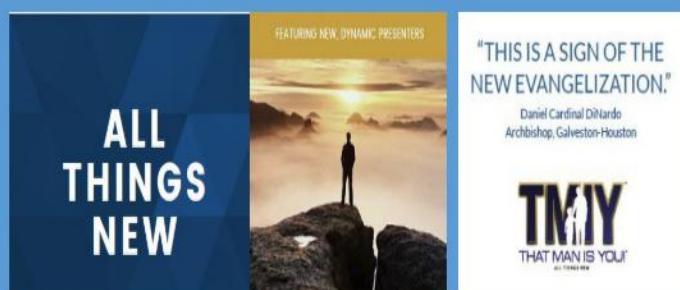
Financial Peace University, a program based on Dave Ramsey's proven plan for financial success, will help free you from debt and increase your financial literacy as you learn how to be a better custodian of your money.

Classes start February 2<sup>nd</sup> to April 20<sup>th</sup> and will meet Thursdays from 6:30 to 8:30 pm (no meetings during Spring Break and Holy Week) in the Community and Education Center.

Space is limited to 30 people on a first come, first serve basis.

Fee: \$100 per couple or \$75 for an individual participant (includes all sessions, session material, and access to online materials).

Registration Open: Please email Adriana Ramirez at [aramirez@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:aramirez@saintfaustinachurch.org) to register.



**That Man Is You (TMIY)**  
The fall semester is in session.  
All men of the parish are invited.  
Saturday mornings—6:45am  
Meet in the Community and Education Center.

For more information email:  
[deaconrandy@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:deaconrandy@saintfaustinachurch.org)



## Job Search Ministry

How can you build relationships that can help you find a job?

How important is it to take a class or enroll in a certification program?

For details including Zoom login please open our webpage at:

or Contact us at:  
[jism@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:jism@saintfaustinachurch.org)



St. Faustina Catholic Church  
Monday 9am-12 Noon  
CEC Bldg. Rms 132/133



**Amazing Place** is a team of dementia specialists in the Katy/Fulshear/Richmond area who support individuals at risk for cognitive

changes and their families. Services are available to help those caring for parents, grandparents, siblings, and others who suffer from dementia or cognitive issues.

Contact Amazing Place at [AmazingPlaceHouston.org](http://AmazingPlaceHouston.org)



2023 Women's ACTS Retreat Team Meetings  
Team Formation will have 1<sup>st</sup> meeting on  
Monday, January 9, 2023, 6:30pm -8:30pm  
If you have already attended an ACTS Retreat  
and would like to team on this year's Women's  
Retreat, please join us this Monday or contact  
Elizabeth (Liz) Jimenez @  
[ljpink1999@gmail.com](mailto:ljpink1999@gmail.com) or call or text @  
432-349-9077 for more information to regis-  
ter.



# Requiem for the UNBORN

A SUITE FOR CHOIR AND ORCHESTRA  
IN HONOR OF ALL THE BABIES WHO HAVE DIED FROM ABORTION

C. M. BEARER  
FRIDAY  
JANUARY 27, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

SAVE THE DATE!  
REGISTER TO SING IN THE CHOIR!  
[WWW.REQUIEMFORTHEUNBORN.ORG](http://WWW.REQUIEMFORTHEUNBORN.ORG)

ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH  
10330 HILLCROFT ST.  
HOUSTON, TX 77096



Participa en un día de alabanza  
y crecimiento

Sábado 4 de febrero de 2023

8:00 AM a 5:00 PM

Auditorio St. Dominic Center

60 USD por pareja | 35 USD por persona

Desayuno, almuerzo y materiales incluidos

[www.archgh.org/familylife](http://www.archgh.org/familylife)



## DONATIONS NEEDED

Wipes & Diapers Sizes NB-6  
New & Gently Used Clothes Sizes NB-2  
Bedding & Baby Accessories  
New Car Seats and Strollers  
Gift Cards



PREGNANT?  
SCARED?  
NEED TO TALK?

WE'RE HERE TO HELP

GABRIEL  
PROJECT

CONTACT OUR TEAM TODAY!

[https://archgh.cventevents.com/  
GPinformation](https://archgh.cventevents.com/GPinformation)

713.225.5826



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF  
GALVESTON-HOUSTON

Items collected through January 30th



A Mass intended to help families with persons with disabilities, physical, intellectual, and behavioral, attend Mass together is being added to the Mass schedule. Mass will be offered monthly at 7 pm on the second Saturday of each month in the Community and Education Center. Come join us!



Mass will be on January 14, 2023 at 7 pm.



Asociación de Fieles  
María Madre  
Guardiana de la Fe

You are invited to the  
pray the **Rosary**  
in front of the  
**Blessed Sacrament**  
Every Wednesday  
beginning January 11, 2023  
at 12 noon



Están invitados al  
**Rosario** delante  
del **Santísimo Sacramento**  
Cada Miércoles  
a partir del 11 de Enero, 2023  
al 12 del mediodía

**St Faustina Catholic Church**  
28102 FM 1093,  
Fulshear, TX 77441  
Contact: Camila (832)682-8417

SEGUNDO JUEVES DE CADA MES **7:30 PM**  
**ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA**  
Ven y comparte con nosotros  
un momento cerca de Cristo  
 **ST. FAUSTINA CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**28102 FM 1093, FULSHEAR, TX 77441**

## DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE

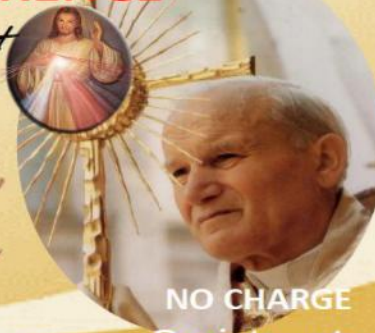
*Rays of Enlightenment*

**FEB. 25, 2023 11AM-5PM**

*I am  
The way,  
the Truth  
& the life*



**Fr. Kazimierz Chwalek, MIC**  
Nat. Shrine of Divine Mercy  
**Sr. Rachel Marianna, SCTJM**  
**Fr. Christopher Plant**



**NO CHARGE**  
Register at:

**[www.mmofdm.org/rays2023](http://www.mmofdm.org/rays2023)**

Cherie Schmoe (281) 728-8671  
Holy Rosary Parish, 3617 Milam





# REBOOT

*FEATURING INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED  
SPEAKER, AUTHOR, AND TV HOST*

## CHRIS STEFANICK

**St. Faustina Catholic Church**  
28102 FM 1093  
Fulshear, TX 77441

**Feb 8, 2023 | 7:00pm**  
Ticket Prices: \$30 - \$39  
[www.reallifecatholic.com](http://www.reallifecatholic.com)





# VOCATIONS MINISTRY

## JANUARY 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 DENNEGHY MASON	2 WESLEY HENRY	3 HAI DAO	4 PEDRO RUBIO	5 JOHN CLARK	6 DANIEL PHILLIPS	7 AN HONG VO
8 NAM NGUYEN	9 THEODORE BIRKOFER	10 FONTENELLE DIMARG	11 ANDRES CARABEZ	12 BEN MUELLER	13 DCN. ZACHARY MULDROW	14 SHAWN VARKEY
15 DEACON J SERRATO	16 MITCHELL SCHUMANN	17 RYAN BERGER	18 PEDRO RUBIO	19 TIMOTHY SPJUT	20 JOHN PAUL ELLWANGER	21 JOSE VERA
22 DAVID RAMIREZ	23 VIET NGUYEN	24 ANTHONY SOMMER	25 BILL WATERS	26 LUIS ARMAS	27 ETHAN SICKING	28 JAMES SCHNITZLER
29 GRIFFIN ALEXANDER	30 LUKE PARMENTER	31 ORLANDO HERRERA				

O LORD JESUS CHRIST, GREAT HIGH PRIEST, LEAD OUR SEMINARIANS IN YOUR UNERRING FOOTSTEPS: SO THAT THEY MAY BECOME PRIESTS WHO ARE MODELS OF PURITY, POSSESSORS OF WISDOM AND HEROES OF SACRIFICE. TEACH THEM GENEROSITY AND DETACHMENT FROM WORLDLY GOODS: BUT ABOVE ALL TEACH THEM TO KNOW YOU AND TO LOVE YOU, THE ONE AND ONLY ETERNAL PRIEST. AMEN.

### TRAVELING CHALICE MINISTRY

Please pray daily for our seminarians:  
An Vo, Luis Armas, David Ramirez, Jose Vera,  
Pedro Rubio, John Paul Ellwanger and  
John Paul Phillips  
and for those called to religious life:  
Sister Adele and Leah Burrhus

Please consider taking the chalice into your home to  
pray for vocations.

We invite you to stop by the vocations kiosk in the narthex  
to pick up information on which Vocation our Lord is calling  
you, whether it be the priesthood, religious, married or  
single life.

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; pray  
therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into  
the harvest." Matthew 9:37-38

### SAINT FAUSTINA CATHOLIC CHURCH -

#### Vocations Ministry

We invite you to take the Traveling Chalice home to  
pray for vocations for our church community. Simply  
scan the QR Code below or contact us at  
[vocations@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:vocations@saintfaustinachurch.org)



# MUSIC MINISTRY



The Adult Choir is looking for new members, especially men. Rehearsal days and time **Wednesday and Thursday 6:30pm to 8:30pm** in RM 124/125. Please contact the Music Director Ph:346-773-3445 or [gsay@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:gsay@saintfaustinachurch.org)

The Children's Choir is for youth in **3rd to 12th grade**. Rehearsal day and time: **Choral singers meet Thursday 5:00 to 6:30pm** RM 124/125 Practices will be weekly. For more information and to sign up, contact [childrenschoir@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:childrenschoir@saintfaustinachurch.org) **Mass singing Day and Time: 2nd Sunday of the month at 10:15am Mass.**





ST. LAURENCE  
ADORATION  
FOR  
VOCATIONS

**JOIN ST. LAURENCE**  
AND SURROUNDING PARISHES  
**FEBRUARY 6, 2023**  
Every 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month from 7-8 pm

**ST. LAURENCE CHAPEL OF DIVINE MERCY**  
ALL are invited to join in praying before the Blessed Sacrament for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life and for the protection of all our priests  
PRAYER / TRANSFORMATION / BEAUTY



NOV 7 / DEC 5  
JAN 2 / FEB 6 / MAR 6 / APR 3 / MAY 1 / JUNE 5  
Come once or come each first Monday of the month!  
[www.stlaurence.org/vocations](http://www.stlaurence.org/vocations) or Nita Seipe 281-980-9812

**DISCERNING GOD'S WILL**  
*Silent Retreat*

February 26th, 2022

St. Mary's Seminary  
9845 Memorial Dr.  
Houston, TX 77024

A one-day silent retreat for young adults who want to learn how to make a decision with God.

REGISTER HERE: 

  
HOUSTON  
VOCATIONS  
ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON

Small Christian Communities (SCC) are the backbone of our parish. It is the desire of Fr. Dat that everyone has an opportunity to find and participate in a SCC at St. Faustina. If you are searching to find community here at our parish, this is your call to join a SCC!

# JOIN A SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

Join The Search in 2023



 **ST. FAUSTINA**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
Small Christian Communities

Join us at Reboot February 8!

**REBOOT**  
a life-changing event

St. Faustina Catholic Church  
28102 FM 1093  
Fulshear, TX 77441

February 8, 2023  
7:00 pm  
Tickets: \$30 - \$39  
[www.reallifecatholic.com](http://www.reallifecatholic.com)

 **real life**  
CATHOLIC

For more information please visit:  
[saintfaustinachurch.org/scc](http://saintfaustinachurch.org/scc)

## STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



**Join Hospitality Ministry!**

Greeters, Ushers and so much more:  
Welcome New Parishioners,  
Serve at Mass,  
Create opportunities for Fellowship!

Visit the Hospitality desk after Mass or follow the QR code to learn more!

[HTTPS://SAINTFAUSTINACHURCH.ORG/HOSPITALITY2](https://saintfaustinachurch.org/hospitality2)

### USHER MINISTRY

The harvest is plenty, the laborers are few... (Luke 10:2)

#### Ushers needed for all Masses.

Please contact Jeff at [ushers@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:ushers@saintfaustinachurch.org) or visit with an usher after Mass to get more information.



Learn more about your Catholic faith and be able to answer questions from your friends and relatives on what you believe. We will have weekly classes on Monday mornings at church and Zoom at 10:00 am **starting January**

**9th.** We will use the Catholic Answer Bible as a reference as it has 80 typical questions answered about our Catholic faith. Those interested in learning more about your faith, please contact Richard Jones at 281-857-9101, or [richard.jones@utexas.edu](mailto:richard.jones@utexas.edu) if you have any questions or you would like to help with the classes.

### Hande Ministry



Are you or a loved one 65 or older, disabled, or homebound? Are you uneasy having strangers in your home doing minor repairs and maintenance? Do you know of someone that may need help in this regard? You supply the material, and we do the work. In certain cases, HANDE can help with materials as well.

For more information on how to give or to receive assistance contact us at.

e-mail: [hande@saintfaustinachurch.org](mailto:hande@saintfaustinachurch.org)

### Baptisms at St. Faustina



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Between the end of the Christmas season and the start of Lent, the liturgical year begins a period known as Ordinary Time. That season is interrupted by the seasons of Lent and Easter, and then resumes again after Pentecost. The English translation of the Latin name for this season has received much criticism because of our association of the word "ordinary" with something of lesser value, the opposite of something special. Critics point out that Sunday is the original feast day of the Church, that there is nothing at all "ordinary" about our weekly celebration of the Lord's dying and rising. Translators explain that in this context the English word "ordinary" retains the root meaning of "ordinal," something counted "in order," and that the Sundays throughout the year are in fact named by their numerical order.

It is helpful to understand how all five of the "special" seasons of the liturgical year (Advent, Christmas, Ordinary Time, Lent, Easter) fit together to unfold the single mystery of Christ. As we continue the year now with Ordinary Time, we are mindful that what we celebrate is indeed as "extraordinary" an experience of God's grace as one could ever imagine.

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