



St. Joseph
Catholic Church

PARISH NEWSLETTER

MAY 14, 2023



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"And whoever loves me
will be loved by my Father,
and I will love him and
reveal myself to him."
- Jn 14:20-21

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5PM - English
Sundays: 9:30AM - English / 12PM - Spanish

Weekday Mass Schedule

Fridays: 11:30AM (for the most vulnerable)
Tuesdays: 6:30PM - (Spanish)
Wednesdays: 6:30PM - (English)
Thursdays: 8:15AM - (English)

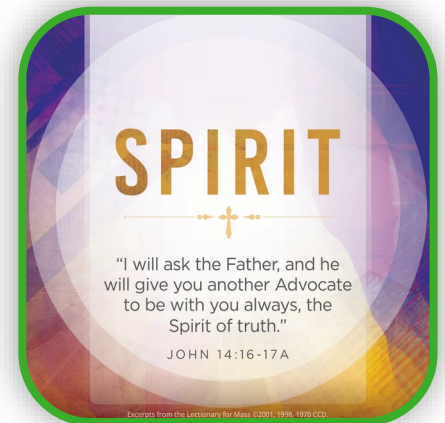
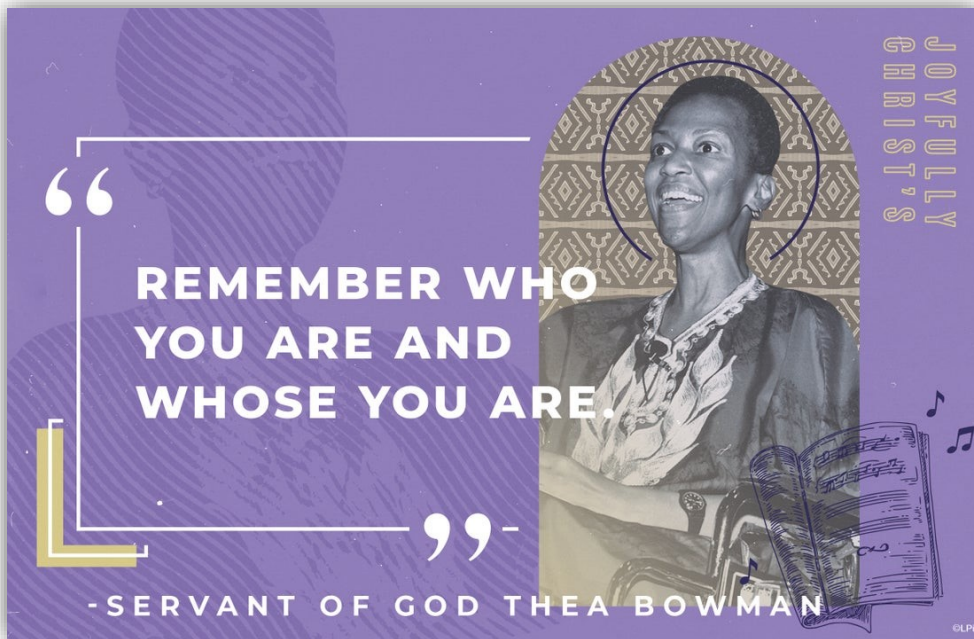
Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:30 PM to 4:30PM
Holy Hour (first Thursday of every month at 7PM)

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PASTOR
Fr. Gabriel Garcia

DEACONS
José Castañeda
John Renteria



GOSPEL MEDITATION 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

My dad was adopted as a baby. It's a big part of my family's story. His birth mother placed him in a Catholic orphanage not long after birth. A young couple longing for a baby strolled among the bassinets. My father, then only a few months old, looked at the husband and smiled. The man said, "That's my son." They took him home and the family grew. This moment of adoption was a wonderful truth they celebrated even when my dad was a young boy. They told him, "You're even more special than the other children, because we chose you to be our son." My dad's eyes well up with tears of gratitude whenever he tells the story, even eighty-three years later.

What is your story? Do we think or act like unwanted orphans? Who do we believe ourselves to be? As we continue to ponder Jesus' resurrection, we hear him say to us this Sunday, "I will not leave you orphans." God doesn't leave us alone like spiritual orphans. The power that raised Jesus from the dead is the Holy Spirit, who is also called the Spirit of Adoption. He chooses us to be His children, to share God's life forever. He gives us a future filled with hope.

We are not orphans anymore! This Easter, that's the story we should share with others. It's the true story we are living right now.

— Father John Muir



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Raffle winners

1st prize (\$5,000): Gaby Ramos
2nd. prize (\$1,500): Lorena Cortez
3rd. prize (\$500): Alfonso Navarrete

Income: \$51,693.30

Expenses: \$9,711.98

PROFIT: \$41,981.32



Thank You! !GRACIAS!

Dear friends and community members,

We want to express our heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you who helped and participated in our recent festival. Your support and dedication made it a truly memorable and successful event.

To our volunteers, thank you for generously offering your time, energy, and talents to make everything run smoothly. Your hard work and commitment are deeply appreciated.

To our sponsors and donors, thank you for your generous contributions. Your support played a crucial role in making our festival possible and helped us raise funds for our church and community projects.

To all the performers, vendors, and participants, thank you for sharing your talents, products, and enthusiasm with us. You brought joy and excitement to the event, making it a vibrant and lively celebration.

Last but not least, we want to thank everyone who attended the festival. Your presence and participation added to the sense of community and made the event truly special. We hope you had a wonderful time and created lasting memories with your friends and family.

Once again, thank you to all who helped and participated in our festival. Your contributions made a significant difference, and we are truly grateful for your support. We look forward to future events where we can come together as a community once more.

With heartfelt appreciation, The Festival Committee and St Joseph Catholic Church.



Congratulations!

Felicitaciones Clase del 2023



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Congratulations on your accomplishment, May God lead you towards your dreams. On the weekend of the 20th & 21st of May, you will receive a special blessing. Wear your cap and gown to the Mass you regularly attend

*¡Felicidades por tu logro!
Que Dios te guíe hacia tus sueños.
El fin de semana del 20 y 21 de mayo ven a recibir una bendición especial. Vístete con tu birrete y toga durante la misa que atiendes regularmente.*

The Alamo Catholic High School class of 1973 reunion committee are seeking any graduates and former classmates of the ACHS class of 1973 for our reunion on Saturday, July 15. If you have any information or if you would like to attend, please text Bea 806-683-4864 or email bibia2418@gmail.com or on the Alamo Facebook page. Thank you.

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Join us for a Special Reception with Fr. Gabriel!

The Altar Society is excited to extend an invitation to a small reception in the gathering area to welcome our beloved Fr. Gabriel.

This is a wonderful opportunity to meet him and spend some quality time getting to know him better. We have prepared a delightful spread of coffee, orange juice, and cookies for everyone to enjoy, this Saturday and Sunday after every mass.

Let's come together as a community and make Fr. Gabriel feel right at home! We look forward to seeing you there!



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

MARY IS THE MOTHER WHO WATCHES OVER US, HER CHILDREN, ON OUR JOURNEY THROUGH LIFE, OFTEN WEARY AND IN NEED, ANXIOUS THAT THE LIGHT OF HOPE NOT FAIL.

CHRISTUS VIVIT, NO. 48



WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

Projected Collection	\$ 6,160.00
Sunday Collection	\$ 5,143.31
Online Collection	\$ 1,954.00
FOR WEEK OF :	5/7/2023

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