

**HOLY CROSS**

# weekend update



## All of my good days outweigh my bad days ...

God has called from our midst a mainstay of our parish, **Johnnie Rankin**. For years, Johnnie worked tirelessly with several of our parish organizations, Knights of Columbus, and YMCA of South Dallas. He had a remarkable understanding of Black history and the attitudes and events that translate into our current experience. Johnnie shared that wisdom with many young people, especially Black male youth, stressing the importance of education, mentoring them and walking with them on their journey to becoming strong Black men. He served with the Dallas Diocesan School Board, receiving the Bishop Tschoepe Award. He developed a particular fondness of John XXIII Regional School, serving on its School Board for many years. Johnnie led a full life, but now he is at rest with his wife, Agnes, who pre-deceased him. Mourning Johnnie's earthly absence, but celebrating his life and rejoicing in his heavenly victory are daughters Tanyai (Robert Jr.) Holloway and Tai (Fernando Sr.) Gray, grandchildren and a host of family and friends.

Arrangements are as follows: Rosary and visitation with the family, beginning at 5:30pm Friday, September 18, at Holy Cross. Funeral Mass will be at 10am Saturday, September 19, at Holy Cross, with interment following.

**... I won't complain.**

## Saturday, October 10 – Mammogram Van

If you are at least 35 years old, and have not had a mammogram in the last 12 months, please sign up for this event. Renee Roberson will be available after all Masses this Sunday to assist you in scheduling an appointment.

**NEW OFFICE HOURS:**  
Monday-Thursday 9am-5pm  
~ closed for lunch ~  
Friday 9am-12noon  
**CLOSED SATURDAY-SUNDAY**

## Daily Masses Continue Monday-Friday Each Week

Daily Mass is offered in the church chapel at 12noon each day. Mass is celebrated in English Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Mass in Spanish is celebrated each Tuesday and Thursday. Come worship the Lord, be with Him, love Him, and join with Him through the Eucharist each day.

## 3 Ways to Give Your Continued Offerings are a Blessing

Thank you for continuing to support our parish, as we have ongoing needs for upkeep of the church and our buildings, utilities, faith formation, ministries, and outreach resources. Of course, you may give through our regular collection during our weekend Masses – 5pm Saturday and 9am Sunday: English; and 11am and 1pm Sunday: Spanish. You may also set up billpay with your bank account or mail your check to Holy Cross, PO Box 41298, Dallas Texas 75241. Our website, is also set up to receive your donations at [www.holycrosscatholicdallas.org/donate](http://www.holycrosscatholicdallas.org/donate). Thank you again, and may God bless you abundantly!

## Online in English and Spanish: Complete your Safe Environment Training Today

Be sure to log-in and complete this year's Safe Environment training – all online, and available in both English and Spanish! **Staff and volunteers – we'd like you all to be Safe Environment cleared.** Follow these steps to complete your training now:

1. Go to [dallas.setanet.org](http://dallas.setanet.org). At the top of the page in small type, click on "My Obligations."
2. On the My Obligations page, enter your first name, last name, and street address. **Please be sure to use your legal name as it is listed in the Diocesan Safe Environment database. BEFORE YOU CREATE A NEW RECORD, try entering your old address if you have problems finding yourself.**
3. Click on "search" to find your information as it currently appears in the database. Update and verify your personal information, then click on "update information and continue" at the bottom.
4. You are now on the Welcome page. Under "Classes available to take online," click on the appropriate language for the "Sexual Abuse Awareness Training." There are videos and a 25-question test at the end. **You must score at least 70% to be given credit for the test.** If you wish, you may print the completion certificate; otherwise, the system will automatically show that you have completed this year's training. **Contact Lari, 214.374.7614 if you need assistance.**

## 2nd Collection This Week – Catholic University of America

Catholic University is a community of students, faculty, and staff who are committed to keeping everyone safe and upholding the highest standards of education. Help the University maintain its legacy built upon 130 years of education in the Catholic intellectual tradition. *You are the light for faith-based higher education.*

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COMMUNITY  
**MAMMOGRAPHY  
OUTREACH**

For more information contact: 214-266-4398

**GUIDELINES FOR SCREENING MAMMOGRAMS**

- At least 35 years of age
- Have not received a mammogram in the last 12 months.
- Proof that you reside in Dallas County  
◊ Provide ID (work or government issued)  
◊ Utility bill with your name and address (gas, electric, telephone, water)
- If you are covered by insurance (Private, Medicaid, Medicare) we ask that you call the number listed.

In order to better serve you we ask that if you have physical limitations or questions regarding mammograms that you contact us at 214-266-4398

**THE WARNING SIGNS FOR BREAST CANCER ARE:**

- Lump, hard knot or thickening inside the breast or underarm area
- Swelling, warmth, redness or darkening of the breast
- Change in the size or shape of the breast
- Dimpling or puckering of the skin
- Itchy, scaly sore or rash on the nipple
- Pulling in of your nipple or other parts of the breast
- Nipple discharge that starts suddenly
- New pain in one spot that doesn't go away

**NAME OF THE EVENT:** Holy Cross Catholic Church  
**TIME:** 8:00 A. M.-1:00 P.M. **LOCATION:** 5004 Bonnie View Rd Dallas Texas 75241  
**DATE:** 10/10/2020