

St. Therese of Lisieux Parish Where all are welcome to help us build the City of God!

Our Mission:

We are a spiritual home for all who come here to worship.

We are united in supporting one another in prayer and caring for the corporal needs of our brothers and sisters.

We strive to imitate Therese, our patroness, by loving one another even in the simplest ways.

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00pm; 8:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday: 8:30am & 10:30am Weekdays: Mon -Thurs 8:30am

<u>First Friday</u>: 8:30 Mass followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Sacred Heart Novena

Rosary: Mon - Thurs after 8:30 Mass Exposition, Benediction & Novena of St. Anthony: Tues after 8:30 Mass

www.sttheresemontauk.weconnect.com

Nuestra Misión:

Somos un hogar espiritual para todos los que viene a aquí venerar. Somos unidos a apoyar el uno al otro en oración y en cuidar de las necesidades corporales de nuestros hermanos y hermanas.

Nos esforzamos a imitar Therese, nuestra patrona por amando el uno al otro aún en las maneras más sencillas.

St Therese Parish Center

67 So Essex Street

PO Box 5027, Montauk, NY 11954

(631) 668-2200 Fax (631) 668-2384 Apostolado Hispano: (631) 283-4379 Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8am – 3pm Parish Outreach: (631) 668-1318 **Religious Education:** (631) 668-2460 Hours: Mon, Wed, Thurs 9:00am-4:00pm

St. Therese Nursery School (631) 668-5353

September 2, 2018-Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor:Rev. Thomas MurrayApostolado Hispano:Vincentian FathersDirector of Religious Ed:Louise CarmanParish Staff:Julia (Delilah) Caguana

Jack Flynn

Christopher Murray

Music Director: Iryna Androskova

Trustees: Jerry McKeon & Tom Bogdan

Teacher's Aides: Cheryl Erb, Delilah Caguana

St. Therese Nursery School

Phone: (631) 668-5353 Kerry Riege Maureen Kingston

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Confession): Saturdays 4:00pm - 4:30pm

Please call the parish office for:

The Sacrament of Baptism
The Sacrament of Matrimony
The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
Nighttime emergencies (631) 238-5965

E-mail addresses

Pastor sttheresepastor@optimum.net
Religious Ed. sttheresedre@optimum.net
Business office sttheresebusoff@optimum.net
Front desk sttheresedesk@optimum.net

Alcoholics Anonymous

AA meets in the basement of the parish center: Tues: 1:00pm (OD) Wed: 8:00pm (OD) Thurs: 8:00pm (Step) Sat: 8:00pm (OD)

Al-Anon

Montauk Community Church Sunday: 5:30pm

Parish Outreach: 668-1318

Contact: Gert Murphy

Montauk Food Pantry: Food is graciously accepted at the parish center Mon-Fri.. Non perishable foods, tuna, soup, cereal, peanut butter, jelly, rice, canned beans, pasta, pasta sauce, juice and **Diapers** of all sizes.

Communion for the Sick: Please call the parish office for arrangements.

Pregnancy Support Resources:

(855)301-4247

Religious Ed. Registration

Reminder... if you have not already done so, please register your child/children for Religious Education classes as soon as possible at the Parish Center. Please note that registration is required every year your child is in the program and must be on file BEFORE classes begin on Sunday/Monday September 16th & 17th. Questions? Please contact Louise at 631 668-2460 or email to sttheresedre@optonline. net

Please pray for the sick

Jackie Dickinson, Paul Darenberg, John Jurgensen, Lila Klausman, Edward Merrigan, Nadezda Novohradska, Dina Quiles, Peggy Graham

Please pray for the Deceased

Rita Paon, Dennis Sweeney, Chester Miedzwiecki, Nicholas Sennefelder, Fr. James Patrick Carmody, John Irving, Fr. Harold Noviello, Alicia N. Engstrom, Frances Ecker

Pray for Peace

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me..... Please pray for those who work for peace and to protect our country by serving in our military...

Staff Sgt. Ryan Burke (US Army)
Capt. Joseph Pugh (U.S. Navy)
Drew Forsberg (U.S. Navy Seal)
Jason Saglimbene (Lt. US Navy)
Andrea Saglimbene (Lt. JAG US Army)
Ronald Saglimbene (Lt. USMC Afghanistan)
Michael Saglimbene (US Air National Guard)
Matthew Graham (Lt., USNA)
Caitlin Chiaramonte (Capt. Jag US Army)
Ryder Weidenmuller (US Navy)
Paege Weidenmuller (US Navy)
Morgen Seeley (U.S. Army Afghanistan)

Remembering a Loved One Memorials

As we bring our gifts to the altar at **Mass** we also bring our joy, pain, sorrow and love. We believe that God accepts all of this from us and gives us salvation through His Son in return.

If you would like to remember a loved one in our Eucharistic celebrations please contact our office. 668-2200

Another thoughtful way to remember a loved one is by donating a **Memorial** in the form of a liturgical item to be used in worship at St. Therese. The ongoing needs of our parish enable us to offer a variety of such items for memorialization. For more information about this opportunity, please contact Fr. Thomas Murray 668-2200.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 1, 2018-Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 Rita Paon (Nancy Parsons), Chester Miedzwiecki (Robin Eng), Alicia Engstrom (Jane Bimson & Steve Lipani)

Sunday, September 2, 2018-Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 Keira Marie Hayes (Barricelli Family), Dorothy Caselles (Hamilton Family), Lisa Ward (Pat Bonnabeau & John Forsberg)
- 10:30 Fred & Virginia Nelson (Mary & Denis Brown), Frances Ecker, Sheik Rahmatula Ali (Cristina Sedigo) Anthony Norbut (Tom & Joanna Sepp)

Monday, September 3, 2018-St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Dr. of the Church

8:30 Rita Paon (Irene D'Agostino)

Tuesday, September 4, 2018-Weekday

8:30 Chester Miedzwiecki (Irene D'Agostino)

Wednesday, September 5, 2018- St. Teresa of Calcutta, Religious

8:30 For the Intentions of the Lenihan Family (Patricia Kirkwood)

Thursday, September 6, 2018-Weekday

8:30 Raymond Marrisette (Doreen Miller)

Friday, September 7, 2018-Weekday

8:30 Florence W. Fox (Florence W.)

Concert by Lyra

We are again proud to welcome back our vocal quintet Lyra from St. Petersburg, Russia. They will be performing Russian



Folk Songs and Sacred Chants on Sunday, Sept. 9th at 3PM in the church. All are welcome to attend. A free will donation is asked.

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time THE HIGHEST LAW

From time to time, newspapers and magazines will offer, as an item of "filler," various laws that are still on the books but seem silly to us in our day and age. In one California city, it is illegal to have two indoor bathtubs in one house. Clean water, a precious commodity when the law was written, is now readily available, so the law seems silly. But the human value of protecting and preserving precious resources is still around, evident in many conservation laws that seem sensible to us. So it is with the laws of religious tradition. What Jesus scorns today is others' attitude toward ritual laws, an attitude that becomes nearly idolatrous when laws are observed for their own sake. Jesus teaches that observation of external ritual laws is of value only when they are emblems of our internal disposition toward the will of God. Our whole lives must follow the one ultimate law of God: to love God completely and to love neighbor entirely. Roman Catholicism is a tradition rich with customs, traditions, and even laws. As we continue to listen to the voice of Christ, we must always look into our own hearts and underneath our ritual practices to make sure that love of God and love of neighbor are what we prize above all.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — For what great nation is there that has gods so close to it as the LORD, our God, is to us? (Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8).

Psalm — The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord (Psalm 15).

Second Reading — Religion that is pure is this: to care for orphans and widows in their affliction (James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27).

Gospel — This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me (Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30, Monday:

or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human

Labor,"

nos. 907-911

1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37 Tuesday: Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-

1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-Thursday:

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Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40;

Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6;

Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]

Sunday: Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5;

Mk 7:31-37

Caring for our parish

Sunday Collection August 26, 2018 Collection \$7961

Designated Maintenance Collection Collection: \$1749

Faith Direct Collection August \$2328

Thank you for all you do for our Parish!

Montauk Adult Nutrition Center

The Montauk Adult Nutrition Center is looking for volunteers to help serve lunch one or two days per week. Fun environment. Needed two hours per day from 11am to 1pm Open Monday through Friday. Contact Sharon @ 631 668-1023.

Are you being called???...to be a **Catechist?**

Our faith formation program is in need of catechists this upcoming school year from September through April for elementary age students. If you would like to help our families raise their children in the faith, please contact Louise at the Parish Center 631 668 2460 or email sttheresedre@optonline.net.

"The Holy Spirit will give you the light and strength you need!" (Pope Francis' greeting to catechists Kampala, 2015). So don't hesitate...call me!

AARP Meeting

The next AARP Meeting will be held on Tuesday September 4 at the Montauk library. The guest speakers will be Frank Eipper from the Town of East Hampton Meals on Wheels Program as well as Edna Steck and Audrey Gaines from the East Hampton Town Anti Bias Task Force. Only Board Members will meet at 12pm SHARP. Blood Pressure will be taken at 1pm and the General Meeting will begin at 1:30pm. Newcomers are welcome!

September 2, 2018

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Children Celebrate!

Liturgy of the Word with Children

Today's Readings

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8 Psalm 15:2-3a, 3bc & 5ef James 1:17-18, 21b-22 Mark 7:1-5, 14-16, 21-23



We Pray

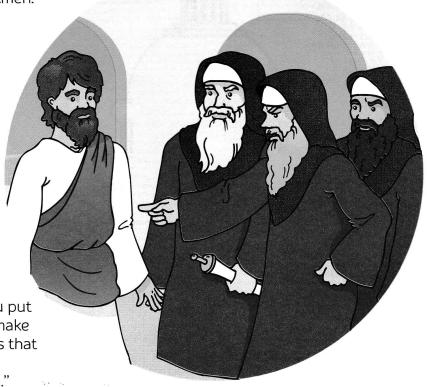
God our Father, help us to follow your Law in our lives each day. Amen.



We Follow God's Law

Some Pharisees and teachers noticed that some of Jesus' disciples ate without first washing their hands. They asked Jesus, "Why don't your disciples obey what our ancestors taught us to do? Why do they eat without washing their hands?"

Jesus said, "The food you put into your mouth does not make you unclean. The bad words that come out of your mouth are what make you unclean."



Eucharistic Retreat Day

Join the Missionaries of The Most Holy Eucharist for a Eucharistic Retreat Day on Sunday, September 9, 2018 from 8 am-5 pm at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington. The day includes Hot Breakfast & Lunch, Rosary, Spiritual Meditations, Holy Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction. You must register in advance - space is limited. Please MostHolyEucharist@gmail.com or call 631-896-0870. Please bring a \$35 donation with you on the day of the retreat.

OUR PRAYER LIFE CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE WEEK!

Come and pray with us

MONDAY: 5:30 - 7:30 (Church)
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
(Beginning with the Chaplet
of Divine Mercy & Ending with
the Miraculous Medal Devotion)

TUESDAY: Exposition will be directly following 8:30 Mass with Holy Hour and Benediction at 10AM.

WEDNESDAY: 6:00 - 7:00 (Parish Center) Parish Prayer Group

FRIDAY: 2:00 - 2:45 (Church)
Bouquet of Rosaries for
Jesus & Mary & The Divine Mercy
Chaplet

FRIDAY: 5:00 – 6:00 (Choir Loft – Church) Interdenominational Prayer Group

FRIDAY: 8:00 – 10:00 (Church) Spanish Prayer Group

Gennesaret Retreat

This retreat is designed for persons who live with a serious illness and is planned for September 21-23rd at Montfort Spirituality Center in Bayshore, NY. This retreat offers a respite, a quiet time, an oasis, to enable one to complete the journey. The retreat focuses on God's love, forgiveness and his faithfulness. To register or receive more information please call Colette Fanelli at 631-665-7052.

Parish Office Closed

In observance of the Labor Day holiday the parish office will be closed on Monday, September 3rd.

Flower Donations

If you would like to remember a loved one with a flower donation on the altar please call the parish center at 668-2200.



St. Joseph's Renewal Center

The following programs will take place from September through December 2018:

Living With Alzheimer's & Dementia 1-2:30 pm, free will offering. Program is held 1st Wednesday of the month beginning September 5th until December 5th 2018.

Men 2 Men Gathering 8 am -9:30 am. This program is offered the 2nd Saturday of every month beginning September 8th until December 8th 2018.

Women to Women 10:30 am-12 Noon. This program is offered the 2nd Tuesday of every month beginning September 11th until December 8th 2018.

Day of Prayer for Men and Women. Saturday, September 15th, 2018, offering is \$25 and includes a light lunch.

Afternoon of Prayer for Married Couples. Sunday, October 28, 2018 from 2-7pm. Offering is \$100 per couple and includes a light supper.

Ronkonkoma Cenacle Retreat Center 310 Cenacle Rd. Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 631-588-8366

September 7-9, 2018 RELEASING THE POWER OF PRAYER: **DEEPENING OUR IMAGE OF GOD**

Have you ever wondered why more doesn't happen when you pray to an infinitely powerful Jesus who said, "Whatever you ask in my name, I will do for you" (Jn 14:13)? Although there are many explanations, the most common reason is that our image of God is not loving enough. This retreat will help us discover where our image of God is distorted and begin a lifetime process of healing it so we can experience the fullness of life from the real God of Life.

> Presenter: Fr. Matt Linn, SJ Offering: \$250 - No Sunday lunch. Commuters: \$195 \$50 deposit required to hold your reservation

Fourth Thursday, September 2018 - April 2019

1:30 – 3:00pm at the Retreat Center, 1:00pm arrivals and refreshments

2018: Sept. 27th, Oct. 25th, Nov. 29th Feb. 28th, Mar. 28th, April 25th.

SEEDS OF WISDOM (SOW) MONTHLY **GATHERINGS- A JOURNEY FOR** SPIRITUAL GROWTH.

Come closer, to ponder the question of Jesus, "Who do you say that I am"? (Matt 16:16-17) and to discover gradually, who does Christ reveal that you are? Take a brief time each month to foster a new faith community and friendship, deepen self-reflection to focus on your personal relationship with Christ. Scriptural themes, optional sharing, and time for silence. Bring a journal to jot down new insights!

Presenter: Carmela Bergman, Cenacle Staff Associate

Offering: \$90 payable at registration- (for all six sessions)

Ongoing Programs at Cenacle

CONTEMPLATIVE SINGLES at the Maude Adams House

Sundays, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. 2018: Sept. 16, Oct. 21, Nov. 18, 2019: Mar. 17, Apr. 28, June 16, July 21, **Aug. 18**

Join other faith-based singles as we explore God's desire for each of us and discuss our call to action in the Ministry of Single Life.

Facilitator: Joan McGovern, Cenacle **Ministry Staff**

Offering: \$35 each month – Lunch included \$20 deposit required to hold your monthly reservation

CENTERING PRAYER AFTERNOON at the Retreat Center

Sundays, 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 2018: Sept. 16, Oct. 21, Nov. 18, Dec. 16

2019: Feb.17, May 19

DVD by Thomas Keating O.C.S.O., Centering Prayer, and discussion. You do not need to have any experience, simply the desire to rest in God's presence. "Be still and know that I AM God" (Psalm 46:10).

Facilitators: Sr. Margaret Rohde r.c. and **Diane Robinson Offering: Freewill**

Registration Required: Call 631-588-8366

PRESENT MOMENT at the Retreat Center Alternating Tuesday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. 2018: Sept. 11 & 25, Oct. 9 & 23, Nov. 6 & 20 2019: Mar. 5 & 19, Apr. 2 & 16, May 7 & 21, June 4 & 18, July 2, 16 & 30 and Aug. 13 &

The key to inner peace is living in the *Present Moment* and embracing life with compassion for others and ourselves. Come join other faithfilled people as we deepen our relationship with God through a combination of a themed

discussion, silent prayer, reflection and sacred sharing. To register please call the Retreat Office or Joan McGovern at 631-588-8366.

Facilitator: Joan McGovern, Cenacle **Ministry Staff** Offering: \$20 per session

ST. THERESE NURSERY SCHOOL CHERUB CHANCES







Dear Friends,

It is time once again for our annual **Cherub Chances Raffle** to support the wonderful work of our nursery school program! Keeping the tuition as affordable as possible enables more children to benefit from early childhood education.

Tickets are \$100.00 each.

ONLY 400 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!!

1st prize - \$10,000 2nd prize - \$1,500 3rd prize - \$500

The winning ticket will be drawn at the <u>Cocktail Party</u> to be held on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>October 14th at the Harvest Restaurant</u>, from 2-4pm.

The cocktail party will include beer, wine and passed hors d'oeuvres. Please fill out the form below and return it along with a check or money order made payable to:

St. Therese Nursery School

P.O. Box 713

Montauk, New York 11954

Thank you for your continued support for our very worthwhile program!

The Children and Staff of St. Therese Nursery School

Name:		_
Mailing Address:		
City:	State:Zip:	
Phone:	# of Tickets:	



Catholics for Freedom of Religion

www.cffor.org
School is Open!
And... YES, Students May Express Their
Faith - (Part 2)

The Supreme Court has repeatedly held that the First Amendment requires public school officials to be neutral in their treatment of religion, showing neither favoritism toward nor hostility against religious expression such as prayer.

Students do not shed their constitutional rights to freedom of speech or religious expression at the schoolhouse gates.

The U.S. Department of Education Guidelines tell us that:

- * Students may read their Bibles or other religious materials, say grace before meals, and pray or study religious materials with fellow students during recess, lunch hour, or other non-instructional time.
- * Students may express their beliefs about religion in homework, artwork, and other written and oral assignments.
- * Student speakers may not be selected on a basis that either favors or disfavors religious speech.
- * Students may organize prayer groups, religious clubs and "see you at the pole" gatherings before or after school to the same extent that students are permitted to organize other non-curricular student activity groups.

(www.Ed.gov, Guidance from U.S. Dept. of Education on Constitutionally Protected Prayer in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools) * ACTION ITEM: A special back-to-school gift! Visit your parish store for one of the many medals your child or grandchild can wear to remind them, every school day and every day, that Jesus, Mary and their faith are with them always.

Long Island /Metro Retrouvaille Marriage Encounter Weekend

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples worldwide experiencing all types of marital difficulties.

Our next Retrouvaille weekend will be offered September 7th-9th. For confidential information about the program, or to register for the upcoming weekend on September 7th please call 1-800-470-2230 and you will be connected directly and confidentially to a couple from Long Island/Metro Retrouvaille who can help. We are located at The Immaculate Conception, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743



Sisters of St. Dominic Gala Event

The Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville, NY will host their annual Dominican Gala on November 2, 2018 at the Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury, NY. Cocktails begin at 6:00pm followed by dinner and dancing. This year the Congregation is proud to honor Al Roker, NBC's Meteorologist and S. Ave Clark, author and founder of the Heart to Heart Ministry in Bayside, NY. For more information about tickets or how to support the event, please call Mary Fuchs, Director of Advancement at 631-842-6000 ext. 241 or mfuchs@amityop.org.

Recordatorio...

Si aún no lo ha hecho, inscriba a su hijo o hijos para las clases de Educación religiosa tan pronto como sea posible en el Centro Parroquial. Tenga en cuenta que la inscripción se requiere cada año que su hijo esté en el programa y debe estar en el archivo ANTES de que las clases comiencen el domingo / lunes 16 y 17 de septiembre.

¿Preguntas? Por favor, póngase en contacto con Louise al 631 668-2460 o envíe un correo electrónico a sttheresedre@optonline.net

SERVICIOS SOCIALES

*El Asesor de Inmigración de Caridades Católicas*Atiende los segundos jueves de cada mes en Apostolado Hispano de 2pm a 5pm.

<u>Servicios legales para la comunidad inmigrante</u> <u>ALFA</u> Teléfono: 631-707-5375 / <u>OLA of Eastern</u> <u>Long Island</u> 631 899 3441.

Servicio de orientación psicológica

De martes a viernes de 2pm a 5pm. En Apostolado Hispano de Southampton. Para concertar cita llamar al P. Cesar. 631-332-5300

<u>Seguro de Salud para Niños</u> Fidelis Care los Miércoles entre las 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM en el Apostolado Hispano.

<u>INSCRIPCION - CATEQUESIS DE LOS NINOS</u>

La inscripción para los niños en el programa de catequesis en Ingles está abierta a partir del mes de junio en el despacho parroquial de lunes a jueves en horario de oficina.

PREPARACION PARA EL MATRIMONIO

Los cursos **PRECANA** se imparten en el Apostolado Hispano de Southampton por 6 domingos consecutivos comenzando a las 9am y termina a las 12 pm. Dos opciones: Comenzando primera semana de octubre o primera semana de febrero.

CONFESIONES:

Antes o después de la Santa Misa. Hablar con el Padre.

CATEQUESIS PARA ADULTOS

Que necesitan Bautismo – Comunión – Confirmación se imparten en East Hampton ponerse en contacto con Nelly Culcay 631 880 8663

BAUTISMO DE LOS NINOS

<u>¿Desean bautizar a sus hijos?</u> Los papas y los padrinos asistan *al curso Pre-bautismal*, sin previo aviso. Es preciso llevar el Acta de Nacimiento del niño.

<u>Curso Pre-Bautismal</u> El último domingo de cada mes a la 10:30am en el Apostolado Hispano en Southampton o a las 5pm en iglesia de East Hampton.

<u>Los Bautismos son los primeros sábados</u> de cada mes a las 7:30pm.

Requisitos para el Bautismo de un Niño:

Curso: Para bautizar a su hijo, es necesario que los padres y padrinos asistan al curso pre-bautismal.

Padrinos: Debe escoger a los padrinos conscientes de los requisitos. Los padrinos tienen que ser católicos bautizados, confirmados y que han hecho su Primera Comunión y deben poder comulgar. El padrino (madrina) debe ser un(a) soltero(a) o debe ser casado por la iglesia.

Permisos: Si viven afuera de la zona servida por el Apostolado Hispano, necesitan una carta de su párroco dándonos permiso para bautizar a su hijo

GRUPOS Y MOVIMIENTOS

Comunidad de Oración para Adultos y Familias:

Todos los viernes a las 7:30 PM en la Iglesia. Los segundos viernes de mes hay Hora Santa. Todos están invitados.

<u>Comunidad de la Medalla Milagrosa</u>: coordina Sandra.

<u>Comunidad Virgen de la Nueve:</u> Coordina Ana María Quispe

<u>Comunidad Virgen del Cisne</u>: coordina Luis Romeo

ATENCION EN APOSTOLADO HISPANO:

De martes a viernes de 2:00 - 5:00 pm. Se recomienda hacer cita previa llamando al: *Padre Marvin Navas: Cel 631 377 9053*

<u>Padre Cesar Lara</u>: Cel. 631-332-5300 <u>Padre Jesus Arellano</u>: Cel. 929-257-3467