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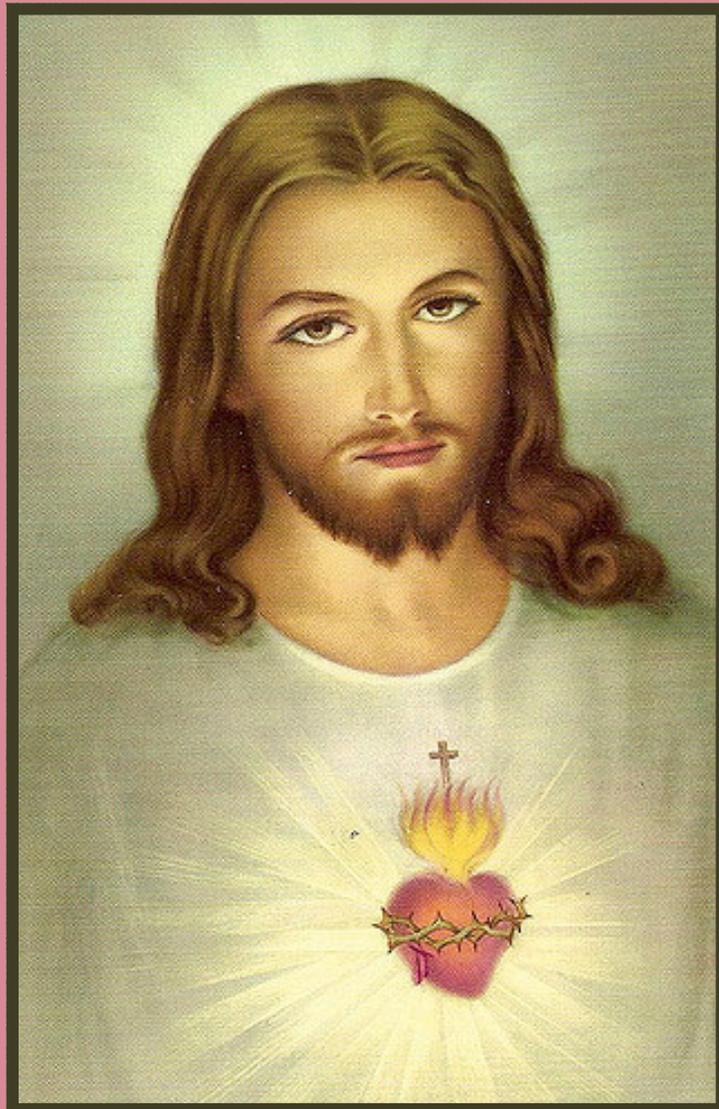
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

Rev. Michael J. Truongluan Nguyen, C.Ss.R., Pastor

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Year A,
July 23, 2017**

In today's Gospel from Matthew, we hear the parable of the sowing of good seed in the field and the sowing of bad seed (evil) by the devil. Until the end of time there will be the struggle of good vs. evil. The problem we often encounter is the proper recognition of evil. Evil can masquerade as good. At the surface level, many things sound good. But even though something may sound good, it may not be. So, how can we tell the difference?

Theology is the study of the nature of God and of religious belief. Faith and reason bring us to the realization of God and the purpose of life. Pope John Paul II in his Encyclical (a teaching document) *Fides et Ratio* published in 1998 states, "Faith and reason are like two wings on which the human spirit rises to the contemplation of truth; and God has placed in the human heart a desire to know the truth—in a word, to know himself—so that, by knowing and loving God, men and women may also come to the fullness of truth about themselves."

God has given man the gifts needed to fight evil. He has given man reason. There is an old saying, "If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is!" Even a pious act can look good; but when done for the wrong reason it can create harm. If we look closely at anything, we can tell the difference between what is good and fruitful and what is bad and harmful. If it is not fruitful, we should avoid it.

In the same encyclical, St. John Paul II writes, "Man's intellectual capacity, his ability to reason and to think in abstract terms, is a great gift. Man can acquire true knowledge about himself, God, and the world. Man is born with a desire to know the truth about himself. It is essential that he find the truth because only by choosing

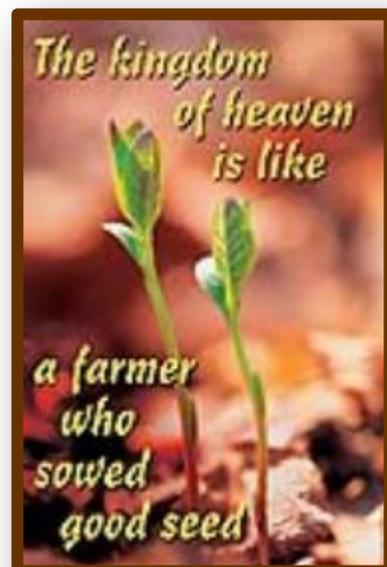
true values by which to live can he be true to his nature and find happiness."

Aren't we all trying to find true happiness? The pursuit of happiness extends from man to the supportive institutions of man: the family, businesses, organizations, and even our local church. Are we doing those things that give us true happiness in our personal and institutional actions? If we are, we are on the way to a successful existence. If we are not, perhaps we should rethink our priorities in life. In all that we do, we should glorify God and give support and encouragement to others. We should do this "where the rubber meets the road," existentially within our families, our work places, our associations—both casual and formal—and especially within our church community.

God sows the seed. He has given us the garden. Within the garden is the soil to be tilled and ourselves as the plants to be nourished and pruned. In the end our souls will be collected. May we use our faith and reason to become those plants collected by the angels and placed within the harvest of God.

May we take the love of God from this place to the world.

Deacon John Placette



Parish Offices

Church Office: 281-342-3609

Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday, 8:00 a.m.-Noon

Faith Formation Office: 281-342-8371

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Prayer and Sacraments

Chapel Open For Prayer:

Monday-Friday: 6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Liturgy of the Hours:

Morning Prayer: Monday-Saturday, 6:30 a.m.

Evening Prayer: Monday-Friday, 6:00 p.m.

Spiritual Exercise:

Monday-Friday: 6:45 -7:00 a.m.

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help:

Monday-Saturday: 7:00 - 7:15 a.m.

Rosary:

Monday-Saturday: 7:15 a.m., before Mass

Saturday: 4:45 p.m., before Mass

Sunday: 6:45 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 4:15 p.m.,
before all Masses

Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Monday-Friday: 3:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel):

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

8:45-9:45 a.m. after monthly First Friday Mass

Benediction:

Wednesday: 9:00-10:00 p.m.

Healing Prayer (in the Chapel):

Sunday: 6:00 p.m., after Mass

Reconciliation:

Monday-Saturday: After daily Mass in the Chapel

Saturday: 4:00-5:00 p.m. in the Church

By appointment (Church Office: 281-342-3609)

Anointing of the Sick

During First Friday Mass each month

By appointment

Baptism & Marriage

Preparation guidelines available by calling the parish office or at www.sacredheartrichmond.com.

Visitation of the Sick

Contact the parish office to make Communion arrangements for the sick and homebound.

Perpetual Adoration Chapel

Holy Rosary Church, 1416 George, Rosenberg

24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Parish Mission Statement

We are a faith-filled Catholic community centered in the compassionate Heart of Jesus.

We are called to know, love, and serve God and His creation. We joyfully welcome all to join God's family and be Christ's presence in the world.

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. (interpretation for deaf), 11:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

*Family Life Center nursery open during 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 5:00 p.m. Masses during the school year.

Weekday (Chapel):

Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m.

Mass Intentions for this Week

SATURDAY, July 22

8:00 a.m. + Gretchen Sheridan

5:30 p.m. Thomas and Alycia Gorman, in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary

SUNDAY, July 23

7:30 a.m. + Rev. Joseph Bang Doan

9:30 a.m. + Angela Malek

11:30 a.m. + Beryl Farnon

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

MONDAY, July 24

8:00 a.m. + Sarah Schappell

TUESDAY, July 25

8:00 a.m. + Theresa Talaber and +Joe Robert Rosprim

WEDNESDAY, July 26

8:00 a.m. Christopher Paul Mai

THURSDAY, July 27

8:00 a.m. Nora Dominguez

FRIDAY, July 28

8:00 a.m. + Billie J. Rebler

SATURDAY, July 29

8:00 a.m. + John Grace

5:30 p.m. + Martha Zatopek

SUNDAY, July 30

7:30 a.m. + Leslie Beiersdorfer

9:30 a.m. Anthony M. Rosella

11:30 a.m. Christopher Paul Mai

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Readings for July 23

Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16;

Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 [24-30]

Readings for July 30

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77,

127-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 [44-46]



Baptism on July 9, 2017

Sawyer Cheri To'oto'o

child of

Ernie L. To'oto'o and Nicole C. Comeaux

This week's altar flower donors:

- ◆ **Linda Stoeltje**, in honor of **Aunt Shelley and Aunt Gretchen**.
- ◆ **Tom and Alycia Gorman**, in celebration of their **50th wedding anniversary**.
- ◆ **Van and Lizette Moon**, in honor of their **38th wedding anniversary**.
- ◆ **James and Rose Stanley**, in memory of their son, **Christopher Stanley**.
- ◆ Altar flowers are a beautiful way of honoring a loved one or recognizing a special occasion.
- ◆ Cost: \$50
- ◆ The 2017 Altar Flower Calendar binder is located in the narthex of the church (on the podium to the right as you enter the church).



Knitting/Crochet Club and Rosary Guild

- ◆ Mondays 10:00 -11:30 a.m., CCE Building, Room 10
- ◆ All adults welcome.
- ◆ Rosary-making lessons available!



Sacred Heart Mother's Day Out and Preschool

- ◆ There are still a few openings in the three-year-old class!
- ◆ Enrollment forms can be found on the Sacred Heart website under the Mother's Day Out tab: www.sacredheartrichmond.com
- ◆ More info: Kelly Strnadel, Mother's Day Out Office, 281-232-5850, shmdo@sbcglobal.net

Offertory for July 16

SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$ 17,625.17
FAITH DIRECT	\$ 5,751.49
TOTAL COLLECTION	\$ 23,376.66
BUDGETED WEEKLY	\$ 25,400.00
DIFFERENCE	\$ -2,023.34

BUILDING FUND	111.00
Faith Direct Building Fund	<u>286.75</u>
TOTAL BUILDING FUND	\$ 397.75

*Faith Direct—visit www.faithdirect.net.
For online enrollment use church code TX136.*

Upcoming Area VIRTUS Classes

- ◆ **Keeping the Promise Alive:**
 - Epiphany of the Lord, Katy, 7:00 p.m. July 27, Aug. 10, Sept. 21
 - **Sacred Heart, Richmond, 7:00 p.m.—Tuesday, Aug. 1**
- ◆ **Protecting God's Children for Adults:**
 - St. Faustina, Fulshear, 9:00 a.m.—July 29, Aug. 19
 - **Sacred Heart, Richmond, 6:30 p.m.—Monday, July 31**
 - Epiphany of the Lord, Katy, 1:00 p.m.—Aug. 26
- ◆ **Must register online: www.virtus.org.**

Bulletin submissions:

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 a.m. the Tuesday 12 days prior to bulletin publication date

Submit announcement requests to:
Aimee Morvant, 281-342-8371, x 337
aimee@sacredheartrichmond.com

Treasures from Our Tradition

For centuries, the only Eucharistic Prayer we heard as Western Catholics was the old Roman Canon, usually recited in a low voice by the priest, in Latin. By the 1940s, many Catholics were learning to follow along with the actions of the priest by means of a bilingual missal, with Latin on one side and English on the other. Drawings of the priest's position at the altar, moving from one side to the other, or bowing or standing with uplifted hands at the center, helped the readers stay on track.

The Roman Canon is a long prayer, and since it was done every day for every occasion, priests had a way of galloping through it. Even though long, its structure is fairly simple, with the consecration and sacrifice clearly marked out. Sadly, this surviving prayer had triumphed over many treasures of our tradition that emphasized other dimensions of Eucharist. The Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy in 1963 did not call directly for new Eucharistic Prayers, but that direction was inevitable. Discussion began almost immediately, and by 1967 the Vatican approved three new Eucharistic Prayers. In 1974, the Congregation for Worship unveiled the experiment of two Eucharistic Prayers for Masses of Reconciliation, and three for Masses with Children. At last, a period of creativity and enrichment had begun.

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Sacred Heart Job Opening: Business Administrator

SUMMARY

Works under the direction of the Pastor and assists him with the stewardship of the physical, financial and human resources of the parish, in accordance with Galveston-Houston Archdiocesan and Sacred Heart Church's policies and guidelines. The Business Manager values the organization and the responsible management of its resources. The Business Manager of Sacred Heart Church must understand and support the mission and vision which the Pastor has set for the parish, must be prayerful, project a faith-filled presence, have knowledge of the Catholic Faith and support its social teachings.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

include the following. Other duties may be assigned.

1. Prepares, administers and reviews compliance with the budget for revenue and expenses in collaboration with Pastor and Finance Council;
2. Advises the Pastor regarding the application of financial policies;
3. Facilitates the achievement of revenue targets, including offertory, Bishop's appeals, special collections, planned giving, and other fundraising activities;
4. Monitors the collection, counting, depositing, and recording of revenue from all sources;
5. Ensures that proper internal controls pertaining to the safeguarding of assets are in place and followed;
6. Maintains an accurate filing and record keeping and reporting system of parish financial matters;
7. Ensures that timely reconciliation of all accounts is performed;
8. Oversees processing of payroll for compliance with Archdiocesan policies and with federal and state regulations;
9. Oversees the Bookkeeper who prepares monthly, quarterly, and year-end financial reports for the Pastor and the necessary Archdiocesan Finance Offices;
10. Facilitates reporting to the parishioners regarding the use of their gifts of time, talent, and treasure;
11. Assists the Pastor in financial stewardship and long-range planning efforts;
12. Serves as a resource to the Pastor in all financial matters from planning to auditing;
13. Directs the operation of the business office;
14. Schedules, supervises, and provides staff support and management;
15. Oversees operation of computer system, telephone system, and other equipment;
16. Attends Pastor-approved Archdiocesan meetings for training and development.

SPECIFIC KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES REQUIRED

1. Knowledge of accounting principles and best practices;
2. Knowledge of and commitment to stewardship;
3. Knowledge of cash flow management;
4. Knowledge and ability in budgeting principles;
5. Knowledge of development, fundraising, planned giving, and long-range planning techniques;
6. Ability to communicate with and collaborate with staff, councils, and committees;

7. Ability to supervise and manage the work of the Bookkeeper and other staff as assigned;
8. Working knowledge of computer operations and office equipment;
9. Knowledge of Archdiocesan record keeping requirements;
10. Knowledge of human resource policies, procedures, and regulations;
11. Strong interpersonal and organizational skills;
12. Ability to work cooperatively with volunteers;
13. Ability to maintain confidentiality.
14. Prerequisite of English fluency and comprehension.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- College degree with major in Business Administration, Accounting, or Finance preferred. Five to ten years' experience in business, bookkeeping, or accounting required.

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Supervise bookkeeper and other office support staff as directed by Pastor.
- Supervises the maintenance staff and manages major repairs or new construction.
- Negotiates contracts with suppliers and construction firms.
- Plans for and takes care of the parish's maintenance needs.
- Prepares, administers, and communicates the parish's security policy and disaster preparedness plan.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently required to sit and talk or hear. This employee is occasionally required to stand, walk, use hands and fingers, handle, or feel, reach with hand and arms. The employee is occasionally required to stand and stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl. The employee must occasionally lift and/or move up to 25 pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, and the ability to adjust focus.

WORK ENVIRONMENT

General office environment

Qualified candidates are encouraged to send resume, letter of interest, and salary history to:

fathermichael@sacredhrt.com

Sacred Heart Job Opening: Director of Music Ministry

Department: Liturgy

FLSA Status: Exempt

Job Type: Full-time

Required education: Bachelor's

Required experience: music 3 years

Sacred Heart Church in Richmond, TX is in the stage of revamping the Music and Liturgical ministry. We are seeking a well-trained choral director that can recruit new talents, increase our repertoire and bring us to the next level.

The Director of Music Ministry at Sacred Heart Church is responsible for planning, directing, and implementing music for all liturgical and Eucharistic celebrations within the parish.

The Director of Music Ministry reports to both the Parish Administrator and the Pastor.

THE GOALS FOR SACRED HEART'S MUSIC MINISTRY

- To foster “*full, active, and conscious participation*” of the community during the Eucharist by means of careful planning, repeated use of known repertoire, diligent rehearsal and preparation by the musicians, and transparent execution by the music ministry during the liturgy.
- To enhance liturgical prayer by providing quality, well-prepared music including traditional hymns, contemporary songs, Latin repertoire, choral and instrumental selections that match the scriptures of the day, thereby leading the assembly deeper into prayer.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Sunday Liturgies

- Plan all liturgies attentive to the needs of each season
- Attend Liturgy Committee meetings, staff meetings
- Prepare necessary music for rehearsals
- Coordinate volunteers, create calendars
- Schedule accompanists and cantors
- Rehearse adult and teen choirs weekly and additional choirs seasonally
- Prepare director, cantor, and accompanist books weekly
- Collaborate with Pastor, Director of Liturgy, and Director of Youth Ministry for a comprehensive plan for engaging youth at Sunday Eucharist.

Seasonal liturgies

- Plan seasonal liturgies of Advent, Christmas, Christmas Season, Lent, Holy Week, Easter, and Easter Season
- Plan and prepare music for Holy Days and Feasts
- Plan Sacramental liturgies, Confirmation, First Eucharist, Penance services, and liturgies for Anointing of the Sick
- Recruit orchestra, prepare books for orchestra for Christmas, Easter, and other special liturgies

Non-Liturgical

- Facilitate Seasonal and Multicultural Concerts

Scheduling

- Weekly and seasonal scheduling of the cantors and accompanists for adults, teens, and children

Budget

- Plan, prepare, and maintain music budget

Payroll

- Submit payroll for accompanists on a biweekly basis
- Manage payroll for wedding and funeral cantors and accompanists
- Secure instrumentalists for holiday liturgies and plan payroll
- It should be noted that planning, accompanying or singing at weddings or funerals are considered part of the “ordinary” non-paid duties of the Director of Music as an “exempt employee” (The payment of stipends to the Director of Music is not permitted in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston)

Recruiting

- Recruit and build on existing member base
- Orient and support new members
- Train new cantors, and refresh training of existing cantors
- Recruit, prepare, and train Sacred Heart Youth/Teen Choir
- Recruit, prepare, and train Sacred Heart Christmas Children's Choir

Weddings

- Interview couples and assist in planning of wedding liturgy using the new Rite for Weddings guidelines

Funerals

- Meet with families and assist in planning funeral liturgy, music and readings, possible worship aid
- Schedule cantor and accompanist

Music Library

- Order, stamp, and inventory music library for both choral and instrumental use
- Pull and refile music for weekly use

Copyrights

- Maintain and renew copyright licenses, OneLicense.net, & CCLI
- Report copyright usage to various administrative licensing agencies for print or projection liturgical and retreat usage

Oversight and maintenance of music ministry assets

- Oversee disaster plan for choir and music area of church, and choir room.
- Oversee care and maintenance of sound system, including microphones, mic stands, mic holders, cables, and portable speakers
- Oversee care, maintenance and tuning of pianos, organ, and other musical instruments
- Oversee and care for ancillary music equipment, music stand lights, music stands

Director of Music Ministry, continued

EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Minimum of 3 years as a Director of Music at a large Catholic Parish
- Demonstrated skill as an effective choral conductor
- Proficient in conducting, and singing, and competent in use of piano for rehearsal purposes as attested to by formal credentials (music degree preferred) and a personal performance audition
- Extensive musical knowledge including standard modern Catholic music, traditional hymns, and multi-part octavos
- Proficient working knowledge of other instruments which might be used in liturgical music
- Exemplary communication and team building skills (working with staff, adult and teen volunteers, children and parents)
- Proficient understanding of liturgical requirements for weekend Eucharistic celebrations and other liturgical celebrations
- Knowledge of Catholic liturgy is strongly recommended

WORKING ENVIRONMENT

- This is a full-time position requiring regular weekend and evening work hours
- Must be flexible depending on the scheduling of special liturgies and parish events

Interested and qualified candidates should send a resume, salary requirements, and three references that can attest to their qualifications to fathermichael@sacredhrt.com with the words "Director of Music Ministry" in the Subject line.

Sacred Heart Job Opening: Coordinator of Youth Formation

Summary:

Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Richmond, TX is in search of a full-time Coordinator of Junior High/High School and Young Adult Faith Formation. The successful candidate will be responsible for administering a comprehensive and effective faith formation program for parish youth grades 6-12 as well as young adults.

Education / Experience:

- A Bachelor's degree in Theology or Religious Studies/Education is preferred.
- Extensive training and certification in administering youth catechetical and formation programs and at least five years teaching/ministry experience is required.

Please send resume, letter of interest, and salary history to: info@sacredheartrichmond.com

Loving Someone

To love someone deeply gives you strength. Being loved by someone deeply gives you courage.

~Lao Tzu

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, July 24

- 10:00 a.m. Knitting/Crochet Club and Rosary Guild
- 7:30 p.m. Men's Basketball

Tuesday, July 25

- 6:45 p.m. KC Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. RCIA

Wednesday, July 26

- 9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 7:00 p.m. Praying Our Goodbyes

Thursday, July 27

Friday, July 28

Saturday, July 29

- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

Sunday, July 30

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

- ◆ August 25-27
- ◆ Retreat for post-abortion healing for men and women, grandparents, or friends of those who are suffering.
- ◆ This Scripture-based retreat offers opportunities for Reconciliation, counseling, spiritual direction, reflection, and meditation.
- ◆ More info: Julie Fritsch, Office of Pro-Life Activities, 713-741-8728, jkfritsch@archgh.org or Cindy Renaudo, RV Houston, 713-825-0649, crenaudo@rvhouston.org,
- ◆ Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston in collaboration with RV Houston, Inc.

Day of Prayer for Caregivers: "Growing in God's Peace and Love"

- ◆ For caregivers of children and adults with disabilities
- ◆ Saturday, August 12, 10:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.
- ◆ Cenacle Retreat House, 420 N. Kirkwood, Houston, 77079.
- ◆ Cost: \$35 by August 4; includes lunch.
- ◆ Presented by Carole Polzer and co-sponsored by the Ministry with Persons with Disabilities for the Archdiocese
- ◆ More info and to register: archgh.cvent.com/DayofPrayer2017 or call 713-741-8730.

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

Cami Chedester, Director of Faith Formation cami@sacredheartrichmond.com

281-342-8371, x 344

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2017-2018 Registration forms have been mailed to parishioners. Blank forms are available in the Faith Formation office. Online registration is also available at www.sacredheartrichmond.com.

Payment can be made with cash, check or online with Faith Direct (www.faithdirect.net: select "Give now," Church code of TX136, and "Faith Formation"). *Contact the Director of Faith Formation if you have any questions or need financial assistance.*

July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
23	24	25 †	26	27	28	29
30	31					

7/28-30-Archdiocesan Youth Conference (high school students)

† RCIA
Dates in bold type indicate special notes listed on the side.

Sacramental Preparation



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) and Family Catechumenate

Now is the perfect time to come and check out the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and Family Catechumenate!

If you are not baptized, or baptized in another faith and would like to become Catholic, this is the place to be.

We study the Catholic teachings and devotions throughout the year as we prepare for living the sacramental life.

There are sessions for adults, teens and children over the age of seven.

Call Cami Chedester for more information, 281-342-8371, ext. 344.

UPCOMING CATECHETICAL SESSIONS

Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00 p.m. CCE 7-10

Tuesday, July 25	Stewardship, Creation, and Dignity of Life
Tuesday, August 1	NO CLASS
Tuesday, August 8	Life Issues
Tuesday, August 15	Faith
Tuesday, August 22	Introduction to RCIA Journey

Faith Formation (CCE) and Ministry for Children

Contact: Sister Jannette Pruitt, OSF, 281-342-8371 x 343, or sr.jannette@sacredheartrichmond.com

**NEW and RETURNING Elementary Catechists:
 Training opportunities coming soon!**

Watch the bulletin, website, and Flocknote for more information.

Faith Formation and Ministry for Youth (EDGE and Life Teen)

Contact: Akunna Okere, 281-342-8371, x. 341 or akunna@sacredheartrichmond.com

FAITH FORMATION AND MINISTRY FOR ADULTS

Contact: Kathryn Strong, 281-342-8371, x 336 or kathryn@sacredheartrichmond.com

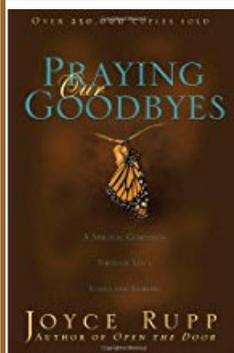


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- ◆ Go to PROGRAMS and explore the variety of offerings ... something for everyone in the family!
- ◆ ENJOY!



SUMMER BOOK STUDY FOR ADULTS

continues Wednesdays, July 26, August 2
7:00-8:30 p.m. Martha and Mary 12

PRAYING OUR GOODBYES

Joyce Rupp writes about the spirituality of change. We all experience **change and loss** in our lives ... the loss of a loved one, a divorce, our children growing up and moving out, the loss or change of a job, the loss of a friendship, the loss of health, a move to another home, or change that comes from taking care of a parent or family member. In this four-week series, we will discuss how to pray through the changes in our lives and allow the Lord to strengthen us for the special journey that lies ahead of us.

Please call 281-342-8371 to register and reserve a book. Donations (\$12) to cover the cost of the book are appreciated.

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR:

Al Balinski	Jeanette Krupa	Dwight Miles
Georgie Bergen	Jenny Kucera	Lou Ann Mowka
Andrew Boyd	John Kujawa	Kathleen Nguyen
Kevin Brady	James Lindemann	Innocent Okere
Deb Chappell	Sandra Lindemann	Eula Mae Ortego
Elvia Contreras	Mary Loria	Cecilia Pargac
Lisa Deleon	Tommy Mafnas	Mike Penny
Mary Doetterl	Bridget Malone	Kirk Peschke
Neal Ewald	Jake Manthei	Ron Peschke
Pam Featherkile	Kitty Manthei	Lil & Milt Polansky
Henrietta Fagg	Chelsea Maresh	Donald Schafer
Kayley Flores	J.J. Martinez	Jasper Self
Olivia Garcia	Anthony Mazerole	Ed Strnadel
Melvin Hamilton	Ginger McClellan	Philip Valka
Steve Ho	Glen McClellan	Kim Wycoff and family
Pat Houlihan	Sara Metcalf	

Prayers also requested for all military men & women; all health caregivers; prayer blanket recipients; and all those in need of healing, comfort, and strength.

**To add a name to the prayer list, contact Aimee: 281-342-8371, aimee@sacredheartrichmond.com
Names will be kept on the prayer list for 3 months. Contact Aimee if continued prayers are needed.

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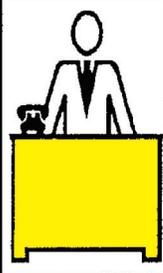
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