



### Celebration of the Mass

<b>Saturday</b> (Vigil)	5:00 p.m.	English
<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 a.m.	English
	11:00 a.m.	English
	1:00 p.m.	Spanish
	6:00 p.m.	English

### Weekdays

Monday - Friday  
12 noon

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Monday:</b>	Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56
<b>Thursday:</b>	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
<b>Friday:</b>	Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
<b>Saturday:</b>	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
<b>Sunday:</b>	<u>Vigil:</u> Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2a, 24, 35c, 27-28, 29bc-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 <u>Day:</u> Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

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### Parish Ministries and Organizations

ACTS	Men's Huddle Group
Altar Society	Middle School Youth Grp
Bible Study	Ministerio Unidos En Cristo
Covenant of Love	Music Ministry
Columbiettes	New Life Ministry
CYO Sports	Pastoral Council
Divine Mercy Cenacle	Peace-Life-Justice Cmte
Familias Unidas En Cristo	Prayer Blanket Group
Finance Council	Prayer Chain Warriors
Guadalupe Society	ROSEFEST Committee
High School Youth Group	Squires
Knights of Columbus	St. Vincent de Paul Society
Liturgy Committee	Young Adults
Marriage Preparation Team	

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Parents of the child must be registered members of the Parish or live within the Parish boundaries. Register in the Parish Office Monday through Friday. Please bring with you a copy of the state birth certificate and godparent's proof of Sacraments and, if applicable, marriage in the Catholic Church

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please contact the Parish Secretary a minimum of 6 months in advance of desired date to begin paperwork.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Fridays 11-11:45 a.m., and 2 - 5 p.m. Saturdays 4 - 4:45 p.m.

**Quinceañeras:** Debutante must be a registered member of the parish in good standing who is attending Catholic School or Religious Education classes for at least 2 years prior to the celebration and attend sessions focused on the meaning of the Quinceañera. One year notice is required.

**Reflection by Saint Augustine, Bishop on The Ascension of our Lord:** No one has ever ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven.

"Today our Lord Jesus Christ ascended into heaven; let our hearts ascend with him. Listen to the words of the Apostle: *If you have risen with Christ, set your hearts on the things that are above where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God; seek the things that are above, not the things that are on earth.* For just as he remained with us even after his ascension, so we too are already in heaven with him, even though what is promised us has not yet been fulfilled in our bodies.

Christ is now exalted above the heavens, but he still suffers on earth all the pain that we, the members of his body, have to bear. He showed this when he cried out from above: *Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?* and when he said: *I was hungry and you gave me food.* Why do we on earth not strive to find rest with him in heaven even now, through the faith, hope and love that unites us to him?

While in heaven he is also with us; and we while on earth are with him. He is here with us by his divinity, his power and his love. We cannot be in heaven, as he is on earth, by divinity, but in him, we can be there by love.

He did not leave heaven when he came down to us; nor did he withdraw from us when he went up again into heaven. The fact that he was in heaven even while he was on earth is borne out by his own statement: *No one has ever ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man, who is in heaven.* These words are explained by our oneness with Christ, for he is our head and we are his body. No one ascended into heaven except Christ because we also are Christ: he is the Son of Man by his union with us, and we by our union with him are sons of God.

So the Apostle says: *Just as the human body, which has many members, is a unity, because all the different members make one body, so is it also with Christ.* He too has many members, but one body. Out of compassion for us he descended from heaven, and although he ascended alone, we also ascend, because we are in him by grace. Thus, no one but Christ descended and no one but Christ ascended; not because there is no distinction between the head and the body, but because the body as a unity cannot be separated from the head."

**"Follow Me" Feast of Corpus Christi Procession:**

Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, invites you to join him Sunday, June 18, 2017 at San Fernando Cathedral after the noon mass for this Eucharistic procession led by him. He asks that you please bring flower petals for the procession. For more information please visit [www.sfcathedral.org](http://www.sfcathedral.org).

**"Sigue Me" Procession de Fiesta del Corpus Christi:**

Arzobispo Gustavo García-Siller le invita unirse a él el 18 de Junio de 2017 en la Catedral de San Fernando despues de la Misa del mediodia para esta procesion Eucharitica dirigida por él. Pide que traigas pétalos de flores para la procession. Para obtener más información, visite [www.sfcathedral.org](http://www.sfcathedral.org).

**Reflejo por San Agustin, Obispo sobre la Ascención del Señor:** Nadie ha subido al cielo sino aquel que ha bajado del cielo.

"Hoy nuestro Señor Jesucristo ha subido al cielo; suba también con él nuestro corazón. Oigamos lo que nos dice el Apóstol: *Si habéis sido resucitados con Cristo, buscad las cosas de arriba, donde Cristo está sentado a la diestra de Dios. Poned vuestro corazón en las cosas del cielo, no en las de la tierra.* Pues, del mismo modo que él subió sin alejarse por ello de nosotros, así también nosotros estamos ya con él allí, aunque todavía no se haya realizado en nuestro cuerpo lo que se nos promete.

Él ha sido elevado ya a lo más alto de los cielos; sin embargo, continúa sufriendo en la tierra a través de las fatigas que experimentan sus miembros. Así lo atestiguó con aquella voz bajada del cielo: *Saulo, Saulo, ¿por qué me persigues?* Y también: *Tuve hambre y me disteis de comer.* ¿Por qué no trabajamos nosotros también aquí en la tierra, de manera que, por la fe, la esperanza y la caridad que nos unen a él, descansemos ya con él en los cielos?

Él está allí, pero continúa estando con nosotros; asimismo, nosotros, estando aquí, estamos también con él. Él está con nosotros por su divinidad, por su poder, por su amor; nosotros, aunque no podemos realizar esto como él por la divinidad, lo podemos sin embargo por el amor hacia él.

Él, cuando bajó a nosotros, no dejó el cielo; tampoco nos ha dejado a nosotros, al volver al cielo. Él mismo asegura que no dejó el cielo mientras estaba con nosotros, pues que afirma: *Nadie ha subido al cielo sino aquel que ha bajado del cielo, el Hijo del hombre, que está en el cielo.* Esto lo dice en razón de la unidad que existe entre él, nuestra cabeza, y nosotros, su cuerpo. Y nadie, excepto él, podría decirlo, ya que nosotros estamos identificados con él, en virtud de que él, por nuestra causa, se hizo Hijo del hombre, y nosotros, por él, hemos sido hechos hijos de Dios.

En este sentido dice el Apóstol: *Lo mismo que el cuerpo es uno y tiene muchos miembros, y todos los miembros del cuerpo, a pesar de ser muchos, son un solo cuerpo, así es también Cristo.* No dice: «Así es Cristo», sino: *Así es también Cristo.* Por tanto, Cristo es un solo cuerpo formado por muchos miembros. Bajó, pues, del cielo, por su misericordia, pero ya no subió él solo, puesto que nosotros subimos también en él por la gracia. Así, pues, Cristo descendió él solo, pero ya no ascendió él solo; no es que queramos confundir la divinidad de la cabeza con la del cuerpo, pero sí afirmamos que la unidad de todo el cuerpo pide que éste no sea separado de su cabeza."



SCHEDULE OF MASSES  
MASS INTENTIONS

<b>May 29</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>	Juan Carlos Ruiz †; Richard G. Bustos Sr †
<b>May 30</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>	James Payton Family - Special Intention
<b>May 31</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>	Michael Lesczycynski †
<b>June 1</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>	Dorothy Brownley †
<b>June 2</b>	<b>12 p.m.</b>	Rogelio & Anita Martinez - In Thanksgiving
<b>June 3</b>	<b>5 p.m.</b>	Noe Gonzalez †; Charles Moore Sr †
<b>June 4</b>	<b>9 a.m.</b>	Aaron Aguilar - In Thanksgiving; Holy Souls in Purgatory
	<b>11 a.m.</b>	Glicerio Mulato †
	<b>1 p.m.</b>	For Living and Deceased Benefactors of St Rose of Lima
	<b>6 p.m.</b>	For Living and Deceased Benefactors of St Rose of Lima



*The sanctuary lamp burns for the month of June  
for a Special Intention*



There is only **three more days** before registration for next years classes is over. Classes are quickly being filled and will begin in late August and are filled on a first-come first-served basis. If your child will be in a First Communion or Confirmation class, they will need a copy of their Baptismal Certificate. If you have any questions, please contact the Religious Education office at (210) 675-1920 Monday thru Thursday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Registration Deadline is: May 31, 2017**

Solo hay **tres dias mas** de registraciones para el proximo año. Las clases empezaran el fin de Agosto y se estan llenando rapidamente a primer llegado primer servido. Si su niño/niña va atender la clase de Primera Comunion o Confirmacion, necesitaran una copia de certificado de Bautizo. Si tiene alguna pregunta, favor de llamar a la oficina de Catecismo al numero (210) 675-1920 de Lunes - Jueves de 4:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m.

**Fecha Límite de Inscripción es: 31 de Mayo, 2017**

**R.C.I.A.**

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Are you a baptized Catholic and have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation? Are you a non-Catholic interested in the Catholic Church? Then R.C.I.A. is your answer! Registrations are currently being taken in the Religious Education Building on Monday thru Thursday from 4-7 p.m. For more information, please call their office during their business hours.

*Please Pray For...*

Yvonne DeLeon, Elena Lyson, Louis Estrada,  
Patricia Serna, Becky Boyer,  
Lina Limon Serna, David Saldaña, Mary Lou Riddle

**Retrouvaille:** Is your marriage struggling? There is hope. There is help... RETROVAILLE. A highly successful program to help Couples Heal and renew their Marriages. Since 1977, tens of thousands of couples in hopelessly cold, unloving relationships, or on the verge of divorce, have restored their love for one another by attending the program. The next Course in San Antonio begins on June 9, 2017. For more information, or to register, go to [HelpOurMarriage.com](http://HelpOurMarriage.com) or you may call 210-848-3278.

**St Vincent de Paul:** Today as we celebrate the feast of the Ascension we are reminded that Christ's saving work on earth continues through his disciples...and now through us. This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul brought the love and care of Jesus to the poor by assisting 170 families, providing \$2,260.00 in food, \$1,603.94 for utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

**Covenant of Love:** Engaged and married couples are invited to a date night on Friday, June 2 from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. It's a great way to set aside time for building a stronger marriage, a stronger family and a stronger church community.

A couple attending "Covenant of Love Date Night" enjoys a relaxed meal, social interaction with other parish couples and revitalizes the commitment made when they first came together as husband and wife. Come learn how you can make a good marriage even better.

Please RSVP to [rose.ponce@att.net](mailto:rose.ponce@att.net) or call Efrain or Rose Marie at (210) 218-7552 or (210) 218-3467

## Parish Calendar

### This Week at St. Rose of Lima

- SUNDAY** Kitchen - ACTS Core  
Young Adult Group - 7 p.m.
- MONDAY** Parish Offices - Closed
- TUESDAY** Teen ACTS Team Meeting - 6 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY** SVDP Counseling Service - 6 p.m.  
Spanish Choir Practice - 6:30 p.m.
- THURSDAY** Squires Meeting - 6:00 p.m.  
Spanish Prayer Group - 6:30 p.m.  
Adult Choir Practice - 7 p.m.  
Bingo - 7:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY** Covenant of Love - 6:30 p.m.  
Familias Unidas en Cristo - 6:30 p.m.  
1st Communion Rehearsal - 6:30 p.m.
- SATURDAY** First Communion Mass - 10:00 a.m.

**Divine Mercy Cenacle:** The Divine Mercy Cenacle will meet every 3rd Thursday beginning in June. For more information please contact: Norma Lara at (210)-232-2945.



**Ministerio Unidos en Cristo:** NO tendremos reunión el Lunes 29 de Mayo por motivo de Memorial Day. Les Esperamos de Nuevo: Junio 5, 2017 - Hora Santa en la Iglesia a las 7:00 p.m.

**Fondo de Becas Rev. Mons. Larry J. Droll:** El Arzobispo Gustavo se complace en informarle sobre la Becas de Mons. Droll para mujeres y hombres laicos que actualmente están matriculados en escuelas Católicas graduadas de Teología o estudios religiosos - hecho disponible por Catholic Life Insurance. La fecha limite para aplicar es el 15 de Septiembre de 2017. Para cualquier pregunta, comuníquese con Barbara Cheaney, Coordinadora del Fondo, al 210-828-9921

**Altar Server Training:** Training for any youth who are interested in becoming Altar Servers will be held on Wednesday, June 7th or Wednesday, June 14th from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Requirement to be an Altar Server is that the child has made his/her 1st Communion and entering 3rd Grade or above who has made his/her 1st Communion. If you need any further information, please call Mingo Ramos at (210) - 632-6165 or [mingoramos5@gmail.com](mailto:mingoramos5@gmail.com).

**Entrenamiento de Monaguillo:** El entrenamiento para cualquier joven que esté interesado en convertirse en Monaguillo se llevará a cabo el Miércoles 7 de Junio o Miercoles, 14 de Junio de 6:30 p.m. a 8:30 p.m. El requisito de ser Monaguillo es que el niño/niña haiga hecho su Primera Comunión e ingresar al tercer grado o cualquier niño/niña mayor que haya hecho su Primera Comunión. Si necesita mas información, llame al (210) - 632-6165 y hable con Mingo Ramos o [mingoramos5@gmail.com](mailto:mingoramos5@gmail.com).

**Catholic Women's Conference:** Group rates are available for a limited time for the annual Catholic Women's Conference, which will be held at St Mary's University July 28-29. Come join other ladies from St. Rose for two days of healing and spiritual direction. Speakers for the conference include: Father Michael Gaitley, author of Consoling the Heart of Jesus and 33 Days to Morning Glory; Therese Cirner and Lisa Mladnich. The group rate is \$50.00, which includes admission, breakfast and lunch. To join the St Rose group please contact Janie Villarreal @ 415-6076 or Rose Marie Ponce @ 218-3467.

**Rev. Msgr. Larry J. Droll Scholarship Fund:** Archbishop Gustavo is pleased to inform you about this year's Msgr. Droll for lay women and men who are currently enrolled in Catholic graduate Schools of theology or religious studies - made available by Catholic Life Insurance. The deadline to apply is September 15, 2017. For any questions, please contact Barbara Cheaney, Fund Coordinator, at 210-828-9921.

### May 14, 2017 Collection

		1st Collection	Second Collection	Mailed in
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5 p.m.</b>	\$ 5,022.50	\$ 431.00	\$ 225.00
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9 a.m.</b>	3,945.50	542.00	
	<b>11 a.m.</b>	4,684.50	796.00	
	<b>1 p.m.</b>	2,603.50	584.00	
	<b>5 p.m.</b>	3,162.50	344.00	

**Regular Collection Total: \$ 19,643.50**  
**Second Collection Total: \$ 2,697.00**  
**Next Week's Second Collection is for: Priest Pension Fund**



THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN ANTONIO  
JOYFULLY ANNOUNCES THE

*Ordination of the Class of 2017*

*And the*

*50th Anniversary of Restoration of  
The Diaconate Program*

*Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, M.Sp.S.*

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*Rev. Msgr. Patrick J. Ragsdale, V.U.*

*requests your presence and prayers*

*Saturday, June 17, 2017*

*10:00 a.m.*

*St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church*

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*Ordination of the  
Diaconate Formation  
Class of 2017*

*to the*

*Sacred Order of Deacon*

*By*

*Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, M.Sp.S.  
Diaconate Formation Class of 2017*

*Clinton A. Couch*

*John W. Gearhart*

*Stephen M. Kerr*

*Michael T. Matteson*

*José A. Santos*

*Michael R. Vrzalik*



**Fullness of Truth:** A Catholic Evangelization Ministry strives to deepen and enrich the faith of thousands of Catholics and non-Catholics each year by organizing Catholic Family conferences throughout the state of Texas and beyond. Fullness of Truth is a 501(c)(3) non-profit lay apostolate that relies on the financial support of attendees, generous donors, and the prayers of all those who wish to promote the work of the New Evangelization. The next two conferences are as follows:

June 9 - 10, 2017

"Ephesians: "The mercy of Christ"

Featuring: Scott Hahn; John Bergsma; Michael Barber  
St. Thomas More Catholic Church  
10205 N FM 620 Austin, Texas 78726

August 25 - 27, 2017

Friday Night Matt Maher Concert, followed by  
"The Reformation's 500 year Report Card:  
Catholicism Remains Christ's Prayer for Unity"  
Featuring: Dr. Michael Barber; Dr. Frank Beckwith; Dr.  
David Anders; Gail Buckley; Fr. Ken Geraci  
Hyatt Regency Hill Country Resort & Spa  
9800 Hyatt Resort Drive; San Antonio, Texas 78251

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