

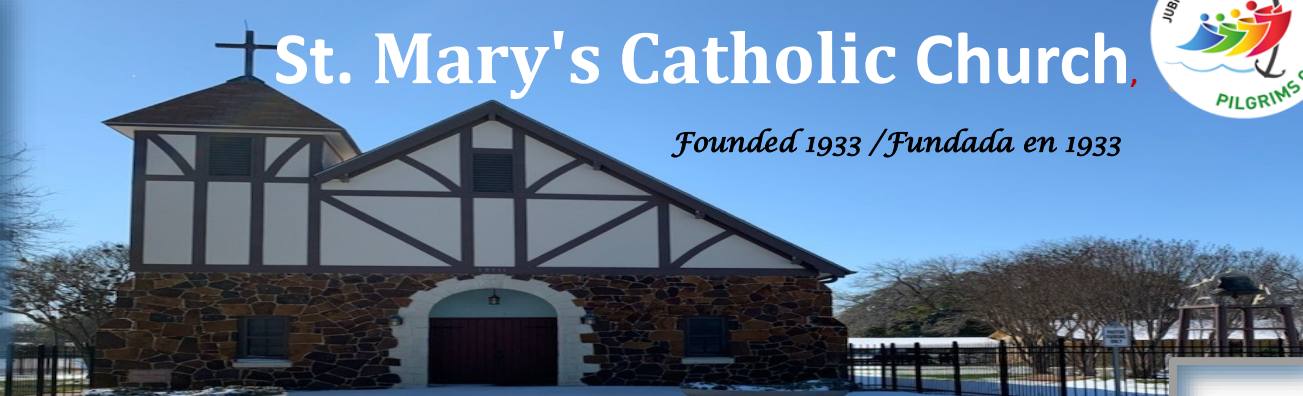
UPCOMING EVENTS / PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS: PARISH PRAYER GROUPS / GRUPOS DE ORACIÓN PARROQUIALES

- ⇒ **Saturday’s @ 7:30-9:00 a.m.:** All men are welcome to attend to the Men’s Prayer Group in the parish hall at St. Mary’s. / Sábados a a las 7:30 a 9:00 a. m.: Todos los hombres son bienvenidos a asistir al Grupo de Oración de Hombres en el salón parroquial de St. Mary’s.
- ⇒ **Tuesday, October 7th:** We invite all the ladies to attend. **She Shall Be Called Woman** at St. Peter’s Parish Hall at 6:30pm. For more information please contact Patricia Bautista at (817) 657-2128./ Martes 7 de octubre: Invitamos a todas las damas a asistir. Ella Será Llamada Mujer en el Salón Parroquial de San Pedro a las 6:30 h. Para más información, comuníquese con Patricia Bautista al (817) 657-2128.
- ⇒ We invite all every **Monday/Tuesday** for the Caminando Con Maria Grupo de Oración from 7pm to 8:45pm. For more information please contact Alma Salguero 210-917-7223/ Invitamos a todos los lunes y martes al Grupo de Oración Caminando con María de 7:00 a 8:45 h. Para más información, contacten a Alma Salguero al 210-917-7223.
- ⇒ We invite all every **Monday/Tuesday** for the Danza Corazon de Maria (Matachines) from 7pm to 8:45pm. For more information please contact : Imelda Cruz, 210-473-0350/ Invitamos a todos los lunes y martes a la Danza Corazón de María (Matachines) de 7:00 a 8:45 h. Para más información, contacten a Imelda Cruz, 210-473-0350.
- ⇒ We invite all for the **Communion Service and Holy Hour** is observed on the second **Tuesday** of every month in the Church for more information please contact Alma Salguero 210-917-7223/ Invitamos a todos al Servicio de Comunión y la Hora Santa se observa el segundo martes de cada mes en la Iglesia. Para más información por favor comunicarse con Alma Salguero 210-917-7223
- ⇒ We invite all every **Wednesday** for the bilingual rosary followed by Adoration starting at 6pm in the Church. For more information please contact Ricardo Abundes 956-459-4395/ Invitamos a todos los miércoles al rosario bilingüe, seguido de la Adoración a partir de las 6:00 h en la Iglesia. Para más información, contacten a Ricardo Abundes al 956-459-4395.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS / ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

- ⇒ **October 18: St. Mary’s Fall Festival from 11am–10pm.** . Donations are still being accepted . If you would like to run a booth of your choice or for more information please contact the coordinator Ignacio Mainez
- ⇒ For Raffel tickets please contact Robert Casias at 11:30am mass, Becky Martinez & 4pm mass and Diane Cuellar, Lupita 7:45am mass.
- ⇒ Please turn in all Raffle and Meal ticket money .
- ⇒ 18 de octubre: Festival de Otoño de Santa María, de 11:00 a. m. a 10:00 p. m. Se siguen aceptando donaciones. Si desea tener un puesto de su elección o para obtener más información, comuníquese con el coordinador, Ignacio Mainez.
- ⇒ Para obtener boletos para la rifa, comuníquese con Robert Casias en la misa de las 11:30 a. m., Becky Martínez en la misa de las 4:00 p. m. y Diane Cuellar y Lupita en la misa de las 7:45 a. m. Por favor, entregue el dinero de los boletos para la rifa y la comida.
- ⇒ October 11th at 12pm Rosary in the Prayer Garden : Commemorating the 118th Anniversary of the Miracle of the sun in Fatima, ploease contact Vee Morgan 830-444-9213
- ⇒ 11 de Octubre a las 12 p.m. Rosario en el Jardín de Oración: Conmemorando el 118 aniversario del Milagro del sol en Fátima, comuníquese con Vee Morgan 830-444-9213
- ⇒ **Sunday, November 2nd:** We invite all to attend the **All Souls Day Mass** starting at 3pm at Camero Funeral Home and Crematory located at 20567 Highway 16 South, Von Ormy,Tx 78073. There will be All Souls day mass intention envelopes available at the church for this day. For more information please call the Parish office. Followed by a mass at 5pm at St. Patrick’s Catholic Cemetery located at 19871-19891 Benton City Rd, Somerset, Texas, 78069. For more information please call the St. Mary’s Parish office./Domingo 2 de noviembre: Invitamos a todos a asistir a la Misa de Difuntos a partir de las 3:00 h en la Funeraria y Crematorio Camero, ubicada en 20567 Highway 16 South, Von Ormy, Texas 78073. Habrá sobres con las intenciones de la misa de Difuntos disponibles en la iglesia. Para más información, llamen a la oficina parroquial. A continuación, habrá una misa a las 5:00 h en el Cementerio Católico de San Patricio, ubicado en 19871-19891 Benton City Rd, Somerset, Texas 78069. Para más información, llamen a la oficina parroquial de Santa María.

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ,YEAR C, 27.º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO, AÑO C,  
OCTOBER 4TH & 5TH, 2025 4 Y 5 DE OCTUBRE DE 2025



**MISSION STATEMENT /** Through prayer and worship, we are dedicated to serving the pastoral and spiritual needs of our parish, forming a welcoming sanctuary for all and continue the mission of our Lord Jesus Christ to evangelize and Proclaim the Word to build up our Church community with loving care, and to help bring others closer to God.

**DECLARACIÓN DE MISSION:** A través de la oración y la adoración, nos dedicamos a servir las necesidades pastorales y espirituales de nuestra parroquia, formando un santuario acogedor para todos y continuando la misión de nuestro Señor Jesucristo de evangelizar y proclamar la Palabra para edificar nuestra comunidad de la Iglesia con cuidado amoroso y ayudar a acercar a otros a Dios.

**Mass Times / Horarios de Misa**

**Saturday / Sábado 4:00 p.m. English**

**Sunday / Domingo 7:45 a.m. Español**

**Sunday / Domingo 11:30 a.m. English**

**Confessions/ Confesiones**  
Saturday from 3:15to 3:50pm

**Weekday Mass/Misa de entre Semana**

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**  
**Lunes, Miércoles, Viernes 8:00 a.m.**  
**Holy Hour Friday after mass**

**Hora Santa Viernes después de la misa**

**Confessions/ Confesiones:** Friday from  
8:30to 9:15am

**Fr. Kishore Bathula, Pastor**

**Deacon Estevan Bautista**

**Office Staff: Mary Turrin—Bookkeeper**

**Maddie Casares— Office Administrator**

**Office Hours/ Horas de Oficina:**

**Mon / Lun 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

**Tue & Thurs / Mar-Jue 10a.m.- 5:00 p.m.**

**12:30p.m-1:30p.m(Lunch)**

**Physical Address:** 19711 N. Dixon Rd Somerset, TX 78069

**Mailing Address:** P.O. Box 295, Somerset, TX 78069

**Please contact.....**830-701-3123

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**Facebook.com/stmaryssomerset**

- ◇ **THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** the Sacrament is administered upon request to those seriously ill, permanently handicapped, very elderly and those undergoing major surgery. To arrange a pastoral visit please call the parish office.
- ◇ **HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:** Holy Communion will be brought to the home. Please call the office when someone is ill and unable to come to church. Prayers may be requested for the sick and the elderly. Call the office when someone is in the hospital. **CONFESSIONS:** Any time by request. **NEWCOMERS:** We are happy to have you. Please approach the pastor right after the mass.
- ◇ **FUNERALS:** The family of the deceased should consult the pastor by calling the parish office, concerning the time and place of the funeral before making commitments with the undertaker, the normal setting of the funeral Mass is the Church.

PARISH MINISTRY COORDINATORS/  
COORDINADORAS DEL MINISTERIO PARROQUIAL

- ⇒ **LITURGY**/ Liturgia: Patricia Bautista 817-657-2128
- ⇒ **DRE**—Sylvia Cruz 210-415-1364
- ⇒ **BAPTISM / MATRIMONY / QUINCINRA**: Dcn. Estevan Bautista 817-300-1145
- ⇒ **OCIA**: Diana Bonelli, 210-336-2638
- ⇒ **CEMETERY / CEMENTERIO**: Flo Uriegas, Cookie White, Carmen Barbola 830-399-2142
- ⇒ **PASTORAL COUNCIL / CONSEJO PASTORAL**: Ricardo Abundes, 956-459-4395
- ⇒ **FINANCIAL COUNCIL / CONSEJO FINANCIERO**:

PRAYER GROUPS/ GRUPOS DE ORACIÓN

- ⇒ **MEN’S PRAYER GROUP**: Dcn. Estevan Bautista, 817-300-1145
- ⇒ **WOMEN’S PRAYER GROUP**: Patricia Bautista, 817-657-2128
- ⇒ **CAMINANDO CON MARIA GRUPO DE ORACIÓN**: Alma Salguero, 210-917-7223
- ⇒ **DANZA CORAZON DE MARIA (MATACHINES)**: Imelda Cruz, 210-473-0350
- ⇒ **WEEKDAY MASS AND DEVOTIONS**: Mary Frances Anderson,

Weekend Collection/Colección  
Semanal:  
SEPTEMBER 25TH & 26TH

Saturday at 4pm -**\$1204.00**

Second collection- **\$.00**

Sunday at 7:45am- **\$590.84**

Second collection- **\$.00**

Sunday 11:30am **\$1293.00**

Children’s Mass - **\$120.00**

- \* Thank you for your continued support and generosity!
- \* Gracias por su continuo apoyo y generosidad.

This Sunday's Readings/

Lecturas de este Domingo

**First Reading** *Habakkuk* 1:2-3; 2:2-4  
The patience of the just man shall be rewarded when he sees the vision fulfilled.

**Responsorial Psalm** *Psalm* 95:1-2,6-7,8-9  
Sing joyfully to God, our salvation.

**Second Reading** *2 Timothy* 1:6-8,13-14  
Paul urges Timothy to remain strong in the Spirit of faith Timothy received.

**Gospel Reading** *Luke* 17:5-10  
Jesus teaches the apostles the importance of faith and service to God.

MASS INTENTIONS

|     |       |         |                                                                                                                                      |
|-----|-------|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SAT | 10/4  | 4PM     | <b>Special Intention</b><br><b>+Emilio Campos</b><br><b>+Velia Campos</b><br><b>+Eduardo Arguello Sr.</b><br><b>+William Barbola</b> |
| SUN | 10/5  | 7:45AM  | <b>+Luis Alaquinez</b><br><b>+Rafaela Marina</b>                                                                                     |
| Sun | 10/5  | 11:30AM | <b>+Gilberto Arguello Alaquinez</b>                                                                                                  |
| MON | 10/6  | 8AM     | <b>+Gloria Webber</b>                                                                                                                |
| Wed | 10/8  | 8AM     | <b>+Rebeca Garza</b><br><br><b>+Adrian B.Rodriguez</b>                                                                               |
| FRI | 10/10 | 8AM     | <b>Special Intention</b>                                                                                                             |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK / LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

**6 Mon** Weekday green/white/white  
[Saint Bruno, Priest; USA: Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin] Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37 (461)

**7 Tue** Our Lady of the Rosary white  
Memorial Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42 (462) Pss Prop

**8 Wed** Weekday green Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4 (463)

**9 Thu** Weekday green/red/white [Saint Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint John Leonardi, Priest] Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13 (464)

**10 Fri** Weekday green Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26 (465)

**11 Sat** Weekday green/white/white  
[Saint John XXIII, Pope; BVM] Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28 (466)

Luke 17:5-6 “And the apostles said unto the Lord, Increase our faith. And the Lord said, If ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey you.”

Thought for the week



St. Mary’s Fall Festival

Saturday, October18th 2025

11am-10pm **Raffle Tickets \$5.00**

Festival de Otoño de Santa María

Sábado, 18 de octubre de 2025

11:00am-10:00pm

**Brisket Meal Ticket \$12**

Dear parishioners .....

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold. *With love*

Fr.Kjshore Bathula.....

Assembly 2025 HONDO DEANERY

JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE  
Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, La Coste, Texas  
PILGRIMAGE SITE  
OCTOBER 24 & 25, 2025  
Friday, October 24th  
6:00 pm– 9:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/ Adoration  
Reconciliation/Penance Service

Saturday, October 25th

|                    |                                                                                 |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:30 am-9:30 am    | Mass                                                                            |
| 9:30 am            | Welcome                                                                         |
| 9:35 am– 10:35 am  | Keynote Speaker-Rev. Jean Oscar Nlandu                                          |
| 10:35 am– 10:45 am | Break/ Reconciliation until Noon                                                |
| 10:45 am– 11:00 am | Music by OLG Church Choirs                                                      |
| 11:00 am– 12:00 pm | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/Adoration/<br>Recitation of the Holy Rosary |
| 12:00 pm           | Prayer of the Angelus/ Benediction/Closing                                      |



Asamblea 2025 DECANATO DE HONDO  
AÑO JUBILEO DE LA ESPERANZA

Iglesia Católica Nuestra Señora de la Gracia, La Coste, Texas  
LUGAR DE PEREGRINACIÓN  
24 Y 25 DE OCTUBRE DE 2025

**Viernes 24 de octubre**

6:00 pm– 9:00 pm

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento/Adoración  
Servicio de Reconciliación/Penitencia

**Sábado 25 de octubre**

Misa de 8:30 a 9:30

Bienvenida de 9:30

Orador principal: Rev. Jean Oscar Nlandu de 9:35 a 10:35

Receso/Reconciliación hasta el mediodía de 10:35 a 10:45  
Música a cargo de los Coros de la Iglesia OLG de 10:45 a 11:00

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento/Adoración/Rezo del Santo Rosario de 11:00 a 12:00

Rezo del Ángelus/Bendición/Clausura de 12:00

Encuentra a Jesus en la Eucaristia en la Asamblea 2025

