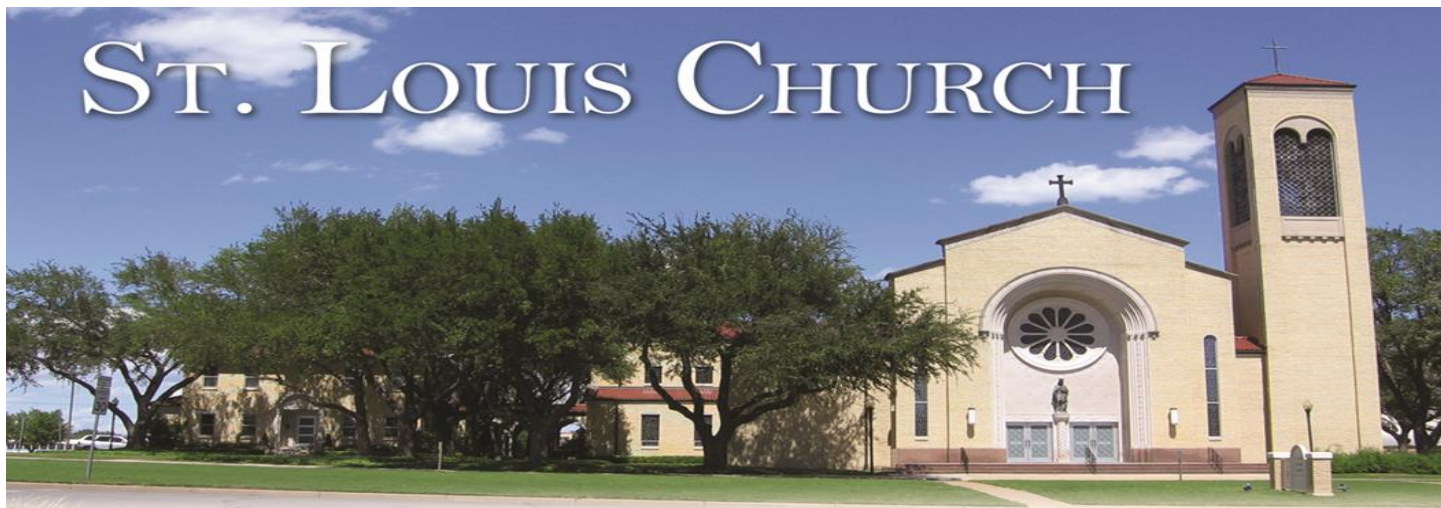


ST. LOUIS CHURCH



NOVEMBER 19, 2017 – THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SACRAMENTS

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Call the Church office

BAPTISM

Follow Weekend Masses

Baptismal Classes

English - First Saturday

9a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Spanish - Second Saturday

9a.m.—12:00 p.m.

MATRIMONY

Contact Priest 6 months prior
to the wedding date

CONFESSION

Thursday

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

(with Adoration until 6:30 p.m.)

Saturday

4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

(Also by appointment)

HELP WITH ANNULMENTS

Contact: Beverly Dickey
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REICHER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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www.reicher.org

Principal

Mrs. Mindy Taylor
mtaylor@reicher.org

HOLY EUCHARIST

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday - Friday 12:05 p.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses

9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

& 5:00 p.m.

Spanish Mass at 1:30 p.m.

*Nursery is available during
the 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. Masses*

ST. LOUIS CHURCH

(254) 754-1221

Office Hours: Monday - Friday

8:30 am. - 12:30 pm. &

1:30 - 5:00 pm.

***Friday office closes at 4:00 pm.**

Información en Español

Contact: Maria Carrillo

ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Music Ministry Coordinator

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(254) 754-1221 leave message

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Cynthia Farmer

(254) 640-5804

Liturgical Music

Saturday - Vigil Mass: 5 p.m. & Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Processional Gather #572

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

Psalm Missalette p.172 #128

"Blessed are Those Who Fear the Lord"

Offertory Gather #508

"We Are the Light of the World"

Communion Gather #814

"Taste and See"

Recessional..... Gather #578

"Lord of All Hopefulness"

Mass Intentions

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| Sat. Nov. 18 | 5:00 p.m. | In Thanksgiving—DeLaGarza Family |
| Sun. Nov. 19 | 9:30 a.m. | Jane Littrell |
| | 11:30 a.m. | Rita McNamara |
| Spanish Mass | 1:30 p.m. | The Parish: Living & Deceased |
| | 5:00 p.m. | Harry Matustik |
| Mon. Nov. 20 | 8:00 a.m. | Antonia Yntela, Sr. |
| Tues. Nov. 21 | 8:00 a.m. | Estelle Geno |
| Wed. Nov. 22 | 8:00 a.m. | Joe Woycheshin |
| | 12:05 p.m. | Dan Zrubek |
| Thurs. Nov. 23 | 9:30 a.m. | Ramirez Family |
| | 12:05 p.m. | NO MASS |
| Fri. Nov. 24 | 8:00 a.m. | Woycheshin Family |
| | 12:05 p.m. | Langley Family |
| Sat. Nov. 25 | 5:00 p.m. | Benoit/Bushman Family |
| Sun. Nov.26 | 9:30 a.m. | Annie Matustik |
| | 11:30 a.m. | Harry Matustik |
| Spanish Mass | 1:30 p.m. | The Parish: Living & Deceased |
| | 5:00 p.m. | Patsy Bolfing |

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-5/1 Thes 5:1-6

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-7/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd-12/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19/Lk 20:27-40

Notes of Special Interest

ALTAR FLOWERS this Sunday is to the Glory of God and in celebration of the 15th day of Natalie Monroy. Happy Birthday!

THANKSGIVING IS NOVEMBER 23 - Regular daily Mass will be at 9:30 a.m. only. Regular daily Mass schedule will resume on Friday, November 24. **PLEASE NOTE! Confessions and adoration will not held on Thursday, November 23. Confessions will resume on Saturday, November 25 at 4 p.m.**

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED - The Church office will be closed from noon Wednesday, November 22 through Friday, November 24th for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

IT IS TIME AGAIN to discern members of our parish for the St. Louis Pastoral Council. To be a member of the council one must:

- . Be a fully initiated Catholic, at least 21 years of age
- . Be a parishioner of St. Louis for 2 years
- . Not be employed by St. Louis Church or School or married to a current member of the council

Please prayerfully consider submitting your name or names of others. For more information, contact Holly Collins, Council Chairman at Holly_Collins@Baylor.edu or the church office at 754-1221. Thank you!

Parish Events and Meetings

THE ALTAR SERVER'S CHRISTMAS PARTY December 2 from 2pm-4pm in the SLAC Please, bring a favorite dish to share. RSVP to Ivette at 716-9443 stlouisaltarserver@gmail.com

LECTURE SERIES - Join us **Thursday, December 7th** "*Evangelizing Catholics*" by; Fr. John Guzaldo. All talks take place in the sanctuary of St. Louis Catholic Church, Waco at 7 p.m. Look forward to seeing everyone.

YOUNG CHILDREN'S PROGRAM "The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd", a Montessori-based Catholic education program for children ages 3-6, on Sundays 9:15-10:30am OR Sundays 4:45-6pm, in the bible school room in the basement, running through May (excluding holidays), cost is \$25. Financial assistance is available. CGS invites children to liturgical and scriptural presentations and hands-on work with beautiful handmade materials such as the parable of the Good Shepherd, the mustard seed, learning the liturgical colors of the church and much more. Contact Melisa Baker, at CGSWaco@gmail.com or 817-939-2187 for registration or more information.

THAT MAN IS YOU - Men join us on **Friday mornings** for breakfast, video and fellowship at 6 am in Grace Hall. For more Info contact Tony Moore 715-8589 or Bernard Ott 715-3451.

THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY– Join us Wednesday evenings for Jeff Cavin's study on *Wisdom*, from 6:00-7:15pm in Grace Hall. The cost of the optional but very beneficial Wisdom Notebook is \$20. Please contact Diane Schlecte at 776-4241 or dschl@swbell.net to reserve a notebook.

WOMEN GROUP - Dr. Hapenny leads a women's group in learning more about prayer from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. The group spends time in prayer, praying for the needs of each other, our community, and others in need of prayer. Women, please join us on **Monday nights** at 7:00pm in the SLAC. We look forward to seeing you there! Call Sandy at 254-723-4220

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY CHRISTMAS PROJECT is partnering with Mission Waco to provide gifts for needy area children this Christmas. Trees with ornament tags, with a child's age and a suggested gift, are at each entrance of the church. Monetary donations can be mailed to Mike Leary at 13764 Harbor Dr., Woodway, TX 76712. Bring new unwrapped gifts to the entrance of the church by November 25-26. We thank you for your help in this ministry. For more information call Mike at 709-6155 or Eileen at 848-4057. The gifts for the Christmas Project will be picked up by the Bike Riders on **Sunday, November 26th at 8:50**. Please, join us on the front steps of the church to welcome them and workers from Mission Waco.

Youth Ministry

St Louis Church Christmas Ornaments and Christmas Cards - We are so excited to be selling beautiful 3-d gold plated *Christmas ornaments* that are the image of our Church. The ornaments are \$15.00 each. Great gift for family and friends. We are also selling *Christmas cards* - the box of cards contain cards with images of our very beautiful altar during Christmas and our beautiful stain glass windows. What a wonderful way to share our amazing Church with your family and friends. The youth group will be selling both ornaments and Christmas cards after Mass starting November 5th. You may also come by the Church office after Nov 5th to purchase cards and ornaments. Thank you for your support!

DCYC - The Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference of Austin is February 2-4, 2018. It is open to all teens in 9th -12th grade. the conference is a weekend full of dynamic speakers, praise and worship, break-out sessions, Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass and a time to share and enjoy your faith with thousands of other teens. This is truly a wonderful weekend. The cost of the conference is \$60 per teen. We would love for our teens to attend with us. Registration opens Nov 1st. Registration forms can be found at www.slywaco.org or you can come to the Church office or pick them up at youth group or contact Tracy Gomez at stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com. Service hours are given to Reicher students that attend with us.

HELP!!!! SLY (St Louis Youth Group) High School Food Ministry continues to need help providing meals for our teens on Sunday evenings at 6pm. If you can help please let Tracy know the date you can cover. **No one has to cover a meal alone, You can partner up or just simple make a monetary donation. Anything helps!** We appreciate everyone's help and generosity! God bless! **Dates to be covered:** Jan 7, 21 & 28, Feb 18 & 25, Mar 25, Apr 15, 22 & 29. For more information please contact Tracy Gomez at stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com or 254-754-1221

CONFIRMATION PREPRATION - Confirmation classes will be from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at the JAC (building across the parking lot of the SLAC) beginning **Wednesday, December 6th**. There will be *parent meetings on November 28th at 5:30pm, November 29th at 5:00pm and November 30th at 5:30pm* at the SLAC. If your teen is making confirmation this year choose one meeting to attend. If you are a Reicher student and have not registered, please visit www.slywaco.org/confirmation to download the forms and review the requirements. For more information or questions please contact Tracy Gomez at (254) 754-1221 or at stlouisyouthwaco@gmail.com. **The mandatory retreat February 23-25, 2017 at Eagle's Wings Retreat Center, Burnett, Tx.**

Community Notes

WALLET FOUND - A ladies clutch wallet was found and turned into the church office. You may contact the office to claim during regular office hours.

ST. LOUIS SCHOOL will be participating in #iGiveCatholic. A one-day online giving event for the faithful in the arch/dioceses across the nation to come together and raise as much charitable dollars as possible for Catholic parishes, schools and ministries on #GivingTuesday, **November 28**. This year St. Louis Catholic School is raising money to purchase new playground equipment, initiate an accelerated reader program, and purchase new Smart televisions for each classroom. Join us in prayer for the success of #iGiveCatholic. Together we can achieve anything. Go to #iGiveCatholic.com and search for St. Louis Catholic School.

ST. LOUIS SCHOOL invites you to the School's Christmas Corks and Canvas Art Show featuring the incredible talents of our students and area artists on **Saturday, December 2**, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at St. Louis Catholic School. Some artwork will be available for purchase. Appetizers and drinks will be served.

JUST CURE IT! The St. Louis School community is supporting our own Coach Bayer as she faces her battle with breast cancer. **Wednesday, December 6th**, will be Coach Bayer Day at St. Louis School! We will have a "Just Cure It!" Rally beginning at 2PM in the school gym, as well as a school-wide pizza lunch, with all proceeds going to Coach Bayer and her family to help with medical expenses. For more information please visit www.stlouiswaco.org or contact Becky Chollett, St. Louis School Development Director at bchollett@stlouiswaco.org Thank you!

ST. LOUIS ADVENT PARTY! All parishioners are invited to the Advent Party on **Saturday, December 9th**, in the SLAC building, beginning after the 5:00PM Mass. There will be food, fun, music and fellowship for all. Food will be provided, bring your favorite dessert. **Hosted by the ACTS Ministry.** SANTA will be there! Hope to see you there!

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY - College students are invited to attend a six week bible study and brunch after the 11:30 am mass in the JAC located across the street from the church. For more information or to RSVP please contact Vincent or Amy Lopez at 709-4343 or mygems90s@yahoo.com.

JOB OPENING - Reicher Catholic High School has a part-time position (less than 30 hours per week) for a Business Manager at Reicher Catholic High School. Bachelor's Degree required. Involves bookkeeping, payroll, reports, budget analysis, and serves as contact for employees regarding payroll deductions, insurance, and retirement. Please see details posted on our website at www.reicher.org. If interested, please e-mail application to mmichalka@reicher.org

WORKING WITH YOUTH AND VULNERABLE ADULTS requires completing an Application for Ministry and attend an EIM workshop. **The Workshop is required for all new applicants within 60 days application submission and must be retaken every three years. Please contact your parish or Catholic school EIM site administrator if you need assistance.** Log-in to the Diocese; www.austindiocese.org and click on the link in the upper right hand corner called "quick links" then use link marked eApps. **If you are unsure of your current status for the EIM requirement please check with the Parish EIM Site Administrator at 754-1221 as soon as possible. It is up to you to make sure you stay updated/current.**

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Catholic Social Teaching Corner

We all want to be considered God's good and faithful servants and God gives us all we need to be his disciples: Sacraments and their grace, God's word and a community of faith. What we need to do is to risk pouring out our lives as Jesus did and not clinging to our life and gifts out of fear. We can do this by giving our lives away and learning that so much more is given when we spend ourselves in God's service to others. If you don't believe this, ask someone who has served in a ministry to others like the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Communion ministry to the sick, prison ministry, pro-life ministry or any other in your parish. They will report the rich rewards they receive.

THE ST. LOUIS PASTORAL COUNCIL meets monthly as an advisory group to our pastor. If you have a question, concern, or compliment about the parish, please contact one of the members of the council: Holly Collins, Chairman email: HollyCollins@Baylor.edu and members, Noe Ochoa, Marilyn Abel, Vince Clark, Sharon McCarthy, Susanne Nemmer,, Mark Veselka, Maritza Perez and Mike Fulbright.

Collection Report

Weekly Average needed for School & Church.....\$21,500.00
Offering Last Weekend.....\$20,393.68

Thank you for your generosity!