

## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>SAT, Oct. 14</b>	<b>Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>
5:00PM Holy Cross	<u>Frank Sturm (d)</u>
<b>SUN, Oct. 15</b>	<b>Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>
8:00AM San Luis	<u>Jo Ann Jaeger (d)</u>
9:30AM Holy Cross	<u>Catholic Daughters Court 1598 (d)</u>
<b>MON, Oct. 16</b>	<b>St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque</b>
<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>TUE, Oct. 17</b>	<b>St. Ignatius of Antioch</b>
<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>WED, Oct. 18</b>	<b>St. Luke</b>
8:00AM Holy Cross	<u>Margaret, Kathy &amp; Diane Howard (d)</u>
<b>THU, Oct. 19</b>	<b>Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, &amp; Companions</b>
5:00PM Holy Cross	<u>Pete Styra (d)</u>
<b>FRI, Oct. 20</b>	<b>St. Paul of the Cross</b>
Yrktwn Mnr	<u>Bennie Kyrisch Jr. (d)</u>
<b>SAT, Oct. 21</b>	<b>Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>
5:00PM Holy Cross	<u>Lambert &amp; Lillian Respondek (d)</u>
<b>SUN, Oct. 22</b>	<b>Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>
8:00AM San Luis	<u>Members of Holy Cross, San Luis &amp; St. Ann (d)</u>
9:30AM Holy Cross	<u>Gussie Wollney, Paul &amp; Elizabeth Wollney (d)</u>

## NEXT WEEK'S ASSIGNMENTS

<b>Saturday, October 21</b>	<b>5:00 PM Holy Cross</b>
Lector:	Angie Stepanski
Minister of Communion:	Greg Foegelle
Altar Servers:	Jaelyn Soliz, Savannah & Rebecca Holly
<b>Sunday, October 22</b>	<b>8:00 AM San Luis</b>
Lector:	Elvira Ybarra
Minister of Communion:	Rebecca Hinojosa
Altar Servers:	Toribio & Joshua Lopez
<b>Sunday, October 22</b>	<b>9:30 AM Holy Cross</b>
Lector:	Sylvia Hernandez
Ministers of Communion:	Charles & Wanda Styra & Lorene Migura
Altar Servers:	Sydney & Rylie Krueger & Katy Gwosdz

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

***Safe Environment Parent & Student workshops will be held during class times on Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>***

### ***Class Schedule***

Sun., October 15, after the 9:30 AM Mass PreK through 5<sup>th</sup> grade

***Topics: "It's OK to Say No" & "Understanding Boundaries"***

Wed., October 18, at 6:30 PM 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade

***Topics: "Internet Safety, Sexting" & "Bullying"***

❖ ***One parent or legal guardian is required to attend with student*** ❖

## ACTIVITY CENTER PLEDGE DRIVE

*Your help, by making a pledge, will give us an idea of when renovation on the Activity Center can begin. How much are you willing to pledge for the renovation of the activity center. Please use the pledge forms available to let us know what you are willing to sacrifice to breathe new life into a building that has been a part of this parish community since 1947. Many have expressed the need for our activity center to be refreshed and for easier access.*

*For construction to begin the parish community needs to pull together.*

## ACTS RETREAT



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<b>October 8, 2017</b>	<b>Holy Cross</b>	<b>San Luis</b>	<b>St. Ann</b>
Saturday/Sunday	\$ 3,086.00	\$ 739.00	\$ 10.00
Second Collection	\$ 881.00	\$ 134.07	\$ - 0 -

## PRAYER LIST

*Please remember in your prayers the souls of all who passed away last week, "Eternal rest grant unto them Lord & let perpetual light shine upon them"*

*Also pray for physical and spiritual healing of:* Braden Brown, Daniel and Mary Helen Villarreal, Robert Zaiontz, Melvin Sinast, Lottie Wojtaszyk, Melvin Gallegos, Maurice & Elaine Shenkir, Mary Helen Miller, Hedwig Jendry, Raul Salinas, Sr., Elena Garcia, Lola Amador, Lambert Styra, Robert Migura, Susan Villarreal, Janie Salinas, Gloria Sanford, E.J. Biemer, Augustin Serrano, Ortencia Serrano, Kathy Banda, Angela Hahn, Irene Boerm, David Moczygemba, Michelle B. Enterline, Linda Torres, Grady Glover, Carolyn Mueller, Gloria Salinas, Lisa Bossee, Myrlin Wagner, Roman Fanelli, Irene Ibrom, Hunter Jacob, Lillie Perez, Lawrence Waltersdorff, Kathy Howard, Antonio Guerrero, Mary Metting, Martin Guerrero, Jr., Raul D. Tambunga, Robert Jendrzey, Courtney Soliz, Jeanne Byerly, Bill Jauer, Charlie Caswell, Adalee Lahodny, Patsy Chapoy, Pat Barta, Josie Ortiz Nunez, Adam Nunez, Carol Waggoner, Martin Torres, Fr. John Kollannur, Gloria Llerch, Angelina Balderas, Pam Broll, Ysrael Hinojosa, Ferdinand Styra, Don McCrory, Ida Salinas, Monica Salinas, Peter Foegelle, Nancy Pfeifer, Henry Canales Jr., Paul Martin, Sebastian Gonzales, Joel Rivera, Anita Abrigo, Roger Pruski, Jo Ann Hoelscher, Edwin Kowalik, David Barfield, Molly Lind, Steven Rodriguez, Michael Rodriguez, Alice Perez, Axton Elrode, Tony Garcia, Yvonne Gutierrez, Rosa Maria Santos, Augustine Tambunga, Joshua Garcia, Kay Hilbrich, Jameson Schroeder and Rebecca Hinojosa.

*Reminder: if you have listed someone on the Prayer List and they are doing better, please call the office to remove them from this list. Thank you!*

## RCIA AND ADULT EDUCATION

**RCIA together with Adult Education Classes will begin Thursday, October 19 at 6 PM in the Activity Center.**

*We will come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. All adult Catholics and those wishing to prepare for these sacraments are welcome to attend.*

## SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Are you looking to grow in your faith?

For more opportunities to learn more about your faith and to share it with others check the Kiosk in the foyer of Holy Cross for new materials.



*You can also find movies, audios, books and educational programing for adults and children, online at <https://formed.org>*

Use Parish Code C637QG to set up your personal account.

## PARISH NEWS

### **ROSARY:**

*First Saturdays 10 AM at San Luis  
Saturday before 5:00 Mass &  
Sunday before 9:30 Mass*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **October:**

**15-CDA Sunday: Meeting 1:30 PM  
(BAKE SALE & FINANCIAL AUDIT)**

17-Gabriel Project Meeting,  
Meyersville, 6 PM

**19-RCIA AND Adult Education 6 PM,  
in the Activity Center**

**28-29-Make a Difference Day  
Cemetery Clean-up**

### **November:**

**1<sup>st</sup> All Saints Day**

**Holy Day of Obligation**

**7:00 PM at Holy Cross**

**2<sup>nd</sup> All Souls Day**

**Cemetery Service &  
Blessing of the Graves**

**12:00 NOON San Luis Cemetery**

**1:00 PM Holy Cross Cemetery**

**5:00 PM Mass at Holy Cross**

## CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

for Holy Cross and San Luis Cemeteries is scheduled for Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>.

*Volunteers will be doing general clean up, trimming and mowing. CCD students in grades 3-12, their parents and many parish volunteers will be participating in cemetery clean up after the 9:30 Mass, you are asked to help when and where you can. Bring along rakes, hoes, garbage bags, gloves, weed-eaters, flowers, etc. Any clean up that can be done prior to the work days is also appreciated. Remember many hands make for an early finish.*

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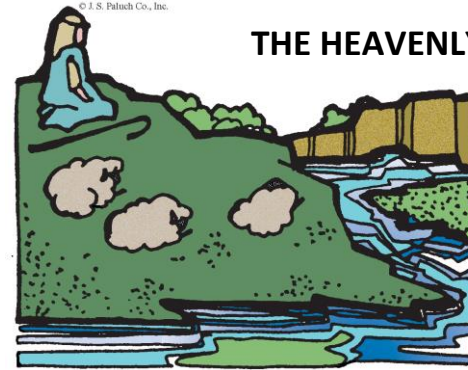
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*"Help another's boat across, and lo, thine own has reached the shore"*

**October 15, 2017: TWENTY-EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



## THE HEAVENLY BANQUET

The mountain of the Lord described in today's first reading is a place where there is no more hunger, no more weeping, and no more division of any kind. We need to pause and ponder these images every now and then, especially given the fact that we live in such a fractured world.

The responsorial psalm continues to paint a picture of a place where only goodness and kindness flourish. These readings describe the heavenly banquet, to which God calls each of us through baptism and continues to call us throughout our lives. Let us "RSVP" to God's invitation and live our lives consistent with gospel values so that one day we will be welcomed to the table of the kingdom.

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — On this mountain the Lord will make for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines (Isaiah 25:6-10a).

**Psalm** — I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life (Psalm 23).

**Second Reading** — God will supply whatever you need (Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20).

**Gospel** — I have prepared my banquet, and everything is ready. Come to the feast! (Matthew 22:1-14 [1-10]).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32  
 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41  
 Wednesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9  
 Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54  
 Friday: Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7  
 Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12  
 Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday  
 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Holy Cross

Saturday 5:00 PM  
 Sunday 9:30 AM

Tuesday 8:00 AM  
 Wednesday 8:00 AM  
 Thursday 5:00 PM  
 First Fridays 8:00 AM

### San Luis

Sunday 8:00 AM

### Yorktown Manor

Friday 10:00 AM

## RECONCILIATION

### Holy Cross

First Fridays 8:30 AM  
 Saturday 4:00 PM

Or by appointment  
 Special services during  
 Advent and Lent

## ADORATION

First Fridays 8:30 AM

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