

"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." 1 Peter 3:17

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**
Intenciones de Misa para esta Semana

SUNDAY, MAY 21 / 21 DE MAYO

8:00 am John Thompson† Prayer of Health for Jerry Aberant
10:00 am Cruz Hernández Calderón†
12:00 pm Lourdes Toledo† María Aguilera, Francisca Rangel†
2:30 pm Cecilio Hernández† Por su salud Alejandro Del Rio
5:00 pm Birthday Blessings for Father Mike
7:00 pm Verónica Hernández† Celia Rizo†

MONDAY, MAY 22 / 22 DE MAYO

8:15 am Maria Pham† Happy Birthday Father Mike

TUESDAY, MAY 23 / 23 DE MAYO

8:15 am Good Health for Shanon Thompson
8:30 pm Margarita Barrón† Abraham Grimaldo†

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24 / 24 DE MAYO

8:15 am Bill Machacik† Norbert Polasek†
7:00 pm Maria Pham†

THURSDAY, MAY 25 / 25 DE MAYO

8:15 am Julie Koch-Lyon†

FRIDAY, MAY 26 / 26 DE MAYO

8:15 am For our Parishioners

SATURDAY, MAY 27 / 27 DE MAYO

8:15 am Graduation Congratulations for Kimberly McClure
5:30 pm Esperanza Galvan†

SUNDAY, MAY 28 / 28 DE MAYO

8:00 am Good Health for Shanon Thompson
10:00 am Rosa Ferrell†
12:00 pm Fam. Maldonado Melesio, Concepcion Sanchez
2:30 pm Evans Luna† Rosa Reynado† Por su Salud Alejandro del Rio
5:00 pm María Pham† Charles De Russo†
7:00 pm María Jaimes† Fernando López† Aurora De León†

OUR GIFTS TO GOD - That we recognize that things don't always go the way we plan and God has a better plan in store for us.

Budgeted Weekly Need / Presupuesto Semanal..... \$ 24,150.00
Offertory Collection / Diezmos 05/14/2017.....\$ 20,857.50
Overage/Sobrante (Deficit /Faltante) \$ -3,292.50

The old line says, "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning, making sure things are progressing smoothly, then disaster strikes, we don't get the result that was intended. An unforeseen problem arises. Many times, we may respond negatively. Why me? I did everything right! Here's the thing - God has a different and better plan in store for you.

SAY YES!! Please put \$5 more per week in the collection or if you just can't, at least \$2 more. **HELP YOUR PARISH!** Thank you very much for your generosity.



Our Church Office and Facilities will be closed on Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day.

LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

During these Sundays of the Easter Season, the Church takes us back to the Last Supper, giving us a chance to dig deeper into its meaning. We can use our imaginations to picture the scene. Jesus and the Twelve are in the Upper Room, gathered for the Passover. Jesus begins to tell them about his coming sufferings. He tells them that he will be leaving them to go back to the Father. We can picture the Apostles frowning in confusion, and maybe beginning to feel a creeping sadness. They have staked their lives on Jesus! They have given up everything to follow him. And now he says that he must go away from them, and that they cannot follow where he is going?

Jesus knows their hearts. He knows their fears. Twice during the Discourse, he tells them, "*Do not let your hearts be troubled.*" He only repeats it because he knows that their hearts are truly troubled. And then he makes them a promise. He says, "*I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.*" He promises never to abandon his chosen followers. The crucifixion will come, the darkness, the suffering, the persecution, the apparent failure and defeat. But through it all, the Apostles can cling with firm faith to this promise: I will not leave you orphans; I will never abandon you. Jesus knows that our hearts too are often troubled. He knows that we are filled with fear and confusion, with regret and sorrow in the midst of our own Good Fridays. And he makes the same promise to us: I will not leave you orphans. I will come to you. I will be with you. His Resurrection is the first and definitive step in his fulfillment of this promise. Jesus Christ is faithful. We can count on it.

We are the fortunate ones. We have heard and believed Christ's promise. We have experienced his presence, his faithfulness. We know we are not orphans. We have the Eucharist, the Mass, the sacraments, the Bible, the guidance of our popes and bishops... We have our share of crosses in life, yet we never have to carry them alone. But what about the other five billion people on earth who do not know Jesus Christ personally, who are searching for someone they can trust, someone who can give them the promise of eternal life? Or what about our very own neighbors, coworkers, teammates, family members, and classmates? How many of them are keeping up appearances on the outside, but suffering loneliness, frustration, and maybe even hopelessness on the inside? Jesus made his promise to them as well. But they need someone to tell them about it. They need someone to bear witness to the faithfulness of that promise.

That someone is us. We are Christ's messengers and witnesses. Just as we received the news from someone else, we are each called to pass it on to someone else. As St Peter put it in today's Second Reading: "*Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope.*" Whether they ask with words or without words, we have the answer: Christ. Today, as Christ fulfills his promise once again in this Mass and poured his own strength into our souls at Holy Communion, let's ask him to make us more courageous messengers, and let's promise him that this week we will bring the Good News of his unfailing love to someone who really needs to hear it.

My God bless you.
Fr. Dan

P.S. We got word last Monday that the steel for the new building will arrive here May 24.

CARTA DE NUESTRO PÁRROCO

Queridos Parroquianos,

Durante estos domingos del tiempo Pascual, la Iglesia nos transporta a la última cena, que nos da la oportunidad de profundizar en su significado. Podemos usar nuestra imaginación para la escena del cuadro. Jesús y los doce están en el Cenáculo, reunidos para la Pascua. Jesús comienza a contar sobre sus próximos sufrimientos. Él les dice que los dejara para volver al padre. Nos podemos imaginar a los apóstoles frunciendo el ceño confuso tal vez empezando a sentir que los invadía la tristeza. ¡Ellos han apostado su vida a Jesús! Han dado todo para seguirlo. ¿Y ahora él dice que se debe irse lejos de ellos y ellos no pueden seguirlo a dónde él va?

Jesús conoce sus corazones. Conoce sus miedos. Dos veces durante el discurso les dice, "No dejen que su corazón se turbe." Sólo lo repite porque sabe que sus corazones están verdaderamente preocupados. Y entonces él hace una promesa. Les dice "no los dejaré a huérfanos; Yo vendré a ustedes." Él promete nunca abandonar a sus seguidores sus elegidos. Vendrá la crucifixión, la oscuridad, el sufrimiento, la persecución, el aparente fracaso y derrota. Pero a través de todo, los apóstoles pueden aferrarse con fe firme esta promesa: no los dejaré huérfanos; Nunca te abandonará. Jesús sabe que nuestros corazones muy a menudo son difíciles. Él sabe que estamos llenos de miedo y confusión, con lamento y tristeza en medio de nuestro propio viernes santo. Y él hace la misma promesa: no los dejaré huérfanos. Vendré a ustedes. Estaré con ustedes. Su resurrección es el primer y definitivo paso en su cumplimiento de esta promesa. Jesús Cristo es fiel. Podemos contar con él.

Nosotros somos los afortunados. Hemos oído y creído la promesa de Cristo. Hemos experimentado su presencia, su fidelidad. Sabemos que no estamos huérfanos. Tenemos la Eucaristía, la Misa, los sacramentos, la Biblia, la orientación de nuestros papas y obispos... Tenemos nuestra cuota de cruces en la vida, pero nunca tenemos que llevarla solos. Pero ¿qué pasa con los otros 5 billones de personas en la tierra que no conocen a Jesucristo personalmente, que están buscando a alguien que pueden confiar, alguien que les puede dar la promesa de vida eterna? O ¿qué hay de nuestros propios vecinos, compañeros de trabajo, familiares y compañeros de clase? ¿Cuántos de ellos viven de apariencias en el exterior, pero sufriendo la soledad, la frustración y la desesperanza tal vez incluso en el interior? Jesús hizo su promesa a ellos también. Pero necesitan alguien que les diga sobre él. Necesita a alguien para dar testimonio de la fidelidad de esa promesa.

Ese alguien somos nosotros. Somos Mensajeros y testigos de Cristo. Tal como hemos recibido la noticia de otra persona, cada uno estamos llamados a pasarla a alguien más. Como

St. Pedro, en la segunda lectura de hoy: "Siempre estar dispuesto a dar una explicación a cualquiera que te pida una razón de esperanza." Si piden con palabras o sin palabras, tenemos la respuesta: Cristo. Hoy, como Cristo cumple su promesa una vez más en esta misa y vierte su propia fuerza en nuestras almas en la comunión, vamos a pedirle que nos haga más valientes mensajeros y ¡le prometo que esta semana le traemos las buenas nuevas de su misericordia a quien realmente necesita escucharlas.

Que Dios los bendiga.
El padre de Dan

P.S. Tenemos noticias del lunes pasado que el acero para el edificio nuevo llegará aquí el 24 de mayo.

6º domingo de Pascua

Para que reconozcamos que las cosas no siempre son como lo planeamos y que Dios tiene un mejor plan para nosotros.

"Porque es mejor sufrir por hacer el bien, si esa es la voluntad de Dios, que por hacer el mal." 1 Pedro 3:17

Una frase antigua dice "si quieres hacer reír a Dios, cuéntale tus planes". Muchos de nosotros somos diligentes en nuestra planificación, asegurándonos de que las cosas están progresando sin problemas, y luego si ocurre un desastre, no obtenemos el resultado deseado. Surge un problema imprevisto. Muchas veces podemos responder negativamente. ¿Por qué yo? ¡Hice todo bien! Aquí está la cosa - Dios tiene un plan diferente y mejor para ti.

¿QUISIERAS DONAR FLORES PARA EL ALTAR? Para adornar nuestra iglesia para dar gracias por favores recibidos, en memoria de algún ser querido o por cualquier motivo o petición. Se reciben donaciones para cualquier día de la semana y especialmente para los domingos. Llamen a Pilar al 713/468-9555. ¡Muchas Gracias!



ESCUELA CATOLICA SAN JERONIMO
EDUCANDO MENTE, CORAZON Y ESPIRITU

¿PORQUE TENEMOS A NUESTROS HIJOS EN ESCUELAS CATÓLICAS? ¿Será porque deseamos una educación basada en la fe? ¿Será para que tengan más tiempo individual con sus maestros? ¿Será para que puedan asistir a Misa y participar de los Sacramentos? ¡Cualquiera que sea su respuesta, le agradecemos que elija nuestra escuela San Jerónimo para la educación de sus hijos! **Integridad. Respeto. Honor. Disciplina. Excelencia.** Una educación católica se enfoca en el crecimiento mental y espiritual de su niño. Eso es porque una educación católica alimenta más que la habilidad de leer y escribir. También ayuda a que los niños aprendan a respetarse a sí mismos y a los demás, y les da también una apreciación real de la belleza y las maravillas del mundo que los rodea. Déle a su hijo una educación que los conecta tanto con el mundo real como con el espiritual.

Mande a sus hijos a escuelas católicas y observe como se desarrolla su carácter y su confianza. Para más información de todos los anuncios en esta sección llame al 713/468-7946 o visite nuestra página de Internet en <http://www.stjeromecs.org> or sics@stjeromecs.org



Religious Education

Kinder-6th Grade

We are running out of space for next year!

CCE REGISTRATIONS 2017-2018 from Kinder to 6th grade:

Come and register your children from Kinder-6th grade to CCE classes and First Communion preparation.

Registrations will be as follows:

Tuesday May 23rd from 6 to 8pm in the gym

Tuesday June 13th from 6to 8pm in the gym

Tuesday July 11th from 6 to 8pm in the gym

Information: (713) 464-5029 Johana or Maria

+Remember to bring your child to Sunday Masses+
n Call Johana or Maria 713 464-5029

Summer Program

"Let's learn about the Mass"

June 5 -9, 2017

Our Vacation Bible School is open to children who will be starting Kindergarten through those who have finished Fifth grade. Your children will learn about the meaning of the Mass

Crafts, music, games, snacks, and lots of fun!

Only \$40 per week per child (9am-12pm) or \$90 (8:30am-4pm)

Registrations in Parish Office. Deadline May 26th

Questions? Call Johana or Maria at 713/464-5029



ST. JEROME
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

St. Jerome Catholic School is accepting registration for the 2017-2018 school year for students entering grades PK4 through 8th. Beginning our 55th year of Catholic education, St. Jerome prides itself on building a strong foundation upon the tradition of our Roman Catholic Faith in a Eucharistic Community. Please visit our website at www.stjeromecs.org and click on the Admissions tab at the top. Call the school office for questions. St. Jerome Catholic School's Jr. High. **Questions? Call 713.468.7946 - sjcs@stjeromecs.org - www.stjeromecs.org**

Help our school, drop off your Box Tops to the school office, Thank you!

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HALL RENTALS AVAILABLE

Contact Linda Garcia at the church office 713-468-9555
Monday-Friday 5:00 PM-9:00 PM Saturday 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Or Cell Phone 281-686-1061



CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION FOR 2017-2018

HIGH SCHOOL 9TH Grade – 12th Grade

Please register in the Church Office

Monday through Friday 9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

**Church Office is located off the Hollister
Parking Lot**

LIFE TEEN follows the Church's mandate to make JESUS CHRIST the center of everything we do LIFE TEEN Mass is held every Sunday at 5:00 pm. everyone is welcome. Bring your friends. Come worship with us. Great Music! LIFE NIGHTS follow Mass and we are open to *high school teens* Only, 6:30 – 8:15 pm in the Fr. Raye Center. LIFE NIGHT meetings consist of education and hot topics.

GREAT MUSIC! COME WORSHIP WITH US!

Call or e-mail Ricky rckystjeromifeteen@gmail.com 713/468-9555

Interested in a Mass Intention? For someone that is deceased, a birthday blessing, for healing. We have several dates open, please contact Pilar Salas in the church office, Monday through Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm. A donation of \$10 per Mass.

RESPECT LIFE: The Gabriel Project, the Archdiocese's ministry to pregnant mothers in need, is looking for new telephone volunteers. Volunteers are needed to receive calls from expecting moms for 4 hours/week. Phone calls may be taken from home! Being bilingual is a plus, but is not required. Familiarity with the internet is recommended. New volunteer orientation/training will be provided. For more information or to volunteer, contact the Archdiocesan Gabriel Project Coordinator, Cathy McConn, at 713-598-1675 or cathymcconn@mac.com.

ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK
ACTIVIDADES DE ESTA SEMANA

Sunday/Domingo, May 21

8:00 am MFCC – Outback, Adult Ed, Cry Room
9:15 am Bible Group in English – Staff Lunch Room

Monday/Lunes, May 22

6:00 pm Juventud & Esperanza – Main Church
6:00 pm ACTS Spanish Women – Outback
7:00 pm Al-Anon – Cry Room (Ninero)
7:00 pm MFCC – Staff Lunch Room
7:00 pm ACTS Rosary Team – The Sharon Cole ACTS House
7:00 pm Adult Confirmation(English) – White House
7:00 pm Grupo de Oración – Fr Raye Ctr

Tuesday/Martes, May 23

5:00 pm CCE Activities – Fr Raye Ctr & Gym
6:00 pm ACTS Spanish Women – The Sharon Cole ACTS House
6:00 pm Taller de Acomodadores - Outback
7:00 pm Juventud & Esperanza – Adult Ed

Wednesday/Miércoles, May 24

4:00 pm School – Fr Raye Ctr
4:00 pm Early Childhood Ctr – Adult Ed
6:30 pm 10:00 AM Choir – The Sharon Cole ACTS House
7:30 pm Legion of Mary – Jerome Room
7:30 pm YAG - Outback

Thursday/Jueves, May 25

7:00 am School – Fr Raye Ctr
4:00 pm School – Main Church
6:00 pm ACTS English Women – The Sharon Cole ACTS House
6:00 pm Knights – Day Chapel
7:00 pm Al-Anon – Cry Room (Ninero)
7:00 pm Coro de Oración – Jerome Room
7:00 pm Juventud & Esperanza – Music Room

Friday/Viernes, May 26

6:00 pm Lifeteen Band – Jerome Room
6:00 pm Coro de Niño's – Day Chapel
6:00 pm Grupo de Oracion – Outback
8:00 pm 12:00 PM Choir – Jerome Room

Saturday/Sabado, May 27

9:00 am Knights of Columbus – Fr Raye Ctr
4:00 pm Coro de la Sagrada Familia-Youth Room

WE WELCOME ALL VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS TO OUR LITURGIES AND SERVICES. ORIENTATION & REGISTRATION is held the third Sunday of every month after the 8 am Mass in the Jerome Room. Please remember to notify your former Parish of your move. Next Month: TODAY! May 21st

ST. JEROME ACTS CORNER
UPCOMING RETREATS:



Women in Spanish Missioning – June 8-12, 2017 (Sacred Heart)
Women in English – July 13-16, 2017
Women in Spanish – August 10-14, 2017
Men in Spanish – September 7-10, 2017

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 14, 2017

Sunday

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66; 1Pt 3:15-18;
Jn 14:15-21

Monday

Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149; Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday

Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148;
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday

Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98; Jn 16:16-20

Friday

Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday

Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47; Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday

The Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47; Eph 1:17-23;
Mt 28:16-20



JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EVERY THURSDAY IN THE ST. JEROME DAY CHAPEL BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT PRAYING THE ROSARY FOR LIFE FROM 6:30 TO 7:00 FOLLOWED BY THE HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE

Catholic Counseling at St. Jerome

Are you in need of emotional healing or do you want to strengthen relationships with loved ones? Our parish has made arrangements with Rejoice Counseling Apostolate to provide individual, marital, and family counseling services onsite at our parish. Parishioners and their families can make use of a discounted sliding scale fee. For more information or to schedule an appointment please call (844) 295-3167 or visit www.MyParishCounseling.com/stjeromehou

WE CORDIALLY INVITE ALL THOSE CHURCH FAMILY MEMBERS WHO **ARE GRADUATING** (from pre-K to post graduate) TO **WEAR THEIR CAPS AND GOWNS** AND TO RECEIVE A SPECIAL BLESSING ON SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD AT 5:30 PM MASS AND AT ALL MASSES SUNDAY, JUNE 4TH. YOU ARE ON THE THRESHOLD OF A NEW BEGINNING; IT IS NICE TO START THAT



WITH THE BLESSING OF YOUR CHURCH FAMILY.

CONGRATULATIONS!

LAUGH LINES – I was at the beach with my children when my four-year-old son ran up to me, grabbed my hand, and led me to the shore, where a sea gull lay dead in the sand. “Mommy, what happened to him?” the little boy asked. “He died and went to heaven,” I replied. My son thought a moment and then said., “And God threw him back down?”



CATECISMO

(de KINDER A SEXTO AÑO)

! Las clases se están llenando!

**Registraciones para clases de catecismo 2017-2018
de niños en Kínder a 6to grado:**

Vengan y registren a sus niños para que asistan a clases de catecismo y preparación para 1ra Comunión. Las fechas de registraciones serán las siguientes:

Martes 23 de Mayo de 6 a 8pm en el gimnasio

Martes 13 de Junio de 6 a 8pm en el gimnasio

Martes 11 de Julio de 6 a 8pm en el gimnasio

Información: (713) 464-5029 Johana o María
+Recuerde traer a sus niños a la Misa dominical +



Confirmación Registro PARA 2017-2018

Secundaria grado 9th – 12th

Por favor regístrese en la oficina de la iglesia
Lunes a viernes 9:00 – 21:00

SON BIENVENIDOS LOS JOVENES DEL GRADO 7 AL 12

¿Preguntas? Llame o correo electrónico a Ricky
rickystjeromelifeteen@gmail.com 713/468-9555

ESQUINA DE LOS RETIROS DE ACTS DE SAN JERONIMO PRÓXIMOS RETIROS:

Mujeres en español (Misión) – 8 a 12 de Junio de 2017 (Sacred Heart)
Mujeres en inglés – 13 a 16 de Julio de 2017
Mujeres en español – 10 a 14 de Agosto de 2017
Hombres en español – 7 a 10 de Septiembre de 2017



LES INVITAMOS MUY
CORDIALMENTE A TODOS LOS
QUE RECIEN SE GRADUARON
(desde pre-k hasta post
graduados) A QUE VENGAN A
RESIBIR UNA BENDICION

ESPECIAL PARA USTEDES JUNIO 3 EN LA MISA DE 5:30 PM Y
JUNIO 4 DESPUES DE CADA MISA, POR FAVOR VISTAN SUS
TOGAS Y BIRRETES ¡FELICIDADES POR SU GRADUACION!

¿EN BUSCA DE UN LUGAR PARA UN EVENTO SOCIAL? El Centro Padre Raye, el Outback, el Centro de Educación Para Adultos y el Pabillón están disponibles para renta. ¿Preguntas? Linda o a Martin García al 713/466-6768

¿Necesita ayuda emocional? ¿Quisiera fortalecer su relación con sus seres queridos? Con la ayuda de Rejoice Counseling, nuestra parroquia puede ofrecer servicios de terapia individual, matrimonial o familiar. Ofrecemos un descuento según su ingreso. Para más información o para hacer una cita, por favor llame al (844) 295-3167 o visita www.MyParishCounseling.com/stjeromehou



**REGISTRACION PARA NUEVOS MIEMBROS
¡HOY! Domingo 21 de Mayo después de
Misa de 12:00 PM**

A JUNTA DE ORIENTACION EN ESPANOL para nuevos miembros será el 21 de Mayo después de la Misa de 12:00 pm en el Padre Raye. Esta misma reunión en Ingles se realizará después de la Misa de 8:00 am en el Jerome Room. Recuerden que la registración para nuevos miembros es solamente una vez al mes. **ES MUY IMPORTANTE ESTAR REGISTRADO EN LA PARROQUIA ESPECIALMENTE PARA PODER BAUTIZAR.**



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Necesita su ayuda; nos estamos quedando sin suministros para nuestros recién nacidos. Elementos necesarios: mima, toallitas, fórmulas y alimentos para bebés. También se aceptan donaciones en efectivo. Gracias por su apoyo y generosidad. Puede comunicarse con Delinda en la oficina de la iglesia 713 / 468-9555. ¡Gracias!

Programa de Verano

"Aprendamos sobre la Misa "

Del 5 al 9 de Junio 2017

Para niños que van a entrar al Kínder hasta los que terminan el Quinto grado. Inscribálos para aprender más sobre el significado de la Misa

¡Haremos manualidades, cantaremos, veremos películas, jugaremos, comeremos y rezaremos!

Solo \$40 por niño (9am-12pm) \$90 (8:30am-4:00pm).

La fecha límite para inscribirse es el 26 de Mayo.

Inscripciones en las Oficinas Parroquiales.

¿Preguntas? Llame a Johana o María al 713/464-5029

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Grieving with Great HOPE

Grief Support Workshop

Grieving with Great HOPE is a five-week grief support workshop in a DVD and small group discussion format that will be led by Rejoice Counseling Apostolate. It offers a prayerful, practical, and personal approach for adults who have experienced the death of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, grandchild, friend or other loved one. There are no stages to grief. We all experience loss in our unique way. It is through prayerful reflection, practical learning, and personal fellowship that we mourn. In mourning, we begin to build our bridge to a new and different life.

\$20 covers the entire program and all materials. It will be held at St. Michael Catholic Church and is open to parishioners of St. Jerome Catholic Church.

1:00 – 3:00 PM. May 31, June 7, June 14, June 21, June 28

To register or for more information contact

Diane Nuar, MA, LPC at diane@rejoicecounseling.com



YOUTH RETREAT

June 16th – June 18th, 2017

Open to all High School Students that have completed Confirmation or ACTS Retreat
Registration starting Today!



ST. JEROME GABRIEL PROJECT

needs your help; we are running low on supplies for our newborns. Items needed: pampers, wipes, formula, and baby food. Cash donations are also accepted. Thanks for your generously and support. You may contact Delinda in the church office 713/468-9555. Thank You!

ARTICLES OF INTEREST

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM – For children to be baptized at St. Jerome, parents must first call the parish office to register for baptism classes, held monthly in English and Spanish. Baptisms are held on the 1st and 2nd Wednesday of the month for Spanish and the 1st Wednesday of the month for English. *Parents of children to be baptized must be registered parishioners.*

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE – To prepare for your wedding, at least six months prior to the planned wedding date, you should make an appointment with a priest or a deacon. At least one of the couple must be a registered parishioner. *No dates will be confirmed over the telephone.*

SICK AND HOMEBOUND – Inform the parish office when a parishioner is sick so the entire parish community may pray for the person and respond to their needs in the hospital or at home. *Please let us know when health is restored.*

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

Lord, you call each of us by name and you ask us to follow you. Bless our church as you call from amongst our families and friends for generous and dedicated leaders that will serve our Catholic community as brothers, sisters, priests, and religious men and women. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

EXPLORE

VOCATIONS RETREAT FOR YOUNG MEN IN HIGH SCHOOL

June 6-8, 2017

“Explore is a retreat for young men in High School who want to experience Christ and grow in relationship with Him. It is an opportunity to set time aside to explore seminary life and learn about the call to holiness and the priesthood. The retreat will consist of some great music, games, faith sharing, fellowship, outdoor activities, creative prayer experiences and so much more. Explore will be facilitated by Seminarians studying for the priesthood. Space is limited, register early!

For more Information or Questions? Feel free to call

Father David Angelino

at 713-468-9555

This past year the Knights of Columbus Council 4550 donated over \$80,000 to religious, charitable and educational organizations and individuals. The Council is looking to help those organizations who are in need. To qualify, your organization needs to be Texas-based and have an established checking account. Please contact Tom Ehlinger at email: t.ehlinger@att.net or call 713-501-4383 for an application.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR BY JOSEPHINE MARINO
FOR THIS WEEKEND IN MEMORY OF SAM MARINO
& BENNIE MARIE**