



# Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception

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## MASS TIMES

|                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Monday             | 5:30pm             |
| Tuesday            | 12:15 pm           |
| Wednesday          | 12:15 pm           |
| Thursday           | 12:15 pm           |
| Friday             | 5:30 pm            |
| <b>Sunday Mass</b> |                    |
| Saturday Vigil     | 5:00 pm            |
|                    | 7:00pm (Español)   |
| Sunday             | 8:00 am            |
|                    | 10:30 am           |
|                    | 12:30 pm (Español) |

## Extraordinary Form Latin

4:00 pm

At Pax Christi Retreat Center - 9300 Hwy  
105, Brenham, TX 77833

## CONFESSIONS

Weekdays, 30 minutes before Mass.  
Saturdays: 3:30-4:30 p.m.

## CLERGY

Fr. Everardo Cazares - Pastor  
Fr. Joven Saavedra - Associate Pastor  
Fr. Thaddeus Tabak, SDS- Associate  
Pastor  
Deacon Steve Medina  
Deacon Allen Prescott  
Deacon John Pelletier

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday 10:00am—5:00 pm  
Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am—5:00 pm

**Emergencies after office hours phone  
number:**

(979) 451-9824



Merry Christmas!!!  
Feliz Navidad!!

**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS****HORARIO DE MISAS E INTENCIONES****December 27, 2021 – January 2, 2022****Monday/lunes - December 27, 5:30 p.m.**

+Repose of the souls of Johnnie & Angie Kluck  
 +Repose of the souls of Leon & Curtis Konieczny  
 (sent off)

**Tuesday/martes - December 28, 12:15 p.m.**

+Repose of the soul of Gale Kwiatkowski  
 +Repose of the soul of George R. Blasingame  
 (sent off)

**Wednesday/miercoles-December 29, 12:15p.m.**

+Repose of the soul of Steve Przyborski  
 +Repose of the soul of Gregory Zuniga (sent off)

**Thursday/jueves - December 30, 12:15 p.m.**

+Repose of the soul of Joyce Duge  
 +Repose of the soul of Denise Ebert (sent off)

**Friday/Viernes - December 31, 5:30 p.m.**

+Repose of the soul of Harvey Ebert, Sr.

**Saturday/sábado - January 1st****9:00 am—English**

+Repose of the soul of Elizabeth Nickerson

**3:00 pm—Latin at Pax Christi Retreat Center**

Pro Populo

**5:00 pm—English**

Repose of the souls of Stanely & Nancy Rybarski

**7:00 pm— En Español / In Spanish**

Miembros de la Comunidad de Evangelización

**Sunday/Domingo – January 2, 8:00a.m.**

+Repose of the souls of Milam & Minnie Prause

**10:30 a.m.**

+Repose of the soul of Lillian Antkowiak

**12:30 p.m. - En Español/In Spanish**

+Repose of the soul of Filomena Ruiz & Tomas Chavez

**4:00 p.m.**

Living and Deceased members of Byrne & Ondrusek Families

Thank you for your generosity! This is how we are doing:

**Collection Report****July - September**

|           | 1st Quarter | October   |  |  | To Date   |
|-----------|-------------|-----------|--|--|-----------|
| Offertory | \$197,292   | \$62,315  |  |  | \$259,607 |
| Expenses  | \$214,076   | \$80,489  |  |  | \$294,565 |
|           | -\$16,784   | -\$18,174 |  |  | -\$34,958 |

St. Mary's Perpetual Endowment ----- \$47,827.00

St. Mary's Cemetery Perpetual Endowment ----- \$79,092.00

Encountering Christ (parish share Sept)-----\$1,418.00

***Pastoral Council***

If you have any comments, questions or concerns that you would like the Pastoral Council to go over during our monthly meetings, please send them to our email

[pastoralcouncil@brenhamcatholic.org](mailto:pastoralcouncil@brenhamcatholic.org)

We will be monitoring the email constantly!

***Consejo Pastoral***

Si tiene alguna pregunta, comentario o preocupacion que le gustaria que se comentara en nuestras reuniones mensuales del consejo pastoral por favor mandelas a nuestro correo electronico

[pastoralcouncil@brenhamcatholic.org](mailto:pastoralcouncil@brenhamcatholic.org)

Estaremos checando el correo constantemente!

**Parishioner Registration**

To become a registered parishioner, please complete a registration form on our website or in person in the Parish Office. Please inform the parish office of any changes to your contact information

**Registro de feligreses**

Para convertirse en un feligrés registrado, complete un formulario de registro en nuestro sitio web o en persona en la oficina parroquial.

Informe a la oficina parroquial de cualquier cambio en su información de contacto.

As of December 19, 2021 the Latin Mass at the Pax Christi Retreat Center is moving to 3:00 pm. When daylight savings time begins the Latin Mass will return to 4:00 pm



*Happy  
Holidays!*

The office will close on Friday,  
December 24th and re-open Monday,  
January 3rd

Wishing you a happy and safe  
holiday period.

*Felices  
Fiestas!!*

La oficina cerrará el viernes 24 de  
diciembre y volverá a abrir el lunes 3  
de enero.

Les deseamos unas felices y  
seguras fiestas.

**January altar care ladies are:**

Elizabeth Nutt\*  
Patsy Kasprovicz  
Louise Kessel  
Tammy Brauner  
Emily Armour



**CATECHIST  
WANTED!**

CCE Teacher Needed  
Religious education is needing a  
volunteer to teach 8th grade class on  
Wednesdays. Please call the office  
and talk to Sr. Teresa or Cindy.

La educación religiosa necesita un(a)  
catequista como voluntario para  
enseñar la clase de octavo grado los  
miércoles. Por favor llame a la oficina  
y hable con Cindy o la Hna. Teresa

**PCCW** will not meet in the month of  
December. For information on  
activities or to join our group, call Kay  
Neuendorff at (979) 530-8095

*thank  
you*

The PCCW would like to **thank all** who donated and purchased items for our Pre-Holiday Bazaar. We have had another successful year and will be able to continue to help purchase hosts, wine, linens, etc for the altar and continue our other activities supporting the church and our community.

El ministerio PCCW **quisiera agradecer a todos** los que donaron y compraron artículos en nuestro Bazar Pre-Navideño. Hemos tenido otro año exitoso y podremos continuar ayudando a comprar hostias, vino, manteles, etc. para el altar y continuar con nuestras otras actividades de apoyo a la iglesia y nuestra comunidad.

*with  
sympathy*

The staff and parishioners offer their deepest and heartfelt condolences to the families of Glenn Geick & Maureen Broadhurst.

May they rest in eternal peace in the arms of God.

**El personal y los feligreses ofrecen sus más sinceras condolencias a la familias de Glenn Geick & Maureen Broadhurst. Que descanse en paz eterna en los brazos de Dios**

# DONA SANGRE

## St. Mary's Catholic Church - Brenham

Domingo, Enero 9  
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We are in need of additional volunteers to help clean the church altars during the months of April and July. Each month has a group that clean every Saturday morning of their month. The time commitment is less than an hour each week. Please consider giving of your time to help prepare our beautiful church for the weekend Masses. Please call Sharon Johnston at **979-203-5073** if interested in helping.



### Cuidado del Altar

Necesitamos voluntarios adicionales para ayudar a limpiar los altares de la iglesia durante los meses de abril y julio. Cada mes tiene un grupo que limpia todos los sábados por la mañana de su mes. El compromiso de tiempo es de menos de una hora por semana. Por favor considere dar su tiempo para ayudar a preparar nuestra hermosa iglesia para las misas de fin de semana. Por favor llame a Sharon Johnston al **979-203-5073** si esta interesado en ayudar.

### St. Mary's Prayer Line

*If you or a loved one needs prayers, call, text, or email:*  
**Shirley Rowan**  
**979-421-3332**

**Shirley.rowan@att.net**

*If you would like to become a Prayer Warrior please contact Shirley Rowan.*

### Linea de Oración de St. Mary's

*Si usted o un ser querido necesita oraciones, llame, mande un mensaje de texto o correo electrónico:*

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*Si usted gusta ser un Guerrero de oración porfavor contacte a Shirley Rowan.*

**St. Teresa of Calcutta Society** helps those in need.  
For assistance phone **979-525-0090**. Calls remain confidential.

### La Sociedad de Santa Teresa De Calcuta ayuda a esos en necesidad.

Para recibir ayuda llame al **979-525-0090**. Las llamadas se mantienen confidenciales.

*"Not all of us can do great things, but we can do small things with great love." - St. Teresa of Calcutta*

*"No siempre podemos hacer grandes cosas, pero si podemos hacer cosas pequeñas con gran amor."*





**We are looking for volunteers who want to help us with the "live Streaming" of the Masses. We will teach you how to do it. Interested call the office.**

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Es a través de la generosidad de los patrocinadores de nuestro boletín que nuestro boletín se publica todas las semanas sin costo para la parroquia.

Si desea ser un patrocinador del boletín para anunciar su negocio o colocar un memorial o un anuncio de oración ... comuníquese con el Sr. Estrada directamente por teléfono al 281-605-9751 o envíele un correo electrónico a [restrada@diocesan.com](mailto:restrada@diocesan.com) ¡Gracias!

### **Marriage Recognition Certificates**

Sponsored by the Council of Catholic Women and signed by Bishop Vásquez, *marriage recognition certificates* are available for couples celebrating wedding anniversaries between February 14, 2021 and February 14, 2022. If you have been married 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 years or more, please call the Church office and give us your names, the date of your marriage, and your phone number. The deadline to turn this is January 10th, 2022.

### **Certificados de Reconocimiento para Matrimonios**

Patrocinados por el Consejo de Damas Católicas y firmados por el Obispo Joe Vásquez, *los certificados de reconocimiento de matrimonio* están disponibles para las parejas que celebran aniversarios de bodas entre el 14 de febrero de 2021 y el 14 de febrero de 2022. Si ha estado casado 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 años o más, por favor llame a la oficina de la Iglesia y dénos sus nombres, la fecha de su matrimonio y su número de teléfono. La fecha límite para llamar es el 10 de enero de 2022.



### **Sponsor of the Week:**

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### **Religious Education**

CCE Classes resume  
Wednesday, January 5 and  
Sunday, January 9



### **Catequesis**

Las clases del catecismo reanudarán el Miercoles, 5 de Enero y el Domingo, 9 de Enero



## *Marriage Banns*

**First Bann of Marriage** for  
Jose Juan Castillo & Maria  
Guadalupe Vazquez

## *Amonestaciones*

**Primera Amonestación de  
Matrimonio** para  
Jose Juan Castillo & Maria  
Guadalupe Vazquez



### **Not Receiving "Flocknotes"?**

Sign up to receive notifications of last-minute schedule changes (e.g., Mass cancellations, funerals, etc.).

To sign up, simply text the keyword ORAMOS to the phone number 84576, or sign up online at [flocknote.com/stmaryimmaculateconcept1](http://flocknote.com/stmaryimmaculateconcept1)

Type in your name, then select either English or Spanish. Text STOP to stop text notifications at any time.

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Regístrese para recibir notificaciones de cambios de horario de última hora (por ejemplo, cancelaciones de misa, funerales, etc.).

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Escriba su nombre, luego seleccione inglés o español. Envíe STOP para detener las notificaciones de texto en cualquier momento.



# Happy New Year!

**Friday, Dec. 31 - 5:30 pm (English)**

**Sat, Jan 1 - 9:00 am (English)**

**5:00 pm (English)**

**7:00 pm (Spanish)**

**Latin Mass at 3:00pm**

**Held at Pax Christi Retreat Center**

**9300 HWY 105, Brenham, TX 77833**

# Feliz Año Nuevo







## DEACON'S CORNER

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. Sometimes we might have difficulty relating to the Holy Family: a perfect Son, a sinless wife and a saint for a husband! Who of us can claim such a family? How do they apply to our lives? Sometimes our family life is difficult. It was also difficult for the Holy Family.



Mary's pregnancy likely resulted in gossip and possible death by stoning. Joseph decided to put her away quietly. They endure the difficult trip to Bethlehem and birth in a stable. They hear Simeon's and Anna's prophecy of great things for their Son and suffering for Mary. Mary must have recalled these words many times. They escape to Egypt so their Son will not be killed. Then they return to Nazareth and the cleaning, cooking, earning a living, with no electricity, central heat, air conditioning, running water or plumbing. They lose Jesus in the temple for three days prefiguring his three days in the tomb. Mary and Joseph live a life of continence and chastity; believing that God's will would be accomplished. They remain faithful to their religious duties. Jesus lived in obedience to His human parents. Finally Mary loses her husband and then her Son as Jesus leaves on his mission and is crucified before her eyes.

In spite of all this the Holy Family maintained their trust in God and fulfilled God's will for them with God's help. In doing this they changed the world forever and so can we if we submit in faith and trust to God. In spite of difficulties our families can be a crucible of holiness where we learn and experience mercy, compassion, forgiveness, patience and trust and faith in God. Good and holy families can change the world. May it be so.

**Deacon John**

## RINCÓN DEL DIÁCONO



Este fin de semana celebramos la Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia. A veces podemos tener dificultades para relacionarnos con la Sagrada Familia: ¡un Hijo perfecto, una esposa sin pecado y un santo por esposo! ¿Quién de nosotros puede reclamar una familia así? Como los aplicamos a nuestras vidas? A veces, nuestra vida familiar es difícil. También fue difícil para la Sagrada Familia.

El embarazo de María probablemente resultó en chismes y posible muerte por pedradas. Jose decidió mantenerla en silencio. Ellos aguantan el difícil viaje a Belén y nacimiento en un establo. Escuchan la profecía de Simeón y Anna de grandes cosas para su Hijo y sufrimiento para María. María debe haber recordado estas palabras muchas veces. Escapan a Egipto para que su Hijo no sea asesinado. Luego regresan a Nazaret y limpian, cocinan, se ganan la vida, sin electricidad, calefacción, aire acondicionado, agua corriente o fontanería. Pierden a Jesús en el templo por tres días prefigurando sus tres días en la tumba. María y José viven una vida de continencia y castidad; creyendo que la voluntad de Dios se cumpliría. Permanecen fieles a sus deberes religiosos. Jesús vivió en obediencia a sus padres humanos. Finalmente María pierde a su esposo y luego a su Hijo cuando Jesús parte en su misión y es crucificado ante sus ojos.



A pesar de todo esto, la Sagrada Familia mantuvo su confianza en Dios y cumplió la voluntad de Dios para ellos con la ayuda de Dios. Al hacer esto, cambiaron el mundo para siempre y nosotros también podemos hacerlo si nos sometemos con fe y confianza a Dios. A pesar de las dificultades nuestras familias pueden ser un crisol de santidad donde aprendemos y experimentamos misericordia, compasión, perdón, paciencia y confianza y fe en Dios. Las familias buenas y santas pueden cambiar el mundo. Que así sea.

**Diácono John**



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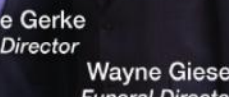


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