



Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception

701 Church St., Brenham, TX 77833

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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

Sunday Mass

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. Johannes Gorremuchu—Parochial
Vicar

Deacon Steve Medina
Deacon Allen Prescott
Deacon John Pelletier

OFFICE HOURS

Monday CLOSED

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am—5:00 pm

**Emergencies after office hours phone
number:**

(979) 451-9824

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT • SEGUNDO DOMINGO DE GUARESMA

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Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Psalm 33

Que tu misericordia, Señor, venga sobre nosotros, como lo
esperamos de ti.

Salmo 33

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS**HORARIO DE MISAS E INTENCIONES****March 6– March 12 , 2023****Monday/lunes– March 6, 7:00 am**

In thanksgiving of our office staff & volunteers

12:15 pm+Repose of the soul of Edwin Seidel
Well-being of Elizabeth, Charles & Cole Coughlin
(sent off)**Tuesday/martes—March 7, 7:00 am**+Repose of the soul of Deacon William “Bill”
Januszewski**12:15 pm**+Repose of the soul of Juan Vasquez, father of
Bishop Joe Vasquez
+Repose of the soul of Nancy Manfre (sent off)**Wednesday/miercoles-March 8, 7:00 am****12:15 pm**

+Repose of the soul of Arthur Gonzales

Thursday/jueves - March 9, 7:00 am**12:15 pm**+Repose of the souls of Bruno & Julian Bolcerek
+Repose of the souls of Alex, Maggie & Eddie
Flisowski (sent off)**Friday/Viernes - March 10, 7:00 am**

+Repose of the soul of Lillian Antkowiak

5:30 pm

Father Everardo Cazres on his birthday

Saturday/sábado—March 11, 5:00 pm+Repose of the souls of Joseph & Mary
Januszewski**7:00 pm. - En Español / In Spanish Mass**

Pro Populo

Sunday/Domingo – March 12, 8:00 am.

+Repose of the soul of Kenneth Moore

10:30 a.m.

+Repose of the soul of John Hardin

12:30 p.m. - En Español/In Spanish

Well-being of Juan Medina

4:00 p.m. - at Pax Christi Retreat Center**COLLECTION/COLECTA**Electronic giving - if you prefer to give electronically,
there is a link at www.brenhamcatholic.org*Donación electronica—para hacer su contribución
automáticamente visitar www.brenhamcatholic.org***February 25-26****Weekly budgeted expenses.....\$16,756.00****Weekend collection\$17,217.45****Ash Wednesday collection\$4,869.00****Diocese World Missions.....\$566.00****Thank you for you generosity! This is how we are doing:****Collection Report****July - September**

	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	Jan. '23		To Date
Offertory	\$206,644	\$263,345	\$98,109		\$568,098
Expenses	\$268,622	\$247,195	\$79,707		\$595,524
	-\$61,978	\$16,150	\$18,402		-\$27,426

Offertory is Sunday and Holy Day collection, does not
include fundraising, gifts, bequest, Encountering Christ
Campaign, or contributions from our ministries.**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 con-
tact 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 electronico:***Shirley Rowan****979-421-3332****Shirley.rowan@att.net***Si usted gusta ser un Guerrero de oración porfavor
contacte a Shirley Rowan.*

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Mandatory Reporting of Abuse

Texas State law **requires** any adult citizen to report suspicions of abuse and/or neglect to the police or to the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services. If church personnel are involved, also notify the church and/or use the Notice of Concern so the appropriate steps can be taken to protect and to heal.

Child Protective Services (CPS) txacusehotline.org or
1-800-252-5400

Diocese of Austin austindiocese.org/report-abuse or
(512) 949-2447

Reporte Obligatorio de Abuso

La ley del estado de Texas requiere que cualquier ciudadano adulto informe sobre sospechas de abuso y/o negligencia a la policía o al Departamento de Servicios Familiares y de protección de Texas.

Si el personal de la Iglesia esta involucrado, también notifique a la iglesia y/o use el Aviso de Preocupación para que se puedan tomar los pasos correspondientes para proteger y sanar.

Servicios de Protección Infantil (CPS) txacusehotline.org or
1-800-252-5400

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(512) 949-2447

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.

Bulletin

Please send any bulletin announcements to Rosi Romero at secretary@brenhamcatholic.org no later than Monday of the week before you want your announcement to be published in the bulletin. Thank you

Boletín

Por favor mande los anuncios para el boletín a Rosi Romero a secretary@brenhamcatholic.org
El anuncio tiene que ser mandado a más tardar el Lunes de la semana antes de la que usted necesite el anuncio publicado en el boletín. Gracias

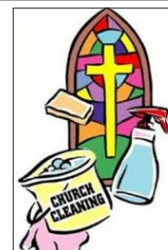


Our funeral luncheon ministry is now organized and running rather smoothly. Now that you are reading this, you are **invited** to provide desserts and or fruit trays for our ministry. Please provide your name and phone number to dcnal@brenhamcatholic.org or call the office with your information. I guarantee that you will be called. **Deacon Al**

Nuestro ministerio de almuerzos funerarios ahora está organizado y funcionando sin problemas. Ahora que está leyendo esto, está **invitado** a proporcionar postres o bandejas de frutas para nuestro ministerio. Proporcione su nombre y número de teléfono a dcnal@brenhamcatholic.org o llame a la oficina con su información. Te garantizo que te llamarán. **Diácono Al**

March altar care ladies are:

Doris Krolczyk* Erin Thibodeaux
Mary Lovelidge Judy Cockrell
Teresa Byers



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 We will be monitoring the email constantly!

Consejo Pastoral

Si tiene alguna pregunta, comentario o preocupación que le gustaría que se comentara en nuestras reuniones mensuales del consejo pastoral por favor mandelas a nuestro correo electronico
Pastoralcouncil@brenhamcatholic.org
Estaremos checando el correo constantemente!

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Come pray the Rosary with us every Friday at 12:10 pm in the Church.

Ven a rezar el Rosario con nosotros todos los viernes a las 12:10 pm en la Iglesia.

with sympathy

The staff and parishioners offer their deepest and heartfelt condolences to the families of Alphonse Kwiatkowski. May he rest in eternal peace in the arms of God.

El personal y los feligreses ofrecen sus más sinceras condolencias a las familias de Alphonse Kwiatkowski. Que descanse en paz eterna en los brazos de Dios.

St. Teresa of Calcutta

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



La Sociedad de Santa Teresa De Calcutta 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 sí podemos hacer cosas pequeñas con gran amor." - Santa Teresa de Calcutta



Lenten Fish Fry

March 24, 2023 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Saint Mary's Catholic Church PAC

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Adults \$10.00, Buy in Advance, No Door Sales for Adults

Child (12 and under) plates \$5.00 at the door.

Tickets available in front of the church after Weekend Masses.

Also available at the Church Office

979-836-4440

Only 400 tickets available



St Mary's Wellness Ministry Help Center

Located in Church office Free Wellness information and tips to take home, Free prescription Drug Savings Cards, Resource Center for finding healthcare providers

Centro de Ayuda del Ministerio de Bienestar de St Mary's

Ubicado en la oficina de la iglesia, Información gratuita sobre bienestar y consejos para llevar a casa, Tarjetas de ahorro para medicamentos recetados gratis, Centro de recursos para encontrar proveedores de atención médica

Devoción a la Virgen de Guadalupe

El Movimiento Familiar Cristiano aún tiene semanas disponibles para las familias que gusten llevarse la Virgen de Guadalupe a su hogar.

Si gusta apuntarse para alguna semana favor de comunicarse con **Mauricio y Macaria Olivarez**.



St. Mary's Immaculate Conception
Statement of Assets, Liabilities & Net Assets
As of January 1, 2023

ASSETS

Unrestricted Cash

Parish Operating Account	\$ 76,043
Consecrated Life	969
Church AC Maint. Acct.	23,990
Blessed to be a Mom	1,078
Social Services	7,030
St. Teresa of Calcutta Society	7,787
Other	-13,089

Total Unrestricted Cash	\$103,808
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Restricted Cash

Special Building Fund	\$226,412
Holding Account (savings)	100,685
Our Faith Our Legacy Account / Encountering Christ	79,610
Cemetery (savings & Checking)	121,861
Other	5,098

Total Restricted Cash	533,666
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Fixed Assets (at cost)

Church, Education Bldg., PAC & contents	3,077,998
Priest Rectories	213,691
Rental Properties	1,088,245

Total Fixed Assets	4,379,934
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$5,017,408
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LIABILITIES

Funds Held In Trust	\$ 3,086
Other Current Liabilities	62,325

Debt	
Debt - Properties	435,068

TOTAL LIABILITIES	497,393
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NET ASSETS	\$ 4,520,015
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St. Mary, Immaculate Conception Perpetual Endowment:

\$41,993.25

St. Mary's Cemetery Perpetual Endowment :

\$66,792.82





DEACON'S CORNER

Have we ever experienced a profound, unexpected change in our lives; a change that made us anxious or afraid? How did we react to it? Did we attempt to turn away or hide from it? Did it anger us?

In today's Gospel Peter, James and John experience such a life changing event. Jesus has taken them up a mountain but the apostles fall asleep like they would do in the Garden of Gethsemane on Holy Thursday. Suddenly Jesus is changed or rather he allows the blinding light of his divinity to shine forth. He becomes bright as light and Moses and Elijah appear with him and talk about the passion Jesus would undergo. The apostles don't know what is happening. Peter offers to build tents so everyone can stay on the mountain. It's a good place to be he says!



Suddenly God's voice comes from the cloud just as it did at Jesus baptism saying: ***This is my beloved Son listen to Him.*** Now Peter, James and John are afraid, they don't know what to do. Peter has already offered to build tents so everyone can stay on the mountain. But now is not the time to stay on the mountain. There is work to do. Suddenly the cloud, Moses and Elijah are no longer present. Jesus tells the apostles ***do not be afraid!***

You see although the apostles don't know it yet, the Transfiguration with God the Father, Moses and Elijah *testifying* to Jesus as messiah was meant to strengthen the apostles for their trials during Jesus' passion and death. In the Old Testament two witnesses were required for testimony to be accepted as true. At the Transfiguration we have *three* witnesses, Moses, Elijah who represent the Jewish Law and the Prophets and God the Father Himself!

The Transfiguration and its' testimony to Jesus is also meant to strengthen us in times of sadness, trouble, turmoil, suffering or doubt. Jesus says to us *be not afraid trust in me, I am with you always. Let us go. There is more work for us to do in your Christian life!*

Peace to you. **Deacon John**

RINCÓN DEL DIÁCONO

¿Hemos experimentado alguna vez un cambio profundo e inesperado en nuestras vidas; un cambio que nos hizo sentir ansiosos o temerosos? ¿Cómo reaccionamos ante ello? ¿Intentamos alejarnos o escondernos de él? ¿Nos enojó?.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Pedro, Santiago y Juan experimentan un evento que les cambia la vida. Jesús los ha llevado a un monte pero los apóstoles se duermen como lo harían en el Huerto de Getsemaní el Jueves Santo. De repente Jesús es cambiado o más bien deja brillar la luz cegadora de su divinidad. Se vuelve brillante como la luz y Moisés y Elías aparecen con él y hablan de la pasión que Jesús sufriría. Los apóstoles no saben lo que está pasando. Pedro se ofrece a construir tiendas de campaña para que todos puedan quedarse en la montaña. Es un buen lugar para estar dice!

De repente, la voz de Dios viene de la nube, tal como lo hizo en el bautismo de Jesús, diciendo: ***Este es mi Hijo amado, escúchenlo.*** Ahora Pedro, Santiago y Juan tienen miedo, no saben qué hacer. Pedro ya se ha ofrecido a construir tiendas de campaña para que todos puedan quedarse en la montaña. Pero ahora no es el momento de quedarse en la montaña. Hay trabajo que hacer. De repente la nube, Moisés y Elías ya no están presentes. ¡Jesús les dice a los apóstoles ***que no tengan miedo!***

Veras, aunque los apóstoles aún no lo saben, la Transfiguración con Dios el Padre, Moisés y Elías *testificando* a Jesús como el Mesías tenía la intención de fortalecer a los apóstoles para sus pruebas durante la pasión y muerte de Jesús. En el Antiguo Testamento se requerían dos testigos para que el testimonio fuera aceptado como verdadero. En la Transfiguración tenemos *tres testigos*, Moisés, Elías que representan la Ley Judía y los Profetas y Dios Padre mismo

La Transfiguración y su testimonio de Jesús también está destinado a fortalecernos en tiempos de tristeza, problemas, confusión, sufrimiento o duda. Jesús nos dice *no tengáis miedo confiad en mí, yo estaré con vosotros siempre. Déjanos ir. ¡Hay más trabajo para nosotros en su vida cristiana!*

La paz sea contigo. **Diacono John**



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