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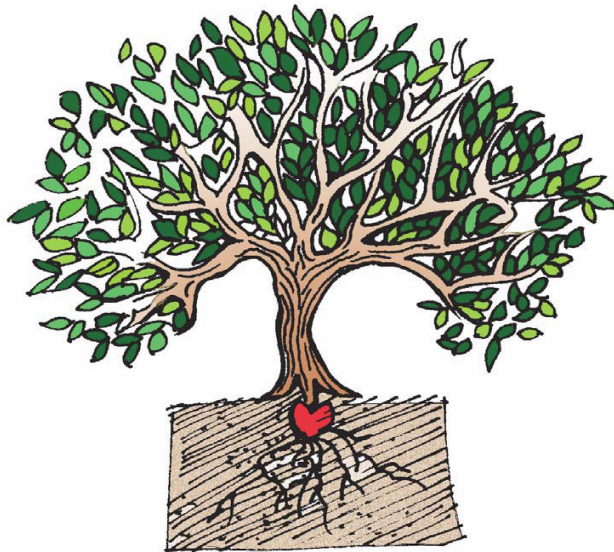
Reconciliation: Saturday
4:00–5:00pm and by appt.

Sat. Vigil : 5:30pm –English
Sun. 8:00am & 10:00am - English
Sun. Noon -Spanish

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon. - 9:00 am Communion Service
Tues. NO Communion Service
Wed., Thur., Fri. 9:00 am
Communion Service

Increase Our Faith Increase



Our Faith Increase Our Faith

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Twenty-seventh Sunday

in Ordinary Time

October 2, 2016

Come, let us bow down in worship;

let us kneel before the LORD

who made us.

— Psalm 95:6

Baptism: Class in English in December, 1st
Saturday of the month

Please register prior to the class.

Bautizo: Clase de bautizo en Español: Segun-
do sábado del diciembre.

Favor de registrarse para las clases.

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Contact pastor one year prior to
suggested date.

Contacte el pastor un año antes de la fecha
sugerida.

St. Mary Finances
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 September 18, 2016

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A representative of CASA of Central Texas will present an program on the importance of advocacy for children in foster care who have been removed from the home due to abuse or neglect. She will speak on the role of the Court Appointed Special Advocates in the lives of these children. The Ladies Guild invites all the women of the parish to join us for this informative presentation on Thursday, October 13 at 9:30 am in the parish hall. Refreshments will be served.

Un representante de "CASA" del Centro de Texas, presentará un programa sobre la importancia de apoyo para los niños que se encuentran en "cuidado provisional" con probabilidades de adopción, debido a que fueron retirados de su hogar por motivos de abuso o negligencia. El representante hablará sobre el impacto que tendrán, en las vidas de estos menores de edad, los Defensores Especiales nombrados por la Corte. La Hermandad Damas del Altar (Ladies Guild) invita a todas las mujeres de la parroquia para que nos acompañen a escuchar esta presentación informativa y que se llevará a cabo a las 9:30 am el 13 de octubre en el Salón Parroquial.

"Increase our faith." Jesus urges us to become faithful servants. As such, we must strive to do all that God asks of us. Faith is God's gift which allows us to enter into a loving relationship with Him. When we do as God asks, it is an act of faith. God always gives us the strength to do what is right. Are there times when I am not the faithful servant I should be? When have I been a faithful servant?

"Incrementa nuestra fe". Jesús nos urge a convertirnos en siervos fieles. Como tales, debemos de hacer todo lo que Dios nos pide. La fe es el don de Dios que nos permite entrar en una relación amorosa con Él. Cuando hacemos lo que Dios desea, eso es un acto de fe. Dios siempre nos da la fuerza para hacer lo correcto ¿Hay momentos en los que no soy el siervo fiel que debería de ser? ¿Cuándo he sido un siervo fiel?



October is Respect Life Month. Remember to donate any spare pocket change to your Baby Bank. Your donation will help pro-life efforts in our parish and throughout the diocese. The Gabriel Project, Project Rachel, Sidewalk Ministry, Pro-Life Help Line and much more will receive funds from this campaign.

Octubre es el mes de respeto a la vida. Recuerde donar cualquier cambio de bolsillo de repuesto para sus Alcancías del Bebe. Su donación ayudará a esfuerzos pro-vida en nuestra parroquia y a través de la diócesis. El proyecto Gabriel, Proyecto Raquel, Acera Ministerio Próvida, ayuda on-line y mucho más recibirán fondos de esta campaña.

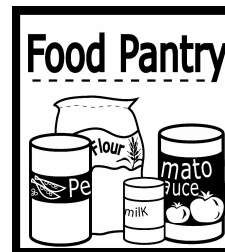
Pray for ...

Deer Creek Nursing Home Residents:

Angela Nancy Bane, Suzette Davis, Fannie Drake, Aurora Fuentes, Betty Glisson, Marty Jeffers, Diane Jordan, Walter Martinez, Nada Sekulovich, Richard and Jean Sensat, Sheila Maureen Smith

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. October 1 @ 5:30pm—Mass
 +Vivian Kennedy By Anthony & Janelle Conzentino
Sun. October 2 @ 8:00 am—Mass
 For the People of the Parish
Sun. October 2 @ 10:00 am—Mass
 +Steve Kreuger By Jeannine Coulter
Sun. October 2 @ Noon —Mass
 +Clemente Martinez Hernandez By La Familia Martinez
Mon. October 3 @ 9:00 am—Communion Service
Tues. October 4 @ 5:30 pm—Communion Service
Wed. October 5 @ 9:00 am—Communion Service
Thur. October 6 @ 9:00 am —Communion Service
Fri. October 7 @ 9:00 am—Communion Service

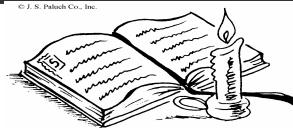


Bring your non-perishable items for the Crisis Bread Basket the 2nd weekend of the month. St. Mary has committed to a food donation every second weekend of every month. Let's all gather together to help those less fortunate.

Traiga sus artículos de comida para el Crisis Bread Basket cada segunda semana del mes. Santa María se ha comprometido a una donación de despensa. Ayudaremos todos a reúnen para ayudar a los menos afortunados.

SCRIPTURE STUDIES

Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John: Sundays at 6:30-8:30pm and Mondays at 3:00-5:00pm in Raphael House.
The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation: Wednesdays at 6:15-7:30pm in Raphael House.



Scripture Study

The St. Mary Church Ladies Guild is seeking new members. We meet on the second Thursday of each month but we do many other things at various times. Please pick up our new flyer in English and Spanish located on the table at the entrance to the church to read about all that we do.

La Iglesia de Santa María del gremio de señoras está buscando nuevos miembros. Nos reunimos el segundo jueves de cada mes, pero podemos hacer muchas otras cosas en distintos momentos. Por favor recoger nuestro nuevo folleto en inglés y español sobre la mesa situada a la entrada de la iglesia para leer acerca de todo lo que hacemos.

The Building Committee and the Campaign Leadership Team would like to thank everyone for your support of the Capital Campaign. The online giving through "We Share" is available to anyone who would like to use this method of payment. In the back of the church you will find pledge payment envelopes and pledge cards for those who have not The Building Committee and the Campaign Leadership Team would like to thank everyone for your support of the Capital Campaign. The online giving through "We Share" is available to anyone who would like to use this method of payment. In the back of the church you will find pledge payment envelopes and pledge cards for those who have not already completed a card. Work on the new hall is progressing and the plans were delivered to the City of Wimberley in order to obtain our construction permit. If you have any questions please call Kathy Maldonado at 832-372-5221 or Mike Steinert at 503-999-0666.

El Comité de Construcción y el Equipo de Liderazgo de la campana desea agradecer a todos por su apoyo a la campana de la Capital. Las donaciones en línea a través de "Compartimos" están disponibles para cualquiera que desee usar este método de pago. En la parte de atrás de la iglesia encontrara prenda pago sobres y tarjetas de promesas para aquellos que no han completado ya una tarjeta. Trabajar en el nuevo hall esta avanzando y los planes fueron entregados a la ciudad de Wimberley con el fin de obtener el permiso de construcción. Si usted tiene cualquier pregunta, por favor hablar con Emily Gayosso o llame la oficina de la iglesia para contactar ella.

Catholic Social Teaching Corner

Today's Gospel opens with the disciples requesting that Jesus increase their faith. For Jesus, faith is a gift that leads to service and that service is always in support of life! This Sunday we all pray for the flame of faith and zeal that will give us the courage to stand with and all whose lives are threatened by violence: the unborn; the death row prisoner; civilians caught in wars and conflict. Does our faith help us to see every life as precious in the eyes of God? In what areas should we ask God to increase our faith?

-El Evangelio de hoy comienza con los discípulos pidiendo a Jesús que incremente su fe. Para Jesús, la fe es un don que lleva al servicio y ese servicio es siempre en apoyo a la vida! Este domingo oramos por la flama de la fe y el celo que nos dará el valor para ponernos de pie con, y por todos aquellos cuyas vidas son amenazadas con la violencia: los no natos; los prisioneros en fila para ser ejecutados; los civiles atrapados en guerras y conflictos ¿Nos ayuda nuestra fe a ver cada vida como preciosa en los ojos de Dios? ¿En qué áreas debemos pedirle a Dios que incremente nuestra fe?

October 7 is the first Friday of the month. Please join us in Eucharistic Adoration from 9:45 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. noon. See the back of the church for sign-up.

Important Information:

- If you are not yet registered with the parish, please come by the office to register or pick up a form from the cry room & bring to the office at your convenience. If you have a new address or phone number please call the office to make the changes. This helps us get in contact with you.
- Consider remembering St. Mary in your will. Contact the parish office for more information.
- Considere la posibilidad de recordar a la Iglesia de Santa María en su testamento. Póngase en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para más información.
- If you would like to receive emails from our Bereavement Committee or our e-prayer line please give us your current email address. Email us at office@saintmaryswimberley.com or call the church office.
- So that we may conclude Pope Francis' Year of Mercy with great participation, please join us on Thursdays at 3:00 pm in the church to participate in the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Those attending will decide whether the chaplet is said or sung that day. Written words for the chaplet will be supplied if desired. For more information call Mary Jo Carman at 512-754-6687.
- **Bulletin Deadline:** To get an item into the bulletin contact the office two to three weeks before your event. **Note:** the bulletin is sent to the printer on Tuesday morning.



ST. MARY PARISH APPRECIATION PICNIC

St. Mary Parish will have an "Appreciation Picnic" to express our gratitude for the great number of parishioners and ministries that have contributed their time and talent in so many ways over the last year. This event is on Sunday, October 2nd from 2PM to 6PM and is located at 3820 River Road, Wimberley, Texas. Let us come together for food, live music, and train rides that all will enjoy! Bring a blanket or chair, your family, and let us thank you for all that you do. Potluck dishes are welcome.

La Parroquia de Santa María tendrá un Día de Apreciación "Picnic/Merienda Campestre" para expresar nuestro agradecimiento al gran número de feligreses y Ministerios que en varias formas, el año pasado, contribuyeron con su tiempo y talento a los proyectos de nuestra iglesia. Este "Picnic" es el domingo, dos de octubre, empezando a las 2 de la tarde y terminando a las 6:00 pm en "3820 River Road, Wimberley, TX." Esperamos reunirnos para disfrutar deliciosa comida, música, y ¡paseos en el tren que todos podrán disfrutar! Traigan a toda su familia, cobijas, sillas, etc., y permítanos darles las gracias por todo lo que han hecho.

Beginning Tuesday, September 27, there will be no communion services scheduled for Tuesday evenings. There will still be communion services held on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings at 9:00 am.

A partir del martes, 27 de septiembre, no habrá servicios de comunión programados para el martes por la tarde. Todavía Habrá servicios de comunión celebrados los días lunes, miércoles, jueves y Viernes por la mañana a las 9:00 am.

Calendar of Meetings/Events
October 2—October 8

Sun.	Children's Liturgy	10:00-10:35am PH
	Youth Ministry	All Day BH
	Parish Appreciation Picnic	2:00-6:00pm
	RCIA	4:00-6:00pm RH
	Bible Study	6:30-8:30pm RH
Mon.	Cenacle of Prayer	9:45am CH
	Building Committee Meeting	12:00-2:00pm RH
	Women's Bible Study	3:00-5:00pm RH
	Trinity Prayer Group Mtg.	7:00-9:00pm BH
Tues.	RE Classes	6:00-7:15pm
	ESL	6:00-7:15pm PH
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00-9:00pm CH
Wed.	RE Classes	6:30-7:30pm
	Bible Study	6:15-7:30pm RH
	1st & 2nd year Confirmation Classes	6:30-7:30pm
Thu.	RE Deanery Meeting	10:00am-12:00pm RH
	Scripture Sharing	9:45-11:00am PH
	Chaplet of Divine Mercy	3:00pm CH
	Women's ACTS Meeting	7:00-9:00pm RH
Fri.	First Friday Adoration	9:30am-12:00pm CH
	Trinity Prayer Group Meeting	7:00-10:00pm PH
Sat.	No events	

BH — Badger House RH — Raphael House
 PH — Parish Hall CH — Church
 CR — Cry room AB—Admin. Building
 PL — Parking Lot WCC —Wimberley Community Center

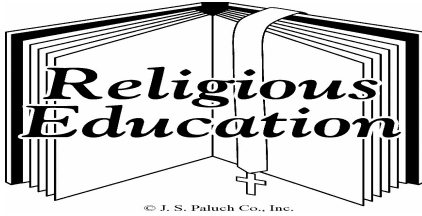
St. Mary's youth have been having close encounters with God for over 10 years at the Eagle's Wings Retreat Center in Burnet, TX. A favorite area of the retreat center is "The Nest" which has provided the quiet and beauty to facilitate a deep connection with God. Eagle's Wings is campaigning to build a new facility for The Nest: a lodge with a much needed larger meeting space and room for more beds, and our youth will greatly benefit from this project. If you want to donate to this project, please visit their website at www.ewrc.org and click on the DONATE button, if you so choose to participate. Any amount is gratefully accepted. Please let me know if you can offer other help, such as electrical expertise, helping with drywall, etc. As I am on the Board of Directors, I would be happy to show you the improvements that we would like to make. — Nan Neff

Mary, Queen of Heaven, Queen of Mercy!" will be presented Oct. 3 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center in Belton. The month of October is dedicated to the love of Our Blessed Mother. Father Uche Obikwelu, one of our diocesan priests, recently wrote a book titled, "Mary, the Mediatrix of God's Grace." He will share insights from his book during his talks and at Mass. The costs for this day is \$35, which includes lunch. To register or for more information, contact Cedarbrake at [\(254\) 780-2436](tel:2547802436) or cedarbrake@austindiocese.org.

For assistance with utility bills, rent, Dr. visits, or medication you can contact:

St. Vincent De Paul Society at 512-847-5251

Leave a detailed voicemail and they will contact you as soon as possible.



RE Classes started Sep-
tember 13 & 14
Pre-K thru 5th grade
Tuesdays 6:00-7:15 pm
6th grade thru Confir-
mation 6:30-7:30 pm
(New Time!)

**If you have not registered your children, please come to the R.E.
Office Tuesday-Friday from 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 3pm.**

Registration donations, payable to *St. Mary R.E.*, are as follows:
\$45 for 1 child, \$80 for 2 children, \$90 for 3+ children

- Book donation for children 3rd grade and up, who have not received 1st Communion is \$30.00.
- First Communion and 1st & 2nd year Confirmation material fee of \$20.00 due at registration. Additional fees for sacrament materials, books & retreats may apply throughout the year.
- OFFICIAL Birth and sacrament certificates are due at the time of registration.
Please ask if you have questions or concerns.

Volver Las clases comenzaron el 13 & el 14 de septiembre
Pre-K hasta el 5º grado Martes 6:00-7:15 pm; 6to. grado a través
de la confirmación de las 6:30-7:30 pm (¡hora Nueva!).

**Si no se han inscrito a sus hijos, por favor venga a la R.E. Ofi-
cina de martes a viernes de 9am a 12pm y de 1pm a 3pm.**

Donaciones de registro, cheques a nombre de: *St. Mary R.E.*, son los si-
guientes:

- \$45 por 1 estudiante, \$80 para 2 estudiantes, \$90 por tres o
mas estudiantes
- \$30.00 Comprar libros de Preparación Religiosa para chicos del
3º Grado, y que aún no han recibido el Sacramento de la Primera
Comunión.
- Primer Año de Comunión y Primer y Segundo año de confirmación
hay una cuota de \$20 adicional en la registración.
- Igualmente, queremos informarles que durante el año escolar de
Educación Religiosa, quizá sea necesario aplicar cuotas adicionales
en la preparación para recibir los Santos Sacramentos, libros y mate-
riales y retiros.
- Certificados de nacimiento y en los sacramentos oficiales vencen en
el momento de la inscripción.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o desea información adicional, por favor lláme-
nos.

**A Pre-K Aide is needed for the RE program.
Please contact Minerva if you can help!**



St. Mary STARS Youth Ministry

For more information call Morag at 830-385-1232 or
email morag.stmary@yahoo.com.

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