SAINT MATTHIAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

CALENDAR:

Women's Bible Study On Break For Summer

Men's Bible Study
On Break For Summer

Saturday, July 16th Ministry to the Homeless Austin St. Shelter @ 12am

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"Summer Breaks"

t is common for people to take a break from some of the normal aspects of their lives during the summer months. Our children get a break from school. Many people will take summer vacations. There are so many more outdoor activities to be involved in and the list goes on. Sadly, this spills over into the spiritual life as well. Church attendance historically drops during the summer months and potentially our devotion to our faith may take a break as well.

This brings to mind that we need to have a clear catechized understanding of why Sunday worship is so very important to our spiritual journey. Although Sunday may seem like the time to get our batteries recharged, it is really our opportunity to give thanks to God along with the fullness of the Body of Christ. As Saint Paul says, "when one part of the body hurts, the whole-Body hurts and when one part of the Body rejoices, the whole-Body rejoices". I would suggest when one part of the Body is absent it leaves a hole in the Body. As the Body worships the Lord, His blessing flow from Heaven onto and into the Body.

May we find this summer a time of rest and relaxation as it should be, while keeping our spiritual lives engaged at the very heart of our being. May the Lord grant us all His blessings, His peace, His mercy, and His love so that as we gather together it is Him whom we celebrate and give glory to through our corporate worship of the KING.

Peace and Blessings,



Helping Hands Items of the Month

Instant Potatoes and Boxed Rice Proucts



Helping Hands Volunteer this Month

This has been an ongoing ministry of our congregation for many years. Please consider being a part of our giving to Helping Hands.

NEWS & UPDATES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Mass Schedule

We will celebrate a consolidated
Sunday Mass
at 9:30am
Beginning Sunday, June 5th
through the end of August

Brunch Is On The Menu
We will be having a
congregational brunch on Sunday,
July 17th immediately following
Mass.

CHURCH GARAGE SALE

We will be having a church garage sale on Saturday, July 23rd in the church parking lot from 8-noon. Please see Bobbie Walker for details.

BUNKO

July 20th at 7pm

\$10 to play, bring a small snack to share and your own beverage of choice

Server's List

| 9:30 am Mass | | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Date | 7/3/2022 | 7/10/2022 | 7/17/2022 | 7/24/2022 | 7/31/2022 |
| Reader | Vicki Graska | Josh Zachary | Emily Holmes | Bonnie Penny | Jeff Gay |
| Altar Guild | Margie Chung | Cristina Zachary | Margie Chung | Marguerite Brindock | Pam Slovak |
| Server | Juan Garza | Juan Garza | Preston Landman | Preston Landman | Preston Landman |
| Eucharistic Minister | Shawn Graska | Annette Bittle | Karen Anderson | Andrew Brindock | Mark Volpi |
| Usher | John Hajdu | Erv Slovak | Pam Slovak | John Hajdu | Erv Slovak |
| Parish Council | Mark Volpi | Bobbie Walker | Marc Holmes | Jeff Gay | Mark Volpi |

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"And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all He has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind He will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship Him. Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

Because of the privilege and authority God has given me, I give each of you this warning: Don't think you are better than you really are. Be honest in your evaluation of yourselves, measuring yourselves by the faith God has given us. Just as our bodies have many parts and each part has a special function, so it is with Christ's body. We are many parts of one body, and we all belong to each other.

(Romans 12:1-5)

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Saint Matthias Catholic Church

116 Kenway St Rockwall, TX 75087 972-771-1378

Sunday English Mass......8:00 am & 10:00 am

Confession.....Available by appointment



Saint Matthias Church Office

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Office Hours

 Monday
 9:00 am
 1:00 pm

 Tuesday
 9:00 am
 1:00 pm

 Thursday
 9:00 am
 1:00 pm

 Friday
 9:00 am
 1:00 pm

Please call to make an appointment..

No childcare until further notice.