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ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

June 14, 2015

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News, Reminders, and Events

We are sad to announce that Bernardo Paiva, one of our long-time musicians will be leaving the parish to move with his family. We have enjoyed his contributions from playing the guitar and drums to the organ and piano. Next Sunday will be his last day with us, and we wish him the best as he makes such a life change. Thank you for all that you have done for our parish, Bernardo. Good Luck and God Bless!



Estamos tristes de anunciar que Bernardo Paiva, uno de los músicos desde hace mucho tiempo va a dejar la parroquia para trasladarse con su familia. Hemos disfrutado de sus contribuciones de tocar la guitarra y los tambores para el órgano y el piano. El próximo domingo será su último día con nosotros y le deseamos lo mejor como hace un cambio de esa vida. Gracias por todo lo que has hecho por nuestra parroquia, Bernardo. Buena suerte y Dios los bendiga!

We are finalizing the teaching roster for next year's CCD classes. If you are interested in helping to teach or to assist in one of our classes, please contact Natalie Salisbury this week at re@stjoetx.net or stop by and see her after Mass today. A teacher's brunch is planned for after the 9:30am Mass on Sunday, June 28 to thank our CCD educators for all that they have done and to give them all the tools needed to prepare for another wonderful year!

Estamos terminando la lista de enseñanza para las clases de CCD del próximo año. Si usted está interesado en ayudar a enseñar o ayudar a una de nuestras clases, Contacta con Natalie Salisbury esta semana en re@stjoetx.net o parar y verla después de la Misa hoy. Brunch del profesor está prevista para después de las 9:30 Misa el domingo, Junio 28 gracias a que nuestros educadores CCD para todos los que lo han hecho y darles todas las herramientas necesarias para prepararse para otro año maravilloso!

Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) is a national organization dedicated to prayer, helping of others less fortunate, and providing opportunities for members to engage in spiritual activities, such as retreats. Call Brittany at 903-456-0037 or e-mail her at CDA@stjoetx.net for more information.

Católica hijas de las Américas (CDA) es una organización nacional dedicada a la oración, ayudando a otros menos afortunados y brindar oportunidades a los miembros a participar en actividades espirituales, tales como retiros. Para más información llame a Breña en 903-456-0037.

After Mass July 19 & 26 : Pre-registration for 2015-2016 Faith Formation and CCD classes; see Natalie Salisbury or visit our website www.stjoetx.net for more information.

Después de misa el 19 de julio y 26: Pre registración para las clases de formación y CCD de 2015-2016 fe; ver Natalie Salisbury o visite nuestro sitio web www.stjoetx.net para obtener más información.

Saturday June 13	Sunday June 14	Monday June 15	Tuesday June 16	Wednesday June 17	Thursday June 18	Friday June 19	Saturday June 20
5:30 p.m. Mass Rodrigo Pineda Anonymous	9:30 a.m. Mass For the People	No Mass	6:30 p.m. Mass Rodrigo Pineda Anonymous	6:30 p.m. Mass †Wendy S. Selvaggi by Tom Selvaggi	8 a.m. Mass †Rossi Lucian Selvaggi by Tom Selvaggi	8 a.m. Mass Willie Mae Mitchell by Boyd & Cary Roberts	5:30 p.m. Mass Mary Lou Hall by Boyd & Cary Roberts

The usual stipend for a Mass is \$5.00.

A note from Fr. Marcus: Sometimes we forget how many blessings we are given as part of the Catholic family. Over the next several weeks we would like to remind you of the special nature of our faith and the wonders of being part of this family as we share this article by Alice Camille. Be sure to check in here each week for another reminder of the greatness that we share!

Ten great things about being Catholic

By Alice Camille

5. Many roads lead to prayer

Prayer is primarily communication, and there are countless ways to do it. Some pray in silence, mindful of God's presence. Others like to sing—Saint Augustine called singing "praying twice." Some find themselves naturally drawn to formal prayers of repetition like the rosary or novenas. The Stations of the Cross, a walking prayer, reminds us that we're all pilgrims on a spiritual journey toward our true home. Group prayer is often made simpler by using a ritual like the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the breviary. The ultimate prayer of the Catholic community is the Mass itself, in which we celebrate the central mysteries of our faith: "Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!"



Our Parish Weekly Need: \$ 2,771.60*

Las necesidades semanales de nuestra parroquia: \$2,771.60*

Last Sunday, May 24, 2015: \$ 2,056.00

Recaudado el domingo pasado: \$ 2,056.00

Monthly Mortgage Payment: \$ 3,402.50

Pago mensual de hipoteca: \$ 3,402.50

Last Sunday's Building Fund: \$ 1200.00

Fondos recaudados el domingo pasado: \$ 1200.00

Building Fund June Total: \$ 1200.00

Total de fondos mayo: \$ 1,200.00

Mass Attendance: 215

Cantidad de asistentes: 215

*What it takes to function not including the Mortgage Payment.

*Lo que se requiere para el funcionamiento de la parroquia, sin el pago mensual de la hipoteca.

RCIA is a journey of conversion to God and what He intends for us. The Catholic Church warmly welcomes new members and tries to provide appropriate spiritual formation according to each person's needs. If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact Fr. Marcus.

Si usted está interesado en aprender más sobre la fe católica, póngase en contacto con el p. Marcus.



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