

Twenty-first Sunday In Ordinary Time

August 24, 2008

When I call Lord, you answer me!



Upon
this rock
I will
build
my
church

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Scripture Readings for the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 22: 19-23

Rom 11: 33-36

Mt 16: 13-20

Monday

**Louis of France Joseph Calasanz,
priest**

2 Th 1: 1-12

Mt 23: 13-22

Tuesday

Weekday

2 Th 2: 1-16

Mt 23: 23-26

Wednesday

Monica

2 Th 3: 6-18

Mt 23: 27-32

Thursday

Augustine, bishop, doctor

1 Cor 1: 1-9

Mt 24: 42-51

Friday

Martyrdom of John the Baptist

1 Cor 1: 17-25

Mk 6: 17-29

Saturday

**Vigil: Twenty-Second Sunday of
Ordinary Time**

Jer 20: 7-9

Rom 12: 1-2

Mt 16: 21-27

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Liturgy Committee meeting Monday,
Aug. 25th 6:30 pm in the Annex.

Pastoral Council meeting Thursday, Aug
28th 6:30 pm in the Annex.

Eucharistic Ministers workshop on
Saturday, September 6th at 11:00 a.m.

Altar Servers Recognition Mass on
Saturday, August 30th at 6:00 p.m.

The Youth of the parish will be having
their Kick Off Mass on Sunday,
September 14th at 10:00 a.m.

Coming Soon

St. Joseph Parish will be having a
Parish Wide BBQ on September 20,
2008. Monetary donations will be gladly
accepted. We are in need of cooks and
servers. If you have any questions
please, call the parish office at 882-
7912.

Religious Education Registrations

CCD registrations for children in 1st
grade thru 12th grade have begun.
Registration will take place after for the
month of August after all Masses in front
of the church. You have to be a registered
member in the parish. The first day of
CCD will be Saturday, September 13th.

Registration fee will be \$25.00 per
child. For more information please contact
the parish office at 882-7912.

Ministry of Catechesis

In the Ministry of Catechesis we help
in the faith formation of individuals through
teaching, witnessing to Gospel Values,
sharing of our faith, and helping them
make a connection between their life
experiences and the Gospel message.
If you would like to be a catechist for
the 2008-2009 Religious Education
Program, call the parish office at 882-
7912.



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.)

**Do you want to be able to fully
participate at mass?**

Sacrament preparation classes for
Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation,
and Reconciliation are all part of the Rite
of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.).
These classes are also available for
anyone who wishes to deepen their
understanding of their Catholic faith. Come
join us Sundays after the 10:00 a.m.
Mass. Registrations will begin these
weekend and continue for the month of
August after all Masses. Inquiry classes
begin on September 13, 2008.

Calling all Alumni

John Paul II High School is calling the
alumni of its predecessor schools which
were Corpus Christi College, Academy,
Corpus Christi Minor Seminary and
Corpus Christi Academy to come to a
special event in the fall. We would like to
know the names and addresses of all the
alumni so that we may issue an invitation
to the event. For more information please
call Fr. Joseph Lopez, Joe Hardeman or
Mary Sedberry at 882-6191.

First Communion & Confirmation Pictures

If your child made his/hers First
Communion or Confirmation for 2007-
2008 and have not been picked up
please, come by the parish office.

19th Annual Celebration for Life Banquet

The board of directors, staff and volunteers
of Corpus Christi Hope House, the Gabriel
Project and Birthright invite you, your
family and friends for an evening of fine
dining, Christian music and inspirational
pro-life presentation on Thursday,
September 11th fund raising banquet at
6:30 p.m. at the Solomon Ortiz Center.
Thomas Strobhar, Chairman of Life
Decisions International will be our honored
guest speaker. For more information all
Vera at 852-2273.

Collection for the week of August 17, 2008

Envelopes	\$2,265.00
Loose Collection	\$1,077.27
Total	\$3,342.27
Total Envelopes	120

HEALTH CARD CLASS

A Health Card class will be held on Tuesday, September 9th at 6:30 p.m. in the Annex Building. If your health card has expired or need a card, please sign up for the class in parish office.

Prayer Group

Here at St. Joseph every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the Annex. Let us all come and pray together.

2009 Mass Book

The 2009 Mass book is now available for scheduling Masses. If you would like to schedule a Mass for a loved one, living or deceased, you must come to the Parish Office. Masses will not be scheduled over the phone. Thank you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. in the Annex.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sun.....(8/24).....6:00am.....	People of the Parish
.....8:00am.....	†Leon Chapa by Carmen Barraza
.....10:00am.....	Mass of Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart of Jesus by Mary B. Cox
.....12:00pm.....	Mass of Thanksgiving to St. Jude by Mary B. Cox
.....6:00 am.....	†Tomas A. & Anita G. Herrera by Angie Herrera
.....6:00 pm.....	For all deceased members of the Johnston Family by Margaret Johnston
.....6:00 am.....	†Augustis Farias by Mr. & Mrs. Enrique Flores
.....6:00 pm.....	†Marta Luna by Friend
Mon.....(08/18).....6:00 am.....	For Vocations
Tue.....(08/19).....6:00 pm.....	†Thomas & Virginia Cantu by Family
Wed.....(08/20).....6:00 am.....	†Daniel Villarreal, Sr. by Wife
Thurs.....(08/21).....6:00 pm.....	†Francisco Acuña by Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Narvaez
Fri.....(08/22).....6:00 am.....	†Norma Rios by Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Narvaez
Sat.....(08/23).....6:00 pm.....	Thanksgiving to Sacred Heart of Jesus by Angie Herrera
.....6:00 am.....	†Arturo M. Flores by Family
.....6:00 pm.....	†Gregorio & Concepcion Narvaez by Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Narvaez
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.....8:00am.....	†Leon Chapa by Carmen Barraza
.....10:00am.....	†Jesse Perales by Miguel & Maria Rios
.....12:00pm.....	†Sergio Martin Garcia by Olivia Garcia
.....6:00 am.....	Knights of Coumbus Corporal Mass
.....6:00 pm.....	†Tomas A. & Anita G. Herrera by Angie Herrera
.....6:00 am.....	†Reynaldo Perez, Sr. by Hazew Ski & Family
.....6:00 pm.....	†Antonio & Ramona Falcon by Family



Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Eucharistic Adoration

Beginning Friday, September 5th Eucharistic Adoration will be every First Friday of the month, from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. and will conclude with a Healing Mass and Benediction.

Come and spend an hour with our Lord.

You may call other parishes for a their Adoration schedule.

Chairs for Sale

St. Joseph will have chairs for sale (chairs are metal frame and sitting and backing are made of plastic). Chairs will be sold for \$10 each. If you have any questions call the parish office at 882-7912.

VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Parroquianos que quieren donar una vela para el santuario en memoria de un ser querido, puede hablar a la oficina parroquial. La donación es \$25.00.

PLEASE PRAY FOR,
 Concepcion Garcia, Gene Jackson, Kelly Daniel Jackson, Christina Arredondo, Noah Lazenby, Angie Herrera Alejandro Guzman, Christopher Guzman, Gilbert Guzman, Jose R. Alvarez, David Salinas, Delia Hale & Tomas C. Garza, Angelica & Frank Arriaga, Adolfo Vacca, Maria Vacca, Ismael Vacca, Jr., Pedro Lopez, Albert Lopez, Dunia Cabrera, Andres Martinez, Suyapa Martinez, Roel Martinez, Seth Adrian Livas, Maria Ochoa, Jessica Sullivan, Josefina Ochoa, Gabe Lozano, Francisco Pesina, Dora Carreon, Teresa Moreno, Jennifer Ochoa, Liann Zuniga, Robert Rodriguez, Isidoro Luis & Yolanda & Leo Ruiz, Martin Garcia, Dora Carreon, Teresa Moreno & Liann Zuniga, Fred & Lupita Muniz, Rita & Conrado Garcia, Valerie Gaytan, Jacob Falcon, Ernest & Oralia Gonzales, Yolanda Rodriguez **and all who have asked for our prayers.**

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 30
6:00 pm - James Rocha, David Mirabal & Laura Luna
Sunday, August 31
8:00 pm - Laura & Olivia Villarreal
10:00 am - Charles, Thomas & Salma Silvas
12:00 pm - Fernando, Joseph, Michael & Thomas Cruz

LECTOR'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 30
6:00 pm - Joshua Duran
Sunday, August 31
6:00 am - Miltan Martiz
8:00 pm - Horencia Cisneros
10:00 am - Debra Ann Martinez
12:00 pm - Josie Lozano

Stewardship Message
 If we accept the challenge of putting God first in our time and treasure, our attitudes, priorities, and spiritual lives will definitely change.