



ST. MONICA  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

JUNE 30, 2019

# Today's Gospel

*"As they were proceeding on their journey someone said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' Jesus answered him, 'Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head.' (LK 9:51-62).*

## Mass Times

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:00 am,  
9:30 am (Interpreted for the Deaf),  
11:00 am, 12:30 pm,  
2:00 pm (español), 5:00 pm

## Weekday Mass Times

6:45 am, 8:00 am M-F  
8:00 am Saturdays  
First Fridays 5:30 pm  
Primer viernes del mes 7:00 pm

## Reconciliation • Reconciliación

Saturday/Sábado  
3:30 - 4:30 pm  
Thursday/Jueves  
6:00 - 7:00 pm

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# From the Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

**MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD:** Like the Sacred Wounds of Jesus, His Precious Blood deserves special honor because of its close relation to the Sacred Passion. That honor was given to it from the beginning by the Apostles who praised its redeeming power. Blessed and praised for evermore be Jesus, who by shedding His Blood has saved us from our sins.

**God Bless America:** Please join me in thanking God at the Eucharistic celebration on Thursday July 4th at 9:00 a.m. On this 243rd anniversary of our country's independence, we pause to thank God for all the benefits He has bestowed upon us. We ask God to continue to send the Holy Spirit to guide our country, our president and congress, and all the citizens of the United States of America to continue to live as "one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

**Preparation for Reception of Holy Communion:** The Church gives us as properly catechized and initiated Roman Catholic specific guidelines for preparing ourselves to receive Holy Communion worthily: (1) to be in the state of grace (to have made a good confession since your last mortal sin), (2) to observe the Eucharistic fast, that is, not to have eaten any food one hour prior to receiving Holy Communion (which means no gum chewing either!), and (3) not to be under any ecclesiastical censure such as not married with permission of the Roman Catholic Church or placing oneself outside the practice of the faith. It is truly the Lord Jesus Christ Whom we are receiving! Let us prepare well for each opportunity we have to receive Him!

In Christ,  
Fr. Guadagnoli

**Mission Statement**

*We, the people of St. Monica Catholic Church, are called through Baptism to celebrate the presence of Jesus Christ in Word and Sacrament. In becoming what we receive, we are sent in peace to glorify the Lord by sharing our gifts in service to others and by inviting all into a deeper relationship with Christ. Inspired by our patroness, St. Monica, we pray that all may become children of heaven.*

## News & Events



**Please welcome St. Monica's new Director of Youth Faith Formation Gerardo Olivares.** He is very excited and humbled to be a part of the St. Monica team and Parish. If you have not had a chance to meet him please stop by Angels Hall after 8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 12:30pm, 2:00pm mass to say Hello. He is happy to meet and share his vision for the Youth of St. Monica. "The church is called to acknowledge that young Catholics are not simply the "church of tomorrow," but they are the church of the present."- Pope Francis

**The church office will be closed from July 4 - 7.** We will reopen at 9am on Monday, July 8.

**On July 4,** there will only be one Mass at 9:00 am and there will be no confessions.

**Biographies for our 2019 St. Monica Ministry Volunteer Nominees** are now posted on [www.stmonicachurch.org](http://www.stmonicachurch.org) under the "Ministries" tab, then "Volunteer Nominees". Take a moment to read about the outstanding contributions in serving for each of our 51 nominees. Our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude for the dedication and commitment from our volunteers.

**We are about to update our Parish Directory.** If you have moved recently, or changed your phone number, please contact Melissa Franks at [mfranks@stmonicachurch.org](mailto:mfranks@stmonicachurch.org), or 214-366-7111. You may also contact her if you wish for your information to be unlisted.

**What is Convalidation?** (where a couple is civilly married and would like to enter into the valid Sacrament of Marriage). Have you thought about convalidating your marriage? If you are ready to bless your marriage with the Sacrament of Matrimony or would like additional information please contact Martha at 214-366-7164 or [mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org](mailto:mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org) our next Workshop will be July 13th.

**The Vocation Awareness Program** helps Catholic men and women, ages 18-40, find answers to questions they may have about life as a priest, nun, or consecrated lay woman. The V.A.P. (sponsored by the Serra Club) celebrated its 30th Anniversary of the University of Dallas this June. Fifteen women and men attended the sessions. Next year 8 men are expected to be ordained to the priesthood. God is answering our prayers! Join the St. Monica Chalice Program to help pray for more vocations by calling Don Wetzel at 214-368-3640.

**Make plans to attend KATH 910AM's 11th annual Summer Speaker Series Event!** On July 18th at the Frontiers of Flight Museum. The event will include delicious hors d'oeuvres and an open wine bar and a presentation by Fr. Spitzer called 'The Light Shines on in the Darkness.' Plus, we will honor Margie Giangiulio with the Transmitter of the Faith Award! Purchase tickets at [summerspeakerseries.com](http://summerspeakerseries.com).

### Stewardship 06-23-2019

Regular - \$29,938

Building Fund - \$7,170

### Total Mass Attendance

06-23-2019 - 3,101

### Second Collection

Peter's Pence

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, June 29

8:00 am..... Emma P. Szeibert by Daughter

5:00 pm ..... Jim Thixton † by Chetlee Thixton

### Sunday, June 30 (13th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:00 am..... Pro Populo

9:30 am..... Father's Day Novena

11:00 am..... Priest's Intention

12:30 pm..... Priest's Intention

2:00 pm ..... Pablo Ramon Avilez by Familia Hernandez

5:00 pm ..... Priest's Intention

### Monday, July 1

6:45 am..... Ursula Kennedy †

by Dave & Carole Klaudt

8:00 am..... Beryl Braganza † by Fernandes Family

### Tuesday, July 2

6:45 am..... Pauline Lockrey †

by Chetlee Thixton

8:00 am..... Dan Carey †

by Alexandrou Family

### Wednesday, July 3

6:45 am..... Kathy & Earl Gilbride

by Margie Giangiulio

8:00 am..... Mary Haba †

by Marjorie Haba

### Thursday, July 4

9:00 am..... Priest's Intention

### Friday, July 5

6:45 am..... Helen Muñoz Gutierrez †

by Mario A. Gutierrez

8:00 am..... All Souls in Purgatory

by Carol Malone

5:30 pm ..... Helen Roacha †

by Diaz de Flores Family

### Saturday, July 6

8:00 am..... Christopher Wilcox †

by Nancy & Ed Mello

5:00 pm ..... Kevin Rogers † by Greg & Ackels Family

### Sanctuary Light

This week the Sanctuary Light is burning for Dan Carey †

### For Our Sick

Sigrid Artman<sup>1</sup>

Jessica Martinez<sup>1</sup>

Juliette Akagu<sup>1</sup>

Cynthia Pompa<sup>1</sup>

Lorenzo Sabedra<sup>1</sup>

To request a name to appear, please contact the parish office or complete a green prayer request card (found on tables at the back of church) and place the card in an offering basket.

# WEEKLY SCHEDULE

## SATURDAY, JUNE 29

- 8:30AM - Altar Server Training, *Church*
- 6PM - Fourth of July Picnic & Concert, *FC*

## SUNDAY, JUNE 30

### (Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

- 9:30AM - Adult Education, *FC 217*
- 11:30AM - Pastoral Juvenil, *FC 220*

## MONDAY, JULY 1

- 8:30AM - Legion of Mary, *JCLC*
- 10AM - Prayer Shawl Group, *FC 109*
- 4:30PM - St. Vincent de Paul, *JCLC*
- 6PM - Spanish EMHC, *Art Room*
- 6PM - Spanish MESC Meeting, *Library*
- 6:30PM - BSA Trp. 412, *FC*

## TUESDAY, JULY 2

- 6PM - KofC General Meeting, *FC 201*
- 6:30PM - Hispanic Ministry Meeting, *FC 211*
- 7PM - Pastoral Familiar, *Art Room*
- 7PM - Catechist Course, *FC 109*

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

- 7PM - Legion de Maria, *FC 214*

## THURSDAY, JULY 4

### Independence Day

- 9AM - Mass
- No Confession

## FRIDAY, JULY 5

- 5:30PM - Ballet Folklorico, *Cym B*

## SATURDAY, JULY 6

- 8AM - KofC Planning Meeting, *JCLC Board*
- 10AM - English Baptism Class, *FC 109*
- 1PM - Spanish Baptism Class, *FC 109*



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# News & Events

**NEW GROUP! KEEPING THE CATHOLIC FAITH** If you're in your 30s to 50s (single and married) who 1) want to learn more about their faith and how to put it into practice, 2) don't have time to meet weekly and 3) want to belong to a community that supports and prays for each other, join our new group called Keeping the Catholic Faith! We'll be meeting once a month... come anytime you can make it! Our next meeting is Saturday, July 13th from 2-4pm in Room 201 in the Family Center. The topic is "Wisdom in Relationships." Learn how to maintain healthy, happy relationships by reconnecting with the time-tested, practical and powerful wisdom of the Bible. Food and beverages will be served. Email or call Angie Eckelkamp at [angkamp@gmail.com](mailto:angkamp@gmail.com) or 214-403-4772 if you have questions and to RSVP so we know how many to prepare for. Adults only. No childcare available.

**The After School Program here at St. Monica School needs you!!** We are looking for a few energetic, responsible and dedicated staff members to help out in the K-4th grade After School Program. The position is from 2:30 until 6pm, every day school is in session. You must have your Safe Environment badge. If interested please reply to Lesley Jordan at [ljordan@stmonicaschool.org](mailto:ljordan@stmonicaschool.org) or 214 351-5688 ext. 5261.

**Volunteers are needed to spend an hour with Jesus in Adoration Chapel** from 3pm to 4pm on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. To sign up for these hours contact Mercy Daley at 214-739-4192. Adorers are also needed 10-11am on Wednesdays. To sign up contact Theresa Martter at [mariatheresa36@gmail.com](mailto:mariatheresa36@gmail.com).

## St. Monica Altar Servers/Servidores de Altar

<b>June 29</b>	5:00 p.m.	Christine Martin	William Martin
<b>June 30</b>	8:00 a.m.	Merritt Johnson	Juan Rodriguez
	9:30 a.m.	Jay Hooker	William Hooker
	11:00 a.m.	Aidan Smith	Luke Sapio
	12:30 p.m.	Camila Flores	James Hademenos
	2:00 p.m.	Angel Colorado	Gabriel Colorado
	5:00 p.m.	Cristian Mendoza	Olivar Ikard
<b>July 6</b>	5:00 p.m.	Anthony Gamez	Austin Smith
<b>July 7</b>	8:00 a.m.	Juan Diaz	Bryan Rodriguez
	9:30 a.m.	Jay Hooker	William Hooker
	11:00 a.m.	Aidan Smith	Zachary Fernandes
	12:30 p.m.	Andres Sustaita	Alex Sustaita
	2:00 p.m.	Luis Lopez	Perla Mendoza
	5:00 p.m.	Gabriela Gaona	Landry Pingel

**Altar Server Training/Practice Saturday, July 27 at 8:30 AM in the church**  
**Entrenamiento/ Practica del servidor de altar Sábado 29 de junio a las 8:30 AM en la iglesia**

## Family Vocation Chalice/Cáliz Vocacional Familiar

**July 6 at 5:00 pm**  
Michael & Sarah Ogden

**July 7 at 8:00 am**  
Bill & Rosalinda Pratt

**July 7 at 9:30 am**  
Pat Chebino

**July 7 at 11:00 am**  
Joel & Amy Roman

**July 7 at 12:30 pm**  
Brandon & Mariangela Byrne

**July 7 at 2:00 pm**  
Familia Lopez Roque

**July 7 at 5:00 pm**  
Raphael & Amanda Flood

To participate call Don Wetzel at  
214-368-3640 (English) or  
214 358-1453 (español)

# Noticias y Eventos

La oficina de la iglesia estará cerrada del 4 al 7 de julio. Volveremos a abrir a las 9 am el lunes 8 de julio.

El 4 de julio solo habrá una misa a las 9:00 am y no habrá confesiones.

El grupo de jóvenes CIRCULO JUVENIL ÁGAPE abre su curso de formación a todas las personas (18 a 35 años) que gusten participar ¡están cordialmente invitados! Julio 21, Agosto 18. Informes con Mayra Galicia al 682-414-0064.

Las biografías de los Voluntarios Nominados del 2019 ya están en la página de la parroquia, bajo [www.stmonicachurch.org](http://www.stmonicachurch.org) dentro "Ministries" y en "Volunteer Nominees". Por favor tome un momento para leer la gran contribución de nuestros 51 voluntarios en el servicio a la comunidad. Nuestro más grande aprecio y gratitud por la dedicación y compromiso de nuestros voluntarios.



## SOMOS MÉXICO

Presentación de Danza Folklórica Mexicana

El Grupo de Danza Folklórica "Santa Mónica" invita a todos a disfrutar de una tarde llena de color, sonrisas, bailes y alegría.

**Julio 20, 2019 – 7:00 pm**  
(Puertas abren 6:30 pm)

**Gimnasio de la Parroquia  
Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro**  
(7625 Cortland Ave, Dallas, TX. 75235)

Donación: \$ 5.00 (+3 años)  
Informes y boletos: (214) 557-6529  
Tendremos venta de comida.

**Te esperamos . . .**

**SANTA MÓNICA**  
GRUPO DE DANZA FOLKLÓRICA



## TALLER DE FORMACIÓN MUSICAL

PARA MINISTERIOS PARROQUIALES

**Alabado tocando  
trompetas,  
alabado con arpas  
y cítaras...**

"Salmo 150"

El taller será dirigido por el músico Juan Nicolás Vega Tobar, de Colombia.

**8-12 de Julio, 2019**  
**7:00 a 9:30 pm**  
Salón de Música (McManus)  
Parroquia Católica Santa Mónica  
6933 Midway Rd, Dallas, TX 75220

Informes:  
Patricia Vázquez: (214) 357-8549  
Donación: GRATIS para miembros de Santa Mónica  
\$10.00 (Por curso) para otras parroquias

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## GRAN CONGRESO

### "LLAMADOS A VIVIR EN SANTIDAD"

20 DE JULIO 2019

High School Juan Pablo II  
900 Coit Rd Plano TX 75075  
De 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

**Habrá  
Hora Santa**

**Jóvenes Adultos Para Cristo te Invitan!!**



Pepe Prado      Alejandro Bermudez      Saulo Hidalgo      Miguel Aquino

### MAS INFORMACION

Jacky (915) 309-8390      Rosa (469) 328-2180  
Martin (469) 667-0119      Gerardo (214) 772-4733

Donación Preventa Adultos \$20 Taquilla \$25  
Niños de 12 a 15 años \$15 y menores de 11 años gratis

Director Espiritual: Padre Delfín Condori  
Vicario de la parroquia San Bernardo de Claraval Dallas TX.

**Bautismos**

Son el segundo sábado de cada mes a las 10:00 am. Padres y Padrinos deben asistir a una clase de preparación que se ofrecen los primeros sábados de mes a la 1:00 pm. Para más información llame a la Oficina de Formación en la Fe al 214-357-8549.

**Matrimonio**

Por favor de comunicarse con la Coordinadora de Matrimonios seis a nueve meses antes de la fecha deseada para su boda, Martha Gonzalez en [mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org](mailto:mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org), 214-366-7164.

**San Vicente de Paúl**

sirve a los pobres o necesitados en caso de emergencia. Llame al 972-994-1121 (confidencial) para obtener ayuda. Para ser un voluntario envíe un correo electrónico a [info@stmonicasvdp.org](mailto:info@stmonicasvdp.org).

**Los Retiros de Rachel's Vineyard**

están diseñados para ayudar a trabajar mediante el dolor reprimido, la ira y la culpa asociados con la pérdida de un niño debido a un aborto, y presentan una oportunidad ideal para experimentar el perdón, la misericordia y la compasión de Dios. Si está listo para dar el primer paso hacia la recuperación, comuníquese con 214-544-CARE (2273) o [healing@racheldallas.org](mailto:healing@racheldallas.org) para obtener asistencia confidencial.



**Retiro de Reavivamiento Matrimonial**  
**27,28 July**

En la Cafetería de la Iglesia Santa Mónica  
4140 Walnut Hill Dallas Texas  
Informes (214) 789-7421

Sabado de 8:00 am a 8:00 pm  
Domingo de 8:00 am a 3:00 pm  
Solo Parejas No niños

Donativo 30 dias pareja

DANOS TU Me gusta SIGUENOS EN

# Del Pastor

Mis queridos feligreses,

**MES DE LA PRECIOSA SANGRE:** Al igual que las Heridas Sagradas de Jesús, Su Preciosa Sangre merece un honor especial debido a su estrecha relación con la Sagrada Pasión. Ese honor le fue otorgado desde el principio por los apóstoles que alabaron su poder redentor. Bendito y alabado para siempre sea Jesús, quien al derramar Su Sangre nos ha salvado de nuestros pecados.

**Dios bendiga a América:** Acompañeme para agradecer a Dios en la celebración Eucarística el jueves 4 de julio a las 9:00 a.m. En este aniversario número 243 de la independencia de nuestro país, hacemos una pausa para agradecer a Dios por todos los beneficios que Él nos ha otorgado. Le pedimos a Dios que continúe enviando al Espíritu Santo para que guíe a nuestro país, a nuestro presidente y congreso, y a todos los ciudadanos de los Estados Unidos de América para que continúen viviendo como “una nación, bajo Dios, indivisible, con libertad y justicia para todos.”

**Preparación para recibir la Sagrada Comunión:** La Iglesia nos brinda, como catequizados e iniciados, los lineamientos específicos católicos romanos para prepararnos para recibir la Sagrada Comunión dignamente: (1) estar en estado de gracia (haber hecho una buena confesión desde su último pecado mortal), (2) observar el ayuno Eucarístico, es decir, no haber comido nada una hora antes de recibir la Sagrada Comunión (¡lo que significa que tampoco se masca chicle!), y (3) no estar bajo ninguna censura eclesial como como no casado con permiso de la Iglesia Católica Romana o colocándose fuera de la práctica de la fe. ¡Es verdaderamente el Señor Jesucristo a quien estamos recibiendo! ¡Preparémonos bien para cada oportunidad que tengamos para recibirlo!

En Cristo,  
P. Guadagnoli, Pastor

**Misión de la Parroquia**

Nosotros, la comunidad de la Iglesia Católica de Santa Mónica, estamos llamados a través del Bautismo a celebrar la presencia de Jesucristo en la Palabra y en el Sacramento. Al convertirnos en lo que recibimos somos enviados en la paz del Señor para glorificarlo compartiendo nuestros dones, sirviendo a los demás e invitando a todos a una relación más profunda con Cristo. Inspirados por nuestra patrona, Santa Mónica, oramos para que todos puedan llegar a ser hijos del Cielo.