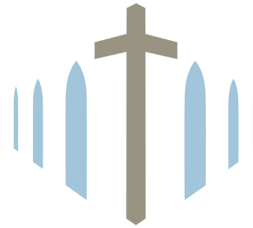




AUGUST 12, 2018



ST. MONICA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

9933 Midway Road, Dallas, Texas 75220

214-358-1453 • Fax: 214-351-1887

www.stmonicachurch.org



Search for "St. Monica Church Dallas" in the app store.

WELCOME TO ST. MONICA CHURCH!

We are pleased to have visitors join us in worship and we invite you to become active registered parishioners. Registration forms can be found in the vestibule, at the Parish Office, and online.

Mass Times

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am,
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

Childcare for 11:00 am Mass

Ages: 12-months to 4-years
No Cost
Room 114 Family Center
St. Monica Women's Ministry

Reconciliation • Reconciliación

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

Baptism • Bautismo

Third Saturday of each month at 10:00 am
Parents and godparents are required to attend a preparation class offered on the first Saturday of each month at 10:00 am. Call the Faith Formation Office to register.
Classes in June will be on June 9th.

Tercer sábado de cada mes a las 12:00 pm
Padres y Padrinos deben asistir a una clase de preparación que se ofrecen los primeros sábados de mes a la 1:00 pm. Llame a la Oficina de Formación en la Fe.

Marriage • Matrimonio

Contact the Marriage Ministry Coordinator at least six to nine months before the planned wedding date.

Por favor de comunicarse con la Coordinadora de Matrimonios seis a nueve meses antes de la fecha deseada para su boda.

Helplines • Linea de Ayuda

St. Vincent de Paul serves the poor or distressed on an emergency basis.
972-994-1121 (confidential) Volunteers contact: info@stmonicasvdp.org

Stephen Ministry helps those experiencing grief, divorce, job loss, chronic or terminal illness, or another life crisis. 214-914-2802 (confidential)

Bulletin Deadline

Fridays at 5:00 pm • Submit notices in writing to
npatoskie@stmonicachurch.org.

Parish Staff

Fr. Michael Guadagnoli, Pastor

Fr. Wade Bass, Parochial Vicar

Monsignor John F. Meyers
Pastor Emeritus

Permanent Deacons

- Dcn. Abel Cortes
- Dcn. Brian Mitchell
- Dcn. Larry Lucido
- Dcn. Peter Raad
- Dcn. Bob Marrinan

St. Monica Church Office

Main: (214) 358-1453 • Fax: (214) 351-1887
Hours: M-F 9:00-5:00 • Sunday 10:00-2:00

Parish Secretaryx 7453

Faby Gomez

Business Managerx 7176

Debbie Diaz

Database Managerx 7111

Melissa Franks

Volunteer Coordinatorx 7173

Maria E. Juarez-Plank

Safe Environment Directorx 7144

Shavana Lopez

Safe Environment/Database Assistant

Misty Gilmore

Bookkeeperx 7102

Jared Wirths

Director of Communicationsx 7142

Natalie Patoskie

Music Ministry

Director of Musicx 7101

Conner McMains

Director Youth Musicx 7103

Emmanuel Espiritu

Organist (9:30 & 11:00 Mass)

Guillermo "Will" Martinez

Faith Formation • Formacion en la Fe

Main: (214) 357-8549 • Fax: (214) 351-1887

Director of Faith Formationx 7131

Maria M. Gonzalez-Rocha

Director of Children's Faith Formation...x 7132

Maria Jones

Administrative Assistantx 7549

Eldie Diaz

Marriage Ministry Coordinator ..x 7164

Coordinadora de Matrimonios

Martha Gonzalez

Ministerio Hispano

Main: (214) 357-8549 • Fax: (214) 351-1887

Director of Hispanic Ministryx 7131

Maria M. Gonzalez-Rocha

St. Monica School

Main: (214) 351-5688 • Fax: (214) 352-2608

Phil Riley, Principal stmonicaschool.org

From the Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

Wednesday (August 15th) is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a Holy Day of Obligation and we are required as Roman Catholics who actively live our faith to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for this day. The Blessed Virgin Mary, after completing God's will for her on earth, was assumed or taken body and soul into heaven. This celebration was first called the "Dormition of Mary" or the "Falling Asleep of Mary" noting the last part of her life on earth. But there is more to this event! Centuries later, on November 1, 1950, in the encyclical *Munificentissimus Deus*, Pope Pius XII defined the dogma of the Assumption. He solemnly proclaimed that the belief that Our Blessed Mother was taken body and soul into heaven at the close of her earthly life is part of the deposit of faith. Pope Saint John Paul II would add later that Mary's "Assumption into heaven is not only the culmination of her particular vocation as the Mother and disciple of the Lord Jesus, but also an eloquent sign of God's fidelity to the universal plan of salvation aimed at the redemption of every man and of all men" (*Angelus*, Aug. 1995). Mary is the "beginning and pattern of the Church" (preface of the Assumption) who has benefited from Her Son Jesus Christ's saving act of redemption. We ask our Blessed Mother as Queen of Heaven for her continued prayers so that we, too, may join her in our eternal home with Her Son Jesus Christ.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY DAY: ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Vigil Mass Tue. Aug. 14th:

5:30 pm in English; 7:00 pm in Spanish

Holy Day Wed. Aug. 15th

6:45 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am (school), 5:30 pm, 7:00 pm (Spanish)

In Christ,
Fr. Guadagnoli

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

EXPLORE RCIA THIS FALL!

REGISTER AT STMONICACHURCH.ORG, OR CALL 214.357.8549

News & Events



Release your grief...
IT'S A NEW DAY

**ST. MONICA'S GRIEF
SUPPORT MINISTRY**
BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 12

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL PAM AT 210-218-5777 OR BILL AT 214-728-3532

St. Monica Grief Support Ministry – The New Day Journal Sessions

Have you suffered the loss of a loved one? St. Monica will hold a Grief Support Ministry beginning on Wednesday, September 12, 7pm-9pm, Room 212. Meetings will be held once a week for 10 weeks and you will meet in small groups with others going through similar experiences. The support group is free and led by trained lay facilitators. The only cost is \$10 for the book. Sessions will also be offered in Spanish starting on Tuesday, September 18. Please contact Pam Fete at [210-218-5777](tel:210-218-5777) or Bill Pratt at [214-728-3532](tel:214-728-3532), to register or for more information.

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you Catholic but interested in becoming fully initiated into the Church? If so, we invite you to explore RCIA, the process of conversion into the Catholic Church, by visiting our website under Faith Formation/RCIA. Those interested in learning more about RCIA may register this summer on our website, stmonicachurch.org, or call the church office at: [214.357.8549](tel:214.357.8549).

2018 St. Monica Ministry Fair Don't miss an opportunity to learn more about the various ministries at St. Monica! Get Connected by attending our 2018 Ministry Fair on Sunday, September 16th from 9am to 4pm in the Family Center Gym. It's a day for the entire family with refreshments, light snacks, face painting and a balloon artist!

Training offered: Teaching Children with Special Needs

St. Monica is offering training for parishioners who feel called to teach the faith to children with special needs. A year of weekly training is provided for parishioners who will then take on the role of a catechist for children with special needs the following year. If interested, please contact Maria Jones [214.357.8549](tel:214.357.8549) ext 7132 mjones@stmonicachurch.org.

St. Monica is seeking Wedding Coordinators The wedding coordinators assist with the rehearsal and wedding ceremony. Coordinators are scheduled based on the wedding calendar. This role provides a valuable service by guiding those who receive the sacrament of marriage. The wedding coordinator should have a strong knowledge of the liturgy, good people skills and be able to multitask. A stipend will be provided. For more information contact Martha Gonzalez at mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org.

Reminder to all ministry leaders! Please submit your ministry lists to Misty Gilmore at mgilmore@stmonicachurch.org. The deadline to submit is September 1.

Stewardship

08-05-2018

Regular - \$39,045

Total Mass Attendance

08-05-2018

3,224

Second Collection this Weekend

Building Fund

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 11

8:00 am.....Anne Yeager † by Judy Goodnight
5:00 pm.....Intentions of Mark Flynn & Family

Sunday, August 12

8:00 am..... Priest's Intention
9:30 am..... Priest's Intention
11:00 am Priest's Intention
12:30 pm Priest's Intention
2:00 pm Soledad Hernandez
5:00 pm Priest's Intention

Monday, August 13

6:45 am.....Luella Marx †
by Joe & Carolyn Maggio
8:00 am.....Harold Putt †
by The Prayer Shawl Ministry

Tuesday, August 14

6:45 am.....Religious Vocations
8:00 am.....Lorense Grygier †
by Brian & Sharon Mitchell

Wednesday, August 15

6:45 am.....Wayne Lima by The Landry Family
8:00 am.....Kevin Wachsman †
by The Wachsman Family

Thursday, August 16

6:45 am Anne Yeager †
by Phil & Becky Ryan
8:00 am.....Linda Franks †
by Melissa Franks

Friday, August 17

6:45 am For Holiness in our Church
8:00 am.....Anne Yeager †
by Dolores & Boyd Foster

Saturday, August 18

8:00 am.....Helen Muñoz Gutierrez †
by Mario Aurelio Gutierrez
5:00 pm.....Nancy Mello Lancaster †
by Nancy & Ed Mello

Sanctuary Light

This week the Sanctuary Light is burning for Kevin Wachsman †

For Our Sick

To request a name to appear, please contact the parish office.

Peggy Martin ¹	Lorenzo ³
Melissa Hedgepeth ¹	Cynthia ³
Moe ¹	Jessica ³
Karina Garcia ³	Zach ³

For Our Departed

Lynn Hurley

SAFE ENVIRONMENT SCHEDULE

Foundation Class:

August: 12, 14, 19, 21, 26

Renewal Class

August: 12, 16, 19, 21, 26, 29

To volunteer at the church or school the program must be completed.

For class times and more information visit stmonicachurch.org or send an email to Shavana Lopez at slopez@stmonicachurch.org



News & Events

Youth Ministries is looking for parishioners who would be interested in volunteering with St. Monica's Confirmation program for the 2018-2019 season. The middle school group meets on Sunday afternoons, and the high school group meets on Wednesday evenings. If interested contact Maria Rocha at mrocha@stmonicachurch.org.

Biographies for our 2018 St. Monica Ministry Volunteer Nominees are now posted on www.stmonicachurch.org under the "Ministries" tab, then "Volunteer Nominees". Take a moment to read about the outstanding serving contributions for our 51 nominees. St. Monica has a heartfelt appreciation and gratitude for the dedication and commitment of our volunteers.

Are you a teen who plays an instrument or sings? If so, the 5pm Youth Band needs YOU! All musicians of all skill levels are welcome, all you need is a voice or ANY instrument (drums, guitar, cello, kazoo, etc.). Rehearsals start on Sundays at 2:15pm in the Music Room. For more information, please call Emmanuel Espiritu at 214-366-7103, or e-mail eespiritu@stmonicachurch.org. You can also stop by after the 12:30 or 5pm Masses and talk to Emmanuel.

St. Monica Mother's Ministry will gather for Adoration on Thursday, August 16 at 8:00 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel. Fellowship will follow at Bluffview Growler. Come spend some time with Jesus to pray for your children and their teachers as they begin a new school year.

SoulCore - All women of the parish are invited to pray the Rosary and exercise with SoulCore on Saturday, August 25 at 9:30 a.m. in the Family Center Room 109 (Lower Lounge). Bring a yoga mat or large towel for floor work. Please RSVP to stmonicamothers@gmail.com to reserve your spot. You can find more information at soulcore.com.

Come and enjoy our Patron Saint Monica's Feast Day with the Knights of Columbus' delicious pancake breakfast in her honor! The breakfast will be on August 26 from 8-11am. \$5 gets you an all you can eat pancake breakfast with sausage with ALL the toppings from fruit to chocolate chips and whipped cream. Coffee, water, and juice will also be served. Help us continue to serve St. Monica Parish!

Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can reconcile past abortion pain and begin the process of healing. A professional counselor ordained clergy, and a compassionate retreat team are there to affirm and support you. Retreats in English: August 24-26, November 9-11. Retiros en español: 5-7 de octubre. For information or to register visit racheldallas.org or call 214-544-CARE (2273).

SHIFT

ST. MONICA'S YOUTH CONFERENCE

AUGUST 24-26 - SKY RANCH
STUDENTS IN 8TH-12TH GRADES
REGISTER AT THE CHURCH OFFICE

Enliven your faith and connect
with others at an

ACTS RETREAT!

Women's Retreat: September 20th-23rd
Men's Retreat: October 25th-28

Register at stmonicachurch.org or visit St. Monica's Facebook page.

Family Vocation Chalice

To participate call Don Wetzel at (214) 368-3640

August 18 at 5:00 pm
Brian & Sharon Mitchell

August 19 at 8:00 am
Leonard Robertson

August 19 at 9:30 am
Jeff & Raquel De Leon

August 19 at 11:00 am
Nick & Karen Jones

August 19 at 12:30 pm
Bill & Leanne Galyean

August 19 at 5:00 pm
Tom & Mary Brandt

Noticias y Eventos



Libérate de tu dolor...
ES UN NUEVO DÍA

**MINISTERIO DE APOYO
PARA LUTO Y DUELO DE
SANTA MÓNICA**
INICIA EL 18 DE SEPTIEMBRE

PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN, LLAME
A MINERVA AL 469-733-3925 O MARTA AL 602-518-6352

Ministerio de Luto y Duelo de Santa Mónica ¿Estas atravesando por el dolor de haber perdido a un ser querido? Ahora, estamos inscribiendo para participar en el Ministerio de Luto y Duelo que se iniciará el martes, 18 de septiembre 2018, 7pm-9pm en el salón 212 de Sta. Mónica. El programa se lleva a cabo en 10 sesiones de grupo, junto a otras personas que están pasando lo mismo. Es dirigido por facilitadores laicos capacitados. No hay costo por las sesiones solamente debe comprar el libro de \$10.00. Para más información o para inscribirse por favor comuníquese con Minerva Holmes al 469-733-3925 o Marta Carías al 602-518-6352.

Divina Misericordia ¿Te gustaría conocer mas sobre el amor misericordioso de Dios? Todos los domingos despues de la Misa de 2pm. a las 3 de la tarde hora de la Misericordia, rezamos la Coronilla en la Iglesia. Tambien, se les invita asistir a los cenaculos de la Divina Misericordia todos los martes de 7pm. a 9pm. en el Centro Familiar, salón 211. Se comparte la Palabra de Dios, el Diario de Santa Faustina, el Catecismo de la Iglesia y se ora por las necesidades del mundo. En el area de apostolado, se visitan hogares y hospitales para llevar el mensaje de esperanza y de amor. Para más información llame a Baltazar Villanueva, 214-584-7789.

Estamos en busca de Coordinadores para Bodas Los Coordinadores ayudaran en las prácticas y el día de la ceremonia. Es importante dar un buen servicio para guiarlos a que reciban el sacramento de Matrimonio. Los coordinadores deben conocer la Liturgia, tener habilidades sociales y capacidad para realizar diversas tareas al mismo tiempo. Se le retribuirá monetariamente. Para más información comuníquese con Martha Gonzalez, mgonzalez@stmonicachurch.org.

Cáliz Familiar Únase a orar por las vocaciones sacerdotales y religiosas através del programa del Cáliz Familiar. Se llevara un cáliz a su hogar por una semana para orar por las vocaciones. También se les dará un libretto con oraciones para que rece en familia. Por favor cominíquese con Faby Gomez al 214-357-8549.

Cáliz Vocacional Familiar

Para llevarse el Cáliz llame al (214) 358-1453

19 de Agosto
Familia Mendoza

26 de Agosto
Familia Venegas



XI Convención de Matrimonios
Cree y Veras la Gloria de Dios
Juan 11, 40

Invitados
Ricardo y Lucia Luzondo
Alfonso y Margarita Enriquez
Manuel y Leticia Franco
Alabanza
Darwin Lechler
Lizeth Sanchez
Iglesia Catolica Santa Monica
Gimnasio 9933 Midway Rd
Dallas Tx.75220

18 Y 19
AGOSTO 2018
Sabado 8:00 am - 8:00 pm
Domingo 8:00 am - 1:30 pm
Informes
(214)789 7421
(214)664 7600

Donacion
\$60 dls. X Pareja
No Niños

www.pastoralfamiliardallas.org



ST. MONICA
CATHOLIC CHURCH

¿Te gustaría aprender a bailar Danza Folklórica Mexicana?

Parroquia Católica SANTA MÓNICA (En el techito atrás de la cafetería)

Requisitos:
- Niños y niñas de 6 a 10 años.
- La familia debe ser miembro de Santa Mónica

Cada viernes de 6 a 7pm. Informes: (214) 642-9791 (Mensaje de texto)

Feria de Ministerios de Sta. Mónica 2018

No pierdas la oportunidad de aprender más sobre nuestros ministerios. Te invitamos a que te conectes a la Feria de Ministerios, el domingo, 16 de septiembre, de 9am a 4pm, en el Gimnasio del Centro Familiar. ¡Es un día para compartir en familia con bebidas, aperitivos, pinta caritas y globos!

RICA Rito de Iniciación para Cristianos Adultos, si es una persona mayor de 18 años y le falta recibir un sacramento, ya sea Bautismo, Primera Comunión o Confirmación le invitamos a participar en el programa de RICA, que se lleva a cabo durante los meses de Septiembre a Marzo. Para más información por favor llame a María Rocha, [214-357-8549](tel:214-357-8549), pase a la Oficina Parroquial para inscribirse o visite la pagina www.stmonicachurch.org, para más información.

Clases de Biblia ¿Te gustaria aprender a leer la Biblia? ¿Comprender el mensaje de vida que tiene para ti y tu familia?, te invitamos a integrarte a las clases de Biblias impartidas por los Misioneros de la Palabra, que se llevan a cabo todos los lunes de 7pm. a 9pm. en el Salon de la Biblioteca. Para más información llama a Raul y Martha Palos, [469-471-6164](tel:469-471-6164).



2do. Congreso Guadalupano

LA VERDAD DE GUADALUPE

Sept. 01 | 9 am - 5pm

Cafeteria de la Parroquia Católica Santa Mónica

Informes y venta de boletos:
469-203-6371, 214-358-1453

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Del Pastor

Queridos Feligreses,

El miércoles (15 de agosto) es la solemnidad de la Santísima Virgen María. Este es un Día Sagrado de Obligación y se nos exige como Católicos Romanos que vivan activamente nuestra fe para participar en el Santo Sacrificio de la Misa para este día. La Santísima Virgen María, después de completar la voluntad de Dios para ella en la tierra, fue asumida o llevada en cuerpo y alma al cielo. Esta celebración se llamó primero "Dormición de María" o "La caída del sueño de María" y señaló la última parte de su vida en la tierra. ¡Pero hay más en este evento! Siglos más tarde, el 1 de noviembre de 1950, en la encíclica Munificentissimus Deus, el Papa Pío XII definió el dogma de la Asunción. Él solemnemente proclamó que la creencia de que Nuestra Bendita Madre fue llevada en cuerpo y alma al cielo al final de su vida terrenal es parte del depósito de la fe. El Papa San Juan Pablo II agregaría más tarde que la "Asunción al cielo de María no es solo la culminación de su particular vocación como Madre y discípula del Señor Jesús, sino también una muestra elocuente de la fidelidad de Dios al plan universal de salvación dirigido a la redención de cada hombre y de todos los hombres" (Angelus, agosto de 1995). María es el "principio y patrón de la Iglesia" (prefacio de la Asunción) que se ha beneficiado del acto redentor salvador de Su Hijo Jesucristo. Le pedimos a nuestra Santísima Madre como Reina del Cielo por sus continuas oraciones para que nosotros también podamos unirnos a ella en nuestro hogar eterno con Su Hijo Jesucristo.

HORARIO DE MISAS PARA EL DÍA SANTO: ASUNCIÓN DE LA VIRGEN MARÍA

Misa de Vigilia Martes 14 de agosto:

5:30 p.m. en inglés; 7:00 p.m. en español

Día Santo Miercoles 15 de agosto

6:45 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. (escuela), 5:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m. (español)

En Cristo,
P. Guadagnoli



¿ESTÁ INTERESADO EN CONVERTIRSE AL CATOLICISMO?

¡PARTICIPA EN RICA!

INSCRIBASE EN STMONICACHURCH.ORG O LLAME AL 214-357-8549