

6th Sunday of Easter



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Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
5:30 pm Español

Wednesday & Friday
5:30 pm English

Saturday Vigil
5:30 pm Biligual

Sunday
9:00 am Español
12:00 pm English

RECONCILIATION

By Appointment Only, Wednesday & Friday:
1:00-4:30 pm

MATRIMONY/MATRIMONIO

Arrangements must be made in person with a priest or deacon at least six months in advance. Pre-marital program is obligatory. *Los arreglos para casarse deben ser hechos en persona con un Sacerdote o diácono por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha elegida. El programa pre-matrimonial es obligatorio para los contrayentes.*

BAPTISM/BAUTISMO

Please call the parish office regarding requirements for infant baptism. *Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para los requisitos del bautismo de infantes.*

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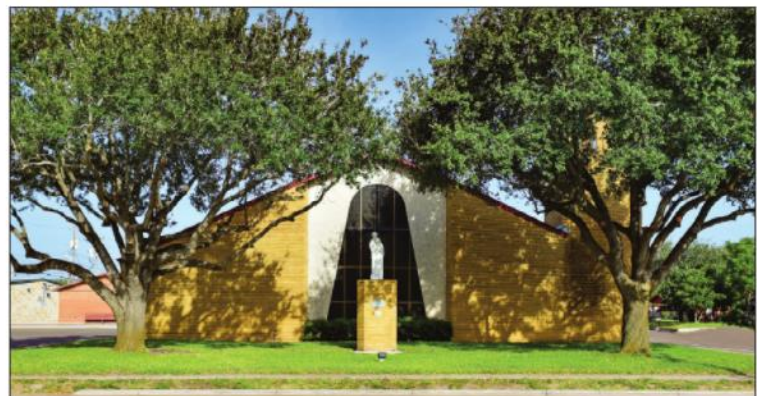
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Monday 1:00-5:00 pm &
Tuesday-Friday 8:00 am-12 noon & 1:00-5:00 pm
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May 9, 2021



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HOLY FAMILY MISSION STATEMENT:

We, the Catholic Community of Holy Family in Edinburg, Texas, gather together:

- + To praise the Father in proclaiming His Word and instructing the family and future generations.
- + To encounter the Son in walking in the way of faith, hope and love through the sacraments and our vocations.
- + To live in the Spirit in welcoming each other as family, sharing our faith, sacrifices and to be strengthened in God's service.

NO 5:30PM MASS

5:30pm Mass will not be held on Wednesday, May 12, 2021, due to the Celebration of Confirmations at 7:00pm.

Colecta de la Semana May 1-2, 2021

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| Offertory Envelopes: | \$ 6,201.00 |
| Diocesan 11.5%: | \$ 713.12 |
| Net Total: | \$ 5,487.88 |
| Renovation: | \$ 1,136.00 |
| Mother's Day: | \$ 605.00 |

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*The Sanctuary Candle
this week is lit for:*



*James R. Morales
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Class of 2021

2021 High School and University Graduates are invited to sign up to receive a Blessing at either of the 3 weekend Masses on Saturday May 22nd and May 23rd. 10 graduates may sign up per Mass at the Saturday Mass at 5:30pm or the Sunday Masses at 9:00am or 12:00pm. Please call the parish office before May 14th to sign up with the secretary at 383-5472.

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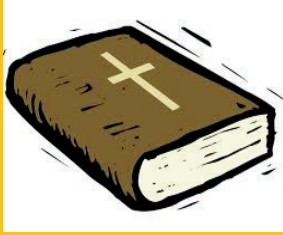
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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Readings for the Week of May 9, 2021

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| Sunday | Acts 10:25-26; 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17 |
| Monday | Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Jn 15:26—16:4a |
| Tuesday | Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11 |
| Wednesday | Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; Jn 16:12-15 |
| Thursday | Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 16:16-20 |
| Friday | Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Jn 15:9-17 |

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, May 8, 2021

5:30PM Para Todas Las Madres Vivas y Fallecidas

SUNDAY, May 9, 2021

9:00AM Para Todas Las Madres Vivas y Fallecidas

12:00PM For All Living & Deceased Mothers

MONDAY, May 10, 2021

5:30PM †Albert Martinez
Health Blessings for Michelle

TUESDAY, May 11, 2021

5:30PM †Jason Paul Guerra

WEDNESDAY, May 12, 2021

7:00PM **Confirmations**
†Antonio Castro Cantu
Blessings for Michaela Niño

THURSDAY, May 13, 2021

5:30PM †Don Christian Gabriel Rivera
†Juan Jose Ocanas

FRIDAY, May 14, 2021

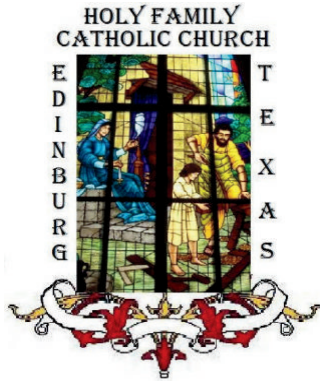
5:30PM †Teresa Cardenas Arevalo
†Victor Mendoza
†Gabino Borjas

*Please Pray for the Sick
Favor de Orar por los Enfermos*

**Claudia Garcia Ascencion Rivera Jr. Manuel Davila Arturo B. Martinez Jr.
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Sergio De Leon Aurora Solis Jose Robledo Carlos Small Irma Salazar Nora Zuniga
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Robert Urey Roel Roy Pena Hortencia Pena Abel Jasso Maria Galaviz Krystal Victoria Torres
Mr. & Mrs. Jose B. Garcia Mr. & Mrs. Ramiro Torres San Juanita Vela Martinez Sam Smith**

Names will remain on the prayer list until the last weekend of the month.

Call the Office prior to that date to request to keep a name on the list.



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DÍA DE LAS MADRE – 9 DE MAYO DE 2021

Saludos y bendiciones a todos, pero especialmente a todas nuestras Madres,

Encontré esta historia que quiero compartir con ustedes: Una maestra le dio a su clase de estudiantes de segundo grado una lección sobre el imán y lo que hace. Al día siguiente, en una prueba escrita, incluyó esta pregunta: "Mi nombre completo tiene cuatro letras. La primera letra es "M." Recojo cosas. ¿Qué soy yo?" Cuando se entregaron los papeles de la prueba, el maestro se sorprendió al descubrir que casi el 50% de los estudiantes respondieron a la pregunta con la palabra mamá."

Si bien muchos de nosotros podemos reírnos de esta pequeña historia, también debemos estar de acuerdo en que hay una verdad poderosa que se comparte aquí también. Hay algo "magnético" en una Madre, especialmente cuando esa Madre es una que parece poner a su familia antes de tanto de lo que hace en la vida diaria. Por supuesto, se puede decir lo mismo de los Padres que también se sacrifican por sus familias de muchas maneras. Qué tremenda bendición es tener dos personas que están enamoradas de Dios, y también están profundamente enamorados unas de otras, y a su vez, compartir ese amor con su familia y personas a su alrededor.

En todas nuestras misas del fin de semana del 8 al 9 de mayo, vamos a tomarnos un tiempo en el Día de la Madre sólo para honrar a las damas presentes (y a las que nos siguen en Facebook) que son madres, así como apreciar a nuestras propias madres que han impactado nuestras vidas de muchas maneras.

San Pablo escribe en Efesios 6.2: "Respeten a su padre y a su madre es el primer mandamiento que tiene una promesa añadida, para que todos vayan bien con ustedes, y puedan vivir mucho tiempo en la tierra".

También encontré otra historia que muestra el simple amor y aprecio que un niño puede tener por mamá: Un niño pequeño olvidó sus líneas en una presentación de la escuela bíblica de vacaciones de verano de CCD. Su madre estaba en primera fila para incitarlo. Ella hizo gestos y formó las palabras en silencio con sus labios, pero no ayudó. La memoria de su hijo estaba en blanco. Finalmente, se inclinó hacia adelante y susurró la señal: "Yo soy la luz del mundo". El niño radiante y con un gran sentimiento y una voz fuerte y clara dijo: "Mi madre es la luz del mundo".

Por supuesto, sabemos que la Luz del Mundo es Jesús, pero Él quiere que Su luz brille, y a través de cada uno de nosotros a un mundo oscurecido por el pecado y la desesperación. El amor de una Madre Piadosa puede servir como un tremendo ejemplo del tipo de amor que todos debemos compartir y vivir a diario.

Mamás, las apreciamos a todas. Que tengas un bendito Día de la Madre.

El Personal Pastoral de la Sagrada Familia
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MOTHER'S DAY – MAY 9, 2021

Greetings and blessings to everyone but especially to all our Mothers,

I found this story that I want to share with you: A teacher gave her class of second graders a lesson on the magnet and what it does. The next day in a written test, she included this question: "My full name has six letters. The first one is M. I pick up things. What am I?" When the test papers were turned in, the teacher was astonished to find that almost 50% of the students answered the question with the word Mother."

While many of us may get a chuckle out of this little story, we must also agree that there is a powerful truth being shared here as well. There is something "magnetic" about a Mother, especially when that Mother is one who seems to put her family before so much of what she does in daily living. Of course, the same can be said about Fathers who are also sacrificial for their family in so many ways. What a tremendous blessing it is to have two people who are both in love with God, and are also deeply in love with each other, and in turn, sharing that love with their family and people around them.

At all our Masses the weekend of May 8-9, we are going to take some time on Mother's Day just to honor the ladies in attendance (and those following us on Facebook) who are Mothers as well as appreciate our own Mothers who have impacted our lives in so many ways.

St. Paul writes in Ephesians 6.2: "Respect your father and mother is the first commandment that has a promise added – so that all may go well with you, and you may live a long time in the land."

I also found another story that shows the simple love and appreciation a child can have for Mom: A little boy forgot his lines in a CCD summer vacation bible school presentation. His mother was in the front row to prompt him. She gestured and formed the words silently with her lips, but it did not help. Her son's memory was blank. Finally, she leaned forward and whispered the cue, "I am the light of the world." The child beamed and with great feeling and a loud clear voice said, "My mother is the light of the world."

Of course, we know the Light of the World is Jesus, but He wants His light to shine in, and through each one of us to a world darkened by sin and despair. The love of a Godly Mother can serve as a tremendous example of the kind of love we all should be sharing and living on a daily basis.

Moms, we appreciate all of you. Have a blessed Mother's Day.

The Holy Family Pastoral Staff
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JOIN THE PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

America is at a historic crossroad. God is more offended than ever as people ignore Our Lady's maternal request to "stop offending God." As a result, America is suffering from a pandemic, rioting, looting, and murder, as well as moral and societal collapse. It is urgent that we heed Our Lady's request and stop sinning if we hope to enjoy God's blessings and to avert His wrath. He will hear us, if we pray through the intercession of His Blessed Mother. This is why we will gather for the 2021 Public Square Rosary Crusade.

Join us as we pray the Holy Rosary on Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 12:00pm (Noon) in front of Kohl's on N. 10th in Mcallen TX.

For more information, contact Sylvia, Dalinda, Blanca, & Roxana @ (956) 279-1379; 648-6316; 388-0071; 451-5430



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Holy Family Church invites you to pray the Holy Rosary with us every Friday during the month of May immediately after the 5:30pm Mass around 6:15pm. Let us contemplate the face of Christ with the heart of Mary our Mother as she will make us even more united as a spiritual family and will help us overcome this time of trial. Mary, pray for us.



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