



*St. Sabina
Catholic
Church
Belton, MO*



*September 20, 2015
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



Congratulations to Corey and Austin who were baptized by Fr Jeff on September 10th. Also pictured is their godmother, Jill Brake.

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm (Confessions at 3:00pm - 3:30pm)
Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am in English, 12:30pm in Spanish

Wellness Center 816-979-3090

Jeannine Midgett 816-979-3093
Patricia Moreno 816-979-3092

MASS SCHEDULE

INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 21-25, 2015

Mon. 8am †John Grimm
Tues. 6pm †Teresa Link
Wed. 8am †Ron & Paula Fenske
11am †Lawrence Bleier & his deceased family
(Carnegie Village)
Thurs. 8am †Dave & Elaine Fenske
Friday 8am Intentions of Par Castaneda

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2015

4:00pm Intentions of Jeanne Patterson
†“Lola” Barrios

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2015

8:00am †Rita Miller
10:30am †Bob & Ginny Thomas
12:30pm Spanish Intenciones de las Familias Parroquiales



UPCOMING EVENTS

OVER 55 TO AMERISTAR - SEP 24

Our Over 55 group will take a trip to Ameristar Casino on Thursday, September 24th. We will leave St. Sabina at 9:30am and spend the day at the casino. We will leave the Casino to return to St. Sabina at 3pm. Please contact the parish office to sign up. Let us know if you can drive and how many people you can take in your car.

PARISH PICNIC - SEPTEMBER 27

Come and join us on Sunday, September 27th at 1:30pm for our annual parish picnic. **Please bring a pot luck dish to share.** The day will include:

Pot Luck Dinner, Hamburgers and Hot Dogs, Cake Walk, Games, Yogurt Bar, Face Painting, Piñata, Rectory open house and Door prizes donated by our parish ministries:

Our **Adult Faith Formation** Team is donating an English Bible and a Spanish Bible, **The Boys Scouts** are donating a roll of large yellow trash bags, Our **Social Justice Team** is donating Fair Trade Coffee, Our **Youth Ministry** is donating a copy of the book Youcat, Our **St Joseph Table Committee** is donating a craft item.

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, September 20 - Domingo, 20 de Septiembre

Catechetical Sunday
Latin America Apostolate Collection
9:00am Parish School of Religion
11:00am Escuela Parroquial de Religión
11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano
1:30pm Reunión del Comité Romero
7:00pm High School & Confirmation

Monday, September 21 - Lunes, 21 de Septiembre

8:00am Mass
5:30pm Marian Prayer Group
6:00pm Cub Scouts
7:00pm Boy Scouts - Gym

Tuesday, September 22 - Martes, 22 de Septiembre

1:30pm Wellness Center “Getting Back to Better” Class
4:30pm Confessions
6:00pm Mass
7:00pm Foundations for Living Stones
7:00pm Green Team Meeting
7:00pm Taller de Oracion y Vida

Wednesday, September 23 - Miércoles, 23 de Septiembre

8:00am Mass
9:00am Legion of Mary
11:00am Mass at Carnegie Village
7:00pm Choir Practice
7:00pm Junior High Youth Group

Thursday, September 24 - Jueves, 24 de Septiembre

8:00am Mass
9:30am Quilters
9:30am Over 55 to Ameristar
7:00pm RCIA/RICA
8:00pm Choir Practice (8am Choir)

Friday, September 25 - Viernes, 25 de Septiembre

8:00am Mass
6:00pm Quinceañera Rehearsal

Saturday, September 26 - Sábado, 26 de Septiembre

1:00pm Quinceañera: Cendy Aguilar
3:00pm Confessions
4:00pm Mass
5:00pm Boy Scouts BBQ Dinner

Sunday, September 27 - Domingo, 27 de Septiembre

9:00am Parent Support Group
9:00am Parish School of Religion
10:30am Bible Study with Biagio
11:00am Escuela Parroquial de Religión
11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano
1:30pm Annual Parish Picnic



STEWARDSHIP

“Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, ‘If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.’ Taking a child, he placed it in the their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, ‘Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me.’”
Mark 9: 35-37

One of the hallmarks of stewardship is service. The Four Pillars of Stewardship have been described as follows: prayer, hospitality, formation, and service. It is this fourth one, service, about which Jesus is speaking in today’s Gospel. Recent research has found that one of the most quoted people of recent time is Blessed Mother Teresa. She often spoke of love and service. This is one of her better-known sayings: “Love cannot remain by itself — it has no meaning. Love has to be put into action, and that action is service.” - See more at www.catholicsteward.com/blog/.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - SEPT 13

Envelopes/Sobres: \$8,388.24
Plate/Canasta: \$ 811.49
Maintenance-Upkeep: \$ 407.00

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT: CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER - OCT 10

This year the Christmas in October workday will be held on Saturday, October 10th. If you are interested in participating, please contact either John Ryan at ryancows@aol.com or Pete Muenks at pmuenks@gmail.com or sign up in the gathering space. We have 5 houses assigned to us this year. Please sign up to help!



Pictured above are some of our volunteers from last year’s Christmas in October!

PASTORAL CARE

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE DE LA MUERTE A LA NUEVA VIDA

† Steve Brayton, friend of Robin Crutcher
† Nelson “Tobi” Tobin, brother of Audrey Reichert
† Mary Curtis, mother of Jim Curtis, Mary Joan Fisher, Tom Curtis, Mike Curtis & Katie Curtis
† Charles Bybee, son of Leona Bybee and father of Chris Bybee

PRAYER REQUESTS PETICIONES DE ORACIÓN

Peg Agnew	Margo Dellaguardia	Helen Muenks
Kelly Anthony	Paul DeMar	Jerry Nowak
Marilyn Avalos	Frances DiGeorge	Gary Palmer
Jennie Baylor	Sheila Donner	Thelma Palmer
Sheryll Bentley	Mary Lou Enos	Leanna Peachey
Allie Biondo	Richard Estes	Brent Praiswater
Nicky Biondo	Dick Garnier	Chuck Ramsey
Joe Birkenbach	Laverne Harlow	Mary Renfro
Maxine Bremer	Cherie Hatfield	Larry Schmidt
Gretchen Butler	Bart Henke	Joe Stanley
Art Camara	Ella Hemmen	Noah Stanley
Pamela Castor	Mary Ellen Hermann	Jean tate
Georgene Caoile	Richard Hoedl	Bob Westfall
Marvin Cohen	Kelly Jordon	Mary Westfall
Joseph Coots	Ray Kemna	Sarah Wilburn
Tyler Corlew	Don Kueck	Carmitia Yust
Donna Dailey	Gloria McLaughlin	Berenice Zayas
Cathy Davis	Priscilla Moran	Pablo Zayas

DID YOU KNOW? You can find our *prayer requests list* at St. Sabina Church Updates. To set up your account go to <https://stsabinaparish.churchupdates.org/> and click “register as a new member” below the log in button. By setting up your account, you will receive weekly emails informing you of any new updates so if we add someone to the prayer list, you will receive notice that someone has been added that week and you can log in and let them know that you’re praying for them!

HEALING THE PAIN OF ABORTION...

One weekend at a time. Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat is open to women and men; the retreat is a beautiful opportunity to experience healing. Retreat begins Friday evening, Oct 23 thru Sunday afternoon, Oct 25, 2015. Call 816 -679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com for confidential information and to start the healing, or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org for more information.

NURSING HOME MASS SCHEDULE

Sept 23	11:00am	Carnegie Village
Sept 30	8:00am	St. Sabina
Oct 7	10:30am	Beautiful Savior
Oct 14	10:00am	Rehabilitation Center of Raymore

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCE NUMBERS

NAMI - National Alliance on Mental Illness
816-931-0030 - Support. Education. Advocacy.
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
1-800-273-TALK (8255) Available 24/7
ACI Mental Health Crisis Hotline
1-888-279-8188 - 24/7 Access, Multilingual

AREA INFORMATION

WALKING WITH CHRIST – AN IGNATIAN PRAYER EXPERIENCE

You are invited to join an engaging six-week guided Ignatian prayer experience designed for you and a small group. It is modeled on the tried and true method of spiritual renewal known as the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius, founder of the Society of Jesus, better known as the Jesuits.

Two facilitators from the Ignatian Spirituality Center will direct you during these sessions, helping you focus on your prayer life. Learn several ways of praying so that daily prayer is more possible. Be inspired once a week by the experience of others who are seeking to walk with Christ more closely as you are. You may learn some new methods of prayer or get reacquainted with some old ones.

Walking with Christ will be offered at St. Sabina on Wednesday evenings from 7:30-9:00 p.m., beginning Oct. 7 and ending Nov. 18, 2015. Cost for book and facilitator is \$40, scholarships are available. Register by calling the Parish office and by sending a check for \$40 made out to St. Sabina. Registration is due by Sept 30. For more information, contact Biagio or Kris at 816-331-4713.

HARVEST MOON DANCE

The Cure' of Ars Singles will host its annual harvest Moon Dance on Saturday, October 10, 2015 from 7:30 - 11:30 pm in the school cafeteria at 9401 Mission Road, Leawood, KS. The cost of \$20 at the door includes meat hors d'oeuvres, desserts, wine, beer, soda, and bottled water. Lighted parking behind the school. Questions? [\(913\) 631-6873](tel:9136316873).

CATHOLIC CHURCH TEACHING ABOUT END-OF-LIFE ISSUES

Wednesday, September 30, 7-8:30pm, More Hall St. Thomas More Church, 11822 Holmes, KCMO.

In this day and age most of us will not die suddenly, and decisions will have to be made - either for ourselves or a loved one - about on-going care. These decisions are typically complex and, therefore, difficult. The Catholic Church has some wisdom to share with us. Tom Turner, adjunct teacher of Ethics and Bioethics at Avila University, will present the Church's teachings on these questions. Latest medical directives will be handed out.

For more information or to make a reservation, contact David Butel, 942-2492 x210 or dbutel@stmkc.com. Register by September 25.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

HOLIDAY CRAFT SALE - VENDORS NEEDED

Our St. Joseph Table Committee is hosting a Holiday Craft Sale and Chili Supper on the weekend of November 14-15. This event will be open to the public and it will be held in the parish gym. Crafters may rent space for \$35 per 8' table or \$40 per 8' table with electricity. We only have 8 spots with electricity available. Craft sale hours will be November 14 from 10am-5:30pm and November 15 from 9am-2pm. If you would like to rent space, please contact Gabe Mitsdarffer at gab212mits@gmail.com.

2016 DELEGATION TO EL SALVADOR

Our parish will be taking its second delegation to El Salvador to learn more about the scholarship program there and to have the opportunity to meet and visit with our scholarship students and their families. We will travel to Cinquera and also to El Mozote. El Mozote was the site of one of many massacres that occurred in El Salvador during their Civil War. As of now we are planning to travel to El Salvador on January 5 and staying approximately 8 days. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Kris at 816-979-3151 or by email at kris@stsabinaparish.org.

HEALING SERVICES Our Diocese of Kansas City-St Joseph is reaching out to everyone who has been impacted by any sexual abuse by offering Healing Services. Services will be held:

- Oct 15 at Sacred Heart, Warrensburg at 7pm
- Nov 11 at Nativity of Mary, Independence at 7pm
- June 26 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Kansas City at 2pm.

Thank you to the McDowell family for their generous donation of canned foods for the homeless at Uplift!



ADULT FAITH FORMATION

REFLECTION ON THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME , YEAR B

The refrain for this Sunday's Responsorial Psalm 54, "The Lord upholds my life," is an unashamed, unabashed affirmation of trust in a God who is faithful, sustaining, nourishing and protecting. The verses call upon God to hear our prayer and to defend us from the haughty and ruthless, while affirming God as our helper, the one who sustains us. The other readings affirm this trust in God, and provide rich food for reflection.

In the selection from the book of Wisdom, the wicked plot against the just one, who is seen as "obnoxious" to them. The just one is a reproach to the wicked, and they are intent on the just one's destruction. The wicked would like to test the just one's faith, trust and reliance on God. Indirectly the just one is quoted as being assured that God will protect and defend their cause, delivering the just one from all enemies. While the wicked might defeat the just, what ultimately triumphs is trust in a God who is always faithful and who does "uphold my life," no matter what.

The second reading from the letter of James contrasts greed, jealousy and selfish ambition with a confidence in God who is always willing to provide for our needs. Emphasis on the former leads to conflicts, wars, dissension and hatred. Confident trust in God leads to wisdom which is full of mercy, good fruit, constancy and truthfulness. This is the path to true peace, the ground cultivated by those whose reliance, faith and trust is in a God who "upholds my life" no matter how life unfolds.

Mark's gospel reading has Jesus teaching his disciples about his passion, death and resurrection. It is the second time that Jesus has predicted these events in Mark, but each time the disciples seem not to understand, or completely misunderstand Jesus. Here, they do not understand but they are afraid to question.

Jesus' journey to Judea continues with a stop in Capernaum, where Jesus questions his disciples concerning their argument on the road. The argument centered around who among them was the greatest. It is

obvious to Jesus that they do not understand what he is about, nor what true servant discipleship entails. Jesus takes a child and places the child in their midst. The child has no status, authority or power and is at the whim of those more powerful, trusting that they will do what is just.



Jesus offers the child as the model of true discipleship. As the child trusts that the powerful will act justly and uphold the powerless, so too the disciple is to trust God. Likewise, those who exercises power can temper that power by becoming the "last of all and the servant of all." Receiving the powerless child is what receiving Jesus, the full revelation of God, is about. Getting on God's wavelength demands that disciples model themselves on Jesus, whose trust and confidence, just like the child, is in a loving and faithful God who "upholds my life."

Jesus affirms the fact that death, pain, conflict, injustice, evil will not be wiped out. They are part and parcel of the human reality. However, trust and confidence in God is crucial if we are to counter the greed and selfishness that is often the source of life's harsh realities. We do not know what the end of the story will be, but we trust in God who is a God of life, continually bringing forth a richer and more lasting life than before. In this manner, Jesus can affirm resurrection and new life, in the very jaws of death.

Ultimately, it is trust and faith in the living God that will win out. So let us not tire of continued trust in God who "upholds my life." This week pray for the strength to place your trust in God, especially when life becomes difficult, challenging and harsh. Trust God who longs always to uphold your life.

**Biagio Mazza,
Pastoral Associate**

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READINGS FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2015

1st Reading: Wisdom 2:12, 17-20

Psalm: Psalm 54:3-4, 5, 6 - 8

2nd Reading: James 3:16 - 4:3

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2015

1st Reading: Numbers 11:25-29

Psalm: Psalm 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14

2nd Reading: James 5:1-6

Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



BIBLE STUDY

BIBLE STUDY AND SUNDAY READINGS

Catholics are mostly exposed to the Bible through the Sunday Lectionary Readings. In order to help us all enter into the Bible through the Sunday readings, we are offering study sessions that will provide an opportunity to read, to study background to the readings, and to reflect on how to apply the readings to our lives. **We will gather on September 27th at 10:30am.** All are welcome. Bring a Bible and a friend. To register for these sessions, please call Biagio at 816-979-3153.

YOUTH MINISTRY

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH! Welcome all 7th and 8th graders to a great year of applying your faith to your lives! Our first meeting will be on September 23rd from 7-8:30pm in the Parish Hall. We're looking forward to seeing you!

HIGH SCHOOL & CONFIRMATION YOUTH meetings begin on September 20th in the Parish Hall from 7-8:30pm. The team is looking forward to another great year of ministry with YOUth!

CONFIRMATION! All youth in 10th grade and older who are ready to prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation should enroll by picking up an orange folder in the back of church or in the office. It has all the information for the entire year of preparation.

CONFIRMATION SPONSOR NIGHT Each Confirmation candidate must have a sponsor. A sponsor is someone who is a confirmed Catholic adult, not the candidate's parent, and in good standing with the Catholic Church. Think of an aunt, uncle, grandparent, godparent or other awesome person in your life who you know well and with whom you would love to spend time. Each month we have a meeting for the candidate and their sponsor to attend which is the preparation class for the sacrament. Your first meeting will be October 14th in the Parish Hall from 7-8:30pm. If your sponsor is unable to attend the meeting, you must still be present. If you need help finding a sponsor, please call Kirstie in the Youth Office. She knows people.

HIGH SCHOOL BONFIRE PARTY! As part of our mission to get to know our youth better we gather each fall for a big bonfire at the Lewis family's house! This will take place on October 18th from 7 - 9pm. Permission slips will be handed out at our first couple meetings and will be available on the website. Come hungry and ready to have some fun getting to know each other! Parents are needed to help transport the youth to and from the bonfire. Please contact Kirstie Roberts if you would like to help out! You'll be paid in hotdogs, cocoa and s'mores!

JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH TO WORLDS OF FUN! Every year we load up a bus and head up to Woff for a scary night of haunted houses and roller coasters! This year we are going on October 23rd. We will leave the parish at 5:30pm and return after the park closes, around 12:45am. Cost per person is around \$35. Everyone must have a permission form. They are available on the website and in the Youth Office.

UPLIFT COOKS! Anyone who would like to help prepare a meal for the homeless is welcome to join our team on the 4th Monday of each month at 10am in the gym. It's recommended that you bring a good cutting knife and vegetable peeler. Our next cooking day will be September 28th.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

PSR HAS BEGUN! Forms are still available in the back of church and in the Youth Office. If you have a child preparing for sacraments this year, please be sure to take a sacramental prep registration form as well as the PSR form. If you have any questions, please contact Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office.

PSR begins Sunday, September 20th!

FORM FOR COMMUNICATION WITH MINORS

Parents and guardians must now sign a form giving permission for St. Sabina staff, specifically the Youth Director, Kirstie Roberts to respond to text messages, emails and phone calls from the youth of the parish. These forms are available in the back of the church with the PSR registrations and in the Youth Office.

All volunteers with youth and children must attend one Protecting God's Children workshop, submit to a background check and sign the policy on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry, (EIM).

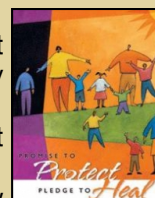
HARVESTERS! This local food bank provides food to needy families around the KC area. Volunteers are needed to help sort food donations and pack weekend food bags for kids to help fight hunger in our community. We will be taking a group of 5 people on the third Thursday of each month. If you would like to volunteer, call or email Kirstie in the Youth Office to sign up. This ministry is open to all ages! Our next date is October 15.

UPLIFT ORG. needs volunteers! If you would like to bring meals to the homeless on the 4th or 5th Monday of any month, please contact Kirstie Roberts to sign up! This ministry is open to all parishioners age 14 and older. Volunteers must report to the Uplift Warehouse by 5pm and will be finished around 9:30pm.

CHILD SAFETY

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you *observe or suspect* sexual abuse:

- 1) Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
- 2) Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
- 3) After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected *sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult* to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.



The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate Bonnie Kane at 816.392.0011 or kane@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

PARENTS LOOKING FOR A SUPPORT GROUP

In response to our needs survey, the Love Thy Neighbor team is hosting an informal gathering for the parents of our parish to determine specific areas of support our families may need, such as, tutoring, parents night out, behavior issues, single parent issues, etc. If as a parent you've ever needed information, advice or just another parent to talk to, please plan on attending. This will be your chance to tell us what you need. We will meet in the Parish Hall on Sunday, September 27, during PSR (9-10:00). A light breakfast of fruit, pastries, coffee and juice will be served. To help us plan for food and babysitting, sign up slips are in the gathering space.

MISSOURI CATHOLIC CONFERENCE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

"Leaving an inhabitable planet to future generations is, first and foremost, up to us," Pope Francis, Laudato Si' (n. 160) How can we as Catholics fulfill our role in maintaining a healthy planet? Engaging discussion about Pope Francis' encyclical Laudato Si' and other important topics involving the Church in the modern world will take place at the Missouri Catholic Conference 2015 Annual Assembly. This FREE event will be held on October 3 at the Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City. Please join us for an exciting day of conversation and celebration. Please pre-register for the event by going to MOCatholic.org or calling 1-800-456-1679. See you in October!

PARISH HAPPENINGS

SPECIAL TOPICS IN ISLAM

These five two-hour sessions will explore special topics in Islam that activate and direct Muslim belief and practice. Special topics to be addressed include **Women in Islam, Veiling, Harem, Prophets in Islam, Jesus, Mary, Jihad, Qur'an, Hadith, Shariah, Marriage/Family/Divorce, Muslim Calendar, Holy Days and Rituals, Hajj/Ramadan, Sufis, Islamic Denominations, Sunni/Shiite, Muhammad/Rightly Guided Successors**. Explorations of these special topics will help us become more aware of our Muslim neighbors and how to interact with them in a way that is both knowledgeable and respectful of their beliefs and practices. They will also help us understand many of the current issues concerning Islam and its encounter with the West.

Special Topics in Islam will be offered on Monday evenings October 5, 12, 19, 26 and Nov 2, 2015, 7-9 PM and repeated on Wednesday Mornings Oct 7, 14, 21, 28, and Nov 4, 2015, 10 AM-Noon. Sessions will be facilitated by Biagio Mazza, Pastoral Associate, St. Sabina Parish. To register, call either Biagio at 816-979-3153 or Kris at 816-979-3151.

THANKS FROM GEORGE BARRIOS

Thank You

I would like to thank you all for your prayers and for the support you have given me since my wife, Lola, passed away.

Your kindness is truly appreciated.

George Barrios

Cake

Walk

Door Prizes

Hamburgers

Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, September 27 at 1:30pm

Domingo, 27 de Septiembre a la 1:30pm

Piñata



Hot dogs

PICNIC

Pot Luck

Dinner

Face

Painting

PARISH HAPPENINGS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ¡FELIZ CUMPLEAÑOS!

Peg Agnew, Cendy Aguilar, Ampara Aguilera, Corey Alston, Nancy Aracely, Hanna Bahrenburg, Nancy Ballenger, Debbie Barker, Juan Basurto, Richard Beilman, Megan Budnik, Viola Burns, Katie Butscher, Par Castaneda, Alejandro Castillo, Guadalupe Chavez, Eileen Cigich, Cherie DeMar, Cecilia Estrella, Kathy Evans, Sandy Fiocati, Daniela Flores, Ryan Foster, David Gaither, Daniel Gamboa, John Glagola, Alejandra Gomez, Amanda Gray, Robert Gross-Hidalgo, Daniela Guerrero, Mercedes Guzman, Connie Hagemann, Ella Hemmen, Kyle Henkhaus, Jonathan Hernandez, Rocio Hernandez, Cassidy Howe, Evelyn Huerta, Daliahna Jimenez, Dave Kille, Roberto Landa, Nicholas Lewis, Ernesto Lopez, Rebeca Lopez, Bonita Mackedanz, Dominic Maiuro, Armando Mancina, Scott Mansur, Stacey McClish, Madalyn McGurn, Joshua Meckstroth, Betty Metzler, Tony Mitchell, Gabe Mitsdarffer, Mauricio Morales, Osvaldo Morales, Amanda Mosman, Jim Muzic, Olivia Nateras, Andrea Negrete, Yoselin Nuñez, Raymond O'Keefe, Sergio Olivares, Jessica Orozco, Jose Orozco, Manuela Perez, Diana Ramirez, Juan Ramirez, Matthew Ranes, Jose Reyes, Javier Rocha, Juan Rocha, Manuel Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, Renee Roe, Estrella Rojo, Oscar Romero, Susana Romero, Asaf Baruch San German, Juana Sanchez, Billie Schmidt, Dennis Schmidt, Glen Schmidt, Reagan Shepard, Russell Sirocka, Araceli Solis, Eric Spiller, Maggie Stansbury, Presley Strickland, Demi Thurber, Madi Thurman, Elvia Torres, Perla Torres, David Trejo, Lois Turnese, Alberto Viveros, Peggy Wansing, Gary Watkins, Matthew Weeks, Bob Westfall, Dax Yenzler, Carmitia Yust

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! ¡FELIZ ANIVERSARIO!

Steve & Ashley Cisetti	2 Years!	09/21/2013
Ray & Meghan Taylor	5 Years!	09/25/2010
Pedro Arreola & Maria Candia	6 Years!	09/26/2009
John & Nikki Strickland	7 Years!	09/20/2008
Jesse & Jamie Duncan	8 Years!	09/22/2007
Jake Anderson & Leopolda Vasquez	9 Years!	09/25/2006
Zach & Heather Poland	13 Years!	09/21/2002
Randy & Anita Frey	14 Years!	09/22/2001
Jose Hernandez & Olivia Rodriguez	23 Years!	09/26/1992
Pam & Bob Miller	24 Years!	09/21/1991
Rick & Sheila Hamilton	26 Years!	09/23/1989
Ron & Kathleen Gullberg	31 Years!	09/22/1984
Rusty & Joleen Nachbar	32 Years!	09/24/1983
John & Colleen Shern	34 Years!	09/25/1981
Doug & Vicki Strobe	36 Years!	09/21/1979
John & Joyce Giacone	41 Years!	09/21/1974
Dick & Anita Armstrong	52 Years!	09/21/1963
Paul & Cheri DeMar	62 Years!	09/22/1953

PRAYER

PRAYER FOR THE ELECTION OF A BISHOP

O God, eternal shepherd, who govern your flock with un-failing care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

WELLNESS CENTER

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The Wellness Center is here to support your health and wellness, body, mind and spirit! Drop in to see how we might be able to support you on your journey to wellbeing.

WELLNESS CENTER CLASS SCHEDULE

Monday: Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Yoga 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Tuesday: Strength & Stretch 1:00 - 2:00 pm
CDSMP Class 2:15 - 4:00 pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2:00 - 3:00pm

Wednesday: Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Restorative Yoga 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Thursday: Stretch & Strength 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2:00 - 3:00pm
Strength & Stretch 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Friday: Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Boxing Beats 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Saturday: Open Workout 8:30 - 10:00 am
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INFORMACION

Hamburguesas

Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, September 27 at 1:30pm

Domingo, 27 de Septiembre a la 1:30pm

Por Favor traiga

un platillo de comida

para compartir.



Hot dogs

Caminata
de
Pastel

Piñata

PICNIC

Premios

ORACION

ORACION POR LA ELECCION DE UN OBISPO

O Dios, pastor eterno, que gobiernas de tu rebaño con cuidado infalible; concede en tu amor paternal sin limites a un pastor para tu Iglesia, un pastor quien te agrade por su santidad y para mostrarnos atención vigilante. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, quien vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.

Amen.



LECTURAS

LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO, 20 DE SEPTIEMBRE

Primera Lectura: Sabiduría 2:12, 17-20

Salmo: Salmo 53:3-4, 5, 6-8

Segunda Lectura: Santiago 3:16 - 4:3

Evangelio: Marcos 9:30-37

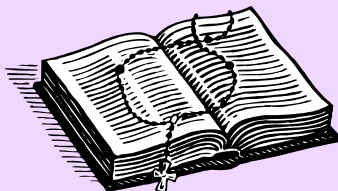
LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO, 27 DE SEPTIEMBRE

Primera Lectura: Números 11:25-29

Salmo: Salmo 18:8, 10, 12-13, 14

Segunda Lectura: Santiago 5:1-6

Evangelio: Marcos 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



POR FAVOR TENGAN EN CUENTA:

Queremos que todos los feligreses tengan en cuenta que el Código de Ordenanzas de Belton dice que en ningún lugar dentro de la ciudad está autorizado pedir dinero (para comida, gasolina, etc.). Si alguien le pide dinero en el estacionamiento cuando viene a Misa, por favor dirígelo a cualquier miembro del personal que está en esa Misa, o a la oficina parroquial durante las horas de oficina, en lugar de darle dinero. Un miembro del personal está presente en cada Misa para cualquiera pregunta o duda nos puede encontrar en el lado sureño del Espacio de Reunión. Nosotros lo dirigiremos a los recursos adecuados.

CORRESPONSABILIDAD

TIEMPO Y TALENTO:

NAVIDAD EN OCTUBRE - 10 DE OCT



Este año, nuestro día de trabajo para Navidad en Octubre será el Sábado, 10 de Octubre. Si esta interesado en participar, por favor comuníquese con John Ryan a su correo ryancows@aol.com o con

Pete Muenks a su correo pmuenks@gmail.com o también puede enlistarse en el espacio de reunión de la parte de atrás de la iglesia. Es muy útil para John y Pete saber con anticipación cuantos ayudantes tendremos para determinar cuantas casas podremos ayudar este año.

INFORMACION

CLASES DE RICA RICA, El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos, comienza en Septiembre. RICA es el proceso de formación para adultos que quieren ser Católicos y para adultos que han sido bautizados en la fe Católica, pero necesitan los sacramentos de Primera Comunión y/o Confirmación. Este año vamos a tener platicas los jueves de 7-9pm. Si esta interesado, comuníquese con Kris en la oficina, o llámele a Gerardo Arenivas al 816-719-7563 o a Raúl Félix al 816-309-1919.

PICNIC PARROQUIAL - 27 DE SEPTIEMBRE



Ven y únete a nosotros el Domingo, 27 de Septiembre a la 1:30pm para nuestro picnic anual en la parroquia. Por favor traiga un platillo de comida para compartir. **El día incluirá:** Cena de platillos compartidos, hamburguesas y hot dogs, Caminata de Pastel, Juegos, Pintura de cara, Piñata y premios, casa

abierta del párroco para que vean la casa remodelada, y cobertura de video del mensaje del Papa mientras visita Philadelphia.

PLATICAS PRE-BAUTISMALES – 10 DE OCT



Normalmente cada Segundo Sábado del mes de las 10 am a 1 pm (Sólo para Niños de 0-6 años) Salón de juntas. Sótano de la Parroquia. Para niños mayores de 7 años requerirán una formación especial.

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: llamar Kris al 816-979-3151. Favor de llenar su aplicación antes de asistir a las platicas. **No se ofrece cuidado de niños.**

ESCUELA DE RELIGION

LA ESCUELA DE RELIGION YA COMENZO

Las formas de registración para la Escuela de Religión están en la parte de atrás de la iglesia, en la mesa y también en la oficina. Si su hijo/a necesita prepararse para algún sacramento este año, por favor asegúrese de llenar una forma de registración para preparación sacramental también. Si tiene alguna pregunta por favor comuníquese con Zuirí al 816-979-3150.

Las clases comienzan hoy, Domingo, 20 de Septiembre!

JOVENES DE HIGH SCHOOL O CONFIRMACION

Sus juntas comienzan el Domingo, 20 de Septiembre en el salón Parroquial 7-8:30pm.

CONFIRMACION! Todos los jóvenes del decimo grado para arriba pueden prepararse para el sacramento de la Confirmación. Para inscribirse por favor recoja una carpeta color anaranjada en la mesa que esta en la parte de atrás de la iglesia, en el espacio de reunión. Esta carpeta contiene toda la información para registrarse y todo lo que necesitan saber para el año.

2016 DELEGACION A EL SALVADOR

Nuestra parroquia llevara a su segunda delegación a El Salvador para aprender mas sobre el programa de becas allí y para tener la oportunidad de conocer a nuestro estudiantes becados y a sus familias. Viajaremos a Cinquera y a El Mozote. El pueblo de Mozote fue uno de los muchos donde ocurrieron masacres durante la Guerra Civil en El Salvador. Por ahora, planeamos viajar a El Salvador el 5 de Enero y quedarnos aproximadamente 8 días.

Si usted esta interesado o quiere mas información, por favor comuníquese con Kris al 816-979-3151 o por correo electrónico, kris@stsabinaparish.org.

RETIRO ESPIRITUAL - 2, 3, & 4 DE OCTUBRE

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**Jesus toca a tu puerta,
Responde a Su llamado.**



**Felicidades a David Lopez y Brenda Arenivas,
quienes se casaron el 22 de Agosto.**



*La Parroquia
Católica de
Santa Sabina
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*20 de Septiembre del 2015
Vigésimo quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario*



En esta foto aparecen nuestros feligreses Rafael y Selene, junto a sus hijos Dominick y Dayana.

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Horario de las Misas del fin de semana

Sábado: 4:00pm (Confesiones de las 3:00pm - 3:30pm)

Domingo: 8:00am, 10:30am en Ingles, 12:30pm Misa en Español

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