

JULY 30, 2017

WELCOME AGGIE CATHOLICS!

HOWDY! We want to welcome you warmly to St. Mary's! We're so glad you join us at Mass today. If we haven't already, we'd love to meet you in person! Please stop by our receptionist desk in the student lounge now or any time and we'll give you a welcome packet. You can also set up a time to chat with one of our campus ministers. We'd be love to answer all your questions, tell you all about the heart of St. Mary's, set up a time for a tour, or a chat over a cup of coffee. Give us a call at 979-846-5717 or find us on our website: AGGIECATHOLIC.ORG

★ Upcoming Events ★

AGGIE CATHOLIC APOLOGETICS TEAM (AGGIECAT) // Mondays at 7 PM

Join the Aggie Catholic Apologetics Team (AggieCAT) this summer as we study Dr. Scott Hahn's book, "The Lamb's Supper", a study of the Book of Revelations through the lens of Mass. We meet on Mondays in Rm 201/202. Light refreshments will be provided. All are welcome!

MOTHER TERESA BOOK CLUB // Thursdays at 8:00 PM

Join B/CS RealLife as we take an in-depth look at Mother Teresa's life as recounted by Fr. Leo Maasburg. His book gives us a glimpse into the work that our Lord accomplished through Mother Teresa and the Missionaries of Charity. We will meet weekly throughout the summer.

Copies of the book will be available for book club attendees.

For up-to-date meeting information visit: aggiecatholic.org/bcs-reallife.

BCS REAL LIFE BOARD GAME NIGHT // Sat. 8/5 at 7 PM

Join us for game night in the student lounge!

ETHICS & INTEGRITY IN MINISTRY (EIM) TRAINING // Thurs. 8/10 from 10-noon

St. Joseph in Bryan will host an EIM Training on August 10th from 10 AM - noon.

Please register online at austindiocese.org

PERMANENT PARISHIONER BIBLE STUDY // Sundays after 8 AM Mass

Come to Mass each week better prepared by joining the Permanent Parishioner Bible Study in Rm 207.

We study the readings for the following Sunday. Each lesson is fully self-contained.

For more information, contact Gene Wilhelm at gwilhelm88@gmail.com.

DISCIPLESHIP GIVING



ST. MARY'S
CATHOLIC CENTER
at Texas A&M University

COLLECTION REPORT

SUNDAY COLLECTION, JULY 16: \$8,535.79
POOR BOX COLLECTION, JULY 16: \$181.95

St. Mary's relies on parents of current students, former students, foundations, and friends of Aggie Catholics for over half the money it takes to bring the riches of the Catholic faith to the students of Texas A&M & Blinn. For information on how you can join other benefactors in helping St. Mary's build strong leaders for the Church and society, please contact our Development Department at (979) 846-5717 or visit aggiecatholic.org/donate.

→ Connect 2017! ←

AN AGGIE CATHOLIC NEW STUDENT RETREAT

Know a Freshman or Transfer Student that is coming to TAMU or Blinn? Make sure to have them sign up for one of our Connect Retreats! Students can attend either Aug 21-22 or Aug. 24-25.

This is THE BEST way for incoming students to get connected at St. Mary's!

Learn more and sign up at aggiecatholic.org/connect

Pumpkin Patch Leaders Needed!

The Faith in Action (FIA) Committee of Bryan/College Station Habitat for Humanity, which includes St. Mary's Catholic Center, is having a Pumpkin Patch in Bryan to raise funds for a new home. We are looking for Pumpkin Patch Shift Leaders. The Pumpkin Patch is opened from Sept. 30-Oct. 31 on East 29th St in Bryan. Shift times are Sunday through Friday 12-2, 2-5 and 5-8 PM, and Saturdays 10-2, 12-2, 2-5 and 5-8 PM. If you are interested in this unique volunteer opportunity, contact Clotilde in St. Mary's office (cpichon@aggiecatholic.org or 979-846-5717) for more information and to sign up.

Student Leadership Summit (SLS)

Join FOCUS in Chicago this January, where leaders like you will experience 5 days of inspiring encounters and practical wisdom from world-renowned Catholic speakers. You'll go deeper in your relationship with Christ, gain confidence in your call as a leader, learn practical skills, and receive the real-to-life skills you need to share the Gospel with others. Who? Anyone wanting to be a leader in the new evangelization. Where: McCormick Place - Chicago, Illinois When: January 2 - 6, 2018 Speakers: Bishop Robert Barron, Sr. Bethany Madonna, Fr. Mike Schmitz, Sarah Swafford, Curtis Martin & more! Visit sls18.com before 8/31st, and if you are one of the first 1,000 registrations, you get \$50 off your reg. fee!! Only a \$25 deposit! Contact fallon.scanlan@focus.org with questions.

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT., July 29
 12:30 pm Korean Community Mass
 5:30 pm Ashley Deatherage
 & Corey Palasota Wedding
 7:15 pm Spanish Mass
 SUN., July 30
 8:00 am Vancy Mayes +
 10:00 am Parishoners
 7:15 pm Benefactors
 MON., July 31
 5:30 pm Gene Berger
 TUES., August 1
 5:30 pm Alphonse Kubenka
 WED., August 2
 5:30 pm Clifton Hill
 THURS., August 3
 5:30 pm Bernadine Milton +
 FRI., August 4
 5:30 pm John & Marie Mullen +
 SAT., August 5
 12:30 pm Korean Community Mass
 5:30 pm Caitlin & Joel Stibbe
 7:15 pm... Spanish Mass
 Parishoners
 SUN., August 6
 8:00 am Tom Roberts +
 10:00 am. Bill & Kileen Kuvlesky +
 7:15 pm Benefactors

*We pray for all who are ill,
 including:*

Scott Bailey, Connor Bryant, Taylor Dyson, Elizabeth Champion, Mary Harpster, Robert Flannigan, Jerry Michalec, Ann Fredericksen, Terry Clark, Joanie Torres, Charles Torres, Steve Hazlebeck, Melissa Ruffino, Vicenta Gallegos, Deacon Bill Scott, Clinton Matcek, Rachael Turnage, Pat Gibson, Laura Bond, Bree Garcia, Michael Quick, Maureen Haggerty, Donnie Caruthers, Tianna O'Neal, Patrick Powers, Sr., Nancy Melton-Gish, Scott Harmon, Fernando Garza, Diane Elsasser, Ross Beier, Grace Reinberg, Ray Cotropia, Eddie Ramirez, Maria Rodriguez.

*Can we pray for you or someone you love?
 Email lgulde@aggiecatholic.org to be added to our prayer list.*

Support St. Mary's Long-Term Service Volunteers

The second collection August 5 & 6 will be for St. Mary's long-term service volunteers. Every year Aggie Catholics choose to commit a year or more as full-time volunteer to serve in various Catholic organizations around the world. All are in need of both spiritual and financial support during this challenging and exciting time of their lives. This year we have over 20 former students going for a year as volunteer missionaries, some returning for a 2nd or 3rd year. New Missionaries: Matthew Flanagan, Patrick Glaze, Jordan Gardenhire, Luke Hicks, Samantha Noonan, Connor Evans, Danna Knight, Amy Gonzalez, Natalie Nowland with FOCUS; Mariana Vargas with Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston; Julianne Toates and Johnna Pullig with NET Australia starting January 2018; and Gaby Mata with the Missioners in Honduras, also starting in January 2018. They will greatly appreciate your prayers and financial support in the 8/5-6 collection.

Sunday for the Poor Food Drive

Pope Francis calls us to care for the poor, the marginalized, and all those in need. You can help feeding the hungry in Bryan/College Station by bringing breakfast items to the food drive at St. Mary's on Sunday August 6. Suggested items are cereal (cold and hot), oatmeal, granola bars, jelly and jam, peanut butter, canned fruit and fruit juice. Donations can be dropped in the carts at the entrance of the church. Thanks for showing your care for our neighbors in need.

Serving in the Community

Poor families struggle during the summer. Temperatures are high, causing electric bills to jump. Your contributions to the Poor Box added to others help keeping a roof over the head of many families and their utilities turned on through the St. Vincent de Paul Society. For more information, contact George Caudle at 224-4169 or email at svdpbc.300@suddenlinkmail.com.

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ADVERTISING, RESERVATIONS & IMPORTANT INFO

Bulletin Deadline: If you'd like to advertise in the bulletin or email flocknote, please send your message to lgulde@aggiecatholic.org by 10 AM the Monday prior to the weekend you want your info shared.

Flocknote Deadline: Flocknote (digital newsletter) is sent out on Tuesdays. Please email your announcement by Monday at 8 AM.

Room Reservations: Schedule your meeting space for your group. Visit aggiecatholic.org/rooms.

UPCOMING EIM TRAINING

St. Joseph in Bryan will host a training on Aug. 10 from 10 AM - noon. Register online at austindiocese.org

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Catholic Center Hours: 8 AM - 10 PM, daily
Office Hours: Mon. - Fri. 9 AM - 5:30 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Sat. Vigil: 12:30 PM (Korean)
5:30 PM (English),
7:15 PM (Spanish)

Sun.: 8 AM, 10 AM, 7:15 PM

Daily: Mon. - Fri.: 5:30 PM

RECONCILIATION

Mon. - Sat. 4 -5:10 PM

SACRAMENTS

For information regarding Baptismal Preparation, Confirmation & Marriage please visit aggiecatholic.org/sacraments.