

The word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword. — Hebrews 4: 12a

La palabra de Dios es viva, eficaz y mas penetrante que una espada de dos filos. — Hebreos 4: 12a

Readings For The Week

Monday / Lunes: Rom 1: 1-7; Lk 11: 29-32
Tuesday / Martes: Rom 1: 16-25; Lk 11: 37-41
Wednesday / Miércoles: Rom 2: 1-11; Lk 11: 42-46
Thursday / Jueves: Rom 3: 21-30; Lk 11: 47-54
Friday / Viernes: Rom 4: 1-8; Lk 12: 1-7
Saturday / Sábado: Rom 4: 13, 16-18; Lk 12: 8-12
Sunday / Domingo: Is 53: 10-11; Ps 33; Heb 4: 14-16; Mk 10: 35-45

Regularly Schedule Mass and Events

- **Saturday, 10th**
 5:00-6:00 p.m. Folklorico Dancers Cross Center
 6:00 p.m. —Mass— †Jane & Michael Ryan
- **Sunday, 11th**
 9:00 a.m. —Mass— †Lawrence Borst
 During 9 a.m. Mass **NO** Little Cross Church
NO Sacramental Prep
NO RCIA
 11:00 a.m. —Misa— Maria De Pilar Reyna (B)
 †Brigida Salas
 12:10p.m.-12:40p.m.—Rosario cada domingo
 1:00 p.m. —Misa— Parish Community
 Durante Misa 11:00 a.m. **NO** Little Cross Church
 Durante Misa 1:00 p.m. **NO** Little Cross Church
- **Monday, 12th**
 8:30 a.m. —Mass— Azai Maraghis (SI)
OFFICE CLOSED
BULLETIN DEADLINE
 9:30-11:15 a.m. Food Pantry Office Bldg.
- **Tuesday, 13th**
 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Mother's Time Out Cross Center
 6:00-6:50 p.m. Confessions Church
 7:00 p.m.—Misa
 7:00-8:15 p.m. CCE - Pre-K - Grade 5 Cross Center
 7:30-9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration Church
- **Wednesday, 14th**
 8:30 a.m. — Mass— †Msgr. James J. Madden
 9:00 a.m.—12 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration Church
 7:00-8:15 p.m. CCE - Grades 6-11 Cross Center
- **Thursday, 15th**
 8:30 a.m. —Mass—
 9:30 - 11:15 a.m. Food Pantry Office Bldg.
 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Mother's Time Out Cross Center
 9:30 a.m. Bible Study Cross Center
 7:00 p.m. Oracion y Vida Cross Center
 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. RCIA—Espanol Cross Center
- **Friday, 16th**
 8:30 a.m. —Communion Service Church
 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Folklorico Dancers Cross Center

(A) = Anniversary, (B) = Birthday, (†) = Deceased, (I) = Ill, (S) = Surgery, (SI) = Special Intention

Liturgical Assignments

October 17, 2009

Lector: Jackie Theriot
E.M.: Charlene Trader, Luz González, Connie Hass, Rebecca Ramirez, Gloria Tobin

Altar Servers: Aaron Schwers, Spencer Ardoin

Ushers: Michael Rees

Greeters: Dorothy Moore

October 18, 2009

Lector: Lynn McDonald

E.M.: Frank Espinoza, Frank & Betty Holden, John Heppler

Altar Servers: Maxine Ortner, Matthew González, John Michael Giacona

Ushers: John Heppler, Mike Wiegand, Colette Schweickert, Wilford St. Julian, Tom Ortner, Jason Ashy

Greeters: Mike & Lynn Wiegand

Asignacoinés Litúrgicas

October 18 2009

11:00 a.m.

Lector: Martha Valdez

M. E.: Martha Valdez, Domingo Valdez, Virginia Santillán, Inés Ramírez, Miguel A. Joya

Acólitos: Yashlankar Ramírez, Nancy Ramírez, Mónica Ramírez

Acomodadores: Cirilo Loera, Francisco Aguilar, Elva Sainz, Gloria Meza

Bienvenida: Emma Wood, Guadalupe Echazarreta, Francisco Hernández

1:00 p.m

Movimiento Familiar Cristiano

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Yearly Estimated Budget	\$260,000.00
Estimated YTD- July 01 –June 30	\$ 68,884.05
Weekly Estimated Budget	\$ 5,000.00
Actual Collection For Oct. 03&04	\$ 6,305.03
(Over/Under Budget)	\$
Food Pantry Collection:	\$ 325.24
Repair Fund Collection:	\$ 325.24
Savings:	\$ 325.24
Grand Total Construction Fund	\$ 25,347.91
Construction Fund: Oct. 03 & 04	\$ 163.21
6:00 p.m. Mass	\$ 17.00
9:00 a.m. Mass	\$ 109.00
11:00 a.m. Mass	\$ 34.21
1:00 p.m. Mass	\$ 3.00



THE REMARKABLE SALESMAN

Christopher Columbus was the world's most remarkable salesman. He started out not knowing where he was going. When he arrived, he didn't know where he was. And when he returned, he didn't know where he had been. And he did it all on a big cash advance and he received a repeat order. —Anonymous

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS "BAZAAR 2009"
TODAY IS THE BIG DAY — 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.
 Come out and enjoy the festivities

SAN JUAN DE LA CRUZ "BAZAR 2009"
Hoy es el Gran dia venga a la Diversion Hoy 11 de
Octubre de 11 a.m.—6:00 p.m.

Youth Ministry Ministerio de Jóvenes

Sunday, October 11, 2009
 Church Bazaar — Youth helping with parking

YOUTH GARAGE SALE: Saturday, October 31, 2009
 from 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. Donations will be accepted from
 Monday, October 12th thru Saturday, October 31. Please **NO**
CLOTHES OR SHOES.

VENTA DE GARAJE DE JÓVENES: Sábado 31 de Octu-
 bre de 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Donaciones se aceptaran comenzando
 el lunes, 12 de Octubre a el sábado, Octubre 31. Por favor
NO ROPA O ZAPATOS.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 17, 2009 FROM 9:00
a.m. TO ????? All women are invited to come help give
 the church a Fall makeover. We are going to clean it from top
 to bottom. Need more information give Debbie Davis a call at
 281-399-9008.

CALLING ALL ALTAR SERVERS (ENGLISH AND
SPANISH): There will be a meeting on Saturday October
 24, 2009 @ 10:00 a.m. Some changes have occurred so come
 learn what they are. If you are interested in becoming an Altar
 Server please come to this meeting; you must have received
 your First Holy Communion. For additional information please
 call Debbie Davis @ 281-399-9008.

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS FOOD PANTRY is in great
 need of food. Please bring your food donations to Mass on
 Saturday or Sunday. Thank you.

LA DESPENSA DE COMIDA DE SAN JUAN DE LA
CRUZ tienen una gran necesidad de comida. Por favor traiga
 sus donaciones de comida a Misa los domingos. Gracias.

FOOD PANTRY REPORT

197 people were helped this past week.
 197 persona se le ayudo la semana pasada.
 \$1,497.20 worth in groceries given out

Food Pantry



Pennies for Playground Collection:
 Grand Total: \$1,331.00



A VOCATION MUST BE NURTURED for a lifetime, not
 just until ordination or the taking of vows. You can help
 nurture the vocations of priests, sisters and brothers by
 praying, listening, and expressing appreciation. A life of
 service needs support from those served.

—Serra for priestly and religious vocations

Ill of the Parish Enfermos de la Parroquia

Fred Ullrich, Blake Bloodworth, Holly Gear, Cynthia Ander-
 son, Evelyn Woelfel, Bill Frederick, Lee & Jenny Pomilla,
 Linda Brown, Judy Hudeck, Sadie Harrell, Mary H. Connors,
 Sharon McNabb, Ruth McFall, Wilma Stark, Clyde Doerr,
 Jimmy McGee, Mike Parks, Don Chadwell, Joy Hanson, Bill
 Walton, Catalina Muñiz, Janette Ognoskie, Pat Polansky,
 Lynn Smith, Helen Morgan, Joan M. Reese.

*Please notify the office if the status of your loved one has changed. Thank you
 for your cooperation.*

A FULLER LIFE IN THE SPIRIT: Our parish retreat will
 begin in two weeks, Monday October 26th, at 7:30 p.m. In the
 world around us there is constant change; events and situations
 occur that often leave us upset and confused. But God never
 changes, and over the next few weeks He is inviting us to take
 "time out" to discover him anew through prayer and daily
 scripture reading. We encourage you to take home the bulletin
 insert, read it carefully and prayerfully consider making the
 commitment to take part in our parish retreat. Remember that
 God can not be outdone in generosity. What ever you give He
 will return a hundred fold. Several parishioners will be at the
 back of the church after mass to take registration and answer
 any questions you may have.

EL MOVIMIENTO DE CURSILLO DE CRISTIANDAD

es un Movimiento de Iglesia, encuadrado en la Pastoral de
 Apostolado seglar de cada Diócesis o Arquidiócesis. El cual
 hace una invitación a cada uno de nosotros a un mejor conoci-
 miento de ti mismo, de te familia de tus amigas y del mundo
 que te rodea. Andres y Virginia Garcia @ 713-741-1263 o
 713-545-7586.

- Cursillo para Hombres Octubre 15 al 18.
- Taller Cursillo de Cursillos 23 y 24 de Octubre.
- Cursillo Mujeres Diciembre 3 al 6
- Ultreya-continuamente los viernes 7-9p.m. Todos estan Invitados.

*Sé que mi amor por ti se agranda en este, encuentro espero
 que desde ahora seas tú el que se encuentre conmigo. De
 Colores Con Cristo todo sin, Cristo nada.*

SPEAKING OF GOD

Almost everything said of God is unworthy, for the very
 reason that it is capable of being said. —St. Gregory the Great

HABLAMOS DE DIOS

Casi todo lo que se dice de Dios carece de merito por la
 sencilla razon de que se puede decir. —San Gregorio Magno