

MASS DEDICATIONS

JAN. 14
5:00pm.....In Memory of Gerlinda Myer

JAN. 15
8:30am.....For Consuelo Stauring
10:00am.....For Emmaus Parish
10:30am.....In Memory of Jeanne Marie Balderree
12:15pm.....In Memory of Benito Rivera
5:00pm.....In Memory of Sr. Mary Lou Barba

JAN. 16
8:30am.....For Richard Maslowski

JAN. 17
8:30am.....In Memory of Larry York

JAN. 18
5:30pm.....For Josef Schiavolin

JAN. 19
8:30am.....In Memory of Kenneth Cascio
9:30am.....For Dorothy Habba

JAN. 20
8:30am.....In Memory of Jan Lindner

To request a special mass intention for Emmaus Catholic Parish or Queen of Angels Chapel, contact the parish office, (512) 261-8500.

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Stewardship Report

January 8, 2017 \$71,128
Fiscal YTD Offertory \$1,115,406
Fiscal YTD Offertory [July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016]..... \$2,109,362



2016-17 FYTD SEED Gift Card Program: \$18,153 profit

PLC Loan Balance:..... \$1,216,288

Church Loan Balance:..... \$4,061,667

Mortgage payments (principal/interest) on above loans: \$44,309/month

Second Collections at Emmaus

First Sunday of the Month: Benevolence
Fourth Sunday of the month: Parish Life Center

Next Special Collection:

Catholic Higher Education, Feb. 12, 2017
World & Home Mission, Ash Wednesday, Mar. 1

Did you know that you can make your regular offertory donation, Growing to Serve Capital Campaign, Benevolence and special collections donations using your smart phone? Just use any QR Code reader to scan this code and complete your donation.



WEEKLY REFLECTION



January 15, 2017 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb...” Isaiah 49:5
You have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. Guess what, each of us has been given a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and generously share them with others.

Emmaus 2017 Gala in the Galaxy!

- Tickets are on sale now for Emmaus' Annual Gala: **Gala in the Galaxy**, February 11, 2017.
- Sponsorships and Reserve Tables available.
- OnLine Auction begins on January 30, 2017 – all are invited to participate in the online auction!
- Silent Auction and LIVE Auction at the Gala
- Cocktails, Dinner, Dancing, Casino and more surprises on February 11!
- Attire: Church Clothes, Marvelously Formal or Dress to the Theme as the Force moves you
- Reserve tables for Eight: \$800, Individual tickets: \$75
- Fund-A-Need Announced at the Gala

An evening of fabulous fellowship and fun that benefits Emmaus and Queen of Angels Chapel.

We hope you can be there!

To purchase tickets or a sponsorship, begin at www.EmmausParish.org/Gala or stop by the Parish Office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

All items on the calendar are scheduled at Emmaus Catholic Parish with the exception of those marked as Queen of Angels. PLEASE NOTE: Changes may have occur! Please refer to the Parish Website for the most current calendar listings.

SUNDAY, January 15 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45 AM	RCIA Dismissal	Café
9:00 AM	Elementary Faith Formation	PLC
9:15 AM	Walking with Purpose	Lounge
1:20 PM	Baptism: Nolan Amin Mery	Church
3:30 PM	Journey Middle School Faith Formation	PLC
6:00 PM	Outcry High School Faith Formation	PLC

MONDAY, January 16 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Observed

8:00 AM	Jazzercise Early Session	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
10:00 AM	Bright Horizons	PLC
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
4:00 PM	Elementary Faith Formation	PLC
5:15 PM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
6:30 PM	Just Faith	Pastoral A1 - Library
6:30 PM	Boy Scouts	Great Hall & Café
6:45 PM	Boy Scouts God & Life Class	Rm. 206

TUESDAY, January 17 – St. Anthony, abbot

8:15 AM	Jazzercise Strength Training	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
9:30 AM	1st Corinthians	Multi B&C
10:00 AM	QOA Bookclub	Queen of Angels
12:00 PM	Al-Anon	Pastoral B1,B3,B4
5:15 PM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
6:00 PM	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting	Queen of Angels
6:30 PM	Wedding Coordinator Meeting	Multi B/C
7:00 PM	Consoling the Heart of Jesus	Lounge
7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus General Meeting	Rm. 203
7:00 PM	Mobile Loaves & Fishes Training	Rm. 204
7:00 PM	Introduccion a la Biblia	Rm. 205
7:00 PM	Crecimiento I	Great Hall
7:30 PM	Legion of Mary	Rm. 206

WEDNESDAY, January 18

8:00 AM	Jazzercise Early Session	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
9:30 AM	The Bible and the Virgin Mary	Multi B/C
9:30 AM	Emmaus & QOA Staff Meeting	Queen of Angels
1:00 PM	Parish Nursing Ministry Meeting	Café
3:30 PM	Elementary Faith Formation	PLC
3:45 PM	Walking with Purpose	Multi B/C
5:00 PM	Liturgy of the Hours Evening Prayer	Church
5:30 PM	Finance Council	Pastoral A1-Library
6:30 PM	Journey Middle School Faith Formation	PLC
7:00 PM	Narcotics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
7:00 PM	RCIA Class	Narthex
7:00 PM	English as a Second Language	Rm. 202-206
7:30 PM	Ministerio de Alabanza	Rm. 201

THURSDAY, January 19

8:00 AM	Men's Scripture Study	QOA Chapel
8:15 AM	Jazzercise Strength Training	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
9:30 AM	Pivotal Players	Multi B/C
10:00 AM	Game Day	QOA Chapel
10:15 AM	Overeaters Anonymous	Rm 205
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
12:00 PM	Homebound Eucharistic Ministes' Lunch	Great Hall
5:15 PM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
7:00 PM	CRHP Women's Team 29 Meeting	Pastoral B1
7:00 PM	EPIC: History of the Church II	Rm. 205
7:00 PM	Financial Peace University	Rm. 204
7:00 PM	Grupo De Oracion (Spanish Prayer Group)	Café & Youth Space

FRIDAY, January 20 – St. Fabian, St. Sebastian

5:45 AM	Men of Emmaus	Great Hall
8:00 AM	Jazzercise Early Friday	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
6:30 PM	Knights of Columbus Bingo	Great Hall

SATURDAY, January 21 – St. Agnes

8:00 AM	Retiro Nueva Vida	Great Hall
8:30 AM	Jazzercise	Café & Youth Space
10:00 AM	Memorial Mass for Sr. Mary Lou Barba, MCDP	Church
11:00 AM	Memorial Mass Reception	Great Hall
2:00 PM	Quinceanera Mass	Church

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHEDULE



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St. Joseph of Arimathea Council #14025

Tuesday, Jan. 17: Rosary 7:00 PM, General Meeting
7:30 PM in Rm. 203

Friday, Jan. 20: Bingo Night in Great Hall, 6:30 PM

Saturday, Jan. 28: Texas Pro-Life Rally – State Capitol

PRAYER REQUESTS



Jenny & John Capps, Mitchell J. Mikula, Stephanie Salvo, Karen Ikonomopoulos, Lloyd Patrick Family, Hunter Moore, Zubeda Shaista, The Bishop Jackson Family, Nastia Ostreinova, Mitchell Jeter, Megan Matthyssen, Betty Gregoire, Rose Pruitt, Theodore Gustave Pearson

HAPPENINGS AT EMMAUS



FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY: It is coming back to Emmaus on January 19, 2017 for 9 Weeks on Thursday nights, 7:00-8:30 PM in the PLC, Rm. 204. For more information or to register go to: <https://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/classes/1032858>. Or contact Mary Voll Miller at 512-925-4698 or maryvollmiller@gmail.com. The first lesson is free on January 19, 2017 at 7:00 PM!

Bring the kids, bring the grandparents, bring your friends! It's time for **FAMILY BINGO NIGHT** at Emmaus, hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Join us Friday, Jan. 20, for Bingo, food, fun, and prizes. Doors open at 6:30 PM. Details on the website, emmausparish.org/bingo.



Memorial Mass For Sr. Mary Lou Barba, MCDP is Saturday, 10:00 AM, at Emmaus on January 21, 2017

The Mass will be followed by a reception in the Great Hall. Contributions of food for the reception are most appreciated. Please bring these to the Great Hall before Mass. In lieu of flowers people can send donations to: Missionary Catechists of Divine Providence, Sister's Retirement Fund, 2318 Castrovilla Rd., San Antonio, TX 78237.

Tax receipts will be available after all Masses on 1/21-1/22 and 1/28-1/29. Please stop by the narthex to pick yours up to save the church on postage. Those not picked up will be mailed the week of 1/30. Thank you for your generosity!

Need to reconnect with yourself and God? Want to meet Catholics like yourself? Searching for your spirituality? Men of the parish are invited to join us for a CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH weekend of spiritual renewal, fellowship, and fun. This retreat will be held February 18 & 19, 2017 at Emmaus, and is perfect for men who are looking for time to relax, pray, and rethink priorities. Let the Spirit move you! Register online at www.EmmausParish.org/CRHP.

Training for the Mobile Loaves & Fishes Ministry will be on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 2017 at 7:00 PM in Rm. 204 of the PLC. This ministry brings food, waters and supplies so the homeless in downtown Austin. All are welcome to this training and to learn more about this ministry.

Emmaus Parish and our Respect Life Committee invite you to the annual Texas Pro-Life Rally on Saturday, Jan. 28, 2017. The Parish arranged with the Diocese office to reserve a bus, for the ease and convenience of our Parishioners. Departure from the Parish parking lot will be at 8:00 am promptly and drive to St. Vincent de Paul Church for Chaplets of Divine Mercy and the Diocesan Mass with Bishop Joe Vasquez. A hot lunch will be served in the St. Vincent de Paul Parish Hall. Bus then departs for the Pro-Life March and Rally at the State Capitol. Return to Emmaus is scheduled for approx. 3:30 pm. Cost is \$15.00 per person, which includes the bus and a hot lunch and is limited to 32 people (Bus only is \$10.00 p/p). The Diocese is arranging for online reservations and ticket purchase.

See for more information. This is an encouraged and excellent opportunity for our Parish to join in unison with the Diocese of Austin in these Pro-Life activities. For additional information, contact: Lee Malkowski at ljm8459@gmail.com



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Grounded in Faith and Growing to Serve Capital Campaign

As of December 20, 2106:

- 169 # pledges (7% of the parish)
- \$ 712,511 total pledged (19% of goal)
- \$ 272,193 matching gifts received
- \$ 50,000 QOA Fund-a-Need received
- \$1,034,704 total funds committed
- \$ 644,397 total funds in hand**

Who benefits from this capital campaign? We have run out of space now to support our *growing adult community* and their needs for faith formation, counseling, reflection and other services. Our room scheduling is simply overbooked. We cannot readily grow our parish's spiritual, social and service offerings beyond what we have now because of space.

YOU ARE READING THIS AND SO ARE OTHERS! PLEASE ADVERTISE HERE AND SUPPORT YOUR PARISH ALSO! CONTACT THOMAS MINER AT 512-452-3413 IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ADVERTISING IN THIS BULLETIN. THANK YOU!

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EN ESPAÑOL

Para noticias en español, por favor recoja un boletín de *La Voz de Emaús* noticias disponible en los revisteros al lado de la sacristía en la iglesia.

15 de enero de 2017 - 2º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Y ahora ha hablado el Señor, que me formó como su sirviente desde el seno materno..." Isaías 49:5

Tú tienes que hacer lo que Dios te está llamando a hacer y yo tengo que hacer lo que Dios me está llamando a hacer a mí. ¿Adivina qué?, ¡para cada uno hay un plan diferente! Por lo tanto, deja de compararte con los demás. No dejes que la envidia y los celos entren en tu vida. Sé agradecido por los dones que Dios te ha dado y compártelos generosamente con otros.

LAS PREGUNTAS MÁS FRECUENTES DE LA PARROQUIA DE EMAÚS

¿INTERESADO EN SER CATÓLICO? Para los adultos interesados en aprender más acerca de convertirse Católico a través de RICA, visite el sitio web de la parroquia o llame a la oficina parroquial.

¿NUEVO A LA PARROQUIA? Escriba a newcomer@emmausparish.org o llame a la oficina parroquial para registrarse para asistir a un evento de Bienvenida y Registro.

PREPARACIÓN PARA LOS SACRAMENTOS: Para obtener más información acerca de la preparación sacramental para el Bautismo, la Reconciliación, la Eucaristía (Comunión), la Confirmación, o Matrimonio, visite el sitio web de la parroquia o llame a la oficina parroquial.

ROSARIO (en inglés) se reza a las 9 AM, de lunes a viernes en Emaús, a las 4:20 PM los sábados en Emaús, y a las 9:15 AM los domingos la capilla Reina de los Ángeles.

LA ADORACION CHAPEL esta disponible a la 24 horas. Para anotarse para las horas disponibles visite emmausparish.org/adoration.

OFICINA PARROQUIAL: (512) 261-8500; Lunes-Viernes, 9 AM-4 PM; Domingo, 8 AM a 12 del mediodía

GUARDERÍA (CUIDADO DE NIÑOS): La Guardería está disponible en Emaús para las Misas de Domingo 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM y 24:15. La guardería puede estar disponible para otros eventos particulares si esta anunciado, y un número mínimo de niños están registrados. Para estos tipos de eventos particulares, usted debe solicitar específicamente el cuidado de su niño(s) llamando a la oficina de la parroquia al menos 72 horas de anticipación.

FECHA TOPE PARA BOLETÍN: viernes, a las 12 del mediodía, escriba a communications@emmausparish.org.

ANUNCIOS: jueves, a las 12 del mediodía, escriba a communications@emmausparish.org.

OBJETOS PERDIDOS (Lost & Found) en Emaús se encuentran en la cornisa en el lado izquierdo del nártex (cerca de la mesa donde se venden las tarjetas de regalos). Los objetos de valor se llevan a la oficina parroquial.

DISPOSITIVOS DE AYUDA AUDITIVA están disponibles para su uso durante la misa. Coja uno en la sacristía.

FLORES PARA EL ALTAR/DEDICACIONES EN LA MISA: Para pedir flores para el altar o para dedicar Misas en Emaús o la capilla Reina de los Ángeles, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial.

OPORTUNIDADES DE AYUDA: Si conoces a alguien que está batallando y necesita nuestro apoyo, o le gustaría recibir la Santa Comunión en su casa, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial. Una lista completa de recursos sociales está disponible en el sitio web.

EL MINISTERIO RESPETO A LA VIDA de Emaús está comprometido a la preservación de la vida humana y el espíritu humano a través de la educación sobre temas y programas de Respeto a la Vida. Como parte de Respeto a la Vida, el Proyecto Gabriel asiste con embarazos en crisis, y el Proyecto Rachel ofrece esperanza y sanación después del aborto. Más información está disponible en la página web o comunicándose con la oficina de la iglesia.

PARA HABLAR CON UN SACERDOTE, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial. **PARA SOLICITAR LA EUCARISTÍA** para una hospitalaria o para personas que se encuentran confinadas en su casa, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial. Le pedimos que espere 48 horas para que se hagan los arreglos.

NOTICIAS DE ÚLTIMA HORA EN ESPAÑOL DE EMAÚS ¿Sabía usted que puede ver la página web de Emaús en español? Visite emmausparish.org. En la parte inferior de cada página hay un enlace para ver la página en español.

¿EMBARAZADA? ¿Necesitas ayuda? Proyecto Gabriel: 1-877-932-2732

SOCIAL OUTREACH

Prepare for Citizenship Test: Citizenship Classes, beginning January 2017. They are free! Lake Travis Community Library at 1938 Lohmans Crossing, Lakeway, TX 78734. Must call Karen Ballinger at 512.809.5800 by January 15 to reserve a spot.

¡Prepárese para su Ciudadanía! ¡Gratis! Clases de Ciudadanía, empiezan a partir de enero de 2017. En la Biblioteca Comunitaria de Lake Travis a 1938 Lohmans Crossing, Lakeway, TX 78734. Es necesario hablar a Karen Ballinger al 512.809.5800 para el 15 de enero para reservar un lugar.

EMMAUS THANKS YOU



Helping Hand of Spicewood Crisis Ministry

One hundred forty-two clients came to the Helping hand of Spicewood Crisis Ministry requesting food assistance for their 410 family members. Five of these clients were first-time visitors.

Forty-nine families received financial assistance totaling \$7,266. Housing assistance totaled \$4,818, transportation and communication assistance totaled \$1,706, and dental / medical assistance totaled \$742. The cost for food and personal hygiene products was \$1,355. Because of extensive Vista House renovation work, ministry operating expenses were abnormally high at \$3,663. Expenditures totaled \$14,784, which included \$2,500 for holiday gift cards. Donations totaled \$27,217.

At month's end, the Vista House was occupied by a single mom with 3 kids who would otherwise be homeless. May God continue to bless this ministry and all who make it possible.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? For adults interested in learning more about becoming Catholic through RCIA, visit the parish website or call the parish office.

NEW TO THE PARISH? Email newcomer@emmausparish.org or call the parish office to register to attend a Welcome & Registration Event. Next Welcome Event is Sunday, Jan. 8, 2017, at 9:45am in Great Hall.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION - To learn more about Sacramental preparation for Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, Confirmation, or Marriage, visit the parish website or call the parish office.

THE ROSARY is prayed at 9:00 AM, Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at Emmaus, 8:30 AM on Wednesdays at Emmaus, 4:20 PM on Saturdays at Emmaus, and at 9:15 AM on Sundays at Queen of Angels.

THE ADORATION CHAPEL IS OPEN 24 HOURS / 7 DAYS A WEEK. YOU MAY VISIT AT ANY TIME. THE BLESSED SACRAMENT IS EXPOSED FROM 5 AM TO 10 PM. TO SIGN UP FOR AVAILABLE HOURS, VISIT emmausparish.org/adoration. NEW ADORERS ARE MOST WELCOME.

PARISH OFFICE: (512) 261-8500; Monday-Friday, 9 AM-4 PM; Sunday, 8 AM-12 noon

NURSERY: The Nursery is available at Emmaus for the Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, and 12:15 PM Masses, except on holiday weekends. The nursery may be available for other designated parish events if advertised and a minimum number of children are registered. For such designated events, you must specifically request childcare by calling the parish office at least 72 hours in advance.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES are available for your use during mass. Pick one up in the sacristy.

ALTAR FLOWERS/MASS DEDICATIONS: To order altar flowers or to dedicate Masses at Emmaus or Queen of Angels, please call the parish office. To request more than one Mass Intention, please stop by the office in person.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Fridays (10 days in advance), 12 noon, communications@emmausparish.org

MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS: Thursdays, 12 noon, communications@emmausparish.org

LOST AND FOUND at Emmaus is located on the ledge at the left hand side of the narthex (near the SEED table). Any valuable items are taken to the parish office.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES: If you know someone who is struggling and could use our support, or would like to receive Holy Communion in their home, please call the parish office. A complete listing of Social Outreach offerings is available on the website.

EMMAUS' RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY is committed to the preservation of human life and the human spirit through education on Respect Life issues and programs. As part of Respect Life, the Gabriel Project assists with Crisis Pregnancies, and Project Rachel provides hope and healing after abortion. Further information is available on the website or by contacting the parish office.

TO MEET WITH A PRIEST, to request Anointing or a visit for an ill loved one, or to arrange a blessing of a pregnancy or your home, please call the parish office.

TO REQUEST EUCHARIST for the facility- or homebound, please call the parish office. We ask that you allow 48 hours for arrangements to be made.

HEALTHCARE VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATES CLINIC: (512) 263-0265

LADIES OF CHARITY: (512) 791-5750

LAKE TRAVIS CRISIS MINISTRIES: (512) 266-9810

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: (512) 576-1744

PREGNANT? Need Help? Gabriel Project: 1-877-932-2732

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Weekend: "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him." Encourage the Holy Spirit to enrich your marriage by taking part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on February 10-12, 2017. For more dates, information & to apply go to "<http://www.austinme.org/Apply>" > www.austinme.org/Apply or contact wwmeaustin@gmail.com or call (512) 677-WWME (9963).



Celebrating Catholic Schools with His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York! All are invited to attend the dinner and awards ceremony for the Austin Diocese Catholic Schools on January 28, 2017. Proceeds from this event are returned to schools for tuition assistance. To purchase tickets or donate, please visit www.csdatx.org or call (512) 949-2439.

St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School:

Parent Information Sessions: Jan. 25 (6:30 – 8:00 pm) † Feb. 03 (8:30 – 10:00 am) Now accepting online applications for school year 2017 – 2018. Applications may be found at www.saviochs.org/admission/howtoapply.cfm. All applications are due February 10th. Please



join us for one of these visiting opportunities to learn about our school, enjoy a student led tour of our beautiful campus and hear about our admission process. Did you know that Savio offers bus transportation at locations in south, central and north Austin? To find out more of these interesting facts join us for an information session. Reserve a spot as space is limited by visiting our website: saviochs.org > Admissions > Visit St. Dominic Savio or by contacting Holly Bologna, Director of Admission, at 512-388-8846 ext. 5504.

Be Still and Know That I Am God. Ps 46:11. Our lives are full of things to do: work and family and our "to do" lists just continue to expand and take up all our time. How can we find time in our everyday lives to just "BE?" Come away and spend a day in the lap of God as we explore Psalm 46. Presenter: Cindy Isaacson & Sue Fowler. Retreat leaders at both parish and diocesan level. February 7, 9:30AM – 2:30PM. \$35 per person and a light breakfast and lunch is included. To register visit www.ewrc.org. Preregistration required.

Join fellow Catholic women at the quarterly meeting of the Austin North, Central & South Deaneries Council of Catholic Women on Saturday, January 21, 2017 at Holy Cross Church, 1610 East 11th Street, Austin. Mass will be celebrated at 9 AM, followed by a business meeting with officer elections and voting on standard operating procedures, and complementary brunch. Diocesan CCW President Dianne Friend is an invited guest. The program, Women at the Well, is a series of reflective vignettes performed by the ladies of Holy Cross Church. Contact Karen Dunlap, president, at 512-836-0530 or kdunlap78@hotmail.com with questions.