

MASS DEDICATIONS

JULY 23
 5:00pm..... In memory of Jim Bryant
JULY 24
 8:30am..... For Dominga Gauna
 10:00am.....In memory of Carmen Armendariz
 10:30am..... For Emmaus Catholic Parish
 12:15pm..... In memory of Miguel Angel Muñoz
 5:00pm.....In memory of Msgr. Mark Deering
JULY 25
 8:30amIn memory of Andrew Miesch
JULY 26
 8:30am.....In memory of Mark Tredennick
JULY 27
 5:30pm.....For Luisa Medrano
JULY 28
 8:30am.....In memory of Annie Sierra
 9:30am..... In memory of Ronald E. Lary
JULY 29
 8:30am..... For the Aviles Children

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

July 17, 2016	\$34,084
Fiscal YTD Offertory	\$100,629
Fiscal YTD Offertory [July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016]	\$2,109,362
PLC Loan Balance:.....	\$1,242,749
Church Loan Balance:.....	\$4,041,671



Mortgage payments (principal/interest) on above loans: \$46,708/month

Second Collections at Emmaus

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

Buy SEED Program Gift Cards and Help Emmaus

Support Emmaus Every Day by purchasing SEED (gift) cards from Emmaus and using them just like cash when you shop. Purchase cards for groceries, gasoline, dining, gifting. You receive the full value, and Emmaus gets an added percentage from the retailer. That amount adds up for our parish and helps us pay parish expenses without any extra expense on your part. Available for a long list of retailers and in various denominations, SEED cards are sold at the parish office Monday through Friday and in the narthex before and after weekend masses at Emmaus and Queen of Angels. For more information, visit emmausparish.org/seed.

2016-17 FYTD SEED Gift Card Program: \$1,501
 2015-16 FYTD SEED Gift Card Program: \$31,445

Amazon Smile Program

Do you shop online at Amazon.com? If you'll use the link on our website, Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase to Emmaus Catholic Parish. Visit emmausparish.org/amazon-smile for details, and bookmark the link for your future purchases.

Randalls Good Neighbor Program

Randalls offers customers a way to support their favorite church, school, or other non-profit organization. Through the Good Neighbor Program, Randalls shoppers can link an organization's account number to their Remarkable card, and that organization will receive a percentage of

sales made. The more people who link their card to the organization's account number, the more money the organization will raise. Emmaus Catholic Parish's account number is 9-2-8-1. Please visit your local Randalls and request that your card be linked to our number.

iDonate Noncash Giving

Your noncash items could represent thousands of dollars to our church - plus a garage you can park in, cleaned out drawers, and no more monthly storage unit fees! The iDonate online giving system allows our church to process and liquidate many kinds of quality noncash donation, including electronics, vehicles, stocks, and gift cards! Visit emmausparish.org/idonate for a list of items and further details.

Planned Giving

Discover ways to use your resources to make a lasting impression on those you love and the causes you believe in. For information about how to include Emmaus Catholic Parish in your will or estate plan, please call the parish office.

eGiving = Secure Automatic Giving

eGiving provides an opportunity to simplify your stewardship donations through secure automatic giving. Choose the amount and the frequency of your donations. You may enroll online or download a form from the parish website, or contact the parish office for assistance.

Scan to Give

Did you know that you can make your regular offertory donation using your smart phone? Just use any QR Code reader to scan this code and complete your donation.



WEEKLY REFLECTION



July 24, 2016
The 17th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." Luke 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask Him, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that in our culture we often confuse what we really need with what we simply want. Many people need very little. However, we usually want so much more. A good steward only asks God for what he needs.

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 occurred in the schedule between print deadlines and the bulletin distribution. Please refer to the Parish Website for the most current calendar listings.

SUNDAY, July 24

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM RCIA Adapted for Children Lounge

MONDAY, July 25

St. James, apostle

9:00 AM Vacation Bible School PLC
 12:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Pastoral B1
 6:30 PM Boy Scouts Great Hall
 7:00 PM Danza Practice Parking Lots
 7:00 PM CRHP Men's Team Pastoral B1
 7:00 PM Grupo de Oracion Planeacion Rm 204

TUESDAY, July 26

St. Joachim and St. Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM Vacation Bible School PLC
 12:00 PM AI-Anon Pastoral B1, B3, B4
 6:00 PM Introduction to the Old Testament Rm 205
 6:00 PM Volunteer Legal Services Clinic Rms 202 & 204
 7:00 PM CRHP Women's Team #28 Pastoral B1
 7:30 PM Legion of Mary Rm 206

WEDNESDAY, July 27

9:00 AM Vacation Bible School PLC
 7:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous Pastoral B1
 7:00 PM Summer Adult Confirmation Program Multi B & C

THURSDAY, July 28

8:00 AM Men's Scripture Study Q of A Chapel
 9:00 AM Vacation Bible School PLC
 10:00 AM Game Day Q of A Chapel
 10:15 AM Overeaters Anonymous Rm 205
 12:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Pastoral B1
 7:30 PM Grupo de Oracion Café & Youth Space

FRIDAY, July 29

St. Martha

5:45 AM Men of Emmaus Great Hall
 9:00 AM Vacation Bible School PLC
 12:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Pastoral B1

SATURDAY, July 30

St. Peter Chrysologus

8:30 AM Jazzercise Café & Youth Space

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.

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 a day. To sign up for available hours, visit emmausparish.org/adoration.

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. 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.

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.

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.

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.

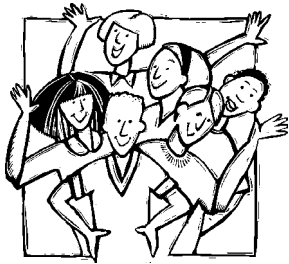
HEALTHCARE VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATES CLINIC: (512) 263-0265

LADIES OF CHARITY: (512) 791-5750

LAKE TRAVIS CRISIS MINISTRIES: (512) 266-9810

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

UPCOMING AT EMMAUS



Journey middle school students are invited to join us for **WHAT'S UP WEDNESDAYS!** We'll meet in the PLC Youth Space on **Aug. 3** and **Aug. 10**, 1-3 PM for service projects, games, and socializing. *Join Journey on The City.*



On Thursday, **Aug. 4**, we will be holding **FACILITY TRAINING SESSIONS** for the Parish Life Center, 6:30-7 PM in Multi B&C, and for the Kitchen, 7-8 PM in the PLC Kitchen. If you are a ministry leader and plan to use or schedule these facilities, you need to attend this training. For information, please contact Jane Heckler at the parish office.



Losing someone you love is excruciating for it leaves heartache. The truth is you come face-to-face with your powerlessness. So instead of just encountering the difficulties and contradictions, bend them with gentleness and embrace the love which leaves a lasting, treasure-filled memory. You are not alone. Join us for **THE HEALING JOURNEY OF GRIEF**, Saturday, **Aug. 6**, 10:30 AM-2:30

PM in the Emmaus PLC. For information, contact Pat Thompson at the parish office.



Registration for the **2016-2017 FAITH FORMATION** school year will take place after all masses on the weekend of **Aug. 20-21**. Please stop by the narthex after masses that weekend to register. (No online registration will be available.) For more information, visit

emmausparish.org/faith-formation-registration or call Sr. Mary Lou Barba at the parish office. Be sure to ask Sr. Mary Lou about sharing your gifts with the students as a catechist or helper! *Join Elementary Family Formation, Journey, or Outcry on The City.*



This fall, the **EMMAUS DINNER CLUB** will be celebrating 18 years of fellowship, fun, and great food! New Dinner Club groups will be forming in August, so please think about joining in the next couple of weeks. Groups of four couples meet four times in the year, with each couple hosting one dinner and providing the entree. Every couple brings sides to share. It is always fun and a great way to get to know your fellow parishioners. For details, call Joan Wood, (512) 402-1273, or Karen Knaus, (512) 261-8401. *Join Emmaus Dinner Club on The City.*

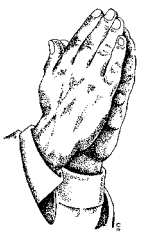


On Aug. 1, 2016, the Diocese of Austin will begin using a **NEW EIM EDUCATION PROGRAM** which will replace our current Basic/Refresher workshop format. The new program is a significant update of current training programs and we believe it is important for all persons that are required to be EIM compliant to participate in this program and receive this updated information. Consequently, all clergy, religious, seminarians and employees, and all volunteers serving in ministry to minors or the vulnerable, will attend this new program when they are next due for a workshop. Additionally, anyone new to the Diocese of Austin wishing to serve in ministry here must attend this new EIM workshop in order to be compliant with diocesan EIM policies. Verification of safe environment training from a previous diocese no longer serves as training in the Diocese of Austin. An EIM Workshop in English will take place Wednesday, **Sept. 14**, 6:30 PM in the Emmaus PLC. Please visit emmausparish.org/eim for details and the registration link. There is no fee for the workshop, and the nursery will be available if you have called the parish office and made a reservation for childcare at least 72 hours in advance.

WELCOMING OUR NEWEST PARISHIONERS

- Bernard and Denise Ammerman (Ava and Thomas)
- John and Renea Bergan
- Umesh Bhandari and Holly Kinget
- Ernesto Brocher and Nora Solermo
- Mike and Paula Collins (Lexie)
- Annik Corriveau (Amelia)
- John and Kimberly Fortino (Kaylee, Alexa, Elena and Vivienne)
- Francisco Gallardo and Anadeli Hernandez (Xitlali, Edwin and Aron)
- Scott and Jill Gately (Lili, Rylie and Cooper)
- Tim and Sherry Ginter (Timothy, Jr., Leya and Nik)
- Juan Hernandez and Rosa Andrade (Ricardo and Dulce)
- Christopher and Mary LaRosa (Chloe)
- Angel Martinez and Lisa Garza
- James and Kathryn McCurley (James and Julia)
- Alastair and Cynthia Ojeda (Natalia and Valentina)
- Johann and Sveta Pais (Maya and Nina)
- Javier Padron and Cruz Sanchez (Samuel and David)
- Nancy Pawelek
- John and Laura Paxton (Caroline)
- Elizabeth Rodgers
- Mark and Ann Sheedy
- Gina Vetro (Kitana)

PRAYER REQUESTS



Eliazar Valdez, Pat Bassford, Susan Birrel, Jenny & John Capps, Julian Fernandes, Alroyd Fernandes, Shaista Family, The Cudzilo Family, Dina Orona, Celia Correa, Deanna Parsons, Cliff Richard, Jovita Moreno, Janet Schlein, Elmer Schlein, Margie Montez, Priscilla Boisvert, Elizabeth Garcia, The Patrick Family, Consuelo Moreno, Filiberto Ramirez, Terry Frazee, Lisa H. Youngblook, Wanda Tracy, Bruna Rodrigues, Andrew McAlister, Dominga Gauna, The Nanjera Family

EN ESPAÑOL

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

24 de julio de 2016

17 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

“Pidan y recibirán; Busquen y encontrarán; llamen y se les abrirá la puerta.” Lucas 11: 9

Jesús nos asegura que si le pedimos, Dios se encargará de lo que necesitamos. El problema es que en nuestra cultura a menudo confundimos lo que realmente necesitamos con lo que simplemente queremos. Muchas personas necesitan muy poco. Sin embargo, por lo general queremos mucho más. Un buen administrador sólo pide a Dios por lo que él necesita.

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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.

ONGOING AT EMMAUS

Tuesdays through July 26: Adults and high school students are invited to join us for a weekly series, **AN INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT**. Led by Matt Scruggs, the series meets Tuesdays, 6-7:30 PM in PLC Room 205. *Join Adult Faith Formation on The City.*



Wednesdays through Aug. 31: Were you baptized Catholic but didn't receive your Confirmation or First Communion? If so, our **SUMMER ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM** is just for you. Join us for weekly sessions to prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Oct. 29. If you are already confirmed but would like to delve deeper into your faith, feel free to join us in this small group adult learning experience. The sessions are held on Wednesday evenings, 7-8:30 PM. To register or for more information, please contact Jose Juan Valdez at the parish office. *Join Adult Faith Formation on The City.*

SOCIAL OUTREACH



Emmaus Catholic Parish is partnering with Volunteer Legal Services of Austin to present a **FREE LEGAL CLINIC** for persons who may be seeking legal assistance on the last Tuesday of each month, 7-9 PM in the PLC classrooms. The next clinic will be held **July 26**. Sign-in for services will begin at 6 PM. For further information, please contact Sr. Elizabeth Guerrero at the parish office.



LTlov is offering another **FREE DENTAL CARE DAY** for Lake Travis eligible children ages 5-18 on Wednesday, **Aug. 17**. Registration forms are available in the narthex racks and from the parish office. For further details, contact Sr. Elizabeth Guerrero at the parish office.

ACROSS THE DIOCESE



Married couples are invited to strengthen, renew, and rekindle their marriage sacrament by attending an upcoming **WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND, July 29-31** at St. Thomas More Parish in Austin (non-residential). For more information, visit austinme.org or contact Steve and Linda Jaramillo at (512) 667-9963 or wwmeaustin@gmail.com.

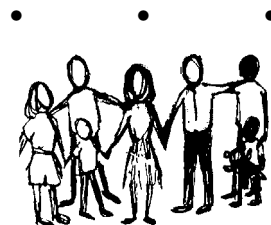


Come and enjoy artwork created by amazing artist from Austin's very own **ART FROM THE STREETS**. This program supports artists who are homeless and at risk with weekly art classes and opportunities throughout the year to provide modest income by the sale of their art. We will have many beautiful artwork for sale, hors d'oeuvres, documentary showing, live music, and a complimentary glass of champagne. The event will take place Thursday, **Aug. 4**, 5:30-8:30 PM at Vintage Villas. For further details and to RSVP, visit aftsgiveartahome-vintagevillas.eventbrite.com.



The Rabboni Institute's Sarah's Hope & Abraham's Promise will host a healing retreat **Aug. 13** for those who are suffering from the loss of a pregnancy through miscarriage or stillbirth or from the loss of an infant. The **PIERCED BY SORROW, RELEASED INTO JOY RETREAT** will focus on healing the mind, heart and body after these devastating losses. It will be held at St. Martin de Porres Parish in Dripping Springs, 9 AM-4:30 PM. Details at www.RabboniInstitute.org or call (512) 736-7334.

The Face of Mercy, the Diocese of Austin's **2016 CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**, will be held Saturday, **Aug. 27**, 8 AM-3:30 PM at St. Helen Parish in Georgetown. The conference will feature three dynamic speakers: Kelly Walquist, Maria Johnson, and Dr. Patricia Sulak. For details and to register, visit austindiocese.org/face-of-mercy.



Upcoming Events at Cedarbrake Catholic Retreat Center:
• **REACHING OUT: THREE MOVEMENTS OF THE SPIRITUAL LIFE, Aug. 12-14.** Henri Nouwen views our spiritual ascent as evolving in three movements: loneliness to solitude, hostility to hospitality and illusion to prayer. The more we are able to understand our own struggles in these areas the more fully we will be able to embrace a more prayerful and genuine life that is also open to others' needs. Cost is \$210 for a private room, \$170 for a shared room and \$95 for commuters; all meals are included.

• Cedarbrake will also offer a **PRIVATE RETREAT** the weekend of **Aug. 26-28**. Eight bedrooms will be available for self-guided silent retreats. A shared lounge with a kitchenette is available as well as confessions and adoration on Saturday evening and Mass on Sunday morning. Participants must bring their own food and spiritual reading. The cost is \$100 for a private room or \$160 for a shared room. For more information or to register, contact Cedarbrake at (254) 780-2436 or cedarbrake@austindiocese.org.