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April 26, 2015

Fourth Sunday of Easter



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ST. ANN MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:30p

Sunday 9:00a

Weekdays

Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 6:00p

Wednesday 6:30a

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday – 4:00p to 5:00p or by Appointment

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament

Friday – 7:00a to 5:30p

Finance Council Chair

Fran Thomas

Pastoral Council Chair

Lynda Mendizabal

Director of Religious Education

Sr. John 979-596-1494

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 11:30a

Weekday

Wednesday 5:00p

Sacrament of Reconciliation after Mass

Deacon: Limas Sweed, Sr

Finance Council Chair

Limas Sweed, Sr

Pastoral Council Chair

Mary McCorvey

Director of Religious Education

Limas Sweed, Sr

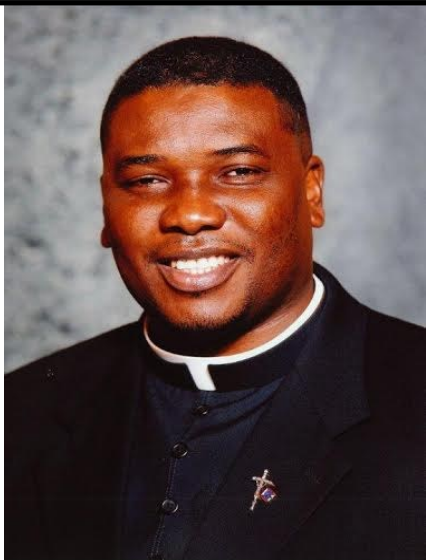
Director of Youth Ministry

Margaret Thomas

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Limas Sweed, Sr

Pastor's Corner



Father Uche Obikwelu

Parish Administrator

Every year, the Months of May and October are dedicated to our Blessed Mother, Virgin Mary. Therefore, this weekend let us refresh our memories on how to say the rosary; which all Catholics are encouraged to pray everyday of the month of May, which would help us to make it our daily way of life.

Praying the Rosary

1. Make the Sign of the Cross.
2. Holding the Crucifix, say the Apostles' Creed.
3. On the first bead, say an Our Father.
4. Say three Hail Marys on the three following beads.
5. Say the Glory Be
6. For each of the five decades, announce the Mystery, then say the Our Father.
7. While touching each of the ten beads of the decade, next say ten Hail Marys while meditating on the Mystery. Then say a Glory Be. After finishing each decade, the Fatima Prayer may be said.
8. After saying the five decades, say the "Hail, Holy Queen, followed by this dialogue and prayer:

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: O God, whose Only Begotten Son, by his life, Death, and Resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life, grant, we beseech thee, that while meditating on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Mysteries of the Rosary

The Joyful Mysteries (*traditionally prayed on Mondays and Saturdays*)

1. The Annunciation of the Lord to Mary
2. The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth
3. The Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ
4. The Presentation of our Lord
5. Finding Jesus in the Temple

The Glorious Mysteries: (*Traditionally prayed on Wednesdays and Sundays*)

1. The Resurrection of Jesus Christ
2. The Ascension of Jesus to Heaven
3. The Descent of the Holy Ghost
4. The Assumption of Mary into Heaven
5. Mary is crowned as Queen of Heaven and Earth

The Sorrowful Mysteries: (*Traditionally prayed on Tuesdays and Fridays*)

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion and Death

The Luminous Mysteries: (*Traditionally prayed on Thursdays*)

1. The Baptism in the Jordan
2. The Wedding at Cana
3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Eucharist

God Bless you!

Festival News

**Next Festival Meeting, Monday, May 11th, 7pm,
Family Center ****Festival—May 16th******

Live and Silent Auction News: If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Zaharis, Auction Chair, at [281-620-2115](tel:281-620-2115) or email: rockin_z_ranch@yahoo.com. Debbie will be needing volunteers to call potential donors or pick up items. Items need to be gathered by the first week of May so that they can be categorized and bundled. If you are baking, creating, or building an item, she will need to know in advance so that she may prepare for it to come in during the week of set-up, or the morning of the auction.

Volunteer Sign-up Sheets: Sign-up sheets are on a table at the back of the Church on clipboards. Please take time after Mass to see the areas of need for our Festival.

Raffle Tickets: Please pick up your raffle tickets after mass today if you have not done so already. Thank you in advance for your help.

Sodas: Below is a list of drinks we need. (No store or off brands please.)

Coke	Diet Coke	Sprite
Dr. Pepper	Diet Dr. Pepper	7-Up
Pepsi	Ozarka Water	

Questions-Please contact our 2015 Festival Chairmen, Frank Maldonado at Frank@acegathering.com (979-820-5275) or Charles Camarillo at ccamarillo@somervilleisd.org.

Sweet Surprise

The Sweet Surprise Stand would appreciate if all parishioners would make or donate baked goods such as cakes, cookies, pies, brownies, etc. for the Sweet Surprise Stand. Cash donations will also be accepted. You may bring your baked goods the morning of the festival to the Sweet Surprise Stand that will be located in the Parish Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Alice Perez at (979)596-2620. Thank you in advance for your help.

CHURCH LIFE...one body-many members.

Bishop Vásquez' Prayer Intention for this Week

For those who have sacrificed their lives in the line of duty and for their families....

The sanctuary lamp is given for the honor and glory of God and in memory of Milady Kristof



Please pray for the needs of our parishioners & friends

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| Johnnie Sweed Jr. | Carol Winkler | Leon Martin |
| Lucy Jimenez | Pete Zedlitz | Mark Pollard |
| Gladys Hines | Dena Janish | Natalie Lewis |
| Jim Turner | Patricia Sweed | Richard Lockett |
| Larry Sweed | Truman Sweed Sr. | Allen Labay |
| David Earl Sweed Sr. | Elizabeth Milsaps | Jim Arredondo |
| Lupe Arredondo | Mario Munoz | David Jimenez |
| Zayden Arnold | Joanie Arias Torres | Ralph Winkler |
| Melinda Scott | Margaret Thomas | Arthur Mendizabal |
| Dorothy Woods | Bob Hays | Annie L. Henderson |



Next Week's Ministers

	Sat—May 2 8:30p	Sun—May 3 9:00a
Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion	Sr. John Sr. Rocio Peggy Jablonski	Sr. Rocio Sr. John Janet Zapalac
Greeters/Ushers	Peggy Jablonski Mary Moreno	James Bacak Buddy Walters
Lectors	Frank Vega	Kimberly Camarillo
Altar Servers	Richard Sifuentes	Briana Hernandez Benjamin Zapalac

Finances—St. Ann

4/19/2015 Sunday Collection \$ 1,656.00

Mass Intentions: Apr. 25-May 3

Sat. Apr. 25	5:30p	†Milady Kristof
Sun. Apr. 26	9:00a	For the People
Tues. Apr. 28	6:00p	Lonie Joe Acker
Wed. Apr. 29	6:30a	†Bernice Arredondo
Thurs. Apr. 30	6:00p	Mike James
Fri. May 1	6:00p	†Ralph & Charlotte Kincaid
Sat. May 2	5:30p	For the People
Sun. May 3	9:00a	†Patricia Thomas

Year of Consecrated Life

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH LIFE... consider yourself at home!

MASS SCHEDULE

- Wed. Apr. 29** 5:00p Ernest East & Family
- Sun. May 3** 11:30a For the People
Altar Servers—Delvin Taylor
Lector—Ocia Sweed

Ministers need to be at church at least 15 minutes before Mass.

- Wed. Apr. 29** 4:00p to 4:45p **Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament**



Happy Birthday & God Bless You!

The following Blessed Virgin Mary Parishioners will celebrate a birthday in *April*

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Evelyn Sweed | Jackendra N. Madison |
| Laguasha Bellard | Mamie Washington |
| Eddie L. Sweed Jr. | Sierra Shelton |

If your name is not on this list, please call the office and let us know. (979-596-1966)

Finances — BVM

4/19/2015 Sunday Collection \$117.00

Blessed Virgin Mary



Save the Dates!!!

Saturday, June 6: Festival will start at 12 Noon, raffle drawings at 5PM

Sunday, July 5: Dedication Anniversary— Bishop Joe Vasquez visits Blessed Virgin Mass: Mass at 11:30 AM

Other Ministries

	Wed-Apr. 29	Wed-May 6
Church Housekeeping Duties	<i>Team 2</i> Cindy & Frank Maldonado Theresa & Raymond Perez	<i>Team 3</i> Kathy & Buddy Walters
Collection Counting	Fran Thomas Linda Wernecke Sr. Rocio	Fran Thomas Larry Valigura Sr. Rocio

If you can help, please call Buddy or Kathy Walters 979 535-4530.

Chef Shane McCue

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(Prayer)

In memory of

†**Milady Kristof**

For her generosity to St. Ann

*“May perpetual light shine
upon her”*

St. Michael the Archangel
St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle. Be
our defense against the
wickedness and snares of
the Devil. May God rebuke
him, we humbly pray, and
do thou, O Prince of the
heavenly hosts, by the
power of God, thrust into
hell Satan, and all the
evil spirits, who prowl
about the world seeking
the ruin of souls.
Amen.

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Special Events at St. Ann

- April 26: KC 4th Degree Fallout 9 am
- April 30: Finance Council Meeting 10am,
Family Center
- May 7: KC Meeting 7pm, Family Center
- May 10: KC Pancake Dinner after Mass in
Parish hall
- May 11: Festival Meeting, 7pm, Family
Center
- May 16: Parish Festival**
- May 21: SACCW Meeting 10am, Family
Center
- May 21: Pastoral Council Meeting 7pm,
Family Center
- May 28: Finance Council Meeting, 10am,
Family Center
- June 6: Sixth Anniversary of Fr. Uche's
Ordination**

***Adopt a Seminarian
Project***

- ...Apr. 26.....
- ...May 3.....
- ...May 10....

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