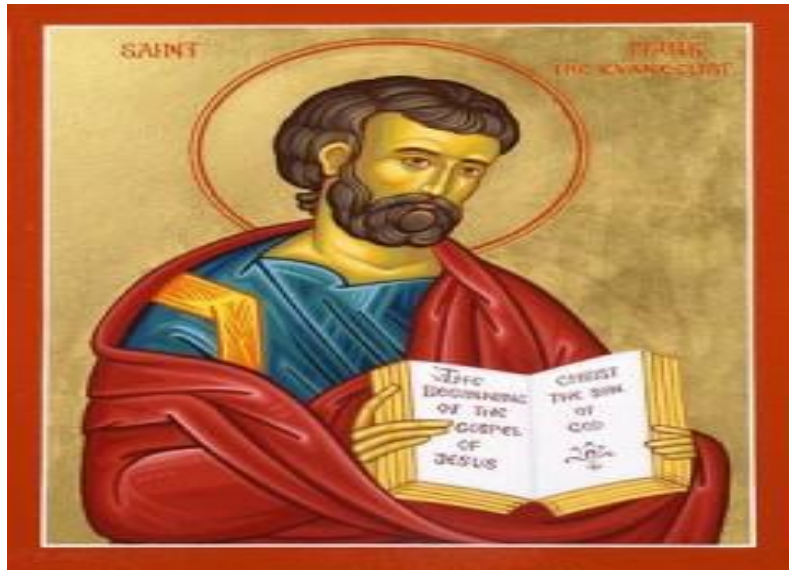




**Our Mother of Mercy  
Catholic Church**

**3390 Sarah St.  
Beaumont, TX**

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**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 13, 2018, Year B**

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**Eucharistic Worship Celebration**

**Week Day Mass: Mon., Wed - Thu & Fri. 6:30am-Tue. 6:00pm**

**Weekend Mass Schedule: Sat. Vigil: 4:30pm—Sunday 7:00, 10:00am**

**Reconciliation: Saturday 3- 4:15pm or by appointment**

**Adoration: First Friday from 12 Noon to Saturday 12 Noon**

**Baptism every 2nd Sunday of the month—RCIA: Thursday 6:30-7:30**

**Bible Study: Tuesday Night after Novena**

# MASS INTENTIONS

<b>SAT.</b>	<b>5/12/2018</b>	<b>4:30PM</b>	
	Vida Mae Louis	Elizabeth Mouton	
	In Thanksgiving of Crystal Haynes	Alma and Velina	
	Elda Guidry	Martha Jackson	
<b>SUN.</b>	<b>5/13/2018</b>	<b>7:00AM</b>	
	Ella Mitchell	Mary Simon	
	Elda Guidry	Children	
	Mildred Clement	Regina J. Rogers	
		<b>10:00AM</b>	
	Jane Mouton	Dolores Fulton	
	Gaye Patterson	Beverly Williams and Family	
	Betty Nicholas	Jennifer Nicholas	
<b>Mon.</b>	<b>5/14/2018</b>	<b>6:30AM</b>	
	Al Williams, Jr.	Beverly Williams and Family	
<b>TUE.</b>	<b>5/15/2018</b>	<b>6:00PM</b>	
	Mary Helen Davis	Anna Jones	
<b>WED.</b>	<b>5/16/2018</b>	<b>6:30AM</b>	
	Josie and Rose Maceo	JoBeth Jenkins	
<b>THUR.</b>	<b>5/17/2018</b>	<b>6:30AM</b>	
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>5/18/2018</b>	<b>6:30AM</b>	
	Antoinette and Charles Giglio	JoBeth Jenkins	



## Prayer List:

*Please remember our parishioners in your daily prayers:*

Rosa Charles, Sadie Patterson, John and Julia Poullard, Isabella Pierre, Theartis Carr, Eva Carter, Viola Colone, Margie and Clarence Guidry, Sr., Benjamin and Mary Lou Wheeler, Sylvia Shelby, Mary Durio, Polly Smith, Mary Pickney, Elnora Lewis, Barbara Smith

*You must call after 30 days for your name to remain on the Prayer List*

## Readings

Mon.	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26, Ps 113, Jn 15:9-17
Tue	Acts 20:17-27, Ps 68, Jn 17:1-11a
Wed	Acts 20:28-38, Ps 68, Jn 17:11b-19
Thu	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11, Ps 16, Jn 17:20-26
Fri	Acts 25:13b-21, Ps 103, Jn 21:15-19
Sat	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31, Ps 11:, Jn 21:20-25



## *Altar Flowers*



In Honor of and In Memory of  
All Mothers

Requested by: Lady's Sodality



*Pray for the Sick and Shut-In and their Care Givers*



**BIBLE** Are you interested in learning more about scripture? Come and study God's Word every Tuesday night at 6:45pm in Meeting Room 1. We are studying the Gospel of John. Bring your Bible and a friend. Please come and join us!

# Our Mother of Mercy Church



**The Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary** will be selling the KPC National Scholarship Fundraiser tickets after all Masses, every week, after all Masses until June 30, 2018. Donations are \$1.00 per ticket.

**1st prize \$5,000 cash**

**2nd prize \$2,000 cash**

**3rd prize \$1,000 cash**

**4th prize (10) \$300 cash each**

*Please Support This Fundraiser*

**Our Mother of Mercy, Beaumont, The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary Court #64** received the following Awards at the Texas State Conference in Dallas, TX on May 5, 2018:

2017 Expansion Award

2018 Expansion Award

Workshop Participation Award

Lady of the Year Award – Gloria Cobb

The KPC Ladies Auxiliary would also like to thank Father Noel and the parishioners for their support

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHEAST TEXAS** Temporary jobs are available with Catholic Charities of Southeast Texas as part of the Disaster Case Management Program for the Harvey Disaster of 2017. These temporary positions are full-time with benefits and will last approximately 18-24 months. The current vacancies are: ▪ Disaster Case Managers ▪ Disaster Case Manager Supervisors ▪ Client Service Representatives ▪ Data Manager ▪ Disaster Operations Administrative Assistant ▪ Accounting Clerk The agency also has a vacancy for a full-time licensed mental health counselor (LPC or LCSW). To see job description summaries and to apply please visit [www.catholiccharitiesbmt.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesbmt.org).

## Attention Youth ! Unity Explosion 2018

There will be a conference for the youth in San Antonio this summer. **The Region10 Unity Explosion** will be held on June 6-10 in San Antonio, Texas. A bus will be chartered by the Diocese free of charge for all who register for the conference. The tuition for the youth will be paid for by the Office of African American Ministry and the Diocese. Please respond: Youth from grades 9-12 who are interested in going by contacting the Youth Director Margaret Denson at 409-454-7127



**Graduates:** Don't forget to sign up in the vestibule for the Graduation Mass.

Parishioners if wish to give a donation to help our graduates, please contact Cynthia Boxie, Margaret Stuberfield, Lisa Jackson or Maureen Cummings. Your donations are greatly appreciated

**BREAKFAST WITH THE BISHOP:** The programs of Catholic Charities of Southeast Texas is scheduled for Saturday, June 9th, 9-11 AM in the Family Life Center at St Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church in Beaumont. Enjoy traditional breakfast favorites and delicious Cajun treats then get ready to dance or just tap your feet. Authentic and award-winning sounds from Jackie Callier, Ivy Dugas, and the Cajun Cousins will draw you out to the floor so you can dance, eat, and dance some more! Tickets are \$25 for teens and adults and \$10 for children ages 6-12, children 5 and under are admitted free. Purchase tickets by phone at (409) 924-4411 or on the web at [www.catholiccharitiesbmt.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesbmt.org).

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OSERVANCES

- 13 Sun. Mother's Day  
World Communication Day
- 14 Mon. Feast of St. Matthias
- 15 Tue. Optional Memorial of St. Isidore
- 17 Thu. Julian Calendar Ascension
- 18 Fri. Optional Memorial of St. John I
- 19 Sat. Armed forces

### Question of the Week:

How can I more closely imitate the love God has for me in the way that I treat those I love in my life? Do I see God in those I love?



### August 9-11, 2018

It's that time of year to start bringing in your items for **Our Mother of Mercy Annual Garage Sale**. We are asking for donation for the following items: Baby Items/Clothing, Electronics, Comforters, Electrical Tools, Used Cell phones. Furniture, Appliances, etc... We are asking all items be in working condition and usable. Contact: Tommy Briggs @ 409-658-6092, Mary Lewis @ 409-454-5342, Ruby Broussard, @ 409-842-0889 and Hilda Malveaux @ 409-842-2929

**BFA DEADLINE!** We are pushing for a deadline ending in August for the BFA to be paid off. Those who have not pledged please do so. We have less than four months for the parish deadline. Groups and Organizations are asked for their help to offset the BFA Goal before the deadline of August. We appreciate your generosity.

We often cite Jesus' quote from today's Gospel of Mark: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature." This was not a suggestion from the Lord. It was quite frankly a command, and it is one which still holds for each of us. Being an evangelist, being a disciple, being a steward is not a matter of choice for those of us who are Catholic and Christian. It is something the Lord expects of us. Often we may like to spend time debating how to do that, but that does not lessen the fact that it is something we are supposed to do. We need to acknowledge that even the original Apostles and followers of Jesus did not do that immediately. We learn that they stayed in Jerusalem for some time, and it seemed to be only when the Church and its followers were persecuted that they began to reach out and truly share the "Good News."

**Stewardship of Treasure**  
**Mass Attendance 557**  
**Offering.....\$13,691.50**  
*Thank you for your generosity*

### 2018 Bishop Faith Appeal

**153** parishioners have pledged a total of **\$74,063.00** to the 2018 Bishop's Faith Appeal. A big "Thank You" to everyone who made a contribution. If you have not made a decision, please do so this week.

*Fr. Noel Effiong-Pastor*  
*Jackie Semien —BFA Chairperson*  
*Greg Pumphrey—Parish Stewardship Chairperson*

**2018 Parish Goal \$90,086**  
**Payments \$42,333.00**